

Bush and Southern Hawkes Bay District Veterinary Club Study Grant

Grant Regulations

Focus

Veterinary Science

Level of Study

Undergraduate

Purpose

This grant has been set up to stimulate an awareness and interest in rural large animal practice.

Value and Tenure

The value of grant is \$5,000 and the tenure is one year.

The grant may include accommodation for the period of the internship, if required.

Typical Number on Offer

Typically, one grant will be awarded per year.

Eligibility

Applicants must be enrolled in the fourth year of the Bachelor of Veterinary Science at Massey University.

Selection Criteria

The selection will be based on:

- the applicant CV outlining academic and work experience and achievements
- a personal statement
- two referees

Shortlisted applicants will be invited to participate in an interview.

Selection Panel

The grant is awarded by the University Scholarships Committee on the recommendation of the Directors of the Bush Southern Hawkes Bay District Veterinary Club and a representative from the participating practice.

Conditions of the Grant

The successful applicant will be notified of the outcome by the end of the second semester of the applicant's fourth year.

The successful applicant will be expected to:

1. Be available to "see practice" with the designated participating practice for two weeks in November/December at the end of the fourth year
2. Be available to "see practice" with the designated participating practice for two weeks in the Spring of the final year.

The participating practices are Tararua Veterinary Services Limited in Pahiatua and Veterinary Services Dannevirke Limited in Dannevirke. The services have alternate hosting; uneven years for Dannevirke and even years for Pahiatua.

Payment will be made in two equal instalments; one payment upon the award and one payment in the following March.