



General Sir
John Monash
Foundation

John Monash Scholars Leadership for Australia

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'The privilege of education carries great responsibilities — it is given not for individual benefit alone, but to befit persons for the higher duties of citizenship and for roles of leadership in all fields to make Australia great'

General Sir John Monash,
1920





John Monash Scholars 2017



Presentation Ceremony: Shrine of Remembrance



John Monash Scholarships



Uniquely Australian

Offered to outstanding graduates with leadership capabilities,
for the benefit of Australia



All Fields of Endeavour

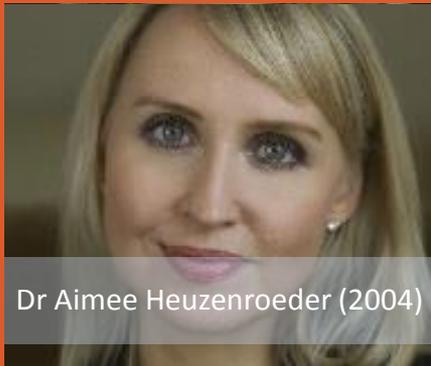
People who are ambitious, broadly curious who will inspire others
We would like more business applicants and STEM



No restrictions by age or geography

Any post-graduate course, at any university in the world
Focus on the best University in your field – not the big names

UQ John Monash Scholars



Dr Aimee Heuzenroeder (2004)



Dr Jacqui Mowbray (2004)



Dr Katie Quinn (2009)



Dr Joe Gattas (2010)



Laura Grant (2011)



Jessica Mathie (2013)



Chelsea Tabart (2014)



Catherine Drummond (2014)



Claire Daniel (2015)



Abigael Mawby (2016)



Timothy Delpert (2017)



Brett Parkinson (2017)



Katherine Rock (2004) – Patent Attorney



- BA Eng. (Microelectronics), BA IT from Griffith
- DPhil in Engineering Science (Oxford)
- Masters of Intellectual Property (UTS)
- About to start an MBA at Cambridge





The Scholarship

\$70,000 per year for up to 3 years.

Money is not tied to tuition fees.

The Scholarship encourages Scholars to seek additional sources of income.



The Foundation looks for

- Excellence in your field (not necessarily academic)
- Demonstrated leadership ability
- A career which will be of benefit to Australia



Eligibility

- Be an Australian citizen
- Have completed, or be about to complete, a degree from an Australian university with outstanding results
- Plan to start a post-graduate degree at an overseas institution in 2018



The Application Process

2016 data

327

Applications
in 2016

111

State
interviews

50

National
Interviews

20

JM Scholars

2017 Selection Process:

Written
applications:
Open May 1st
close August 1st

11 State Panels:
September and
October

National Panel:
October
16th & 17th

Scholars
Announced:
November 2017



Tips for the Application and

Interviews

- The process itself is valuable – it makes you think hard about your motivations and ambitions
- Be aware of your own ‘project’ and what you uniquely offer – give examples which show where you have made a difference
- Research your proposed institution carefully and explain why you have chosen it (you do not need to have been accepted)
- Think about your long-term career aspirations (20-30 years) and be able to articulate the benefit to Australia
- Enjoy the interviews: The Panel is interested in you and your project



Get in Touch

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