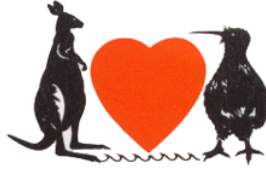


CSANZ Research Scholarships

Guidelines for Applicants

1. The CSANZ Research Scholarship is intended to provide support for Members of the Cardiac Society of Australia and New Zealand who wish to pursue a career in cardiovascular research.
2. The Scholarship is open to all **Members** of CSANZ, including Associate and Affiliate Members.
3. The value of the Scholarship will be equivalent to that of the NHF Postgraduate Medical or non-Medical Scholarship (depending on the candidate's academic qualifications) and will be payable for one year.
4. Previous recipients of the CSANZ Research Scholarship are not eligible to apply for a second scholarship.
5. Scholarships will be awarded only to applicants whose research is to be conducted in Australia or New Zealand.
6. It is expected that the CSANZ Scholarship will provide successful applicants with sufficient research experience to enable them to secure an NHF and/or NH&MRC Postgraduate Research Scholarship to support their ongoing research activity in subsequent years.
7. Only those applicants who are enrolled as full time students (eg. for PhD or MD) will be eligible to receive the Scholarship as a tax-free stipend.
8. Deadline for the receipt of applications and referees' reports is 26th September, 2008.
9. Applications will be graded by a selection panel appointed by the Scientific Subcommittee of the CSANZ. No interviews will be undertaken.
10. Receipt of application will be notified by letter to the applicant.
11. Successful applicants will be notified in December.



Application Guide for

RESEARCH SCHOLARSHIP

CLOSING DATE 26th SEPTEMBER 2008

HOW TO APPLY

One original and four copies of the application must be submitted. It is required that it should:

- follow the order of the **headings** and **format** given on the reverse of this sheet;
 - be on sheets of white standard A4 size paper;
 - be typewritten on one side of the paper only and single spaced. The original typescript must be submitted together with **four copies**, duplicated on both sides of the page;
 - where possible an application should not exceed 20 pages;
 - have each page clearly numbered in the top centre of each sheet approximately a double line space above the typing line.
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The original typewritten application should be forwarded to:

The Honorary Secretary
The Cardiac Society of Australia and New Zealand
145 Macquarie Street, SYDNEY NSW 2000

The applicant should return and underline the main headings and sub-headings as a guide for the reader.

APPLICATIONS FOR RESEARCH SCHOLARSHIP

1. Applicant

- a) Title and Surname and Given Names.
- b) Date of birth.
- c) Citizenship status.
- d) Marital status.
- e) Number of children and their ages.
- f) Degrees and professional qualifications, giving dates (month and year conferred), level attained and institution.
- g) Present appointment, institution and date of commencement.
- h) Work address for correspondence.
- i) Work telephone number, fax number and email address.
- j) A single paragraph outlining future career plans (less than 100 words).

2. Professional Data

- a) Academic record (including prizes and awards).
- b) Professional Experience.
- c) Publications.

3. Applications to Other Funding Bodies

- a) Is this application also under review by any other funding body? YES/NO
- b) If YES, please give name and address of other funding body.

4. Department of Supervision

- a) Name and location of host department and institution where scholarship will be undertaken.
- b) Name and appointment of proposed supervisor during scholarship.
- c) Name and present appointment of supervisor

5. Research Programme

- a) Commencement and termination dates of Scholarship.
- b) Short title of project, by brief but information.
- c) Specific aims.
- d) Research plan. Indicate the successive steps planned in the development of your investigation.

6. Referees

Note: Two written references **MUST BE SUBMITTED** with the application.

7. Ethical Consideration in Human Experimentation

Safe-guarding the rights and welfare of human subjects involved in research supported by a Cardiac Society of Australia and New Zealand grant is the responsibility of the grantee and of the institution in which the grant is tenable. The Society subscribes to the "Statement of Human Experimentation" adopted by the National Health and Medical Research Council. An applicant for a Scholarship in which human experimentation is proposed must obtain from the appropriate body (usually the Ethics Review Committee) of the institution a certification that the project will be conducted in accordance with the principles laid down in the National Health and Medical Research Council statement referred to above.

- a) Does this project involved experiments on human subjects? YES / NO
- b) Is Ethics Review Committee approval attached to this application? YES / NO

Note: A copy of the Ethics Clearance Report is required before funds are released.

8. Ethical Consideration in Animal Experimentation

Maintenance of high standards for the humane treatment and welfare of animals used in research projects is the responsibility of the grantee and of the institution in which the grant is tenable. The Society subscribes to the "Statement on Animal Experimentation" as approved by the National Health and Medical Research Council and recipients of research grants engaged in projects involving experimentation on animals are required to have the project approved by the appropriate body (usually the Animal Experimentation Ethics Committee) to the institution concerned.

- a) Does this project involve experiments on animals? YES / NO
- b) Is Ethics Review Committee approval attached to this application? YES / NO

NOTE: A copy of the Ethics Clearance Report is required before funds are released.

9. Signatures

The application must be signed and dated by the applicant, the supervisor and the head of the host department in which the scholarship will be carried out.