

## The Department of Chief Minister Work Integrated Learning Scholarship in Commerce

The Department of the Chief Minister (DCM) Work Integrated Learning Scholarship in Commerce is designed to encourage student participation at Charles Darwin University (CDU) and in the Territory Workforce.

The scholarship is an initiative of the Charles Darwin University/Northern Territory Government Partnership Agreement to address NT skill shortages and build student numbers at CDU. Incorporating full-time tertiary education with work experience during semester breaks, the scholarship will ultimately attract greater numbers of high performing students in the region and encourage their ongoing participation in the Northern Territory Public Sector (NTPS).

The amount of the scholarship is \$5,000 per annum for a period of three years, subject to satisfactory academic progress, i.e. have not failed a unit and have achieved a credit average in each semester of enrolment while receiving the scholarship.

In addition, the recipient will receive an Administrative Officer 2 salary (base salary point) during the work placements periods. The salary will be paid on a fortnight basis with recipient employed on a temporary contact with the NTPS in accordance with the Northern Territory Public Sector Employment and Management Act and the Commissioner for Public Employment's Determination Number 3 of 2006.

### Eligibility

The successful applicant will:

- be enrolled or intending to enrol in the Bachelor of Commerce on a full-time basis at CDU;
- remain enrolled on a full-time continuing basis with at least 75% of the units studied internally;
- must undertake work placement with DCM for 6 – 12 weeks in the vacation periods at the end of Years 1 and 2 of the course;
- not hold any other scholarship or award provided by CDU or CDU Foundation except with the permission of the Director, Student Services, CDU
- be Australian citizen or permanent residents; and
- be a current resident of the Northern Territory.

For details of the General Conditions of Award, including eligibility and application requirements, please see Scholarships – General Conditions of Award, located on the scholarships website.

Applications can be downloaded from the scholarships website at [www.cdu.edu.au/scholarships](http://www.cdu.edu.au/scholarships) or collected from the Information Centres on Casuarina and Alice Springs Campuses.

Please send your completed application form with your response to the above selection criteria (including written evidence/confirmations) to:

The Scholarships Officer  
Student Services  
Charles Darwin University  
Darwin NT 0909

**Applications for the Semester 1, 2010 The Department of Chief Minister WILS Scholarship in Commerce must be submitted by 3pm Friday 05 March 2010. Late applications will not be accepted.**