



## Financial Assistance for Students Commencing Exchange in AUTUMN SESSION 2012

### Proposed International Student Exchange Travel Grants

#### ▪ Targeted Institution Travel Grants: ASIA

##### China

2 x \$5,000 ECKSEP Student Exchange\* program scholarships to the following university in China:

- Wuhan University

##### Hong Kong

1 x \$5,000 ECKSEP Student Exchange\* program scholarship to the following university in Hong Kong:

- Hong Kong Baptist University

##### Japan

9 x \$5,000 ESEP Student Exchange\* program scholarships to any of the following universities in Japan:

- Kobe University
- Otaru University of Commerce
- University of Electro-Communication
- Sophia University
- Senshu University
- Doshisha University
- Horoshima Shudo University
- J.F. Oberlin University
- Oita University

##### Malaysia

4 x \$5,000 ESEP Student Exchange\* program scholarships to either of the following universities in Malaysia^:

- Universiti Sains Malaysia
- Universiti of Malaysia Sabah

##### New Caledonia

1 x \$3,000 Targeted Travel Grant to the following university in New Caledonia:

- Universite de la Nouvelle-Caledonie

##### Singapore

1 x \$3,000 Targeted Travel Grant to the following university in Singapore:

- Nanyang Technological University



### South Korea

1 x \$3,000 Targeted Travel Grant to any of the following universities in South Korea:

- Aju University
- Sagang University
- Chung-Ang University
- Dongguk University

### ▪ **Targeted Institution Travel Grants: LATIN AMERICA**

#### Mexico

8 x \$5,000 UMAP Student Exchange\* program scholarships available to either of the following universities in Mexico^:

- Universidad Iberoamericana
- Tec de Monterrey

### ▪ **Targeted Institution Travel Grants: NORTH AMERICA**

#### Canada

1 x \$5,000 UMAP Student Exchange\* program scholarship available to EACH of the following universities in Canada^:

- Concordia University
- University of Calgary

2 x \$5,000 UMAP Student Exchange\* program scholarships available to EACH of the following universities in Canada^:

- University of Manitoba
- University of Waterloo

#### United States of America

1 x \$5,000 UMAP Student Exchange\* program scholarship available to EACH of the following universities in the USA^:

- Montana State University
- Emory University
- University of Illinois, Urbana-Champaign
- University of Kansas
- University of Nebraska, Lincoln
- Colorado School of Mines
- Indiana University

1 x \$3,000 Targeted Travel Grant available to the following university in the USA:

- University of Oklahoma



▪ **Targeted Institution Travel Grants: EUROPE**

France

1 x \$3,000 Targeted Travel Grant available to any of the following universities in France:

- Universite de Pau
- Universite de Tours
- Universite d'Orleans
- IESEG School of Management

Germany

1 x \$3,000 Targeted Travel Grant available to the following university in Germany:

- Fredrich-Alexander Universitat, Erlangen

Italy

1 x \$3,000 Targeted Travel Grant available to any of the following universities in Italy:

- Politecnico di Milano
- Universita degli studi di Bologna
- Universita per Stranieri di Siena

The Netherlands

1 x \$3,000 Targeted Travel Grant available to either of the following universities in the Netherlands:

- Arnhem Business School
- Maastricht University

Norway

1 x \$3,000 Targeted Travel Grant available to any of the following universities in Norway:

- University of Oslo
- Norwegian University of Science and Technology
- University of Stavanger

Spain

4 x \$5,000 ESEP Student Exchange\* program scholarships to any of the following universities in Spain^:

- Universidad de Leon
- Universitat de Valencia
- Universidad de Deusto

Sweden

1 x \$3,000 Targeted Travel Grant available to the following university in Sweden:

- Umea University



- **International Semester Exchange Travel Grants\*\***  
100 x \$1,000 travel grants available to students who do not receive a targeted travel grant
- **Australian Government Funds**  
OS-HELP loans: For students who meet the eligibility criteria, loans are available for up to \$5,611 per six month study period overseas; loans are repaid like HECS. Visit [www.goingtouni.gov.au](http://www.goingtouni.gov.au) for eligibility and further information (direct link: <http://www.goingtouni.gov.au/Main/FeesLoansAndScholarships/Undergraduate/Loans/OSHELP.htm>). To apply, visit the UOW Study Abroad & Exchange Office to collect an application form.

**Notes:**

\*UMAP, ESEP and ECKSEP Student Exchange Scholarships. Available to Australian citizens or Australian Permanent Residents only

\*\*Travel Grants are only awarded to students who do not receive a targeted travel grant

^ Subject to DEEWR approval

### **Conditions of Award**

#### **International Exchange Travel Grants for Students Commencing Semester Exchange Programs in Autumn Session 2012**

- International Exchange Travel Grants are awarded the commencing session of study at a UOW Exchange Partner University. Targeted travel grants are available for selected partner institutions and this list will be available from the Study Abroad & Exchange Office each session.
- To be eligible for a travel grant, applicants must complete section 7 of the International Student Exchange Program Application Form. This section should include information about how you propose to finance your exchange. It must also include details about any scholarships or funding from employers or other organisations. This is your opportunity to advise the selection committee of any financial needs which should be taken into account when targeted travel grants are allocated.
- Approval of targeted travel grants will take place as soon as possible after exchange placements are finalised. Travel grants will be paid by EFT into a student's bank account upon confirmation of enrolment and arrival at the overseas university. Travel grants for International students are credited towards UOW tuition fees.
- Targeted travel grants will be awarded on the basis of academic merit; however financial need, as outlined in the Application Form, may be taken into account. The supporting scholarship section 7 of the International Student Exchange Program Application Form and the student interview will also be taken into consideration. Preference will be given to students proceeding on exchange for two sessions.
- Award of any travel grant is conditional upon the student participating in the International Student Exchange Program through the University of Wollongong, at the host university approved by the UOW Study Abroad & Exchange Office and during the session specified in the letter of offer. It is also conditional upon the student successfully completing the exchange program and meeting other program obligations in accordance with the exchange program Student Agreement. The recipient will be required to repay the travel grant to UOW if he/she withdraws from the program prior to the completion of the exchange period, or if the exchange is cancelled. Normal UOW rules relating to failure to pay charges will apply.  
<http://www.uow.edu.au/student/finances/index.html>

Students must be enrolled in a relevant degree program at the University of Wollongong at the time of travel and for the duration of the exchange program.

- All travel grant recipients are required to attend the pre-departure and re-entry meetings, and to commit as a volunteer upon return from exchange to assist with the UOW Study Abroad & Exchange Office's promotions to future exchange students as outlined in the Student Agreement Form.
- The University reserves the right to change the travel grant amount or to not award a travel grant for a particular institution.
- Final approval for funding is at the discretion of the Deputy Vice-Chancellor (International).

*Travel grants are also available for short-term international programs undertaken for credit towards a UOW degree. Refer to the Application for Travel Grant for Short-term International Programs Form for further information.*

*Please contact the UOW Study Abroad & Exchange Office ([studyabroad@uow.edu.au](mailto:studyabroad@uow.edu.au)) for further information.*

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