THE UNIVERSITY OF MELBOURNE

Dr Sue Newton Travelling Scholarship

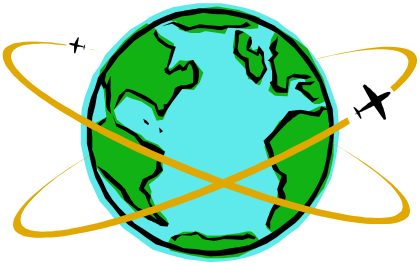
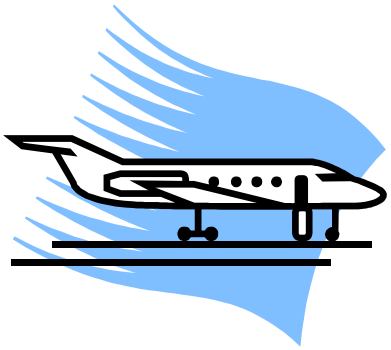
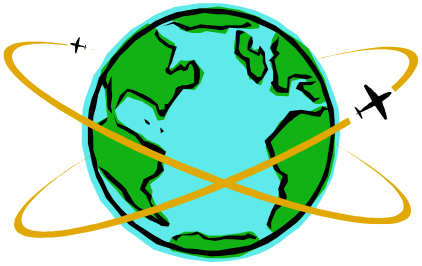
Dr. Sue Newton was a highly respected and recognised Research Scientist, Head of the Molecular Vaccines Department in the former Victorian Institute of Animal Science, and a Visiting Research Fellow of the Faculty of Veterinary Science of the University of Melbourne, when she died tragically and unexpectedly in March 2003. Dr Newton had a successful and varied career over thirty-one years of study and research in biochemistry and microbiology. She was highly regarded for not only her scientific achievements but also her tenacity, loyalty and commitment to staff development and leadership. It is these memories which prompted family, friends and colleagues to make a commitment to themselves and others, a commitment to ensuring an enduring legacy emerges to honour Sue's work as a highly respected Research Scientist, both in Australia and overseas.

Eligibility Criteria:

- Students must be enrolled in a PhD degree program at the Faculty of Veterinary Science, University of Melbourne;
- Preference may be given to candidates undertaking research aligned to the fields of parasitology, microchemistry, molecular biology or innovation in science with an emphasis on fundamental science;
- Students may travel to either present research at an international conference which may include visiting a laboratory, or to gain experience overseas in a laboratory conducting research in veterinary science. The international conference may be in Australia or overseas.

Amount: **$5,000**

Closing date: **31 October 2009**

Applications online: **http://www.vet.unimelb.edu.au/postgrad/postGradScholarship.html**

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