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SCHOLARSHIPS PROGRAMME 2017/18



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INTRODUCTION

WELCOME TO WESTMINSTER



Welcome to the University of Westminster Scholarships Brochure for applications for the Academic Year 2017-18. Our theme this year is diversity.

Westminster is the most diverse university in the United Kingdom. In 2016 we had 8,429 international students from 169 nations (source: Hotcourses Diversity Index). We believe, and research shows, that diversity and access to a multi-cultural community enhances the student experience.

The University has a long history of internationalisation and international collaboration and was recognised in the 2016 *Times Higher Education* rankings as one of the top 100 most international universities in the world.

The University of Westminster itself was founded on the principle of making knowledge widely accessible to people from all walks of life, regardless of their social or financial status or nationality. We strive to grow our scholarships programme, to create new and innovative scholarships that reflect the changing world around us. This tradition continues with the introduction of Humanitarian Scholarships to make our contribution to educating those displaced by troubles across the globe.

Our scholarship programmes support ambitious and outstanding students who might not otherwise be able to access higher education, providing a unique opportunity to study in London, a truly global city. We work with industry, business and educational institutions worldwide, focusing on our ambition for all our students to become successful, global citizens. To quote one of our recent scholars:

"None of these experiences (in London) would have been possible without my scholarship. I'm so grateful for the University of Westminster for granting me this opportunity because I wouldn't be here otherwise. In the future I will go back to Brazil and get a job within my field; and not just work for my own accomplishments, but to try and make a real difference within my community."

Susana Buyn,
Marketing and Communications MA, 2016

We hope you find this brochure informative and that it gives you the inspiration to apply for a course and a scholarship at Westminster and fulfil your potential.

David Shacklady
Director, Student Affairs

THE EXPERIENCE WE OFFER

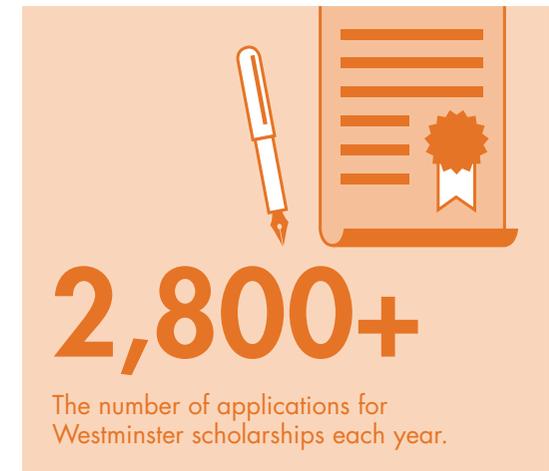
A vibrant learning environment – fostering innovation and creativity, informed by practice, inspired by research, focusing on the globally relevant areas in which we excel.

If you are interested in learning how you could help support our students, please contact us:

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THE DIFFERENCE WE MAKE

We are building the next generation of highly employable global citizens to shape the future.



SUPPORTING EXCELLENCE IN NEED



Our students go on to shape the future and change lives for the better, both in the UK and internationally. This would not be possible without the philanthropy and external support, whether from individuals and former students, businesses or charities, which play a vital role in supporting our students and ensuring that the brightest and most talented individuals are able to excel regardless of their background.

Scholarship students are encouraged to engage with extracurricular activities, including volunteering opportunities. We also periodically ask students to report on their progress, share their experiences at Westminster and to attend special University events.

"It felt unbelievable that someone would pay for me to learn. I have dreamed of studying abroad since I was 13 but knew that I was not going to be in a financial position to afford it.

Looking to the future I want to be an international lawyer and specialise in human rights. I want to wake up each day and think maybe I will be able to make a positive change for someone; human rights law will provide me with a purpose. The investment in you has a psychological impact, receiving a scholarship was a big boost to my confidence and it has encouraged me to dream big. This has been the best year of my life, thank you."

Emina Zahirovic
Eastern European Scholarship
LLM International Law



Education has an unrivalled ability to change lives and we are grateful to all the generous individuals and organisations that share our commitment to ensuring the brightest and most talented students are able to excel regardless of their background. Our work continues to expand the circle of support available and we shall welcome more partnerships in the coming year.

CHEVENING – FOREIGN AND COMMONWEALTH OFFICE

The Foreign and Commonwealth Office and partner organisations provide support for a significant number of University of Westminster students through the Chevening Scholarships Scheme. This prestigious international scheme supports students from across the world. There are over 43,000 Chevening alumni who together comprise an influential and highly regarded global network.

chevening.org

INTERNATIONAL STUDENTS HOUSE

Founded for the betterment of international understanding, International Students House (ISH) is a student residence and a unique social, cultural and recreational centre near leafy Regent's Park. ISH offers free accommodation for many of our scholarship students; enabling overseas students to experience the many facets of life in the UK and British students to broaden their horizons through friendship with people from widely differing backgrounds and cultures.

ish.org.uk

THE MOORAD CHOUDHRY FINANCIAL LTD SCHOLARSHIP

Professor Choudhry graduated in 1988 from the Polytechnic of Central London, our predecessor institution, and has since had a career spanning the banking industry and academia as a finance specialist and author. Professor Choudhry has generously made possible two scholarships which aims to encourage UK and Commonwealth undergraduate students to study economics, business or finance.

THE QUINTIN HOGG TRUST

The Quintin Hogg Trust supports student accommodation for the University of Westminster and uses its additional funding to make donations to the University to support its work, especially areas relating to improving the student experience.

