

SUT PERTH BRANCH SCHOLARSHIPS



Scholarships of **\$7500 (Chris Lawlor Scholarship)** and **\$5000** awarded, plus networking opportunities and attendance at a SUT short course

Who can apply?

Full Time Students entering the last two years of their undergraduate course in 2020; or undertaking a post graduate course in 2020

Do I have to be studying in Perth?

No - It is open to all students studying in Australia

Can I be working at the same time?

You can be working part time
(Applicants who are employed full time next year will not be eligible)

Your studies should embrace relevant areas of marine science; underwater technology or offshore engineering
Applicants need to demonstrate a clear interest in pursuing a career in the relevant area of Underwater Technology

SUT Perth Applications will open mid May 2019 and close on Thurs 1st August 2019

Academic transcripts and an Academic Reference will also need to be submitted by the closing date of 1st August 2019

To register your expression of interest please email Fiona Allan at perth@sut.org

Interviews will be held in October 2019 and applicants will be notified by November 2019. The scholarship is paid in two instalments in 2020

SUT (UK) Branch also offer scholarships open to all students world wide. For further details refer to <https://www.sut.org/educational-support-fund/> or please contact cheryl.ince@sut.org.

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Or contact Fiona Allan at perth@sut.org for an Application Form.

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Comments from previous SUT Scholarship winners

Chris Lawlor was an Engineer who was integral in setting up the SUT Perth Branch. When Chris sadly died in 2014 the SUT Committee decided to name a scholarship the "Chris Lawlor" Scholarship - awarded to the most outstanding scholarship candidate each year. Below are some of the winners.



"Winning the prestigious SUT Chris Lawlor 2016 scholarship meant a lot to me; not only did it contribute to finance a field trip and several conferences but also, becoming a Student Liaison Officer accelerated my career progression, providing motivation, great encouragement and opportunities to develop a strong professional network."



2016 Chris Lawlor Scholarship Winner - Giada Bufarale

"Winning the SUT scholarship has had a great impact during my PhD studies in terms of both the networking opportunities gains as well as the ability to travel to USA to industry conferences to present my research. As winner of the award, I met a number of people at SUT events with whom I may not have otherwise had contact, which was aided by the recognition gained as the scholarship winner."



2016 Scholarship Winner - Joe Tom

"It allowed me to focus on my design project and thesis in the lead-up to my graduation for my mechanical engineering degree, without financial stress. The opportunities and new friends made through the SUT scholarship experience was extremely valuable."



2015 Scholarship Winner - Lucien Nguyen

The scholarship allowed me to buy a new laptop and to attend the 5 day Subsea Awareness Course, including some site visits where we saw first-hand some of the equipment mentioned in lectures. I have been able to meet people in the subsea industry at many different stages in their careers, and have received great insights and advice on this industry."



2017 and 2018 Scholarship winner - Liam Salter

"The scholarship was a professional endorsement that allowed me to successfully market myself to graduate employers. The award was noted during a number of interviews, and the early engagement in relevant societies was appreciated."



2016 Scholarship Winner - Yasmin Smith

"The SUT scholarship provided the opportunity to sit on the SUT YES! Committee and attend several SUT events which allowed me to network with key people within the Perth oil & gas community. The free training courses provided me with a much greater understanding of the subsea industry prior to graduating from university. This greatly assisted me in gaining a position with DOF Subsea."



2015 Scholarship Winner - Heath Murrie

"As a recipient of the scholarship I have been very grateful for the opportunities that this has provided for both my research and career. I have been able to present my research at international conferences and enrol in different training courses. It enabled me to develop international collaborations for my research as well as engage with industry through the courses and technical seminars. As someone from academia it opened a different world to me"



2017 Chris Lawlor Scholarship winner
Danielle Su

"The SUT Scholarship has provided the opportunity for me to engage with others in the subsea industry who I otherwise might not have had the chance to meet. In particular being a member of the YES! Committee has been excellent for meeting young engineers in the industry. The funds allowed me to travel to the UK for an exchange program and to present my work at a conference, but without a doubt the networking opportunities have been the best part."



2018 Chris Lawlor Scholarship winner Guy McCauley