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The George believes in supporting the community and industry partners. In line with this, The George is partnering with <u>Lincoln University</u> to offer The George Hotel Scholarship. The George supports those seeking a career in the hotel industry and studying a <u>Bachelor of Commerce – Hotel and Tourism Management at Lincoln University</u> via The George Hotel Scholarship.

The George is a family-owned luxury boutique hotel, Qualmark 5 Star Gold and is located directly opposite the beautiful Hagley Park in central Christchurch. Facilities at the hotel include 52 luxury accommodation rooms and suites, seven functions rooms and the award wining 50 Bistro. The George Hotel Scholar will receive a scholarship valued at \$3,000.00 and experience working in Christchurch's leading luxury hotel.

The George Hotel Scholarship Conditions:

1. The Scholar

The successful applicant to The George Hotel Scholarship will be known as The George Hotel Scholar and enrolled as a full-time student in the <u>Bachelor of Commerce – Hotel and Tourism Management</u> at <u>Lincoln University</u>.

2. Scholarship Award Value

The value of The George Hotel Scholarship is \$3,000.00, payable in two instalments (at the end of each semester), conditional upon the Scholar achieving a B- average grade across all four courses studied that semester.

3. Scholarship Employment

The Scholarship is conditional on the applicant committing to part-time work with a minimum of 10 hours per week at The George during the year of the Scholarship. Full-time employment work may be available during semester breaks. Employment is a private and standard employment arrangement between the successful applicant and The George and is not connected to the student's enrolment at Lincoln University. The Scholarship is only available while the Scholar is employed (as above) at The George.

4. Scholarship Duration

The scholarship duration is one year, commencing on registration at the beginning of the year into Lincoln University's the <u>Bachelor of Commerce – Hotel and Tourism Management at Lincoln University</u> and ends on 31 December. Successful Scholars are eligible to apply for following year scholarships.

5. Promotional Activities.

The George Hotel Scholar may be involved in promotional activities related to the Scholarship with The George.

Applications Close:

Applications close on 1 November each year and should be emailed to:

Jo Thomas, Executive Assistant/HR at The George Hotel joanne@thegeorge.com . Along with an application letter, please submit the following:

- 1. In 500 words or less, the reasons why you should be selected as the Scholar, including the qualities and benefits you bring to the role and hotel and where you see yourself in five years.
- 2. In 250 words or less, how will your studies contribute to your immediate and long-term career plans? (Please include your vision of your immediate and long-term career plans).
- 3. A complete CV including current and previous work history and any present employment.
- 4. Your latest secondary school/tertiary academic record.

With regards to the selection process. A short list of applicants will be made and from this those on the short list will be expected to attend an interview with hotel management. A final decision on the successful applicant will be made by 12 December. All applicants will be contacted regardless of their respective outcome.

For additional information, contact: Associate Professor Anthony Brien – Programme Director, Lincoln University. Anthony.Brien@lincoln.ac.nz or phone 03 423 0240