THE WATES FAMILY ENTERPRISE TRUST

Through their philanthropic giving, the Wates Family is committed to attracting and retaining students who are from lower-income families, helping to support and nurture more talented students to go on to shape the world of work through disciplines of architecture, planning and urban design. The Wates Scholarships are offered to students studying within the Faculty of Architecture and the Built Environment.

watesgiving.org

SANTANDER UNIVERSITIES UK

Santander supports the university community more than any other bank in the world, granting more than 17,000 scholarships and travel bursaries each year. In the UK Santander collaborates with 42 academic institutions, Westminster among them, to promote study, research, social inclusion and the inflow of students to the labour market.

santander.co.uk/santanderuniversities

WINDLE TRUST INTERNATIONAL

Windle Trust International invests in the education and training of communities emerging from conflict in order to promote peaceful development in Eastern and Central Africa. The Trust has made generous donations towards scholarships for postgraduate students who wish to develop the professional skills to build peace and to meet the challenges of development in their own regions.

windle.org.uk



RECENT DEVELOPMENTS

The Scholarships Team is part of the University's Student Affairs Department and has four dedicated staff:

- Steve Anderson, Scholarships and Student Funding Manager
- Mamie Barden, Scholarships Team Leader
- Sara Kathrada, Scholarships Administrator
- Sara Barden, Scholarships Administrator

We continue to support, through the Scholarships Programme, the University mission 'to provide a vibrant global learning environment in the heart of London, inspiring the next generation of world citizens and helping to shape a better future for all.'

We can achieve this by:

- having scholarships dedicated to the recruitment of high quality students, both home and international
- supporting the development of innovative programmes of study through specific scholarships
- enhance the University's global identity and global engagement activity through the scholarships programme.

Thanks to a very generous grant from the Quintin Hogg Trust, we are pleased to announce that additional scholarships will be available to our Home/EU undergraduate students. The details will be published on our website in November but the scholarships are aimed at students who are historically under represented in Higher Education.

We continue to work with our faculties and partners to ensure the scholarships programme meets the needs and expectations of its stakeholders.

One such initiative for 2017/18 will be Doctoral Travel bursaries. In conjunction with the Graduate School we'll be offering these awards to support research students attending conferences to present their research papers.



IN THIS SECTION YOU'LL FIND SOME HELPFUL HINTS AND TIPS TO MAKE APPLYING FOR A SCHOLARSHIP AS SIMPLE AS POSSIBLE. ONCE YOU HAVE ALL THE INFORMATION, DECIDE ON YOUR SCHOLARSHIP, THEN TAKE A LOOK AT OUR FREQUENTLY ASKED QUESTIONS SECTION ON PAGE 14 FOR HELP WITH YOUR APPLICATION.

ARE YOU ELIGIBLE FOR A SCHOLARSHIP?

Check the criteria for the scholarship/s you're interested in to make sure this is the case. For example, if you apply for a full postgraduate scholarship, you have to have the international equivalent of a UK First Class undergraduate degree. The scholarships table at the start of each section will tell you the minimum degree required for the postgraduate scholarships.

Please note that if you already have an Equivalent Level Qualification (ELQ) you are ineligible to apply for a scholarship. Therefore, if you are a graduate applying for another undergraduate degree or a Masters graduate applying for a postgraduate degree you are treated as an ELQ student.

The only exception to this is if:

- you are a postgraduate applicant with a Masters degree applying for a PhD programme or
- your international Masters qualification is regarded as equivalent to a UK undergraduate degree.

HAVE YOU BEEN OFFERED A PLACE ON A WESTMINSTER COURSE?

This is necessary for you to be eligible to apply for a scholarship. It can take four to five weeks to get a course offer, so apply for your course at least six weeks before the scholarships deadline.

DEADLINE DATES – UNLESS OTHERWISE STATED

Undergraduate (UK/EU) scholarships	3 April 2017
Postgraduate (UK/EU/international) scholarships	4 May 2017
Undergraduate (international) scholarships	4 May 2017
January 2018 (UK/EU/international) scholarships	13 October 2017

DECIDE CAREFULLY WHAT SCHOLARSHIP/S YOU WANT TO APPLY FOR

Full scholarships are the most valuable and therefore the most competitive. Can you support yourself at Westminster? If so, a full-fee scholarship might be enough for you and are less competitive than full scholarships so your chances of success are better.

WHAT IS THE VALUE OF OUR SCHOLARSHIPS?

Full scholarships	These are the most valuable we offer. The Scholarships Office pays all your tuition fees, accommodation, flights, reimburses visa costs and pays you a monthly living allowance.
Full-fee scholarships	The Scholarships Office pays all your tuition fees.
Half-fee scholarships	The Scholarships Office pays half your tuition fees.
Part-fee scholarships	The Scholarships Office pays a fixed amount towards your tuition fees.

DOCUMENTATION FOR YOUR APPLICATION?

Missing documents (eg academic or personal references) can delay an application or may even lead to it being rejected.

The essential documents required are on the application form, but to summarise we need:

- a copy of the letter/email from the University of Westminster confirming your conditional or unconditional offer of a place on your chosen course
- a copy of your transcript from your most recent/current academic study; all documentation must be provided in English
- a reference letter for your scholarship application; this should be written by a previous tutor, professor, academic or employer (where relevant to your chosen degree course).



1. I am an EU citizen and want to apply for a scholarship. How will the recent referendum vote to take the UK out of the EU affect my eligibility?

