

New Zealand Laboratory Education Environmental Focus Scholarships

It is a truism that the health of the environment is important to humans. However, environmental concern without appropriate information produces worry rather than practical improvement. Things can look “yucky” and not be environmental problems, or be invisible and devastating to the environment. Proper sampling, analyses and interpretation are key to informing sound environmental action.

Real World Education Ltd has established a pool of funding to enable study in its programmes that is likely to facilitate environmentally-advantageous activities by people completing the study.

Your full name:-----

Proposed study (programme):-----

Proposed study start date (in-take):-----

The scholarships cover all course fees for the specified study with us, but cover no other cost (e.g. travel).

Instructions:

- Scholarship applications (scanned) should be uploaded when other documents are uploaded as part of the programme application process. Applications are only accepted after that under special circumstances, and with the approval of the Director.
- The truthfulness of information on this application must be declared in front of someone authorised to take statutory declarations under the Oaths and Declarations Act 1957. That is most commonly a Justice of the Peace.
- Where you are asked to select from choices, please ring/circle your choice.
- Please only include answers in the space provided by selecting the most important information that will fit in that space.
- If you have any questions about this application, please email those questions to admissions@real.ac.nz . Please do not include attachments with that email.

Since the purpose of the scholarships is to promote environmentally-advantageous study, priority is given to funding study that would be unlikely to occur in the absence of this funding. That is why we ask these questions:

If you do NOT receive the scholarship, what is the approximate probability that you would do the proposed study?

100% 80% 60% 40% 20% 0%

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If you do not get the scholarship, are there others (e.g., employers, government bodies, professional organisations) that would likely pay the fees for you to do the programme? Please do not include possible loans.

Yes No

If "Yes", please give details:

If you do this study, approximately what portion of the work you do using the learning is likely to be unpaid work (e.g. volunteer activity) in the first year after the study is completed?

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Although we do not require a guarantee that the learning will be applied to environmentally-advantageous activities, we do require indication that the learning is likely to be applied to environmentally-advantageous activities. That is why we ask these questions:

Which best describes your situation:

I have no interest in applying the proposed learning to environment benefiting activities.

I have an interest in applying the proposed learning to environment benefiting activities, but have no plan to do so.

I have an interest in applying the proposed learning to environment benefiting activities, and have a general plan.

I have an interest in applying the proposed learning to environment benefiting activities, and have a specific plan.

If you indicated a general or specific plan, please give details:

What have you done that indicates that you have a sincere interest in using your energy and skills to improve the environment?

Statutory Declaration

I, _____ residing at _____ having the
occupation of _____ solemnly and sincerely
declare that the information given above on this application is true and I make this solemn
declaration conscientiously believing the same to be true and by virtue of the Oaths and
Declarations Act 1957.

_____ Date: _____

Declared at _____ this _____ day of _____ 20_____.

before me:

_____ (Signature)

Designation: _____

(Justice of the Peace or other person authorised to take a statutory declaration)