

2021/2022 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 Scholarships. This scholarship is under consideration, and is 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 1,000.00 each recipient.

The Scholarship is available to students of the University of Otago Faculty of Medicine to be specifically used to subsidise costs of accommodation and travel within New Zealand as part of their Trainee Intern (6th year) Elective. Scholarship applications will be invited from 5th Year students based in 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.

The Trust will expect the recipient 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.





2021/2022 Pat Farry Rural Health Education Trust Travelling Scholarships: Timeline

By 23 Aug 2021 Application process for 2021 (for travel in 2021/2022) announced

23 Aug 2021 Applications open26 Sep 2021 Applications close

Early October 2021 Pat Farry Rural Health Education Trust Trustees consider all

applications

Late Oct 2021 Finalist applicants advised and interview schedule set

Oct/early Nov 21 Scholarship recipients announced

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

Applications for 2021/2022 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 Date of birth: University of Otago School of Medicine Campus: Rural Medical Immersion Programme location (if applicable): _____ Mailing Address: _____ Please attach your current CV. **Proposed Elective Information** Proposed Destination(s) (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.