To reinforce the University of Westminster's commitment to being a globally engaged institution following the UK's Brexit result, the University has launched #WestminsterWelcomesEU, a social media campaign aimed at welcoming all students and colleagues from Europe now and in the future.

We will continue to accept applications from EU students for all the scholarships they are eligible for.

2. How many scholarships can I apply for?

You can only apply for one type of scholarship, for example, the Full scholarship, the Full fee scholarship or the Half/Part-fee scholarship. So you must decide what level of scholarship you think is appropriate for your needs.

A Full Scholarship is the most valuable but also the most competitive and only a small number are awarded each year. If you can support yourself whilst studying, a Full fee or Half/Part-fee scholarship may be more suitable and your chances of getting one of these scholarships might be higher than a Full scholarship.

Remember that you can apply for more than one scholarship within the scholarship type. So if you opt for a Full Fee (FF) scholarship, you can apply for the general FF scholarship and a course or subject specific FF scholarship.

3. What should I write in my statement of support?

The statement of support is your opportunity to present yourself to the Scholarships Office and demonstrate why you deserve a scholarship to study at the University of Westminster. In writing your supporting statement, you should seek to describe the qualities that you think make you an outstanding applicant.

Most of our scholarships are awarded on one or more of three main criteria:

- academic excellence
- financial need
- development potential (for international students only).

Your supporting statement should therefore address:

- how you meet the criteria
- what you expect to gain from studying your course
- how you intend to use your experience and knowledge in the future
- your professional experience and career aspirations.

UK/EU undergraduate students

If you are a UK/EU student applying for an undergraduate scholarship, the supporting statement should make a case for what you can bring to the University in addition to your academic capabilities and what makes you a suitable scholarship candidate. Please note that we are looking to the future, so simply listing past achievements is not sufficient.

International students applying for full scholarships only

In addition to demonstrating academic excellence and financial need, if you are an international student applying for one of our full scholarships, you also need to evidence 'development potential' and explain, specifically and in detail, how you will use the knowledge and experience gained from your course in the development of your community/region/nation upon your return to your home country after completing the degree. Think carefully about the development case. When competition is so intense, a good development case can make all the difference.

4. Who should write my reference and what should it contain?

The reference letter should be written by someone who knows you well in either an academic or professional capacity, ie a teacher, lecturer or employer. It should be written, where possible, on the headed paper of the school, university, organisation or company and be included with your application in a sealed envelope.

The reference provided as part of your scholarship application should be written specifically in support for your scholarship application. You should not use the same reference letter that you used for your course application, although you can use the same referee to write both references.

The referee should provide their views on why your academic abilities, personal qualities and financial circumstances would make you a suitable recipient for a scholarship. It may therefore be useful to discuss your plans with your referee now, before you apply, so that they are more fully able to comment on your plans, goals and capabilities.

5. When I send in my completed scholarship application, how do I know you've received it?

When an application is received, the Scholarships office will record this on the University admissions database. This will automatically generate an email acknowledging receipt of your application. At peak volume times, this can take up to seven working days.

6. How do I find out if my education qualification is equivalent to a UK degree of Masters qualification?

The University website has a section for International students which includes a section called 'Where are you from?' This should help you to see if your qualification is equivalent to a UK degree or Masters. If you are unsure or your country is not listed, please contact the Scholarships Office.

7. As an international scholarship applicant, do I have to pay the £4,000 deposit before I know if I have been awarded a scholarship?

The University's deposits scheme for international students means that if you hold an unconditional offer you will be required to make a payment of £4,000 before you are given a student visa support letter, which may be used to apply for your visa for entry to the UK.

As a scholarship applicant, you can wait until you know the outcome of your scholarship application before paying this deposit. It is recommended that you check with the UK Visas and Immigration on how long it takes to process visas during the June to August period. If you are awarded a full scholarship or a full-fee scholarship you will not be required to

pay this deposit and your admissions office will be notified of this. If you are awarded a half-fee or part-fee scholarship, you will be required to pay the £4,000 deposit.

If you're coming to Westminster to study regardless of whether or not you get a scholarship, you should try and pay the deposit as soon as possible. If you are later awarded a scholarship that includes full tuition fee costs, you will be entitled to a refund of this deposit.

8. As an international student do I need to provide evidence of my English language competency?

No. We will liaise with your course Admissions Office to confirm your English language qualification. However, if you wish to include these with your scholarship application you are welcome to do so.

9. Who decides whether or not I am awarded a scholarship and how will I find out the result?

All decisions regarding the awarding of scholarships are made by the University's Scholarships Assessment and Awarding Group. This comprises academic staff from across the University and non-academic staff from many departments including the Scholarships Office, Recruitment, Admissions and Marketing Services, the Student Advice Service and scholarship partners. All are very experienced and make the awarding decision based on the criteria for the scholarship and the case you make.

Once a decision has been made, we will let you know as soon as possible by email.

Please note the Scholarships Team or the Scholarships Assessment and Awarding Group will not enter into individual correspondence with a student, either before or after a decision has been made. The decision of the Group is final, and not open to appeal. Lobbying a member of the Group will make you ineligible for any scholarship.

10. What happens if I am awarded a scholarship?

If you are awarded a scholarship you will be informed by email initially. On confirmation of receipt of the email, you will be sent an official letter from the Scholarships Office giving you the details of your award. All official arrangements will be made with you directly.

You will be required to formally accept the scholarship and its terms and conditions by signing the contract that is sent with your awarding letter.

The continuation of all scholarships is based on satisfactory academic performance plus other progression criteria, the exact nature of which will be described in your award letter and Terms of Agreement.

