



## **2019 Whanake – HERA Scholarship** **(Engineering - Structural or Mechanical)**

Established in 1978, the Heavy Engineering Research Association (HERA) was born out of a necessity to help its industry navigate its way through a testing industrial environment in the late 70's. And today, still continues this structure and approach as they come face to face with new challenges.

HERA's team of researchers and key personnel aim to deliver a wide spectrum of research and development support for their member and work closely with universities and organisations to keep their members one step ahead.

HERA's expertise in industry development, structural systems, welding and fabrication are focused on solving complex challenges in an ever changing environment – to keep New Zealand's metal industry at the forefront of innovation.

***To further HERA's aim to strengthen and extend their industry's capacity, HERA is pleased to offer a scholarship targeted to a female Māori student in their first year of a four-year Bachelor of Engineering degree (B.E., or B.Eng). The scholarship comprises an annual scholarship award of \$5,000 and paid summer internship (with HERA) over four (4) years.***

As this is a form of recurring scholarship, conditions will be placed on the award which will include the annual submission of academic results, annual progress reports from the successful recipient and supervisor or Head of Department, a signed contract which will include these conditions, and a refund policy should study cease. Given the internship offered is Auckland-based, ideally the recipient will be enrolled in an Auckland tertiary institute.

HERA is keen for the scholarship to be a collaborative partnership, with the recipient acting as a role-model and mentor to young Māori considering a career in engineering.

### **ELIGIBILITY**

In order to be eligible for consideration, applicants must:

- be of New Zealand Māori descent;
- be enrolled at a New Zealand tertiary institute in 2019;
- be attending full-time study for the full year;
- meet the criteria for the scholarships applied for;
- submit the application and supporting documentation on time.

### **CRITERIA**

Applicants for the Whanake - HERA Scholarship (undergraduate) must:

- be in their first year of a four-year Bachelor of Engineering degree;
- must meet the contracted scholarship conditions

**VALUE:** \$5,000 per annum

**NO. AVAILABLE:** One (1)

**TENURE:** Four years (contingent upon recipient meeting scholarship conditions)

## **SUPPORTING DOCUMENTATION**

Ensure you attach the following documentation to your application:

- An encoded bank deposit slip or bank verification of your bank account number.
- A recent passport size photograph.
- A copy of your 2018 NCEA results.
- A copy of your Curriculum Vitae.

## **CLOSING DATE**

Applications must reach the Māori Education Trust by **4.30 pm, Friday, 26 Paenga-whāwhā (April) 2019.**

**Postal Address:** Māori Education Trust  
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LOWER HUTT 5040

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KOROWAI MĀORI			
Iwi	1.	2.	3.
Hapū	1.	2.	3.
Marae	1.	2.	3.

WHAKAPAPA			
Please complete this section of your whakapapa:			
_____		_____	
Grandfather	Grandmother	Grandfather	Grandmother
_____		_____	
Father		Mother	
_____			
Applicant			
Whakapapa must be certified by a kaumātua (someone other than your parents/grandparents), Māori teacher or leader of your community, who is familiar with your whakapapa. We will also accept a copy of an iwi registration letter for either or both of your parents.			
Certifier's name: _____		Certifier's signature: _____	
Certifier's phone number: _____			

TE REO MĀORI				
He mea nui te reo Māori ki a mātou o Toitū Kaupapa Māori Mātauranga. Tena tohua mai ngā āhuatanga hei whakarite i to aroha ki te reo.				
Please indicate your level of te reo Māori proficiency by ticking the appropriate box; thank you.				
Te Reo Māori		Āe Yes	Kāo No	English
A	Kei te hiahia au ki te ako i te reo Māori.			I want to learn te reo Māori.
B	Kei te ako au i te reo Māori.			I am learning te reo Māori.
C	Kei te āhua mōhio au i te reo Māori.			I am familiar with te reo Māori.
D	Kei te maia au ki te reo Māori.			I am confident in te reo Māori.
E	I tipu ake au i te reo Māori.			I grew up in te reo Māori.
F	Kei te kōrerotia te reo i a rā, i a rā.			Daily language is spoken in te reo Māori.
G	Ka tuhia aku mahi whakamātautau i te reo Māori.			I write my school work in te reo Māori.
H	E tautoko ana i nga reo korua engari e marama ana au ki te mana o te reo Māori.			I believe in bilingualism where te reo Māori is valued and acknowledged.



## EDUCATION DETAILS AND ENROLMENT CONFIRMATION

Student NSN Number (NZQA): \_\_\_\_\_

You must provide evidence of enrolment; have your tertiary institute complete this section. Alternatively, an enrolment confirmation letter or paid fees invoice is acceptable if all information is included.

**NOTE:** An offer of placement does not confirm you are enrolled.

a) Name of Institute: \_\_\_\_\_

b) The student is in their first year of study towards a Bachelor of Engineering degree: Yes / No

c) Course start date: \_\_\_\_\_ / \_\_\_\_\_ / \_\_\_\_\_ Course end date: \_\_\_\_\_ / \_\_\_\_\_ / \_\_\_\_\_

d) Course of study: Full-time Part-time

e) Institute stamp or seal:



Certifier's name: \_\_\_\_\_

Certifier's signature: \_\_\_\_\_

Certifier's position: \_\_\_\_\_

Certifier's phone number: \_\_\_\_\_

## DECLARATION

Please read each statement and tick the box next to it if the statement is true; sign and date the form.

- To the best of my knowledge, the information I have given in this application is accurate.
- I understand that if my application is incomplete it will not be considered.
- I understand that if I accept a scholarship and do not complete my study, I may be required to repay the scholarship.
- If I am a successful recipient, I agree that my award and personal details may be used by HERA and the Māori Education Trust to promote the scholarship.
- If I am a successful recipient, I understand my details may be shared with the Ministry of Education. I am also aware I may receive a call during or after the term of my scholarship as part of the Ministry of Education's scholarship verification process.
- If I am successful recipient, I will forward a letter of thanks to HERA care of the Māori Education Trust.
- I will provide the Māori Education Trust with my academic transcript or progress report by Friday, 13 Hakihea (December) 2019. Documentation for subsequent years is to be provided by 30 Whiringa-ā-rangi (November). I am aware failure to do so will be noted and may affect eligibility for future scholarships.
- I will be available for a paid internship during summer breaks from study.

Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Signature: \_\_\_\_\_

Date: \_\_\_\_\_ / \_\_\_\_\_ / \_\_\_\_\_