

ENGINEERINGScholarship

Methanex New Zealand Undergraduate Scholarships for Future Leaders in Engineering

Methanex New Zealand



Methanex New Zealand owns two methanol facilities in Taranaki. They are known as the Motunui and Waitara Valley sites. The New Zealand plant can produce up to 2.4 million tonnes of methanol annually, serving customers in the growing Asia Pacific market.

Methanex is an active and enthusiastic contributor to the social and cultural development of the local communities where it operates through a variety of social responsibility programmes.

As part of developing our future workforce, Methanex offers two annual Scholarships for Future Leaders in Engineering. The Scholarships are open for New Zealand citizens enrolled in their 2nd year of undergraduate study at a New Zealand University, who have achieved an excellent academic record, and are about to begin their 3rd year of full-time study for an undergraduate degree programme in the areas of Mechanical, Electrical, Process, Control Systems, Reliability Engineering, Instrumentation or HSE/PSM. Students must have a genuine interest in pursuing a career in the petroleum industry in New Zealand upon completion of their study.



Scholarship Information

Value of Award:

The total value of the award is NZD\$5,000 comprising of one payment per annum (for one year only).

Number of Awards:

Two awards are available.

Closing Date:

3.00pm, 31st August 2015

Eligibility:

The scholarship is open to New Zealand citizens who are in their 2nd year and enrolled (or intend to enroll) in their 3rd year of a Bachelor in Engineering (BE) (refer to guidelines for more information).

Application Process

HOW TO APPLY:

1. The Petroleum Skills Association of New Zealand (PSANZ) administers the awards on behalf of Methanex New Zealand. You can apply online at: www.petroleumskills.co.nz
2. Complete the application form and be sure to include:
 - a. Your current CV
 - b. A passport size photograph
 - c. A certified copy of your academic transcript
 - d. A certified copy of evidence of your citizenship
 - e. A brief statement outlining why you should be awarded a Scholarship and what your career goals and aspirations are
3. Read the guidelines available on the PSANZ website – www.petroleumskills.co.nz
4. Submit your application online or send to:

Project Administrator
Petroleum Skills Association NZ
PO Box 454
New Plymouth

Or email - Tania.sheridan@psanz.org.nz

DECISION PROCESS:

A selection committee of PSANZ will review the applications. The short-listed candidates will be required to attend an interview with Methanex New Zealand and will be notified in December whether they have been selected for a scholarship.

Terms and Conditions

The Scholarship recipients are expected to have a genuine interest in pursuing a career in the petroleum industry in New Zealand, upon completion of their study.

Methanex and PSANZ will endeavour to provide Scholarship recipients with a mentor to assist them through their program of study. An opportunity will be provided to work as a paid student intern during the summer months, at the discretion of Methanex/PSANZ, should the work be available.



More Information:

For more information please email Tania.sheridan@psanz.org.nz or phone (06) 757 5995