11. What should I do if I decide to defer my admission or change my course after I have been awarded the scholarship?

The scholarship can only be used for the course and academic year it was awarded though in exceptional circumstances, a change of course may be considered. If you defer your year of entry the scholarship offer is withdrawn and you must then reapply.

12. What happens if my scholarship application is rejected?

You will be informed of your rejection as soon as possible by email. Please note that if your application is rejected because you are ineligible, we may inform you before the application deadline closes. If you are rejected, you cannot reapply for a Westminster scholarship for two calendar years. For example, if your application for September 2017 is rejected, the next scholarships programme you can apply for is September 2019.

13. Which countries are considered under the region-specific scholarships? Or the 'developing' country title?

Please refer to the appendices at the back of this brochure for the countries included under specific regions.

14. Where can I find information about PhD scholarships/studentships?

The Scholarships Office will not be offering specific research scholarships for 2017/18. All other PhD/research scholarships/studentships are managed by the University's Graduate School. For details please visit westminster.ac.uk/research/graduate-school

15. Where can I find my University of Westminster reference number?

Your eight-digit reference number can be found at the top of your course offer letter or email from the University and must be included on your scholarship application. If you are applying for an undergraduate degree, you can also use your UCAS application number found on all UCAS correspondence.

16. What is meant by a 'closed' scholarship?

Closed scholarships are run jointly with our partner organisations who nominate suitable applicants for consideration. We therefore do not accept direct applications for these scholarships. If you have any questions, please contact the partner organisation directly.

17. Can I apply for a Undergraduate Scholarship or Postgraduate Scholarship if I already have an equivalent level qualification (ELQ)?

If you already have an ELQ you are ineligible to apply for a scholarship. So, if you are a graduate applying for another undergraduate degree or a Masters graduate applying for a postgraduate degree you are treated as an ELQ student.

The only exception to this is if:

- you are a postgraduate applicant with a Masters degree applying for a PhD programme, or
- your international Masters qualification is regarded as equivalent to a UK undergraduate degree.

If you require any further information or have any more questions please visit our scholarships website westminster.ac.uk/scholarships or contact the Scholarships Team direct at scholarships@westminster.ac.uk



POSTGRADUATE SCHOLARSHIPS

As an institution, we understand there isn't much funding readily available to take the leap into postgraduate education. That is why we are ready to help bridge the gap where we can.

In 2016/17, scholarships were awarded to students from over 65 countries across the world – and we are one of the few universities in the UK to offer full scholarships to our postgraduate students.



POSTGRADUATE SCHOLARSHIPS AT A GLANCE

Please note that due to the high cost of the MBA, only our part fee awards are open to MBA applicants.

AVAILABLE SCHOLARSHIPS The number of each scholarship available is indicated in brackets.	Minimum academic requirement	Open to overseas students?	Open to UK/EU students?	More information
FULL SCHOLARSHIP Full tuition fee award; accommodation, living expenses, flights to and from UK				
Architecture and the Built Environment Excellence Scholarship (1) Break the Silence Scholarship (1) Central American and the Caribbean Scholarship (1) Colin Matheson Scholarship (1) Disaster Regeneration Scholarship (1) Geoffrey Copland Scholarship (1) Great Briton Scholarship (1) Tony Shaw Scholarship (1) Duke of Grafton Scholarship (1) Latin American Scholarship (1) Small Island Nation Scholarship (1) Southeast Asia Scholarship (1) Vice-Chancellor's Scholarship (1)	UK First Class equivalent undergraduate degree	✓	✗	See pages 22 – 26
African Prisons Project Scholarship (1) Windle Trust International Scholarships (1)	UK 2:1 equivalent undergraduate degree	✓	✗	See pages 22 – 26
VARIABLE SCHOLARSHIP Awards range from a full scholarship to a part-fee award				
Architecture and the Built Environment Excellence Scholarships (2+) Science and Technology Excellence Scholarships (2+) Social Sciences and Humanities Excellence Scholarships (2+) Westminster Business School Excellence Scholarships (2+)	UK First Class equivalent undergraduate degree	✓	✓	See page 27
Media, Arts and Design Excellence Scholarships (2+)	UK 2:1 equivalent undergraduate degree	✓	✓	See page 27

AVAILABLE SCHOLARSHIPS The number of each scholarship available is indicated in brackets.	Minimum academic requirement	Open to overseas students?	Open to UK/EU students?	More information
FULL-FEE SCHOLARSHIP 100 per cent tuition fee only award				
Capacity Building Scholarship (1) Westminster Full-Fee Scholarship (1+)	UK First Class equivalent undergraduate degree	✓	✓	See pages 28 – 29
Care Leaver Scholarship (1)	UK 2:1 equivalent undergraduate degree	✗	✓	See page 28
HALF-FEE AND PART-FEE SCHOLARSHIPS £3,000 – up to 50 per cent tuition fee award				
GREAT Scholarships – India	UK 2:1 equivalent undergraduate degree	✓	✗	See pages 31 and 50
Santander Scholarship (3) Westminster Half-Fee Scholarship (6)	UK 2:1 equivalent undergraduate degree	✓	✓	See pages 30 – 31
Westminster Part-Fee Scholarship – £3,000 tuition fee award (6)	UK 2:1 equivalent undergraduate degree	✓	✓	See page 31
Westminster 175 Scholarships – £3,000 tuition fee award (20+)	UK 2:1 equivalent undergraduate degree	✓	✗	See page 31

FULL SCHOLARSHIPS

(OPEN TO INTERNATIONAL STUDENTS ONLY) THOSE HOLDING OFFERS FOR THE MBA COURSE ARE INELIGIBLE FOR FULL SCHOLARSHIPS.

