



HISTORY OF THE LUCY BOHAN BURSARY

In 1987 Maria Freiberg (nee Cuscuna), Chairman of the Club Status of Women Committee, presented a suggestion that the Club establish a Bursary to further the education of women. Members accepted the suggestion whole-heartedly, especially as University administrative fees had just been reintroduced.

Kay Poustie, City of Stirling Head Librarian and Board member of the Zonta Club of Perth Northern Suburbs, offered to liaise with Dr. Patricia Layzell-Ward, Head of the Department of Library and Information Studies, Curtin University of Technology and ask her to nominate a suitable candidate for sponsorship. The recipient was to be a mature age female student who was experiencing financial difficulties in completing her course due to the introduction of fees. An award of \$300 was proposed.

Following the death of the Club's much-loved Charter member and Past President, Lucy Bohan, in February 1990, it was decided to name the Bursary in her honour. The recipients continued to be drawn from Curtin University until 1991. No awards were made for three years and when the program was reviewed it was decided to recognise Lucy Bohan's contribution to the Western Australian nursing profession and award the bursary to a nursing student at the Faculty of Health, Edith Cowan University. The bursary was increased to \$500 and in 2002 to \$1000.

1988 Zonta Book Bursary Kathleen Fitzpatrick	Library Studies, Curtin University of Technology
1989 Zonta Book Bursary Margaret Hybinett Louise Della Perry	Library Studies, Curtin University of Technology
1990 Lucy Bohan Book Bursary Kathryn Osborne Susan Mackay	Library Studies, Curtin University of Technology
1991 Lucy Bohan Book Bursary Christine Spatcher Shirley Bode	Library Studies, Curtin University of Technology
1995 Lucy Bohan Nursing Bursary Christine Schiller	School of Nursing, Edith Cowan University
1996 Lucy Bohan Nursing Bursary Catherine McGivern	School of Nursing, Edith Cowan University
1997 Lucy Bohan Nursing Bursary Louise Carboni	School of Nursing. Edith Cowan University
1998 Award not presented due to lack of entrants meeting the criteria	
1999 Lucy Bohan Nursing Bursary Lisa Percy	School of Nursing. Edith Cowan University
2000 Lucy Bohan Nursing Bursary Diana Livingstone	School of Nursing. Edith Cowan University
2001 Lucy Bohan Nursing Bursary Jane Eva Johnson \$500 Samantha Allardyce \$250 for purchase of stethoscope	School of Nursing. Edith Cowan University School of Nursing. Edith Cowan University
2002 Lucy Bohan Nursing Bursary Lorna Cerfontyne \$1000	School of Nursing. Edith Cowan University
2003 Lucy Bohan Nursing Bursary Michelle Over \$1000	Edith Cowan University

2004 Lucy Bohan Nursing Bursary Tamara Brown \$1000	Edith Cowan University
2005 Lucy Bohan Nursing Bursary Marina Valieva \$1000	Edith Cowan University
2006 Lucy Bohan Nursing Bursary Kelli Carbonell \$1000	Edith Cowan University
2007 Lucy Bohan Nursing Bursary Noeline Costello	Edith Cowan University
2008 Lucy Bohan Nursing Bursary Tracey Tarver	Edith Cowan University
2009 Lucy Bohan Nursing Bursary Morna Frankowiak-Lederer	Edith Cowan University
2010 Lucy Bohan Nursing Bursary Sarah Rounsevell	Edith Cowan University
2011 Lucy Bohan Nursing Bursary Lucinda Woodward	Edith Cowan University
2012 Lucy Bohan Nursing Bursary Violetta Zajong	Edith Cowan University
2013 Lucy Bohan Nursing Bursary Rocheal-Lee Lock	Edith Cowan University
2014 Lucy Bohan Nursing Bursary Joanne Cole	Edith Cowan University
2015 Lucy Bohan Nursing Bursary Samantha Spence	Edith Cowan University
2016 Lucy Bohan Nursing Bursary Teagan Bewick	Edith Cowan University
2017 Lucy Bohan Nursing Bursary Ellen Raven	Edith Cowan University
2018 Lucy Bohan Nursing Bursary Danae Bromilow	Edith Cowan University
2019 Lucy Bohan Nursing Bursary Magdalena Lloyd	Edith Cowan University
2020 Lucy Bohan Nursing Bursary Olivia Wood	Edith Cowan University