



Information & Application Form

Freemason Willson Lewis Scholarships

The Manawatū Kilwinning Lodge No. 47, in conjunction with Master Builders and Universal College of Learning, are pleased to offer scholarships for further study to qualified trades people in the construction industry.

The aim of the scholarship is to assist those aspiring to broaden their career and become involved in the wider construction industry in the Manawatū and Whanganui regions.

The successful applicants will receive a scholarship from the Freemasons Willson Lewis Trust of \$4,000. This is in addition to the Targeted Training Apprenticeship Fund (TTAF) available for trades study. The package will cover approximately 50% of fees. There may be an opportunity for previous study and experience to be recognised against programme requirements, reducing the amount of time required to complete your study.

The eligible Diploma programmes are:

- New Zealand Diploma in Business
- New Zealand Diploma in Construction (with strands in Construction Management and Quantity Surveying)
- New Zealand Diploma in Architectural Technology

The programmes can be studied either full-time or part-time, enabling the applicant to continue with their full-time employment whilst completing their qualification.

Applicants Must:

- Work and live in the district covered by the Manawatū Branch and Whanganui Branch of Registered Master Builders New Zealand;
- Have completed a carpentry apprenticeship within the construction industry by 31 December 2021 and be a Registered Master Builder, or in the employ of a Registered Master Builder, in the above district;
- Complete the programme within five years of commencing (unless by prior agreement) to receive the full scholarship;
- Be a New Zealand citizen or hold permanent New Zealand residency;
- Demonstrate a will to succeed in the building trade;
- Have leadership skills; and
- Have proven community commitment.

Applications close 14 January 2022 and must be made on this Freemasons Willson Lewis Scholarship application form.

As part of the application process, applicants will be required to attend a 30 minute interview before mid-February. The successful applicant will be announced at an event held at UCOL in February.

For further details and additional copies of the application email central@masterbuilder.org.nz

APPLICANT INFORMATION

Surname:

First Names:

Date of Birth:

Home Address:
 POSTCODE

Postal Address:
(if different from above)
 POSTCODE

Phone:

Email:

Are you a New Zealand citizen or permanent resident? Yes No

EMPLOYER INFORMATION

Present Employer:

Contact Person:

Address:
 POSTCODE

Phone:

Email:

APPRENTICESHIP

Trade Qualification:

Date Awarded:

Employer:

Training Coordinator:

Phone:

Email:

EDUCATION

High School:

Address:
 POSTCODE

NCEA or Equivalent: From: To:

PROPOSED STUDY DETAILS

Proposed programme of study:

Proposed completion date:

Please complete a statement outlining your future career plans:

PERSONAL PROFILE

Please complete a brief personal profile, including interests, involvement in sports and hobbies:

EMPLOYMENT PROFILE

Please complete a background statement on work history and community involvement:

COMMUNITY INVOLVEMENT PROFILE

Please give details of how you make a difference in your community:

EMPLOYERS SUPPORTING STATEMENT

Please ask your current employer to complete a supporting statement for your application:

Signature:

Date:

DAY

MONTH

YEAR

DECLARATION

I certify that my answers are true and complete to the best of my knowledge and agree to the terms of the scholarship:

1. The scholarship will be applied directly to the student's fee and be split equally over the number of papers per programme.
2. The student must complete the programme within 5-years to receive the full scholarship.
3. If the applicant is deemed to be non-engaged, in line with UCOL's student Re-Engagement and Non-Engagement Procedure, the Scholarship Panel has the right to revoke your scholarship.
4. If the student is required to repeat a paper, this will be at the student's own expense.
5. The Trust has the right to use names, photographs and details of the successful candidate for promotional purposes relating to Freemasonry, Master Builders and UCOL.
6. I understand that the decision of the selection panel is final, and I am not entitled to receive reasons for the decision nor am I entitled to appeal.
7. The selection panel may at its sole discretion, refuse to award any scholarship if in its opinion there are no applicants of sufficient merit to warrant the award.

Full Name (Please Print):

Signature:

Date:

DAY

MONTH

YEAR

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Submit completed applications to:

Master Builders central@masterbuilder.org.nz
or
PO Box 5105
Terrace End
Palmerston North