AFRICAN PRISONS PROJECT SCHOLARSHIP

In partnership with the African Prisons Project, the aim of this scholarship is to encourage prison reform in Africa. This scholarship is for a member of prison staff from an African country.

ELIGIBILITY: This is a 'closed' scholarship in conjunction with the African Prisons Project.

CRITERIA: Equivalent to a UK Upper Second Class Honours or above, financial need and development potential.

ARCHITECTURE AND THE BUILT ENVIRONMENT (ABE) EXCELLENCE SCHOLARSHIP

The ABE Faculty aims to explore the core subject areas that address the future shape of our cities and encourage the dynamic thinking that makes our courses the envy of others.

ELIGIBILITY: You must be an international student from a developing country and hold an offer for a full-time Masters degree.

For the list of eligible countries, please see appendix B (p68).

CRITERIA: Equivalent to a UK First Class Honours degree, financial need and development potential.

BREAK THE SILENCE SCHOLARSHIP

The United Nations Secretary, General Ban Ki-moon has famously said, "Break the silence. When you witness violence against women and girls, do not sit back. Act." This unique scholarship is to support a student conducting study and research to hasten an end to violence against women, whatever form that takes (eg. forced marriages, human trafficking, domestic violence and FGM).

ELIGIBILITY: You must be an international student from a developing country and hold an offer for a full-time Masters related to this issue at the University. For the list of eligible countries, please see appendix B (p68). Applicants must make a development case addressing how they would contribute to ending violence against women.

CRITERIA: Equivalent to a UK First Class Honours degree, financial need and development potential.

CENTRAL AMERICAN AND THE CARIBBEAN SCHOLARSHIP

This scholarship is awarded jointly with International Students House and is open to Central American or Caribbean nationals wishing to study a subject useful to the development of their region. For the list of eligible countries, please see appendix A (p68).

ELIGIBILITY: You must be a student from Central America or the Caribbean and hold an offer for a full-time Masters at the University.

CRITERIA: Equivalent to a UK First Class Honours degree, financial need and development potential.



"Being a student from South Sudan, one of the world's newest nations, which is struggling to build its human resource after decades of civil war and underdevelopment, the scholarship gave me the financial security to pursue my career ambitions and to develop the skills and knowledge necessary to advance the country's economic growth and reduce poverty. Investing in education through scholarships is crucial..."

...Since graduating I have returned to South Sudan where I have formed a consulting firm and currently work as its Managing Director. Within the first two months we have won important contracts to provide business development training for an international development project called Farming Agricultural and Rural Marketing (FARM project). The skills I gained from the University of Westminster have enabled me pursue these kind of activities."

Mukulia Kennedy Ayason
International Development Management MA



COLIN MATHESON SCHOLARSHIP

Colin Matheson dedicated over 30 years of loyal service to the University of Westminster and established the University's scholarships programme. This has grown into one of the largest of its kind in the UK. Before his retirement in 2012, he had spent over a decade as Director of Scholarships, helping thousands of students from all over the world to achieve their goal of studying in the UK.

ELIGIBILITY: You must be an international student from a developing country and hold an offer for a full-time Masters at the University. For the list of eligible countries, please see appendix B (p68).

CRITERIA: Equivalent to a UK First Class Honours degree, financial need and development potential.

DISASTER REGENERATION SCHOLARSHIP

The Disaster Regeneration Scholarship is open to international students from a developing country/region affected by a natural or man-made disaster. The intention of this scholarship is to aid in the regeneration of the affected country/region, so you must make the case for how your chosen course will facilitate this regeneration.

ELIGIBILITY: You must be an international student from a disaster-struck developing country or region and hold an offer for a full-time Masters at the University.

CRITERIA: Equivalent to a UK First Class Honours degree, financial need and development potential.

DUKE OF GRAFTON SCHOLARSHIP

This scholarship is jointly awarded with the International Students House (ISH). The Duke of Grafton was one of the founders of ISH, and is known for carrying out important restorations to Regent's Park and using some of the terraces for educational purposes.

ELIGIBILITY: You must be an international student from a developing country and hold an offer for a full-time Masters within the faculty of Architecture and the Built Environment at the University. For the list of eligible countries, please see appendix B (p68).

CRITERIA: Equivalent to a UK First Class Honours degree, financial need and development potential.

GEOFFREY COPLAND SCHOLARSHIP

Dr Geoffrey Copland retired as the Vice-Chancellor of the University of Westminster in July 2007, and this scholarship is named after him in recognition of his unflinching support for the scholarships programme.

ELIGIBILITY: You must be an international student from a developing country and hold an offer for a full-time Masters at the University. For the list of eligible countries, please see appendix B (p68).

CRITERIA: Equivalent to a UK First Class Honours degree, financial need and development potential.

GREAT BRITON SCHOLARSHIP

This new scholarship for 2017/18 is designed to celebrate the anniversary of a famous Briton who has made a significant global contribution to Science, Literature or the Arts. 2017 will mark the 200th Anniversary of the death of Jane Austen who is recognised as one of the greatest writers in English literature. The significance of her anniversary is also acknowledged by the Bank of England who have chosen her as the new face of the £10 banknote when it is relaunched in 2017.

