SUPPLEMENTARY APPLICATIONS INVITED FOR RESEARCH GRANTS IN 1975

The Vice-Chancellor has authorised the calling of further applications for research grants in 1975.

Applications for grants from the Special Research Fund are invited from full-time members of the academic staff who did not apply for and receive grants in the allocations announced in November, 1974.

Applications are especially invited from academic staff who have joined the University since applications were last called in July, 1974. If the total requests exceed funds available applications will be ranked according to the quality of the proposed project.

In keeping with the requirements of the Universities Commission, research funds may be allocated for maintenance, salaries for research assistance, travel within Australasia and computing. Funds may not be used for equipment nor for the stipends of research students.

The total amount available for distribution is approximately $12,000.

CRITERIA AND CONDITIONS RELATING TO AWARDS

1. Academic staff working for a higher degree normally will not be considered except where the research is related specifically to that higher degree and where funds additional to the normal departmental allocation are needed to assist their research.

2. The basic consideration in making an award is the intrinsic worth of the proposed programme. In addition, however, the Committee wishes to offer support particularly for:
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(a) the establishment of new projects deemed likely to develop into significant research programmes;

(b) projects which are of particular importance in fostering effective interaction between the University and the Community;

(c) projects promoting inter-disciplinary research activities.

3. In order to achieve a widespread distribution of funds, normally only one project per person will be supported. Accordingly, the Committee will seek a list of priorities from applicants submitting more than one application.

The closing date for applications is Wednesday, 2 April, 1975.

Further details have been sent to all Departmental Chairmen.

Application forms are available from Mr. T. Moore, Student Enquiries (phone 387).

ELECTIONS TO ACADEMIC UNITS

Nominations of candidates in the first series of elections for academic units of the University closed at 5.00 p.m. on Monday, 17th March, 1975.

The following are the candidates for the various elections:

(i) Twenty students by and from among students to the Academic Assembly.


(ii) Three students by and from among the students to the Academic Senate.


(iii) One student by and from among the students to the Buildings and Site Committee.

BUTLER, G.W.  MacDONALD, A.C.
(iv) Two students by and from among the students to the Library Committee.

BECKETT, A.T.
BUTLER, G.W.
DIMENT, C.M.

(v) One student by and from among the students to the Timetables Committee.

BUTLER, G.W.
DIMENT, C.M.

(vi) One student by and from among the students for each Department of a Faculty to each Faculty.

(a) Engineering: Four to be elected.

BERTOLDI, C.
BUTLER, G.W.
KWOK, J.
RAICEVICH, M.
REEVE, S.S.

(b) Humanities: Four to be elected.

BENJAMIN, K.
GARRETY, R.D.
HARRIS, D.J.
HIDDLESTONE, J.

(c) Social Sciences: Six to be elected

AARONS, P.
BLACKET, M.
CAMPBELL, W.L.
DIMENT, C.M.
KNOTT, P.J.

(vii) Seven Professors by and from among the Professors to the Academic Senate.

BRINSON, G.
BROWN, A.D.
CLARKE, A.M.
COOK, A.C.
FISHER, P.

KEANE, A.
LEAL, R.B.
RYAN, J.B.
WILSON, M.G.A.

Voting will take place from 12 noon to 8.30 p.m. on Monday, 24th March, 1975 and from 9.00 a.m. to 7.30 p.m. on Tuesday, 25th March, 1975, in the Reading Room of the Union.

METHOD OF VOTING AND COUNTING OF VOTES:

"A voter shall place a number equal to or not exceeding the number of vacancies against the name of the candidate of his first choice, and may then place lower numbers against the names of the other candidates he wishes to vote for in descending order of preference. A voter shall not vote for more candidates than the number to be elected and shall not allocate the same preference to more than one candidate."
METHOD OF VOTING AND COUNTING OF VOTES (Cont.)

"Votes shall be counted by summing the numbers shown on the voting papers for each candidate. The candidate with the highest number of votes shall be declared elected. Where two or more candidates are to be elected, those declared elected shall be the persons who receive the highest number of votes. Where there is an equality of votes the result shall be determined by lot by the Returning Officer."

Only one nomination was received for the position of student member of the Faculty of Mathematics and accordingly M. ORD-JONES, is declared elected.

No nominations were received for the four positions of student members of the Faculty of Science.

R.F. STEWART
Registrar