SCHOLARSHIPS CEREMONY

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UNDERGRADUATE ENTRANT SCHOLARSHIPS

Scholarships are awarded to undergraduate students entering university for the first time based on their grade 12 performance.

PIUS LANGA SCHOLARSHIPS

The top scholarships awarded to new undergraduate entrants are the PIUS LANGA SCHOLARSHIPS, named after the last Chancellor of the University of Natal and the renowned former Chief Justice of South Africa. These scholarships are awarded to the students who were ranked in the top ten in the province by the KwaZulu-Natal Provincial Education Department NSC examinations, or top nationally in the IEB matriculation examinations in 2012. The PIUS LANGA scholars are:

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FRENE GINWALA SCHOLARSHIPS

Special prestige entrant equity awards are made to the top black African female entrants coming into the University as new undergraduate students in all disciplines. These are known as the FRENE GINWALA scholarships, after the first Chancellor of the University of KwaZulu-Natal, and the former Speaker of Parliament. The FRENE GINWALA scholars and their degree programmes of study are:

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The University awards entrant merit scholarships to all new undergraduate entrants who score a “full house” of six as (level 7 or higher) in the matriculation examination. With the high quality of entrants attracted to the University, a large number of these awards are made, but in the 2013 entrant cohort, the top three new undergraduates entering UKZN were:

- MOHAMMED YOUSUF KAZI - BACHELOR OF MEDICINE
- JYOTI MAHARAJ - BACHELOR OF COMMERCE IN ACCOUNTING
- PRATISHA SEVSUNKER - BACHELOR OF COMMERCE IN ACCOUNTING

### UNDERGRADUATE SCHOLARSHIPS

Scholarships are awarded to students in undergraduate studies for outstanding performance and being ranked among the top in the College or University.

### VICE-CHANCELLOR’S SCHOLARSHIP

The VICE-CHANCELLOR’S SCHOLARSHIPS were awarded for the first time in 2012 to the five top-ranked undergraduates proceeding from first-year to second-year study in each of the four Colleges. The recipients are therefore the top students within several thousand in each College of the University. The VICE-CHANCELLOR’S scholars, and their College affiliations, are:

### COLLEGE OF LAW & MANAGEMENT STUDIES

- ANGELIQUE ELFRIEDA BARROSO - BACHELOR OF LAW
- BENJAMIN MARK MEADOWS - BACHELOR OF COMMERCE
- SIMONE JACQUELINE GRAY - BACHELOR OF LAW
- DIANN BISHUNATH - BACHELOR OF LAW
- YOUSUF SALIM VAWDA - BACHELOR OF COMMERCE IN ACCOUNTING
Prestige Undergraduate scholarships are awarded to the three top-performing undergraduate students in the entire University; that is, the three top students in a cohort of over 20,000.

The PRESTIGE UNDERGRADUATE SCHOLARSHIP to the third-placed among these top performers is awarded to:

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BRENDA M GOURLEY SCHOLARSHIP

The second of the top-end prestige awards is named in honour of Professor Brenda Gourley, a Vice-Chancellor and Principal of the former University of Natal.

The undergraduate student ranked second in the full range of undergraduates throughout the University, the GOURLEY scholar is:

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LAWRENCE AND CONSTANCE ROBINSON SCHOLARSHIP

The top Prestige Undergraduate award is the LAWRENCE AND CONSTANCE ROBINSON SCHOLARSHIP. Lawrence Robinson was a former Chairman of Council of University of Natal. The student judged by the Scholarships Committee to be the best single undergraduate in the entire University, the ROBINSON scholar is:

RIDWAAN AMOD  BACHELOR OF SCIENCE IN ELECTRONIC ENGINEERING

TOWNLEY WILLIAMS SCHOLARSHIP

This scholarship is awarded to the best student entering the final year of study in a first degree (excluding Medicine), so to the best among several thousand final-year undergraduates. The recipient is:

RIDWAAN AMOD  BACHELOR OF SCIENCE IN ELECTRONIC ENGINEERING

POSTGRADUATE SCHOLARSHIPS

Scholarships are awarded to students in postgraduate studies for outstanding performance and being ranked among the top in the College or University

ZAC YACOOB SCHOLARSHIP

This scholarship for the top Honours student is named in honour of Judge ZAKERIA (ZAC) YACOOB, the last Chancellor of the former University of Durban-Westville, veteran anti-Apartheid activist, long-time member of Natal Indian Congress and Constitutional Court judge of distinction. This prestige award goes to the student deemed to be the single best Honours-level (4th year) student in the entire University. The 2013 ZAC YACOOB scholar is:

LARA CASSIDY WILLIAMS  BACHELOR OF ARTS HONOURS

MARYAM BABANGIDA SCHOLARSHIP

This award, from an anonymous Nigerian donor, honours Dr Maryam Babangida, who contributed to the improvement of living conditions of Nigerian women. The Babangida Scholarship is awarded each year to the best female student, in the entire University, proceeding from undergraduate to honours study. The BABANGIDA scholar is:

LARA CASSIDY WILLIAMS  BACHELOR OF ARTS HONOURS
VINCENT MAPHAI SCHOLARSHIP

The award to the top-ranked Masters student in the entire University is known as the VINCENT MAPHAI SCHOLARSHIP, after the first Chair of Council of the University of KwaZulu-Natal and former chairman of BHP Billiton South Africa and holder of many other high corporate offices. The 2013 MAPHAI scholar is:

SAMANTHA MARY ANDERSON  MASTER OF MEDICAL SCIENCE

ABE BAILEY TRAVEL BURSARY

The Abe Bailey Trust provides a unique opportunity for top students or young lecturers from South African Universities to tour the United Kingdom as part of a group. The objectives of this Travel Bursary are to bring together a group of young South Africans exhibiting exceptional leadership qualities. The recipient is:

LUKHONA AFIKA MNGUNI  BACHELOR OF SOCIAL SCIENCE HONOURS

S2 A3 MEDAL

The South African Association for the Advancement of Science awards ONE medal each year to each University. The medal is awarded to the student from the Sciences and Applied Sciences who has submitted the best Masters research dissertation.

