



ANZSOG First Peoples Scholarship Selection Criteria

Effective September 2021

All future applicants considering applying for an ANZSOG First Peoples Scholarship for either the Executive Fellows Program, Executive Master of Public Administration or Towards Strategic Leadership program 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. Have 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 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.'

NB: Applicants interested in the EMPA are also required to meet the Masters' degree entry requirements of conferring universities, as facilitated through ANZSOG. More information can be provided upon request.