

ZONTA CLUB OF METROPOLITAN DUNEDIN

TRADES SCHOLARSHIP

MISSION AND VISION

Zonta International is a leading global organization of professionals empowering women worldwide through service and advocacy. There are approximately 31,000 members in more than 1100 clubs in 66 countries

Zonta envisions a world in which women's rights are recognized as human rights and every woman is able to achieve her full potential.

In such a world women have access to all resources and are represented in decisionmaking positions on an equal basis with men.

In such a world, no woman lives in fear of violence.

SCHOLARSHIP CRITERIA

It is required that applicants will align with Zonta's mission and vision



Zonta Club of Metropolitan Dunedin Trades Scholarship Application Form

The aim of this scholarship is to encourage young women to enter a recognised trade such as, but not limited to, building, plumbing, electrical and mechanics.

To encourage young women from Otago to enter training in a trade, the Zonta Club of Metropolitan Dunedin Inc, is awarding one merit based competitive scholarship of \$1,000 to a female student who is in year 13 and intending to enrol at Otago Polytechnic or an NZQA approved trade or apprenticeship course. It is envisaged the scholarship will be used for course related costs i.e. tools or materials.

The scholarship will be awarded for the first year of the successful applicant's study provided that they can provide evidence of enrolment in their chosen course.

This scholarship aims to recognise a young woman who meets the criteria and demonstrates an ambition to pursue a career in one of the recognised Trades.

If you have any questions in relation to this scholarship, please contact the Advocacy and United Nations Committee Chair via <u>metropolitandunedin@zonta.org.nz</u>

General Information

Eligibility

- Academic Must be a young woman who is in year 13 of secondary school or has completed Year 13 less than 12 months ago, who is planning to pursue a career in one of the recognised Trades and is enrolled at an NZQA approved education provider
- Applicants must reside in Otago, be a New Zealand Citizen or a Permanent Resident of New Zealand
- Must have an active commitment to volunteerism
- Should have knowledge of the programmes of Zonta

- Should be an active supporter of advancing the status of women
- Application Requirements
- Completion of this official application form
- Provide two references in support of your application, one should be from an academic contact, the other from a voluntary or community organisation the applicant has been part of
- Verification of enrolment at Otago Polytechnic, or an NZQA approved trade course.

• Application Process

- All applications must be received by the Zonta Club of Metropolitan Dunedin Inc, by the deadline of 10 December
- Applications are to be emailed to metropolitandunedin@zonta.org.nz

Evaluation Process

- The Zonta Club of Metropolitan Dunedin Inc, Trades Scholarship is a merit based competitive Scholarship.
- A panel will consider all applications considering the eligibility criteria. The final evaluation may include an interview and presentation to members of the Zonta Club of Metropolitan Dunedin.



Application for Trades Scholarship

First Name	
Last Name	
Postal Address	
Residential Address	
Phone Number	
Email Address	
Are you: A New Zealand Citizen?	
Or are you a Permanent Resident of New Zealand?	

Referees

Please provide contact details of **TWO** people who have agree to act as your referee. One who has direct knowledge of your academic abilities, prospects and/or character and one from someone who has direct knowledge of your community/voluntary activities. You will need to include a **signed letter of recommendation from each referee.** It is preferably these are attached to your application but your referee may email the reference to Advocacy and United Nations Committee at <u>metropolitandunedin@zonta.org.nz</u>

Name	Name	
Title	Title	
Telephone	Telephone	
Mobile	Mobile	
Email Address	Email Address	
Referee 1	Referee 2	

Personal Goals

Please describe your anticipated course of study. Include also any community and volunteer activities in which you are involved.

Please answer the questions below and provide as much detail as possible in order for us to get a better understanding of who you are and how this award can assist you to reach your study and life goals.

Who or what inspired you to pursue a Trade based course of study?

What is your career goal?

What are some of the challenges that you face in undertaking your course?

How do you see a Trade qualification impacting on your future?

Your submission checklist



All sections of the application are completed

Two signed referee statements are attached

You have provided any other information that you would like the selection committee to know eg awards, commendations etc.

Declaration

I certify that all of the information contained in my application form is accurate to the best of my knowledge and that I did not receive assistance in completing the response to questions portion of this application. I understand that, at the discretion of the Zonta Club of Metropolitan Dunedin, I may be interviewed as a candidate for this Scholarship. I consent to the electronic or hard copy publication by the Zonta Club of Metropolitan Dunedin., of material in my application including any subsequent photo, which may be used to promote the Scholarship. I am willing to make a brief (10 minute) presentation to the Club if requested.

Full Name:

Signed

Date