The 2013 Medal scholar is **RYAN BARUCH SWEKE** for his MSc dissertation that examined: “DISSIPATIVE PREPARATION OF ENTANGLEMENT IN CAVITY QED”

The medal is presented by the University of KwaZulu-Natal representative of the South African Association for the Advancement of Science, Professor Bice Martincigh, School of Chemistry & Physics.

THE CECIL RENAUD OVERSEAS SCHOLARSHIP

Among the many scholarships and bursaries provided by the Cecil Renaud Educational and Charitable Trust to students at the University, the Trust provides for Postgraduate Overseas Scholarships for top-end graduate students to pursue their studies abroad.

The 2013 RENAUD overseas scholars and their UKZN affiliations are:

KIMBERLY ANN SHARP  BACHELOR OF LAW
ALICE KATHLEEN FABIAN  MASTER OF THEOLOGY
UKZN DOCTORAL RESEARCH SCHOLARSHIP

The most prestigious awards at the senior postgraduate level are made with the University’s own funds. Each year, a maximum of four Doctoral Research Scholarships are awarded to the top PhD candidates. The 2013 Doctoral scholars, their College affiliations and their research areas, are:

College of Humanities
LEIGH ANDREA TUCKER
PHD IN PSYCHOLOGY
Primary school boys, masculinity and Attention – Deficit/Hyperactivity Disorder (ADHD): Discursive subjectivities of ‘self’ and ‘other’.

HLONIPHANI NDEBELE
PHD IN AFRICAN LANGUAGES
The role of information and communication technology in the promotion and intellectualization of African Languages in Higher Education.

College of Science, Agriculture & Engineering
MILINDI SYLVER SIBOMANA
PHD IN ENGINEERING
A study into the development of Postharvest metrics of sugarcane deterioration.

EMMA SMITH OVERSEAS SCHOLARSHIP

Substantial resources for scholarships and bursaries for female students at the University have been provided by the family of C G SMITH, who had a long association with KwaZulu-Natal industrial and agricultural development. The Emma Smith Overseas Scholarship, named after C G Smith’s wife, provides postgraduate scholarship opportunities for top-performing female students resident in Ethekwini to study abroad. The 2013 Emma Smith scholars and their planned study areas are:

FATHIMA MAHOMEDY
MASTERS IN MEDIA AND COMMUNICATION

FRANCES RACHEL MORROW
MSC IN GLOBAL GOVERNANCE AND DIPLOMACY

T.B. DAVIS SCHOLARSHIP

The family of TB Davis entrusted the University with a donation to establish Scholarship Awards for top postgraduate students in the School of Engineering and named the award in memory of their father. Howard
College is named for the son, Howard Davis. TB Davis Scholarships are awarded to top masters students selected by the College of Agriculture, Engineering and Science. The 2013 TB Davis Scholar is:

BRYAN REES  MASTER OF SCIENCE IN ENGINEERING

**ARCHBISHOP DENIS E. HURLEY SCHOLARSHIP**

The Archbishop Denis E Hurley Educational Trust has provided resources for a suite of scholarships to be known as the Archbishop Denis E. Hurley Awards. These are dedicated to disadvantaged but academically excellent candidates to read for Honours degrees. In making the Hurley awards, special candidates are selected whose study areas, community involvement, leadership qualities and ethical vision resonate with the life, spirit and accomplishments of the late Archbishop Denis E. Hurley, who was also a Chancellor of the former University of Natal. In 2013, the two Archbishop Hurley Scholars are:

CHIEDZA AUDREY MOYO  BACHELOR OF COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT STUDIES HONOURS
NSIZWAZONKE EPHRAIM YENDE  BACHELOR OF COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT STUDIES HONOURS

**RICK TURNER SCHOLARSHIP**

The Rick Turner scholarships were established to honour the memory of contribution made by Dr Rick Turner to the discipline of political science at the university and his much wider contribution to civil society. These awards are directed at excellent postgraduate students in the broad cognate disciplines of Politics and Labour Studies, but who also exhibit a depth of community engagement.

NDUBUISI CHRISTIAN ANI  MASTER OF SOCIAL SCIENCE
MBALENHLE BRIDGET DLAMINI  MASTER OF SOCIAL SCIENCE
SABELO PHILANI GUMEDE  MASTER OF SOCIAL SCIENCE
MLUNGISI SURPRISE PHAKATHI  MASTER OF SOCIAL SCIENCE

**DISTINGUISHED STUDENTS AWARD**

This new award, made for the first time in 2012, is based on nominations from staff or students in the University. It recognises and rewards outstanding academic achievement together with excellence in community engagement or University service as reflected in the vision, mission and goals of the University. The award gives concrete expression to the values implicit in African Scholarship that underpin our University. Two awards are made to the most talented, caring and exceptional graduates and young leaders from final year undergraduate or honours level who have been judged as being most exemplary in embodying the ideals and attributes that the University seeks to create in every graduate.
The two 2013 most DISTINGUISHED STUDENT AWARDS are presented to:

LUKHONA AFIKA MNGUNI  BACHELOR OF SOCIAL SCIENCE HONOURS
BASHEERAH MOHAMED  BACHELOR OF COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT HONOURS