

# Irrigation Scholarships

The irrigation industry in New Zealand has experienced significant growth over the past twenty years and has been responsible for the development of some of New Zealand's largest infrastructure projects. Irrigation makes an important contribution to New Zealand's economy.

This scholarship will provide applicants with the opportunity to develop their knowledge of agriculture, one of New Zealand's largest employers, and build awareness of the irrigation industry as an exciting career option.

This summer project will involve carrying out bucket testing on various irrigation systems types, and surveying farmers. Successful applicants will gain valuable job experience, networking opportunities, and add to their skillset and employment track-record

## What it includes

Successful applicants will be awarded:

- \$8,600 tax free
- A vehicle, tablet and all testing equipment needed for the duration of the 14-week programme

## The Details

- Carrying out bucket testing on irrigation systems on farm
- 14-weeks over summer period (including a 2-week unpaid break from 22<sup>nd</sup> Dec – 5<sup>th</sup> Jan)
- Based from Timaru carrying out testing on farms in surrounding areas
- Hours typically from 7 – 4 each day

## Who should apply?

Students in their last year of an undergraduate degree with an interest in gaining industry experience in a diverse sector. Applicants need to hold a current New Zealand drivers' licence.  
Website: [www.irrigationnz.co.nz](http://www.irrigationnz.co.nz)

## Application

Application must include:

Up to date CV with covering letter outlining why you are interested in this opportunity and what you expect to gain from this experience. Proof of drivers' licence.

Applications are now open and must be submitted no later than Tuesday 18<sup>th</sup> September 2018.  
Email applications to: Steven Breneger at [sbreneger@irrigationnz.co.nz](mailto:sbreneger@irrigationnz.co.nz)

Applications will be reviewed, and applicants will be notified if they been offered an opportunity to be interviewed.