Murdoch University Access Engineering Scholarship Application form

The Murdoch University Access Engineering Scholarship is available to domestic Year 12 students seeking to commence their studies in Bachelor of Engineering Honours in the year immediately following graduation from secondary school, and who come from an equity, underrepresented, or marginalised background. Students applying to commence study midyear, will apply directly to Murdoch - please use your Murdoch Application ID number.

Personal Details

1. Given Name *

- 2. Surname *
- 3. Date of Birth *
- 4. Secondary School Attended for Year 12. *
- 5. TISC ID Number (Semester 1 entry) or Murdoch Application ID Number (Semester 2 Entry)
- 6. Personal Email Address *Please note - do not use your school email account **
- 7. Contact Phone Number *

8. Home Address Please include your suburb and postcode *

9. I am: Please select one of the below options *

Australian Citizen

Permanent Resident

NZ Citizen

Humanitarian Visa

10. On what basis are you applying for the scholarship?Please tick all that apply *

Aboriginal and/or Torres Strait Islander Financial Harship Regional and/or Remote First in Generation(Neither parent/guardians have attended University) Female in STEM LGBTQIA+ Other

11. If you selected "other" in the question above, please give more information:

Required Documents

With your application form, you will need to submit the following documents:

1. A Personal Statement of 250 - 300 words identifying:

(a) The basis on which you are applying for this Scholarship, and any barriers you have overcome to complete your secondary schooling,

(b) How receipt of this Scholarship will help you attain your study goals, and

(c) How you hope to use your Engineering degree in the future.

2. A **reference** from your School and/or community leader who can comment on your personal situation, eligibility for this scholarship, your good character, and your motivation to study and succeed in Engineering.

3. In the case of Financial Hardship, a statement/evidence of same.

Please save all files and name them with your Surname, First Name Initial and Date - eg:

- ApplicationSmithJ28Aug25
- StatementSmitjh28Aug25
- ReferenceSmithJ28Aug25

Please send your completed application form with supporting documentation to scholarships@murdoch.edu.au

Terms and Conditions

As a successful recipient of a Murdoch University Access Engineering Scholarship, I agree to the following terms and conditions and understand that it is my responsibility to adhere to the following conditions:

1. I must remain enrolled in a full-time, internal Bachelor of Engineering Honours program at Murdoch University for the full duration of my scholarship, unless granted an exception for exceptional circumstances.

2. I must seek independent advice from the relevant authorities on the effect, if any, that the scholarship may have on my eligibility for income support; or any tax implications.

3. I must notify the Scholarships & Prizes Office in writing immediately if I:

- a. Wish to transfer to another academic program within the University.
- b. Wish to study abroad on a Murdoch University affiliated placement.
- c. Wish to transfer to another institution.
- d. Seek a retrospective withdrawal from any units I have enrolled in.
- e. Apply for Approved Leave.
- 4. I understand that I will forfeit the Scholarship if I:
 - a. Defer my studies, and/or terminate my enrolment.
 - b. Transfer to another institution.
 - c. Transfer from full-time to part-time study (unless I have been granted an exemption).
 - d. Do not maintain a Pass average which is a Weighted Average Mark (WAM) of at least 50%.
 - e. Fail to provide up to date contact and/or financial details to the Scholarships and Prizes Office when requested.

5. I agree and acknowledge that changes in my enrolment may make me ineligible to receive scholarship payments. In the case that I am deemed ineligible I may be placed on a breached status of six months without payment. This status would provide me with the opportunity to improve my grades or study part-time, to then be considered for payments in the follow-ing semester. This opportunity would occur only once for the duration of the scholarship, and is at the discretion of the Scholarship & Prizes Office and the School of Engineering and Energy.

6. I understand that continuing to receive payments that I am ineligible for will result in action taken by the university. In the case of receiving ineligible funds, I will be required to repay all ineligible payments to the Scholarship & Prizes Office within a 3 month period.

7.I understand that I may be approached by the Scholarships and Prizes Team for a testimonial regarding receipt and impact of the Scholarship for future promotional purposes, but that I will be able to decline if I choose.

Declaration & Acceptance

I declare that:

• I agree that the information I have provided in this application form and associated supporting documentation is true and correct.

• I understand that providing false or misleading information will result in the cancellation of, and repayment of, my scholarship, and that I will be subject to the provisions of the Student Misconduct Statute.

By submitting this application form I am agreeing to the Terms and Conditions and the declaration of this form. Please con-tact the Murdoch Scholarship and Prizes Team for more information at <u>scholarships@murdoch.edu.au</u>.

Signature:

Date: