



**Flinders
University**

Jacqui Thorburn and Family Scholarship for Indigenous Archaeology and Cultural Heritage Management

Purpose

This scholarship has been established to provide financial assistance to an Indigenous student studying Indigenous Archaeology or Cultural Heritage Management at Flinders University.

Source of funds

This scholarship has been possible after a generous donation from the Thorburn family.

Benefits

There will be one scholarship awarded annually up to a value of \$2,000. Payment will be made in two equal instalments, after each main semester census date.

Eligibility

To be considered, applicants 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
- be making satisfactory academic progress; and
- normally be enrolled in an undergraduate or postgraduate coursework degree at Flinders University specialising in Indigenous Archaeology or Cultural Heritage Management.

Preference will be given to students who have already completed one year of full-time tertiary study or equivalent.

Tenure

The maximum tenure is one year. Students enrolled in a Graduate Certificate will have a maximum tenure of one semester. Scholarship recipients who complete the Graduate Certificate and subsequently enroll in an eligible Graduate Diploma or Master's degree in the semester immediately following the Graduate Certificate will have their Scholarship extended by six months up to a maximum of one year. Payments will not normally be made for repeat study. Scholarship payments will be withdrawn if the recipient withdraws or is precluded from the course.

Selection

The scholarship will be awarded based on

- academic merit; and
- the extent to which the scholarship will assist the student's education

Priority will be given to applicants who are interested in pursuing a doctoral program in Indigenous Archaeology. However, this is not required, and all eligible students are encouraged to apply.

Applications

Applications should be submitted online through the Student System by the specified closing date.

Advertising

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