# Flinders University

## **AMK Indigenous Law Students Scholarship**

## **Purpose**

The object of the scholarship is to assist Indigenous students studying the Bachelor of Laws and Legal Practice at Flinders University.

## Source of funds

The Scholarship has been established through a generous donation from AMK Law.

#### **Benefits**

Each Scholarship will have a value of \$5,000 to be paid in two equal instalments of \$2,500 after the census date of each semester.

One Scholarship will be available per annum for the duration of the funding period.

## Eligibility

Applicants for the scholarship must:

- be of Australian Aboriginal or Torres Strait Islander descent; and
- identify as an Australian Aboriginal or Torres Strait Islander; and
- be accepted as an Australian Aboriginal or Torres Strait Islander by the community in which they live or have lived; and
- normally be enrolled at full-time Flinders University\*; and
- be enrolled in the second or subsequent year of the Bachelor of Laws and Legal Practice or the Bachelor of Laws and Legal Practice (Honours); and
- have a minimum GPA of 4.0; and
- be able to demonstrate an interest in the impacts of technology on the law, legal practice, and access to justice
- be able to demonstrate an interest in a career in commercial law; and
- not be in receipt of a similar scholarship.

Previous recipients may reapply however priority may be given to students who have not previously received this scholarship.

\*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.

#### Tenure

The Scholarship will be valid for 12 months.

### Leave

Leave is permitted for a maximum of one semester after the completion of one semester of the scholarship.

#### Selection

The Scholarship will be awarded on the basis of academic merit, demonstrated interest in technology and the law as well as interest in a career in commercial law. Scholarship selection will be made by a committee comprising representatives from the College of Business, Government and Law and from Yunggorendi Student Services.

## **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.