

Maurice and Helen Wood Memorial Scholarship 2025

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About the Scholarship

The family of Maurice and Helen Wood, founders of Woodlyn Nurseries, Five Ways, Victoria. The scholarship consists of the net annual income of the fund and is open for award annually to students undertaking or intending to undertake postgraduate study in horticulture at the University.

The scholarship is awarded based on demonstrated academic excellence in the student's undergraduate studies. Applicants must be Australian citizens or have permanent resident status. Preference is to be given to applicants who demonstrate the potential to benefit from the scholarship and to make a major commercial contribution to the nursery industry.

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Expenditure of the funds is at the discretion of the recipient and is not restricted to research or study-related expenses.

This Scholarship is open to:

- Graduate coursework
- Graduate research

Eligibility

To be eligible for this scholarship you must:

- Be an Australian citizen or permanent resident,
- Be enrolling or enrolled in a graduate coursework or graduate research program in the Faculty of Science in the discipline of horticulture.

Selection Criteria

- Academic excellence as determined by the highest undergraduate course Weighted Average Mark(University of Melbourne equivalent); and,
- Personal statement demonstrating potential to
 - benefit from the scholarship;
 - make a major commercial contribution to the nursery industry.

WAMs will be weighted by quality of personal statement to arrive at a final ranked list for selection.

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Outcome

All scholarship outcomes will be sent via SmartyGrants.

Please see outcome timing below:

- **Round 1** (Jan-March applications): May-July
- **Round 2** (June-August applications): September-October
- **Future Rounds**: TBC

Please ensure that you check your email inbox as well as your SPAM/Junk mail as emails may sometimes be directed to these folders.

Applicant Details

Applicant *

Title	First Name	Last Name
<input type="text"/>	<input type="text"/>	<input type="text"/>

Student ID *

Must be a number.

Student Email *

Must be an email address.

Personal Email *

Must be an email address.

Citizenship *

- ☐ Australian Citizen
- ☐ New Zealand Citizen
- ☐ Permanent Resident
- ☐ Temporary Entry Permit (onshore international student without Australian citizenship or permanent residency)
- ☐ Overseas Student Residing Overseas

Applicants need to be an Australian citizen or permanent resident to be eligible for this scholarship.

Area of Study

School *

Type of Degree *

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Masters Program

PhD Program

Are you enrolling or enrolled in a graduate coursework or graduate research program in the Faculty of Science in the discipline of horticulture. *

☐ Yes

This award is only open to students undertaking or intending to undertake a postgraduate study in horticulture at the University of Melbourne.

Application

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Scholarship Benefits

Please outline how you intend to make a major commercial contribution to the nursery industry? *

Word count:

Must be no more than 500 words.

Please describe your reasons for applying for this scholarship, and outline how these funds may assist you. *

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Must be no more than 500 words.

This may include, for example, using funds to reduce your hours of part-time employment, alleviating financial need or disadvantage, travel to a conference etc

Undergraduate Transcript

Please attach a copy of your undergraduate transcript *

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Attach a file:

Submission Declaration

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I declare that the information and content provided in this submission are true, accurate, and complete to the best of my knowledge. I understand that any false information, misrepresentation, or failure to disclose relevant details may result in review and possible corrective actions. By submitting, I confirm my agreement to adhere to all policies, guidelines, and terms associated with this submission. *

- ☐ Yes
☐ No

Finding this Scholarship

How did you hear about this scholarship? *

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| <input type="checkbox"/> Online search (e.g., Google) | <input type="checkbox"/> Referral from an academic/supervisor |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Social media (e.g., Instagram, Facebook, LinkedIn) | <input type="checkbox"/> Referral from colleague or friend |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Faculty Newsletters | <input type="checkbox"/> University digital screens |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Faculty of Science Scholarship page (science.unimelb.edu.au/students/scholarships) | <input type="checkbox"/> Event, workshop, or webinar |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Email Campaigns | <input type="checkbox"/> Contact with Stop1 |
| <input type="checkbox"/> CANVAS/LMS | <input type="checkbox"/> Other: <input type="text"/> |
| <input type="checkbox"/> University of Melbourne Scholarship page (scholarships.unimelb.edu.au) | |
- Please select all that applies.

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Now that you have finished your application, please make sure you press the SUBMIT button below.

If you have any questions regarding your application, please contact: science-awards@unimelb.edu.au