

We are delighted to announce the following Fellowship Winners and look forward to following their studies and careers with interest.

Freda Bage Fellowship 2006-2008

Rebekah Scott has a BA (Hons I) and a University Medal from the University of Queensland. She is currently working on a PhD in literature at Cambridge University. Her topic is the work of Henry James. Rebekah has an outstanding academic record and intends to return to Australia as an academic when her degree is finished.

Molly Budtz-Olsen Commemorative Fellowship

Ingrid Barnsley will use her fellowship to fund her final year of a PhD on international human rights at Oxford. She has a first-class Honours degree in Government from UQ as well as a BA/LLB from the University of NSW. Ingrid has a number of prestigious academic awards, including a Rhodes scholarship that she held during October 2002 to June 2005. Ingrid's project compares how laws play a role in protecting the health of indigenous people in Australia and Canada.

Dorothy Davidson Commemorative Fellowship

Clementina Lwatula is a medical doctor from Zambia who has extensive experience with the effects of HIV on the lives of women and children. She intends to study for a Postgraduate Diploma in Public Health at UQ, with a view to continuing on for a PhD. Her topic is prevention of and counselling for HIV infection, especially in women. She has an excellent academic record of publications and presentations as well as her clinical experience.

Margaret Mittelheuser Commemorative Fellowship

Norita Morseu-Diop applied for a commemorative fellowship to fund essential travel while she completes her PhD research. Norita is studying for a PhD in Social Work at UQ. Her topic is indigenous incarceration, especially the extent to which rehabilitation programs in Australian and New Zealand jails are relevant to, and effective for, indigenous people. In order to complete her study, she must travel around Australia and New Zealand to interview relevant parties. Norita is an indigenous woman herself; she has a B.Soc Wk from UQ and has 13 years experience working in the field.

Audrey Jorss Commemorative Fellowship

Tamyka Bell is finishing her PhD full-time in Human Movement studies at UQ. Tamyka has a degree in Physics (Hons I) from UQ, and initially began a postgraduate degree in Physics, but she changed direction after the first year. She is now finishing up a project on computational modelling of sensorimotor control and movement.

Betty Patterson Commemorative Fellowship

Sara Busillacchi is an Italian overseas student who is working on a PhD in Marine Sciences at James Cook University. Sara's project is to investigate the ecological, social and economic impact of reef line fishing in the Eastern Torres Strait. Sara wants to develop education programs to support sustainable practices in indigenous marine communities. She chose to study at JCU in order to take advantage of the opportunities to both model the impact of fishing on the reef, and work closely with indigenous groups who make a living from fishing in the area. Sara requested commemorative funding to complete her PhD in 2006.

Reserve

Naomi Hawkins is currently doing an MPhil in Biomedical Ethics at Oxford. She holds an LLB (Hons I) from UQ and is currently working on the issue of how gene patents affect research and clinical practice in Medicine. Naomi needs help with her overseas tuitions fees, which is why she applied to our program