Graham Aitken Nuffield Medical Postgraduate Travelling Scholarship

The attention of New Zealand medical graduates is drawn to the availability of the above Scholarship. The provisions are as follows:

1. The purpose of the Scholarship is to enable well-qualified New Zealanders to visit the United Kingdom to foster their clinical medical training and research interests. The Nuffield Foundation hopes that scholars will return to New Zealand and take up senior clinical teaching and research appointments.

2. The Scholarship is intended for men and women of high intellectual and personal qualities who should normally be 25 and not more than 35 on November 1st of the year in which application for the scholarship is made. Candidates must hold recognised medical qualifications and should possess talents and inclinations which afford good promise of their ability to advance knowledge and education as teachers and research workers. It is expected that candidates will have passed the primary examinations they require to further their careers.

3. Candidates should propose a training and/or research programme which includes the name of a person in the United Kingdom who is of standing in the candidate’s field and who will be willing to provide the required facilities and a salary.

4. A Scholar will be required to carry out, at Centre’s approved by the Managing Trustees, the programme of work, similarly approved, contained in the application or modified thereafter by correspondence. Other work, paid or unpaid, may not be undertaken without the permission of the Managing Trustees.

5. The value of the Scholarship is decided upon by the Managing Trustees and has a current maximum of $20,000. It will provide a travel contribution of up to the equivalent of three return excursion airfares (i.e. for a scholar, spouse and a contribution towards children). Within the total value of the award made there will be an allowance of not less than $5,000, based on the applicant’s circumstances, to support the applicant over and above the travel contributions. It is expected that the Scholar will have a salaried appointment meeting the conditions (3) and (4) above to go to in the United Kingdom.

6. Except with the express permission of the Managing Trustees a Scholar may not hold any other award concurrently with the Scholarship.

7. A Scholar will be required to submit to the Managing Trustees at the end of the Scholarship, a report on his or her work.

8. A Scholar will be expected to resume residence in New Zealand in due course after the completion of the Scholarship.

9. Application information may be obtained from the undersigned or from the offices of the Medical Deans.

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Closing Date: 17 July 2017
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APPLICATION PRO-FORMA

NOTE: Applications should be submitted by 17 July 2017 to:
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University of Otago
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Dunedin
Email: dsm.studentaffairs@otago.ac.nz

1) Full Name:

2) Address:

3) Date of Birth: Place of Birth: Nationality:

4) Marital Status: Ages of Children:

5) Qualifications (with conferring authority and year obtained):

6) Undergraduate Prizes/Scholarships:

7) Membership of Societies:

8) Fellowships Awarded:

9) Experience (including postgraduate medical training):

10) Current Professional Interests:

11) Publications:

12) Full description of the planned activities in the UK, with confirmation of acceptance by the host or employer in the UK and the provision of facilities and salary:

13) Future Proposals (outline future plans on completion of study in the United Kingdom):

14) Referees (names and addresses of three persons of standing who have indicated their willingness to provide, when requested, an appraisal of ability and character etc.):

15) Date when free to leave New Zealand if appointed:

16) Any other information you feel would be helpful in assessing your application:

Please attach a copy of your CV to your application

SIGNATURE: DATE: