

2017/2018 Pat Farry Rural Health Education Trust Travelling Scholarship

Visionary leader, highly respected teacher, healer, mentor, tireless advocate and champion of Rural Health, Dr Pat Farry was unmatched in his efforts and contribution to Rural Medicine and General Practice Education.

His vision of sustainable and quality health services for rural communities and small towns of New Zealand was through education. He devoted much of his career to advocating and lobbying for improvements and funding for rural medicine. The Pat Farry Rural Health Education Trust was established in March 2010, with the purpose of continuing this legacy.

"I always thought Pat's continued stream of ideas emanated from his regular international travel and his numerous international contacts. Amongst its other aims, the trust will be able to support young people in the health care sector, to spend time in overseas units, to return, and to become the new generation of ideas generators."

-Dr Stuart Gowland, Trustee

For more information visit <http://www.patfarrytrust.co.nz/>

Scholarships

The Pat Farry Rural Health Education Trust currently considers applications for two scholarships; the annual Pat Farry Rural Health Education Trust Travelling Scholarship and the biennial Pat Farry Trust Scholarship. These scholarships, and other scholarships under consideration, are dependent upon funding availability.

The Pat Farry Rural Health Education Trust Travelling Scholarship is awarded annually subject to funding availability and receipt of suitable applications. The amount of the funds available is up to \$10,000.00 and may be divided between up to two recipients.

The Scholarship is available to students of the University of Otago Faculty of Medicine to be specifically used to fund their Trainee Intern (6th year) Elective. Scholarship applications will be invited from 5th Year students based in either, Wellington, Christchurch or Dunedin Schools to enable their advanced elective planning. Preference will be given to those participating in the 5th Year Rural Medical Immersion Programme.

Upon returning to New Zealand, the Trust will expect the recipient(s) of the Scholarship to present a formal report to the Trustees (within a timeframe agreed) as well as at a national event, such as the New Zealand Rural GP Network's annual conference.



2017/2018 Pat Farry Rural Health Education Trust Travelling Scholarship: Timeline

- By 15 Aug 2017 Application process for 2017 (for travel in 2017/2018) announced
- 15 Aug 2017 Applications open
- 24 Sep 2017 Applications close
- Early October 2017 Pat Farry Rural Health Education Trust Trustees consider all applications
- Mid Oct 2017 Finalist applicants advised and interview schedule set
- Late October 2017 Scholarship recipient(s) announced

The Trust reserves the right not to award the scholarship in the event of unsatisfactory applications.

Applications for 2017/2018 should be made on the attached form and returned to the Secretary of the Trust, to whom all other queries can be directed.

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Application Form

Personal Information

Name: _____

Date of birth: _____

Nationality: _____

University of Otago School of Medicine Campus: _____

Rural Medical Immersion Programme location (if applicable): _____

Mailing Address: _____

Telephone: _____

Email: _____

Please attach your current CV.

Proposed Elective Information

Proposed Destination(s) (Country and any associated Medical Organisation):

Proposed Dates of Travel: _____

Please provide details of any other funding you will have or have applied for (if applicable):

Please submit 300-500 words outlining the aims and objectives of your chosen elective.

