

## **Dr BARBARA WRIGHT POSTGRADUATE SCHOLARSHIP**

**Awarded by Graduate Women NSW Inc. Central West Branch**

**\$8,000 over 2 years**

**NOW OPEN**

**Closing Date: Monday 1<sup>st</sup> September 2025**

**Essential Criteria:** Applicants must be female, an Australian citizen or have permanent residency status, have a strong connection with rural/regional NSW and already hold a first degree.

**Postgraduate Scholarship:** The Dr Barbara Wright Postgraduate Scholarship is awarded every two years to a woman from Central West NSW who already has a first degree and is seeking to continue postgraduate education, e.g., already holds a Bachelor degree and has gained acceptance to do a Masters or Doctorate.

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**Tenure: This is a biennial award.** The scholarship will commence in January 2026 when the first half, \$4,000, will be paid to the successful candidate, followed by another \$4,000 at the beginning of 2027. Applicants need to be prepared to submit annual reports on progress and may be asked to give a talk on their study/project.

The scholarship can be applied to expenses such as: books, equipment, library research, travel and accommodation costs incurred in completing the designated program/research. Funds cannot be applied retrospectively.

**Eligibility:** The applicant must be available to begin the postgraduate course in 2026 or have commenced not earlier than 2025.

### **Conditions:**

1. Address the Selection Criteria on the downloaded application form.
2. Include evidence of acceptance into a postgraduate course.
3. Attach required documentation, e.g., academic transcripts, copy birth certificate or drivers licence, provide one referee with contact details included; outline of connection to regional NSW and reasons for applying.
4. Send online version of completed Application as an attachment to [susan.m.white@bigpond.com](mailto:susan.m.white@bigpond.com) plus 3 hard copies to PO Box 789 COWRA 2794.

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