

The Guardians sponsored the following initiatives in the 2025/26 financial year:

Initiative	Organisation	Purpose	Cost
AUT New Zealand Finance Meeting	Auckland University of Technology	To support the New Zealand Finance Meeting sponsorship for 2024-2026.	\$3,000
NZ Super Fund prizes in Financial Analytics and Sustainable Finance	University of Auckland	To support university prizes in financial analytics and sustainable finance.	\$4,500
Partner sponsorship	Toitū Tahua: Centre for Sustainable Finance Charitable Trust	To support Toitū Tahua Centre for Sustainable Finance operational costs in the 2025/26 financial year.	\$25,000
Nicola Crowley Memorial Scholarship	University of Auckland	To support and encourage women to pursue a career in computer science and digital technologies, and to honour the memory of our former colleague Nicola Crowley.	\$8,000
University of Auckland Investment Club sponsorship	University of Auckland Investment Club	To support the University of Auckland Investment Club.	\$3,000
INFINZ Conference student sponsorship	Institute of Finance Professionals New Zealand	To support students to attend the 2025 and 2026 INFINZ Conferences.	\$8,000
2026 Forecast Lunch	CFA Society New Zealand	Principal sponsorship of the 2026 Forecast Lunch.	\$2,500
Smart Funding for Infrastructure	Infrastructure New Zealand	Sponsorship for the Smart Funding for Infrastructure event held on 26 March 2026.	\$5,950
Women in Super workshop and event	Pacific Islands Investment Forum	To support the Women in Super workshop and related event costs.	\$14,265.31
Women's Networking Programme launch	University of Auckland Investment Club	To support the launch of the Women's Networking Programme.	\$3,000
NZ Super Fund Business Scholarship - Pacific	Auckland University of Technology	To support and encourage Pacific students to pursue a Bachelor of Business, and to increase the representation of Pacific people in the investment sector.	\$8,000
Mindful Money Awards	Mindful Money	Silver sponsorship of the 2026 Mindful Money Awards.	\$6,000
Tim Cooper Memorial Scholarship	University of Auckland	To support and encourage students to study and pursue careers in software and computer systems engineering, particularly in the New Zealand finance and investment sectors.	\$8,000
Sustainable Finance Scholarship	University of Otago	To support and encourage students to pursue a minor in sustainable finance, and to increase knowledge and awareness of sustainable finance in New Zealand.	\$8,000
Māori Leadership Award category sponsorship - New Zealand Leadership Awards	Robert Walters	To recognise leaders of Māori descent who exemplify outstanding leadership, cultural preservation and positive impact within their communities and beyond.	\$8,000
Motu Foundation Patron	Motu Research and Education Foundation	To support the research and policy work of MOTU, a leading economic and public policy research institute in New Zealand, to provide opportunities for MOTU researchers to present to the Guardians on topics of interest, and to support MOTU's programme of scholarships and internships.	\$20,000