ANZSOG First Nations Scholarship
Selection Criteria (2023)

Applications for 2024 ANZSOG Programs:

OPEN 31 May 2023
CLOSE 6 October 2023

All applicants considering applying for an ANZSOG First Nations Scholarship for either the Executive Fellows Program EFP; Executive Master Public Administration EMPA; Towards Strategic Leadership TSL; Deputies Leadership Program DLP, must:

1. Identify as either Aboriginal, Torres Strait Islander or Māori
2. Be currently working in the public sector in Australia or Aotearoa New Zealand and expect to be for the period of their scholarship.
3. Demonstrate evidence of emerging leadership potential, including potential to contribute at the senior executive level as part of a future generation of Indigenous public sector leaders.
4. Exhibit a strong commitment to career development and to a career in the public sector.
5. Demonstrate sound management and/or leadership capability or potential.
6. Demonstrate a commitment to contribute to class learning and a willingness to share knowledge in the workplace.
7. Evidence a commitment to the rights and interests of First Nations peoples in their work.
8. Indicate capability to complete a rigorous program (normally evidenced by successful completion of an undergraduate degree) OR can demonstrate a commitment and experience of a ‘pathway program’.
9. Provide a letter from their reporting manager committing to support the applicant throughout the program, including study leave, travel, and incidental costs associated with mandatory subject attendance.
10. Complete the online application form and submit a covering letter and curriculum vitae.

NB: Applicants interested in the EMPA are also required to meet the Masters’ degree entry requirements of conferring universities. For more information visit the EMPA Monash Pathways program and the Scholarship FAQs.

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