ELIGIBILITY: You must be an international student from a developing country and hold an offer for one of the following full-time Master's:

- Creative Writing: Writing the City MA
- Cultural and Critical Studies MA
- English Language and Creative Writing MA
- English Language and Linguistics MA
- English Language and Literature MA
- English Literature: Contemporary and Modern Fictions MA
- TESOL and Creative Writing MA

For the list of eligible countries, please see appendix B (p68).

CRITERIA: Equivalent to a UK First Class Honours degree, financial need and development potential.

LATIN AMERICAN SCHOLARSHIP

The scholarship is to support a student who intends to return home to assist in benefiting a developing part of Latin America.

ELIGIBILITY: You must be from Latin America and hold an offer for a full-time Masters at the University. For the list of eligible countries, please see appendix C (p69).

CRITERIA: Equivalent to a UK First Class Honours degree, financial need and development potential.

SMALL ISLAND NATION SCHOLARSHIP

ELIGIBILITY: You must be a student from a developing small island nation and hold an offer for a full-time Masters at the University. For the list of eligible nations, please see appendix D (p69). If your country is not listed, please contact the Scholarships Office.

CRITERIA: Equivalent to a UK First Class Honours degree, financial need and development potential.

SOUTHEAST ASIA SCHOLARSHIP

ELIGIBILITY: You must be a student from Southeast Asia and hold an offer for a full-time Masters at the University. For the list of eligible nations, please see appendix G (p71).

CRITERIA: Equivalent to a UK First Class Honours degree, financial need and development potential.

TONY SHAW SCHOLARSHIP

This scholarship is awarded jointly with International Students House (ISH). ISH was founded for the betterment of international understanding and provides a unique social, cultural and recreational centre for international and British students alike. Tony Shaw is commemorated as one of the founders of ISH.

ELIGIBILITY: You must be an international student from a developing country and hold an offer for a full-time Masters at the University. For the list of eligible countries, please see appendix B (p68).

CRITERIA: Equivalent to a UK First Class Honours degree, financial need and development potential.

VICE-CHANCELLOR'S SCHOLARSHIP

Our most prestigious scholarship is aimed at fully funding a student from a developing country to study a full-time Masters at the University.

ELIGIBILITY: You must be an international student from a developing country and hold an offer for a full-time Masters. For the list of developing countries, see appendix B (p68).

CRITERIA: Equivalent to a UK First Class Honours degree, financial need and development potential.

WINDLE TRUST INTERNATIONAL SCHOLARSHIPS

The Windle Trust International co-funds two scholarships for refugees from Sudan, South Sudan, Kenya or Uganda. Windle Trust International invests in the education and training of refugees, the displaced and other communities emerging from conflict, in order to promote peaceful development in Eastern and Central Africa.

ELIGIBILITY: This is a 'closed' scholarship in conjunction with the Windle Trust International.

CRITERIA: Equivalent to a UK minimum Upper Second Class Honours or above, financial need and development potential.

VARIABLE SCHOLARSHIPS SCHOLARSHIP MAY VARY FROM FULL SCHOLARSHIP TO PART FEE AWARDS.

The scholarships listed below will represent the current initiatives of each of the University's faculties. The number and level of scholarship will vary based on the type of initiative. Please see our website in early 2017 for more specific information for each faculty area.

Where full scholarships are offered, only applicants from developing countries are eligible to apply. For a list of eligible countries, please see appendix B (p68).

ARCHITECTURE AND THE BUILT ENVIRONMENT (ABE) EXCELLENCE SCHOLARSHIP

The ABE Faculty aims to explore the core subject areas that address the future shape of our cities and encourage the dynamic thinking that makes our courses the envy of others.

ELIGIBILITY: You must hold an offer for a full-time Masters degree in the Faculty of Architecture and the Built Environment.

CRITERIA: At full scholarship or full fee level, you must hold an equivalent to a UK First Class Honours degree. At half/part fee level, you must hold an equivalent to a UK Upper Second Class Honours or above. Financial need and development or career case will also be given consideration.



MEDIA, ARTS AND DESIGN EXCELLENCE SCHOLARSHIP

With one of the most varied portfolios in Europe, the Westminster School of Media, Arts and Design prepares students not just to enter the creative industries, but to shape and lead them. Our scholarship is intended to fund an international student through a professional and practice-based education, allowing them to develop personally as a reflective critical practitioner.

ELIGIBILITY: You must hold an offer for a full-time Masters degree in the Westminster School of Media, Arts and Design.

CRITERIA: Equivalent to a UK Upper Second Class Honours or above, financial need and development potential. If you have significant and relevant industry experience you will also be given consideration.

SCIENCE AND TECHNOLOGY EXCELLENCE SCHOLARSHIP

The Faculty's postgraduate programmes cover many scientific disciplines and ensure that its students are in close contact with cutting-edge applied scientific knowledge.

ELIGIBILITY: You must hold an offer for a full-time Masters in the Faculty of Science and Technology at the University.

CRITERIA: At full scholarship or full fee level, you must hold an equivalent to a UK First Class Honours degree. At half/part fee level, you must hold an equivalent to a UK Upper Second Class Honours or above. Financial need and development or career case will also be given consideration.

SOCIAL SCIENCES AND HUMANITIES EXCELLENCE SCHOLARSHIP

As one of the largest of the University's faculties ranging from Law to Languages, Politics to History, English to Visual Culture, and Sociology to Translation, this Faculty provides a diverse portfolio of academic activity which is original, challenging and crosses disciplinary boundaries.

ELIGIBILITY: You must hold an offer for a full-time Masters in the Faculty of Social Sciences and Humanities at the University.

