

The Indigenous Music Scholarship Rules

The Indigenous Music Scholarship in the Faculty of Arts to support one student who is undertaking a program of study in the Centre for Aboriginal Studies in Music (CASM) at the University of Adelaide. The following rules are hereby made:

1. The Scholarship shall be known as the “Indigenous Music Scholarship” (the **Scholarship**).
2. The purpose of the Scholarship is to provide assistance to a student of the Elder Conservatorium for one year with costs associated with the CASM Foundation Year Program (the Program) such as the purchase and upkeep of instruments and related equipment; musical scores, subscriptions and licences, and photocopying.
3. One scholarship is offered annually and shall be awarded to a student undertaking the Program at the University of Adelaide.
4. Recipients must be Indigenous Australians and must remain enrolled in the Program on a full time basis over both semesters.
5. The value of the Scholarship is \$2,000, payable in two equal instalments direct to the student following confirmation of enrolment and satisfactory academic progress after each of the census dates (usually 26 March and 19 August each year).
6. The Scholarship will be offered on an annual basis from 2021 to 2023 and is tenable for one year.
7. The Scholarship must be taken up in the year in which it is offered; acceptance of the Scholarship offer cannot be deferred. If a student declines the Scholarship offer, the Scholarship will be offered to the next eligible student.
8. The Scholarship shall be awarded and administered by the Centre for Aboriginal Studies in Music (CASM) within the Elder Conservatorium of Music.
9. Selection of the successful candidate will be made by the Director—Centre for Aboriginal Studies in Music (CASM) or his/her nominee in consultation with other academic staff of CASM based on the highest academic achievement of a CASM student across his/her courses to date at the time of award.
10. Where two or more candidates are of equal merit in any year, the Scholarship may be divided equally amongst them.
11. Students in receipt of other University of Adelaide Scholarships may apply for this Scholarship.
12. The scholarship will be terminated where:
 - a student ceases to be enrolled in the approved program of study at the University;
 - a student has provided false or misleading information with regard to their personal details;
 - a student has failed to maintain satisfactory academic progress for two consecutive semesters;
 - a student is guilty of serious misconduct in terms of the University Policy Rules for Student Conduct in the University.
13. The University may vary the rules from time to time in a manner consistent with the University’s legal obligations and policies.