

Stantec Jim Bradley Scholarship

Waeture | Regulations

Whakamāramatanga | Key Information

Rā whakamutunga Closing date	31 March
Whaipainga Value	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Tuition fees support up to a value of \$10,000• Provided a suitable position is available, Stantec New Zealand may offer the recipient paid employment during the summer at the end of the year of tenure.
Wā roanga Tenure	One year
Rahinga ia tau Number available annually	One
Herenga tika Applicable enrolment during tenure	Full-time enrolment in the Third Year of a programme for a BE(Hons) degree in Civil or Natural Resources Engineering
Herenga motuhake Special requirements	Applicants must be citizens of Aotearoa New Zealand or holders of Aotearoa New Zealand residence class visas.

1. Aronga | Purpose

This scholarship encourages and supports students at Te Whare Wānanga o Waitaha University of Canterbury to undertake a career in the three waters, public health, or environmental areas of engineering.

2. Paearu māraurau | Eligibility criteria

Applicants must be enrolled full-time at the University in the Third Year of a programme for a BE(Hons) in Civil Engineering or Natural Resources Engineering.

3. Tukanga tononga | Application process

Applications must be made online at the Scholarships website¹ by 31 March.

4. Tukanga kōwhiringa | Selection process

4.1 One scholarship is available annually.

4.2 The scholarship is awarded by Te Kaunihera | University Council on the recommendation of a selection committee comprising:

- a. the Tumu Whakarae | Vice-Chancellor (or nominee);
- b. the Tumuaki Tari, Pūhanga Metarahi me te Rawa Taiao | Head of the Department of Civil and Natural Resources Engineering (or nominee); and
- c. Jim Bradley or a representative of Stantec New Zealand.

The University representatives initially recommend a ranked list of interview candidates to Jim Bradley or the Stantec New Zealand representative, as applicable, who determines the final interview selection after taking into account University recommendations. The scholarship recommendation is determined by the selection committee, following interviews conducted by the committee.

5. Paearu kōwhiringa | Selection criteria

5.1 In making the recommendation, the selection committee considers:

- a. academic achievement;
- b. teamwork and leadership qualities;
- c. career aspirations and interest in pursuing a career in Civil Engineering or Natural Resources Engineering, particularly in the three waters, public health, and environmental areas; and
- d. performance at an interview that includes an exploration of the application of academic knowledge in a professional/technical context.

The first three criteria are given equal weighting in determining the list of candidates to be interviewed. Interview performance is given the greatest weighting in determining the final recipient.

5.2 If, in any year, there is no candidate of sufficient merit, no scholarship is offered.

6. Mahere utu | Value and payment schedule

6.1 The scholarship provides tuition fees support up to a value of \$10,000.² In addition, and provided a suitable position is available, Stantec New Zealand may offer the recipient paid employment during the summer at the end of the year of tenure.

6.2 The scholarship is paid to the recipient's University tuition fees account.

7. Paearu here | Tenability and retention criteria

7.1 The scholarship must be taken up in the year of application.

7.2 The scholarship is tenable during full-time enrolment at the University in the Third Year of a programme for a BE(Hons) degree in Civil or Natural Resources Engineering.

7.3 The scholarship is tenable for one year.

7.4 The scholarship is not co-tenable with any other award that comprises payment of tuition fees for the Third Year of a programme for a BE(Hons). It is co-tenable with any other award, unless the conditions of the other award preclude this.

7.5 In the event where a recipient's enrolment in the year of tenure no longer meets the conditions specified in clause 7.2, the scholarship is withdrawn and any paid funds may be recovered.

7.6 Continuation of a scholarship is conditional on satisfactory academic progress and adherence to the University's statutes, regulations, policies, and rules.

8. Whakamahuki | Background information

Stantec New Zealand established the scholarship in 2019 in honour of one of its long-standing employees, Jim Bradley. Jim, a UC graduate, has worked in the industry for more than 50 years in the field of civil engineering, specialising in three waters, public health, and environmental matters. In establishing this scholarship, Stantec wished to support students with an interest in these areas.

Stantec designs with community in mind and serves Aotearoa New Zealand from 15 offices around the country, delivering people-focussed initiatives – including water, energy, transportation, and community development projects.

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¹ www.canterbury.ac.nz/scholarships/

² The scholarship does not cover the cost of the Student Services Levy.