

Turners and Growers Research Grant

Grant Regulations

Focus

Horticulture

Level of Study

Postgraduate

Purpose

The Turners and Growers Research Grant is to encourage research which will improve the quality of fruit, vegetables and flowers being produced for both the local and export markets.

Background

This research grant was made possible following a donation by Turners and Growers Limited in 1982 to celebrate the 60th anniversary of their company.

Value and Tenure

The value of the scholarship is determined each year from the interest earned on the capital. The scholarship is usually awarded annually, and the tenure is a single academic year.

Typical Number on Offer

One grant is typically offered each year.

Eligibility

Applicants must be:

- enrolled full time
- studying a postgraduate qualification at Massey University
- undertaking research related to improving the quality of fruit, vegetables, or flowers.

Projects involving studies on plant health, clonal selection, plant breeding and improvement of quality of horticultural crops would be most appropriate.

Selection Criteria

The selection criteria will be based on academic merit and the intended research.

Selection Panel

The grant is awarded by the University Scholarships Committee on the recommendation of the Applied Academic Programmes Scholarships Committee, College of Sciences.

The University Scholarships Committee has the right to refrain from making an award if there are no suitable applicants and its decision is final.

Conditions of the Grant

The grant may be held in conjunction with other scholarships, bursaries or awards, so long as those scholarships, bursaries or awards permit co-tenure.