



ARTHRITIS NZ RESEARCH GRANTS

Summer Scholarships 2023/2024

Arthritis NZ Mateponapona Aotearoa aims to improve the life of every person affected by arthritis. We are a national charity that provides information, advice and support to people diagnosed with any of the more than 140 forms of arthritis. We also advocate for people with arthritis by funding research, contributing to health policy, and collaborating with healthcare professionals.

The purpose of Arthritis NZ Summer Scholarships is to engage and support students in research in the area of arthritis under the supervision of an experienced research professional working in academia, health service provision or other types of institutional organisations.

We are very pleased to announce we will be accepting applications for our 2023/2024 Summer Scholarships programme from **Monday 10th July to Monday 7th August 2023**.

Arthritis NZ will fund up to six Summer Scholarships in 2023/2024 which are worth \$6,000 each.

Applications are due by 5pm on Monday 7th August 2023.

Applications are to be completed and received from supervisors of research projects. Please note that in addition to completing the official Arthritis NZ Summer Scholarships application form, applicants must include a copy of their CV in 2023/2024. The key details to note are as follows:

- There is a **maximum of 5 pages** allowed per application.
- All supervisors submitting an application must also include a copy of their CV using the New Zealand RS&T standard Curriculum Vitae template (please use the template provided with a 5-page maximum).
- There is a Summer Scholarships Information and Conditions Form to help you prepare your application.
- We want to know how the proposed study will potentially help people who have arthritis.
- All successful applicants agree to any aspect of their research findings being shared in summary or visual form by Arthritis NZ across a range of our organisation's communication channels.
- All applications must be addressed to Dr. Richard Griffiths and submitted to our organisation's research@arthritis.org.nz email address.
- All applicants will be informed via email of the outcome of the Summer Scholarships review process by the end of September 2023.

Please direct any questions you may have about this funding opportunity to:

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