2027-28 Study Abroad Bursary

Eligibility guidelines

To be eligible for this bursary you must:

- be an international fee-paying student studying in one of the categories below:
  - Study Abroad (tailored and direct)
- be studying a minimum of 45 credit points in one of the above study abroad programs, on campus for the first time commencing in 2027 or 2028;
- have lodged a Student Visa application (subclass 500) to the Australian Government and paid the respective fee (and provide evidence when requested)
- have had the Student Visa subsequently approved;
- accept the bursary notification offer within 28 calendar days, for the bursary payment to be made.

Terms and conditions

- The recipient must continue to meet the eligibility guidelines and these terms and conditions at the time of applying and throughout their period of study.
- The recipient must be enrolled to study in a minimum of 45 credit points in the Semester they receive the bursary and remain enrolled in a minimum of 45 credit points post census date. Students cannot defer or intermit their studies.
- Open to international students in the above listed study abroad categories, studying on a student visa (subclass 500) who have not studied at ECU previously.
- The recipient is responsible for meeting travel, insurance and vaccination requirements set by the Australian and Western Australian Governments.
- The recipient must enrol in their units of study and pay their tuition fees by the relevant date(s) published by ECU.
- The recipient must comply with ECU's statutes, rules, by-laws, policies, procedures, or other similar instruments and with all applicable visa requirements.
- The recipient must promptly notify ECU of any change of circumstances that may affect their ongoing eligibility for the bursary.
- The bursary is a one-off payment to the value of AUD$1,000, to eligible students in accordance with these terms and conditions.
- Eligible students will be issued a bursary notification letter and must accept the offer within 28 calendar days and provide Australian bank account details, for bursary payment to be made.
- The bursary will be paid following census date, to eligible students' Australian bank account upon acceptance of the bursary and following ECU's verification checks post census date. Payments to non-Australian bank accounts will not be processed.
- For cohort programs, bursary payment arrangements will be agreed directly with the home institution.
- The bursary can be revoked if the recipient does not accept their offer or enrol in their course by the date specified.
- The recipient must pay their tuition fees within the stipulated payment deadlines, failure to do so may negate the bursary and require it to be returned or an equivalent repaid.

All bursaries are awarded at ECU's discretion. ECU reserves the right to revoke the bursary at any stage if a student is found to have provided information that is false or misleading, does not meet the bursary eligibility criteria (including ECU's standard and specific admission requirements), or the recipient does not comply with the conditions of the bursary. In these circumstances, ECU may cancel the bursary and may require an equivalent amount to be refunded to ECU.

ECU reserves the right to decline to award bursaries if, in its opinion, there are no suitable applicants. The number of bursaries to be awarded shall be at ECU's sole discretion. This bursary may be withdrawn from offering by ECU at any time without notice.