THE DON ARGENT INDIGENOUS BUSINESS SCHOLARSHIP
Application Form 2015

From 2014, up to two scholarships will be available for Australian Aboriginal and/or Torres Strait Islander students who are enrolled or intending to enrol in an undergraduate program offered by UQ Business School.

Scholarship value

- $10,000 per recipient for each year that the scholarship is held.

The scholarship may be held for up to a maximum of three years for the approved program in which the recipient is enrolled at the time of award, subject to the conditions of the scholarship.

Eligibility for the scholarship

To be eligible, you must:

(a) be an Australian Aboriginal and/or Torres Strait Islander; and
(b) be a domestic student (within the meaning of the UQ Fee Rules); and
(c) submit an application to the Head of School by the closing date for applications; and
(d) not hold another scholarship that the Head of School considers to be similar; and
(e) be enrolled full time in one of the following undergraduate programs at UQ in 2015:
   i) Bachelor of Business Management (including dual degrees that include the Bachelor of Business Management)
   ii) Bachelor of Commerce (including dual degrees that include the Bachelor of Commerce)

Selection process

The following is taken into account in selecting the recipient of the scholarship:

(a) academic achievements in previous studies; and
(b) demonstrated financial need; and
(c) personal qualities, including leadership potential

How to apply

Apply by completing the application (Pages 2-5 below) and attach the requested supporting documentation. Return the application form and supporting documentation to UQ Business School as detailed in the application form.

Applications close 31 March 2015

Enquiries

Phone: (07) 3346 8100
Email: info@business.uq.edu.au
Website: www.uq.edu.au/study/scholarships
How to complete this form:

1. All sections of the form need to be completed
2. SIGN AND DATE the declaration (unsigned applications will not be accepted)
3. Attach ALL requested documentary evidence
4. Return the application form with ALL requested documentary evidence to:

**Mail:** The Student Administration Manager  
UQ Business School  
The University of Queensland  
ST LUCIA QLD 4072

**Or In person to:** UQ Business School, Reception,  
Level 2, Colin Clark Building,  
St Lucia Campus

**Or**  
**Email:** Scan and email your application to info@business.uq.edu.au

### Section A – Your details

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<td>☐ Yes</td>
<td>If you tick ‘Yes’, you are required to provide documentary evidence of your Aboriginal and/or Torres Strait Islander status. <strong>Please attach either a copy of:</strong></td>
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<td>your ‘Confirmation of Aboriginality’ – your confirmation must be recognised within your own community or organisation and signed by the appropriate signatory under their Common Seal; or</td>
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<td>a statutory declaration confirming your status.</td>
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| ☐ No | If you ticked ‘No’, you are NOT eligible for this scholarship. |
Section B – Academic Details and Achievements

5 Name of UQ program you intend to/have enrolled in 2014 (e.g. Bachelor of Business Management)

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6 Will you be enrolling as a:  

☐ Full-time student (You must be full-time to be eligible for this scholarship).  

☐ Part-time student (You are NOT eligible for this scholarship)

7 Did you complete Year 12 in 2014

☐ Yes  Name and location of school: ......................................................................................................................

☐ No  Name and location of school: ................................................. Year of completion..............................................

8 Please provide details of previous academic achievement including all previous enrolments in educational courses or programs, completed or otherwise

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Section C – Financial Need

The University will take into consideration the range of disadvantages that may affect the immediate financial status of applicants for the scholarship. Such factors may include geographical isolation, stability of financial status and family circumstances such as illness or bereavement, which affect the level of family financial support.

9 Are you currently in receipt of Centrelink benefits e.g. ABSTUDY, Youth Allowance etc. (full or partial payments).

☐ Yes  Type of benefit: .................................................................................................................................

☐ No

10 Please provide details of how the scholarship will financially support you in your studies.

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11 Are you currently in receipt of, or will you be in receipt of ANY other scholarships or bursaries in 2015?
Yes

Name of Scholarship/Bursary: _______________________________________________________

Awarding body: __________________________________________________________________

Duration of scholarship/bursary (e.g. 1 year duration of the program): _________________

value: ______________________

No

Section D – Personal Qualities including leadership potential

12 Please provide details of any leadership or community service awards or achievements that are relevant to your application You will need to provide evidence of anything you include in this section.

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Section E – Supporting documentation checklist

Please ensure that you have attached ALL the following documentation in support of your application:

- Evidence that you identify as an Australian Indigenous person (e.g. Confirmation of Aboriginality document or statutory declaration)
- Supporting documentation of previous academic achievement

- Evidence of financial need:
  - Current Centrelink statements (e.g. Youth Allowance, ABSTUDY); AND/OR
  - Most recent ATO assessments for yourself, your parents or partner (where applicable); AND/OR
  - Other documentation you believe supports your claim of financial hardship

  Please note: a healthcare card on its own does not indicate financial disadvantage - additional evidence is required.

- Supporting documentation of leadership or community service awards, if any.

Applications which do not provide the information requested or ALL supporting evidence required, will NOT be considered by the Scholarship Selection Committee.

Section F – Declaration

I declare that the information supplied on this form and in accompanying documents and statements is complete and correct to the best of my knowledge. If any information provided is found to be false or misleading, I accept that the University may cancel any scholarship awarded to me on the basis of this application and require me to repay any scholarship funds received to date. I understand that the scholarship selection process is competitive and not all applicants who meet basic eligibility criteria are necessarily awarded a scholarship. I understand documents submitted with this application become the property of the University.

Applicant signature: ________________________________ Date: ________________________________

Please note: Unsigned applications or those without required supporting documentation will not be processed.

APPLICATIONS CLOSE: 31 March 2015

UQ Privacy Statement:

The information on this form is collected for the primary purpose of processing your application for a scholarship at the University. The information you provide will be disclosed to the scholarship selection panel, which includes members external to the University. The University will not disclose your personal information to other third parties without your consent unless disclosure is authorised or required by law. You have a right to access personal information that the University holds about you, subject to any exceptions in relevant legislation. For information on how UQ manages student information, please consult the UQ Privacy Management Policy which is located at: