

RON LISTER FIELD RESEARCH GRANTS

CALL FOR APPLICATIONS



The Field Research Grants are supported by the Ron Lister Trust which is named after the first Professor of Geography at the University of Otago, who had a very strong interest in Asia. These grants provide financial assistance of up to \$2000, for research students to carry out thesis field work in Asia. Students enrolled in Masters or PhD programmes in the Department of Geography at the University of Otago, who are New Zealand citizens or permanent residents, may apply for the grants. Applications will also be considered from students who are undertaking dissertation research.

This is a call for a second round, applications for which must be submitted to the Ron Lister Trust by 22 March 2010, using the prescribed form (<http://www.geography.otago.ac.nz/>) and is also available in hardcopy from the Departmental office (address below). The application should be accompanied by a short curriculum vitae (no more than two pages), and a transcript of your University marks.

Up to two grants each year will be allocated at the discretion of the Board which will take into account your grades, the nature of the proposed research and your Supervisor's note of support.

Within one month of your return from the field, you will submit to the Departmental Administrator of the Department of Geography, a 1000 word progress report of your field research, which will be forwarded to the Ron Lister Trust Board. You will so be expected to present a "Ron Lister Seminar" on your field research in Asia, normally within three months of your return to the University of Otago.

For more information please consult with your supervisor or see the Head of Department.

Applications should be sent to:-

The Ron Lister Trust
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