CRITERIA: At full scholarship or full fee level, you must hold an equivalent to a UK First Class Honours degree. At half/part fee level, you must hold an equivalent to a UK Upper Second Class Honours or above. Financial need and development or career case will also be given consideration.

WESTMINSTER BUSINESS SCHOOL EXCELLENCE SCHOLARSHIP

Westminster Business School has a long history of providing management education for practitioners and professionals. Their vision is to be London's leading professionally focused and research-informed business school.

ELIGIBILITY: You must hold an offer for full-time Masters at the Westminster Business School.

CRITERIA: At full scholarship or full fee level, you must hold an equivalent to a UK First Class Honours degree. At half/part fee level, you must hold an equivalent to a UK Upper Second Class Honours or above. Financial need and development or career case will also be given consideration.

TUITION FEE SCHOLARSHIPS

FULL-FEE SCHOLARSHIPS

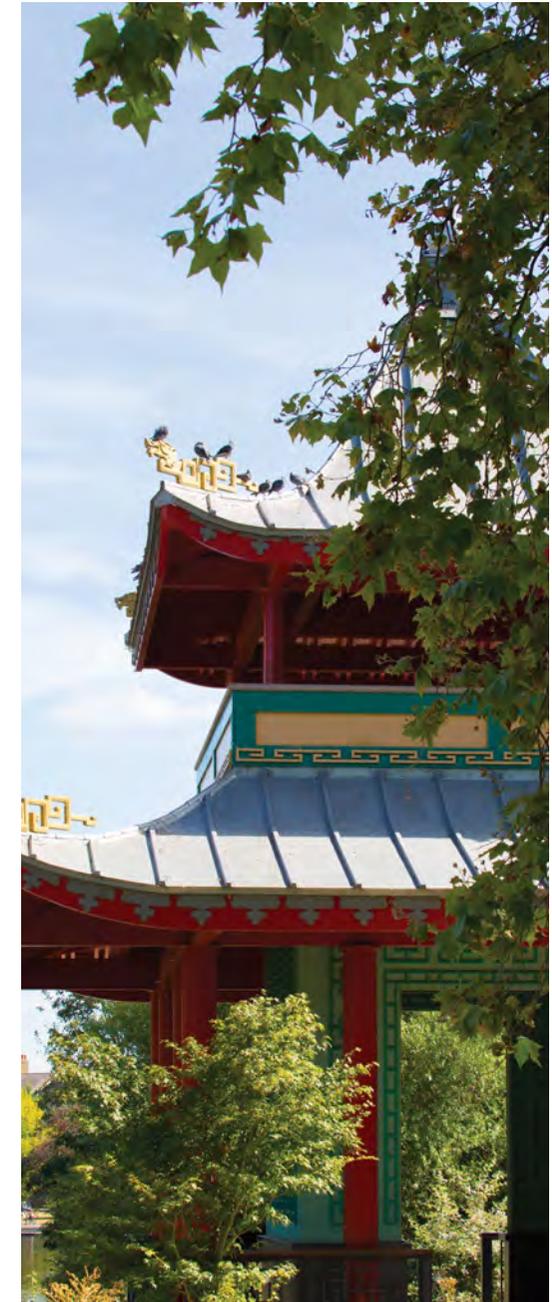
(OPEN TO BOTH INTERNATIONAL AND HOME/EU STUDENTS) THOSE HOLDING OFFERS FOR THE MBA COURSE ARE INELIGIBLE FOR FULL-FEE SCHOLARSHIPS.

CAPACITY BUILDING SCHOLARSHIP

The University offers Capacity Building Scholarships to upgrade your skills if you are a faculty member of one of our partner colleges at home or overseas. The value of the scholarship varies depending on need. Please contact the Scholarships Office for full details if you fall into this category.

ELIGIBILITY: You must be a faculty member of one of our partner institutions and hold an offer for a full-time Masters.

CRITERIA: Equivalent to a UK First Class Honours degree and financial need.





“Receiving a scholarship inspired me to study harder and to be a dedicated student; for many students a scholarship acts as a badge of honour. Successfully completing this course has given me a real boost in my self-confidence and expanded my ideas of what I can achieve.”

Jake Wilson
MBA

CARE LEAVER SCHOLARSHIP
(HOME STUDENTS ONLY)

This full-fee scholarship has been created to help a home student who was a care leaver to study at postgraduate level. Applicants should also contact the University Care Leaver link worker Anne McGrath at studentadvice@westminster.ac.uk

ELIGIBILITY: You should hold an offer for a full-time Masters at the University. You must have been aged 25 or under when you entered higher education (ie your first degree) and were also under the care of your local authority for a period of at least 13 weeks up until the age of 18.

CRITERIA: Minimum Upper Second Class Honours or above and financial need.

WESTMINSTER FULL-FEE SCHOLARSHIP

A fee scholarship available to any prospective postgraduate applicant.

ELIGIBILITY: You must hold an offer for a full-time Masters at the University.

CRITERIA: Equivalent to a UK First Class Honours degree and financial need.

WESTMINSTER HUMANITARIAN SCHOLARSHIP

The University is keen to help alleviate some of the problems experienced by displaced people where it can. To continue its efforts, the University has introduced these scholarships. These are specifically aimed at applicants who have Leave to Remain as a refugee or under humanitarian protection.

ELIGIBILITY: You must hold an offer for a full-time Masters at the University.

CRITERIA: Minimum Upper Second Class Honours degree and financial need.

HALF/PART-FEE SCHOLARSHIPS
(OPEN TO BOTH INTERNATIONAL AND HOME/EU STUDENTS)

Please see individual scholarships for the specific award amount.

