

UNSW Continuing Scholars Award – Terms and Conditions

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1. Background

The UNSW Continuing Scholars Award has been established to assist students in continuing their study with UNSW.

It is available to eligible UNSW students who complete their undergraduate or postgraduate studies in Term 3, 2024, and will commence into a new postgraduate study coursework program at UNSW in Term 1 2025.

2. Eligibility

- a) To be eligible for the Award, applicants must be an international student as defined in the Higher Education Support Act 2003.
- b) Applicants must have studied and completed an undergraduate or postgraduate degree at UNSW in Term 3, 2024, to be offered the Award.
- c) The Award is applicable to commencing postgraduate students in an eligible term where the Award is offered.
- d) The Award is not applicable to students studying a program offered by AGSM, UNSW Online, UNSW Canberra
- e) The Award is only applicable to postgraduate coursework degrees where tuition fees are payable to UNSW.
- f) The Award is non-refundable or transferable and cannot be exchanged for cash or further credit.
- g) The Award is only applicable to postgraduate coursework degrees. In the case of a postgraduate combined coursework and research degree, the Award is only applicable to the coursework component of the combined degree.

3. Selection Criteria

To be successful in obtaining the Award, applicants will need to:

- a) Meet the entry criteria for admission to a postgraduate coursework degree at UNSW; and,
- b) Be deemed successful based on their academic merit which determines competitiveness; and,
- c) Continue to meet the ongoing eligibility requirements after receiving the Award.

4. Value

- a) The Award is valued at \$5,000, applied to the student's second term of enrolment.
- b) No payment will be made directly to the student, the Award will be applied to the applicant's fees account which will reduce the applicant's tuition fee liability.
- c) No other amount is payable.

5. Ongoing eligibility

- a) To continue receiving this Award, the recipient must:
 - a. have no outstanding fees
 - b. continue to meet the enrolment requirements of their student visa and be enrolled each term.
 - c. continue to be enrolled in an eligible postgraduate coursework program. Recipients may transfer to another postgraduate coursework program, however, is not permitted to transfer to any programs by AGSM, UNSW Online or UNSW Canberra.

6. Combination with other Award/Scholarships

- a) The UNSW Continuing Student Award may be held with any other international scholarships (excluding Full-tuition waiver scholarships).
- b) The UNSW Continuing Student Award may be held with the International Student Award only if the recipient has recently completed an Undergraduate coursework program in Term 3, 2024 and will be commencing in their first Postgraduate coursework program at UNSW in Term 1, 2025.
- c) Existing UNSW Postgraduate students that have transferred to a new program are not deemed eligible. This include students that are currently completing a nested program e.g. Graduate Certificate/ Graduate Diploma and will be undertaking their Masters' Coursework Program in Term 1, 2025.

7. Termination

- a) The Award will be terminated if the recipient:
 - I. withdraws from an eligible postgraduate coursework program or fails to enrol
 - II. becomes a domestic student as defined in the Higher Education Support Act 2003
 - III. is determined by the University to be guilty of serious misconduct, including, but not limited to, having provided false or misleading information as part of their application; or
 - IV. any other provision as indicated in these terms that would lead to termination.

8. Other Requirements

Award recipients may be invited to promote the program in which they are enrolled as well as represent UNSW at student events, marketing events and corporate networking events. The costs of representing UNSW at these functions will be met by the University.

