

MERVYN and KATALIN PATERSON FELLOWSHIP and the D.A. BROWN TRAVEL SCHOLARSHIP

Travel awards for postgraduate research students enrolled in RSES to assist with an overseas visit: the Mervyn and Katalin Paterson Travel Fellowship has a value of up to \$10,000 and the Brown Travel Scholarship has a value of \$2,500.

The D.A. Brown Travel Scholarship will be given by preference to a student wishing to attend an international conference who has not had a previous opportunity to travel during their current program.

Emphasis is on enrichment and diversification of the student's experience and must be directly related to their research topic.

The Mervyn and Katalin Paterson Travel Fellowship is intended for a student to attend a major international conference or summer school and visit an overseas institution in order to gain valuable research or laboratory experience.

ELIGIBILITY

Postgraduate research students, (MPhil and PhD) enrolled full time in RSES, who have been enrolled for a minimum of six months. The Fellowship may not be deferred.

HOW TO APPLY

Applications should be supported by the student's supervisor and include a well defined proposal indicating how the student will benefit from the experience. If the proposal is for the student to spend time at another institution, the applicant will need to provide evidence of the host institution's acceptance. Details of any support from the host institution or other sources must also be provided.

APPLICATIONS SHOULD INCLUDE:

- CV
- A description of the area of study and the value of the overseas travel to the project.
- Proposed itinerary and budget with justification of components.
- Description of any collaborative work (where and when).
- Publications by the student (if appropriate).
- Letter(s) of support from supervisor(s).
- Letter(s) of invitation from the institution(s) to be visited
- Details of any overseas conferences attended previously (for DA Brown travel applications only)

Please email your application to Virginia Riddle at: (<u>student.admin.rses@anu.edu.au</u>) (No hard copies accepted)

APPLICATIONS CLOSE OCTOBER 2020 (TBC)