Name of Scholarship: The Odyssey Travel Equity & Merit Scholarship
Value: AUD$10,000 for one (1) year
Duration: One (1) Year
Year of Scholarship: 2016
Level of Enrolment: Second (2nd) Year and beyond

Odyssey Travel has confirmed our ongoing commitment from 2012 onwards to provide scholarships to tertiary students who have demonstrated academic merit in their studies. The Odyssey Scholarship is focused on offering financial assistance for students of proven academic capability who are experiencing financial hardship and, without assistance from Odyssey, may be forced to withdraw from their studies. For the 2016 academic year, Odyssey will offer scholarships to a maximum of AUD$10,000 to each student.

CRITERIA & CONDITIONS
• Applicants must be full-time at an Australian or New Zealand University
• Applicants must have successfully completed their first year of study
• The award of grants will be based on academic merit and will be subject to a means test
• The grant is be open to students across Australia and New Zealand
• Payments are subject to recipients maintaining full-time enrolments and obtaining passing grades each semester.

APPLICATION PROCESS
In 2016 eligible applicants will be required to provide the following:
• Completed application form
• A copy of their academic transcript
• A short statement (500 words) as to why they should be considered for a grant.
• A letter of support by an academic acquainted with their work.
• Evidence of eligibility for an AUSTUDY or ABSTUDY allowance (or NZ equivalent).

CLOSING DATE
Friday 15 January 2016
Recipients notified personally on 26 February 2016 and details will be posted on our website.

SEND APPLICATIONS TO
Mark Banning-Taylor
Chief Executive Officer
Odyssey Travel
Address: PO Box 189
Edgecliff NSW 2027
Email: scholarships@odysseytravel.com.au
Q. I have not completed my first year of studies – is there any possibility I can still be eligible for this scholarship?
A. Unfortunately not. It is a prerequisite that all applicants have completed their first year as a minimum.

Q. I do not receive Centrelink benefits but am still finding it difficult to manage financially. Can I still apply?
A. This scholarship does have a means tested component, and as such, to be eligible, all applicants must be able to prove they are receiving a form of government subsidy such as ABSTUDY or AUSTUDY (or a NZ government grant for NZ applicants). Please do not send any other form of documentation such as bank statements or support letters as these are not relevant for this scholarship.

Q. Where do I send my application and supporting documentation to?
A. Send all the relevant documents in one email to scholarships@odysseytravel.com.au.

Q. What do I have to write in my statement?
A. Detail a little about yourself and why you feel you should be awarded an Odyssey Merit & Equity Scholarship.

Q. When will I find out if I have been successful?
A. Odyssey Travel will contact the successful applicants personally on Friday 26 February 2016. Details will also be posted on our website at www.odysseytraveller.com.

Q. I have emailed the Odyssey office but have not received a response
A. You will receive an automated response that your email has been received. We receive a large number of applications and we will contact you if we require any further information from you. Please ensure you only submit one application, and that you have compiled all the required documents. Incomplete applications cannot be considered.

Q. I have sent incomplete information to Odyssey Travel – what should I do?
A. As we require all documentation to be submitted at once, please re-submit your application and make a note that your application is now complete.
2016 Merit and Equity Scholarship Application Form

Personal Information

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Documentation Required

*Please ensure you attach the required documentation below. Incomplete applications cannot be considered.*

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<td>Academic referee letter</td>
<td>Please provide a written letter from your course supervisor or other relevant academic related to your course</td>
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<td>Please provide documentation to support your eligibility. For NZ students, please provide documentation of government financial support.</td>
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Please refer to the FAQs link on your email before contacting the office with questions.