

Pacific Scoop Internship 2013

Guidelines for the Scoop Media Limited sponsored annual internship.

1. **Description:** An annual **Pacific Scoop Internship** worth \$5000 to be funded by database royalties will be awarded to a School of Communication Studies postgraduate student journalist to research, report and edit content for the **Pacific Scoop** project of Scoop Media Limited (Scoop) and AUT's Pacific Media Centre (PMC).
2. **Award:** The internship would fund the winning student for approximately up to 200 hours a semester. The hours would be flexible, but a typical arrangement would be spread across one semester (or an alternative arrangement spread across the entire year) in consultation with the General Manager of Scoop and the Director of the PMC.
3. **Funds:** The funds for the scholarship would be invoiced to the Scoop Foundation and deposited in the Pacific Scoop Scholarship Special Account by the Scoop Foundation set up at AUT University for the purpose and administered and disbursed by the School Manager according to a contract with the recipient.
4. **Criteria:** The scholarship winning student would be selected by the General Manager of Scoop and Director of the PMC from candidates who have:
 - demonstrated excellent marks in the Asia-Pacific Journalism course (if enrolled),
 - a high level of expertise or potential in journalism based in the Asia-Pacific region,
 - a demonstrated commitment to international reporting;
 - and with appropriate skills in web-based multimedia journalism or willing to develop these skills, and other criteria that may be developed.
5. **Location:** The scholarship would normally be based in the Auckland office of the PMC, but there may be internship possibilities at the Wellington office of Scoop.

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