# **Aurora Women in STEM Scholarship**



# **Description**

The purpose of this scholarship is to encourage high achieving women to study physics topics Fundamental Physics I (PHYS1101) or Physics for the Modern World: (PHYS1701) at Flinders University.

The scholarship has been established by a generous donation from Physics Professor, Maria Parappilly.

### **Benefits**

There will be one scholarship of \$2,000 awarded each year whilst funding is available. Payment will be made in two instalments after the census date of each semester.

# **Eligibility**

The scholarship recipient must

- be female; and
- be normally enrolled full time at Flinders University\*; and
- be enrolled in Fundamental Physics I (PHYS1101) or Physics for the Modern World: (PHYS1701); and
- have been admitted to course on the basis of an ATAR.

Scholarships are available to part-time students in exceptional circumstances, which includes (but is not limited to) disability, illness or carer responsibilities. Part-time scholarship recipients will receive the same annual value as full-time scholarship recipients.

\* Recipients who have extenuating circumstances that prevent them from studying full-time (e.g. disabilities, illness, or carer responsibilities) may apply to hold their scholarship part-time subject to the provision of satisfactory independent documentation.

### Selection

The scholarship will be awarded on academic merit (ATAR). If there is more than one student sharing the highest ATAR, results in specific school subjects may be taken into consideration.

Scholarship selection will be made in accordance with approved procedures.

# **Tenure**

The Scholarship is awarded for up to one year of full-time study.

#### Leave

Leave will be permitted for the second semester of this scholarship, for a maximum of one semester only.

# **Applications**

Applications can be made online through the student management system.

### **Advertising**

The Scholarship will be advertised on the University website and other appropriate media as determined by Flinders University.

# **Authority**

These conditions of award were approved in accordance with the University's policy on Prizes and Scholarships. For further information see

https://www.flinders.edu.au/content/dam/documents/staff/policies/academic-students/prizes-and-

