



## **International Merit Scholarship**

The International Merit Scholarship is available to all new international vocational, research, full degree and packaged academic coursework students who meet the academic and English criteria at CQUniversity Australia.

## **TERMS AND CONDITIONS**

All International Merit Scholarship recipients are governed by these terms and conditions.

- 1. The International Merit Scholarship is awarded, at the discretion of the University, to international students, undertaking study at CQUniversity Australia.
- 2. The International Merit Scholarship is only available to students applying for vocational, research, full degree and packaged academic course.
- 3. The International Merit Scholarship is only available to students new to CQUniversity Australia OR to CQUniversity students who have completed a CQUniversity qualification at diploma, undergraduate, postgraduate coursework level and applying to commence another qualification at CQUniversity if they meet the minimum eligibility criteria.
- 4. The International Merit Scholarship is not available in conjunction with any other CQUniversity Australia scholarship.
- 5. The International Merit Scholarship is not available to any student who has been given entrance to CQUniversity Australia based on work experience.
- 6. The International Merit Scholarship is not transferable to a third party or redeemable for cash.
- 7. The International Merit Scholarship is calculated and applied on a per unit basis.
- 8. The International Merit Scholarship remains valid whilst the recipient:
  - a. remains enrolled in compulsory terms at CQUniversity Australia;
  - b. pays all tuition and additional fees/costs in accordance with CQUniversity Australia policy, ensuring tuition fees are paid in full by census date each term;
  - c. meets the conditions of their student visa (if applicant on student visa).
- 9. The International Merit Scholarship will discontinue if the student named on the Letter of Offer:
  - a. has overdue tuition fees and/or outstanding debts after census date of each term;
  - b. is identified as being at Level 3 of Academic Progression on their enrolment;
  - c. graduates from their nominated course; or cancels their enrolment, or has their enrolment cancelled at CQUniversity Australia.
- 10. As per the refund policy, refund amounts payable to international students may be adjusted to include the recouping of waived published fees such as the repayment of any International Merit Scholarship in accordance with the terms and conditions of those scholarships.
- 11. If an international student cancels their studies at CQUniversity prior to the completion of their studies as per their Letter of Offer and COE and/or, if an international student transfers to a different Education Provider, the international student must repay the International Merit Scholarship fees for each term that was completed. Fees owing may be deducted from any refund that is payable by the University or an invoice for the amount of Scholarship deducted for each relevant term prior to the request for cancellation will be sent to the student for payment.
- 12. The International Merit Scholarship may be withdrawn with 10 days' written notice, should the recipient breach any of these terms and conditions.
- 13. The International Merit Scholarship is not available to international students undertaking the Bachelor of Aviation (Commercial Pilot).

## **APPEALS**

1. There is no right of appeal should the applicant be unsuccessful in securing a scholarship or has their scholarship withdrawn.

The terms and conditions may be changed at any time and the University will provide 20 working days' written notice to all current International Merit Scholarship recipients. Students who are uncertain about any of the terms and conditions, are encouraged to speak to the Student Experience team at their campus.

## **ELIGIBILITY CRITERIA**

This is a merit-based scholarship based on applicant's academic achievement in their prior studies or English Language Proficiency.

All applicants will be assessed by CQUniversity's International Admission team and applicant will be notified accordingly within the Letter of Offer. The scholarship offered will range from 15%–25% reduction of applicant's tuition fees for the duration of the course.

