

## Tall Foundation - Capital Chemist Rural Pharmacy Scholarship

### Conditions of Award

#### Purpose of the Scholarship

This Scholarship aims to support undergraduate students in Pharmacy from rural or remote areas of Australia who are in their 2<sup>nd</sup> year or above.

#### Scholarship Details

The Scholarship is known as the Tall Foundation - Capital Chemist Rural Pharmacy Scholarship and is funded by the Tall Foundation.

#### Threshold Eligibility Criteria

To be eligible for the Scholarship, applicants **must** meet the following threshold criteria:

- Be an Australian citizen, permanent resident or permanent humanitarian visa holder;
- Be from a rural or remote area in Australia;
- Be Enrolled full-time in the 2<sup>nd</sup>, 3<sup>rd</sup>, or 4<sup>th</sup> year of an undergraduate degree in Pharmacy at the University of Canberra; and
- Hold an overall course GPA of 5 or higher.

#### Application

Applications are submitted via our [Scholarship webpage](#), which provides details including opening and closing dates. Applicants **must** confirm that all threshold eligibility criteria are met before applying.

To be considered for this Scholarship, applicants must ensure the following sections of the application are completed correctly, in addition to their personal details:

<b>Student Scholarship Details section</b>	
<i>Do you currently reside in, or have you relocated from a rural, regional or remote area in Australia?</i>	Select 'Yes' and provide the postcode of your original place of residence.
<b>Financial Need and Equity Scholarships section</b>	
<i>Would you like to be considered for a scholarship based on financial need and equity?</i>	Select 'Yes' to the question and complete the follow-up questions.

Applicants may apply only once through the Scholarship website. However, multiple applications for different scholarships are permitted if additional space is needed for scholarship specific personal statements.

All questions in the application form must be answered truthfully and to the best of the applicant's knowledge at the time of submission. Any significant changes to the application must be communicated to the Scholarships Office at [Scholarships@canberra.edu.au](mailto:Scholarships@canberra.edu.au) before the closing date. After this date, applications will be assessed based on the original version. Where multiple applications are received for the same scholarship, the most recent submission will be considered.

### **Selection**

The Scholarship Committee will assess applications under the following criteria:

- 50% Demonstrated leadership roles, work experience, community engagement, university involvement or volunteer work
- 25% Barriers or challenges
- 15% Academic merit (Overall course GPA)
- 10% Preference for students of Aboriginal and/or Torres Strait Islander heritage

The Scholarships Office will shortlist eligible applications for consideration by the Committee, which will review and rank them in accordance with the selection criteria of the Scholarship. The Committee's recommendations will be submitted to Director, Student Connect, for approval. After the census date, a final eligibility check will be undertaken before confirming the award and arranging payment of funds.

### **Number of Scholarships**

8 Scholarships will be awarded. The University reserves the right not to offer the Scholarship or to award it at any time to an eligible person.

### **Value and Tenure of the Scholarship**

Each Scholarship is currently valued at \$5,000 and is paid in two equal instalments of \$2,500 over 2 Semesters (Semester 1 and Semester 2) via electronic funds transfer. Payment will be processed in the next available payment run following confirmation of the award, which occurs after the census date.

### **Enrolment Conditions**

The recipient must be enrolled after the census date for the Scholarship to be awarded. In the event of change of program, degree, intermission or discontinuation, the student must notify the Scholarships Office at [Scholarships@canberra.edu.au](mailto:Scholarships@canberra.edu.au). If a recipient is found ineligible with regards to enrolment or unsatisfactory academic results in the previous semester, the Scholarship may be rescinded. If a breach of conditions or withdrawal occurs, the University may request a refund of all or part of the semester payment.

### **Recipient Conditions**

Information relevant to the Scholarship will be shared between the University of Canberra and the Donor for the purpose of administering the Scholarship. The recipient must adhere to the University's policies and procedures and agree to the disclosure of their academic progress to the Donor.

Recipients are encouraged to meet with the Donor and to provide a brief written summary of their travel experience and how the Scholarship assisted them. Participation in scholarship related publicity may also be requested from time to time, including interviews and photographs. The University may also publicise the Scholarship by publishing the names of recipients. Arrangements for such publicity will be coordinated through the Scholarships, Advancement or Marketing Office.

### **Providing False or Misleading Information**

The awarding of a scholarship/grant is based on the information provided to the University. An award may be withdrawn at any stage if incorrect, false or misleading information is provided or relevant information is withheld.

### **Deferment**

The Scholarship cannot be deferred.

### **Taxation and Centrelink**

Recipients are responsible for seeking taxation and Centrelink advice regarding their own individual circumstances. Scholarships/grants may be regarded as taxable income if a recipient is enrolled on a part-time basis.

For information on how your award may affect your Centrelink benefits, see [this website](#).

### **Related Policies, Procedures and Rules**

- [Scholarships, Prizes, Medals, and Excellence Awards Policy](#)
- [Scholarships Procedure](#)
- [Student Charter](#)
- [Student Conduct Rules](#)