

# Scholarships, grants and awards



## Support and recognition for all kinds of students

UniSA provides a broad range of scholarships, grants and awards to international, domestic, undergraduate and postgraduate students. Our scholarships aim not only to reward excellence but to help make tertiary education a viable option for everyone, and not just a privileged few.

### Scholarships at UniSA

Applying for a scholarship or grant at UniSA is probably easier than you think. Each year UniSA provides around AUD\$8m in scholarships and grants to our students. While many scholarships offer financial assistance, others provide work placements, mentoring assistance or even overseas travel. Some are open to students from all disciplines, schools and programs, while others are aimed specifically at students in the School of Pharmacy and Medical Sciences.

There are hundreds of scholarships available, each with different criteria, so it is worth taking the time to research the scholarships you could apply for.

### Opportunity for all

It's a common misconception that scholarships are only for students with the best marks. While some are awarded on academic merit, there are also many scholarships and grants available awarded on a number of different criteria. UniSA offers scholarships specifically designed to assist people from many different backgrounds, including international students, indigenous students, students who have experienced socio-economic disadvantage, students from rural areas and students with disabilities.

Consider applying - you might just be successful.

### Check out the website

For a list of scholarships aimed specifically at students from the School of Pharmacy and Medical Sciences, visit the school's website [www.unisa.edu.au/pmbs/scholarships](http://www.unisa.edu.au/pmbs/scholarships)

For more information on scholarships and grants at UniSA, visit the UniSA Scholarships website at [www.unisa.edu.au/scholarship](http://www.unisa.edu.au/scholarship)

The site outlines which scholarships are discipline, career, program or Division-based, and includes information on entry criteria, the application process and who to contact to find out more information. UniSA is constantly developing new scholarships, so review the 'new scholarships' section of the site regularly to stay up-to-date with what's on offer.

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*"Receiving a scholarship provided a great boost to my studies and future career prospects, and I would recommend that all students have a look at what scholarships are on offer. During my final year of the Medical and Pharmaceutical Biotechnology degree I was offered a vacation scholarship at UniSA's Ian Wark Research Institute, which gave me some invaluable experience working in a research laboratory. I enjoyed it so much that I decided to continue with research and I'm now working on a project with the Sansom Institute, looking into the chemical properties of plants used in Indigenous medicines."*

**Brad Simpson**

Medical and Pharmaceutical Biotechnology graduate and research student



*"Applying for a scholarship was easy. I looked up the website and saw that I was eligible to apply for a School of Pharmacy and Medical Sciences International Undergraduate Scholarship. I downloaded the form and returned it with supporting documents, and a couple of months later I found out that I'd been successful. The discount in fees has really made a difference."*

**Yin Wei Lim**

Pharmacy student

## Awards recognising achievement

Each year the School of Pharmacy and Medical Sciences recognises student achievement with more than 40 different awards, medals and prizes. Many of the awards are sponsored by industry groups, while others have been established in memory of some of Australia's leading pharmacy and medical science educators and researchers.

For more information on awards visit [www.unisa.edu.au/pmbs/about/achievements](http://www.unisa.edu.au/pmbs/about/achievements)

## Highlighted scholarships

### School of Pharmacy and Medical Sciences International Undergraduate Scholarships

These scholarships are awarded to outstanding International students in each year of the undergraduate programs offered by the School of Pharmacy and Medical Sciences. For more information see

[www.unisa.edu.au/scholarship/undergraduate/ug\\_hsc.asp#pbsintug](http://www.unisa.edu.au/scholarship/undergraduate/ug_hsc.asp#pbsintug)

### Sansom Institute Summer Vacation Scholarships

This six-week scholarship is awarded to help a student gain experience on a research project with the Sansom Institute or a range of other organisations. It is open to students who have successfully completed the second year of any undergraduate program at the School of Pharmacy and Medical Sciences or the Bachelor of Science program at UniSA. For more information see

[www.unisa.edu.au/scholarship/undergraduate/ug\\_hsc.asp#saninst](http://www.unisa.edu.au/scholarship/undergraduate/ug_hsc.asp#saninst)

### Mutual Community Transition Grants

These grants are available to first-time university students who have experienced financial disadvantage and are enrolling in a full-time undergraduate degree in a health science discipline. For more information see

[www.unisa.edu.au/scholarship/undergraduate/ug\\_hsc.asp#MCTG](http://www.unisa.edu.au/scholarship/undergraduate/ug_hsc.asp#MCTG)

### Pharmacy Guild of Australia Rural Scholarships Scheme

The Rural Pharmacy Scholarships provide financial support to encourage and enable students from rural and remote communities to undertake undergraduate or graduate studies in pharmacy at university. For more information see [www.guild.org.au/rural/content.asp?id=204](http://www.guild.org.au/rural/content.asp?id=204)

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