

THE NOEL AND VIVIAN LOTHIAN SCHOLARSHIP 2009



Application Form

This Scholarship is open to full time honours or postgraduate research students in the fields of native plant biology and ecology and horticulture. In the case of postgraduate recipients, the Scholarship is intended to supplement the major scholarship held by the recipient, subject to the terms and conditions of the major scholarship.

NOTES TO APPLICANTS:

- 1) A copy of the rules governing the scholarship is attached.
- 2) This application form should be returned, together with a certified academic transcript (for studies undertaken at a university other than the University of Adelaide) and curriculum vitae, to the Adelaide Graduate Centre **by Friday 13 February 2009**.
- 3) The Graduate Centre should be notified of any subsequent changes in the information supplied, **particularly changes to contact details**.

PERSONAL DETAILS

Title: _____ Family Name: _____ Given Names: _____

Contact Address: _____

_____ State: _____ Postcode: _____

Phone: () _____ Fax: () _____

Email: _____ Date of Birth: _____

Citizenship: _____

STUDY DETAILS FOR 2009

Student ID (if you are currently or have been a student at the University of Adelaide): _____

School/Discipline in which you are currently enrolled / intend to enrol: _____

Program in which you are currently enrolled / intend to enrol: _____

Brief description of research topic: _____

Name of Supervisor: _____

Supervisor's signature: _____ Date: _____

APPLICATION CHECK LIST

Please check to make sure you have provided the following information:

- Personal Details: including contact address and telephone number for 2009;
- Study Details: including what program you have applied for/ have been accepted into at the University of Adelaide, as well as your supervisor's signature;
- Statement of Support: please provide a short statement to support this application;
- Transcript (for studies undertaken at universities other than the University of Adelaide): check that you have attached a certified academic transcript to this application;
- Declaration: make sure you have signed this application.

RULES OF THE SCHOLARSHIP

1. The Scholarship will be formally named The Noel and Vivian Lothian Scholarship commemorating the work of Noel Lothian as the former Director of the Adelaide Botanic Gardens.
2. The Scholarship will be open to full time honours or postgraduate research students in the fields of native plant biology and ecology and horticulture. In the case of postgraduate recipients, the Scholarship is intended to supplement the major scholarship held by the recipient, subject to the terms and conditions of the major scholarship.
3. The Scholarship will be administered by the Scholarships Office on behalf of the Research Education and Development Committee and Coursework Scholarships Committee of the University of Adelaide. It is anticipated that the Scholarship will be offered annually and the value will be approximately \$4,000 or the amount of interest earned in the previous year.
4. The successful applicant will be selected by the University on the grounds of his or her academic merit and research potential. The nomination of a candidate by a Faculty selection committee will be subject to the approval of the Research Education and Development Committee or Coursework Scholarships Committee.
5. The holder of the Scholarship will be enrolled as a candidate for an honours degree or a research degree of Master or Doctor of Philosophy (PhD) in native plant biology and ecology or native plant horticulture at the University of Adelaide and postgraduates will be in receipt of a major scholarship.
6. The duration of the scholarship will be a maximum of one year.
7. Payment will be subject to satisfactory progress, as indicated by the student's supervisor and Head of School subject to the normal procedures of the University.
8. The successful applicant will be under no obligation whatsoever to render any service to Noel and Vivian Lothian or the University of Adelaide as a result of receiving this Scholarship, except insofar that he or she is required to pursue his or her study or research as a full time student.
9. The rules of The Noel and Vivian Lothian Scholarship may be varied from time to time by agreement between The Faculty of Sciences and the relevant Committee of the University of Adelaide, but the name and the general purpose of the Scholarship shall not be changed.
10. The financial support provided by The Noel and Vivian Lothian Scholarship must be acknowledged in the thesis.