SANTANDER SCHOLARSHIPS

Santander Universities generous scheme funds a number of scholarships for students studying at the University of Westminster.

AMOUNT: £5,000 tuition fee award.

ELIGIBILITY: You must be a student from a country covered under the Santander Universities scheme. For a list of eligible countries, please see appendix H (p71). You must hold an offer for a full-time Masters at the University.

CRITERIA: Equivalent to a UK Upper Second Class Honours or above and financial need.

WESTMINSTER HALF-FEE SCHOLARSHIPS

ELIGIBILITY: You must hold an offer for a full-time Masters at the University.

CRITERIA: Equivalent to a UK Upper Second Class Honours or above and financial need.

GREAT INDIA SCHOLARSHIPS

The University in partnership with the British Council is offering a number of part fee award scholarships.

AMOUNT: £7,500 tuition fee award.

ELIGIBILITY: You must be a national of (or permanently domiciled in) India. The awards are offered for the range of courses and subjects, the full details of which will be published on the University website in late 2016.

CRITERIA: Academic excellence and financial need.

WESTMINSTER PART-FEE SCHOLARSHIPS

AMOUNT: £3,000 tuition fee award.

ELIGIBILITY: You must hold an offer for a full-time Masters at the University.

CRITERIA: Equivalent to a UK Upper Second Class Honours or above and financial need.



“My programme was incredible. The teachers were absolutely brilliant, I loved their style of teaching and I grew so much. It was perfect and I was so challenged. Being awarded a scholarship was such a blessing and it had a huge psychological impact on me. The scholarship was an emotional booster that made me feel that other people saw talent in me, that I was valued here and I was making the right choice.”

Adriana Monsalve
Photojournalism MA

WESTMINSTER 175 SCHOLARSHIPS
(INTERNATIONAL STUDENTS ONLY)

The University of Westminster arrived at a major milestone in 2013 when it celebrated its 175th anniversary. To celebrate this, the University now offers a range of fee scholarships to students from countries where the University maintains strong relationships.

AMOUNT: £3,000 tuition fee award.

ELIGIBILITY: You must be an international student from one of the countries listed in appendix F (p70) and hold an offer for a full-time Masters at the University.

CRITERIA: Equivalent to a UK Upper Second Class Honours or above and financial need.



UNDERGRADUATE SCHOLARSHIPS FOR INTERNATIONAL STUDENTS

As a truly multicultural, international university, we welcome students from all nations and all walks of life. We dedicate at least three full years to ensuring that your time at Westminster is the best possible experience, investing not only in your education, but also in your future. When you complete your degree and leave university, we believe that investment will bring benefits not only for you and your career, but for the communities and countries you live and work in.



INTERNATIONAL UNDERGRADUATE SCHOLARSHIPS AT A GLANCE

AVAILABLE SCHOLARSHIPS	Requirements	More information
The number of each scholarship available is indicated in brackets.		
FULL SCHOLARSHIPS		
Full tuition fee award; monthly stipend; accommodation at University halls of residence or similar provider; flights to and from London; reimbursement for Tier 4 visa costs		
Ken Bird Memorial Scholarship (1)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Preference given to female student from Sri Lanka or India • Academic excellence • Financial need • Development potential 	See page 36
University of Westminster and Scindia Schools Scholarship (2)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Must be scholarship recipient from Scindia School India or Scindia Kanya Vidyalaya • Academic excellence • Financial need • Development potential 	See page 36
Westminster Full International Scholarship (1)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • International student from a developing country (see appendix B page 68) • Academic excellence • Financial need • Development potential 	See page 36
VARIABLE SCHOLARSHIPS		
Awards range from a full scholarship to a part-fee award		
Architecture and the Built Environment Excellence Scholarships (2+) Media, Arts and Design Excellence Scholarships (2+) Science and Technology Excellence Scholarships (2+) Social Sciences and Humanities Excellence Scholarships (2+) Westminster Business School Excellence Scholarships (2+)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Academic excellence • Financial need • Development potential 	See page 36

FULL-FEE SCHOLARSHIPS		
100 per cent tuition fee only award, per academic year for maximum of three academic years		
Education for All Scholarship (1)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Open to students who are living in the UK and have been granted Discretionary Leave to Remain (DLR) by the Home Office; this must be the sole reason why they do not qualify for UK student funding or home fee status. They must also be under 25 years of age when starting their degree. • Academic excellence 	See page 37
Westminster Full-Fee Scholarship (2)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • International student • Academic excellence 	See page 37
AVAILABLE SCHOLARSHIPS	Requirements	More information
The number of each scholarship available is indicated in brackets.		
HALF/PART-FEE SCHOLARSHIPS		
From £3,000 and up to 50 per cent tuition fee award, per academic year for a maximum of three academic years		
Diplomatic Scholarship (4)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Must be child or spouse of diplomatic staff member currently stationed in UK • Academic excellence 	See page 38
Westminster Half Fee Scholarship (3)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • International student • Academic excellence 	See page 38
Westminster Part Fee Scholarship (6+)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • International student • Academic excellence 	See page 39
Westminster 175 Scholarship (5)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • International student from one of the countries listed in Appendix F (page 71) • Academic excellence 	See page 38 – 39

FULL SCHOLARSHIPS

KEN BIRD MEMORIAL SCHOLARSHIP

Ken Bird was formerly Chair of the University's Technology and Design Department. This scholarship reflects Ken's interest in South Asia as well as his desire to help provide educational opportunities for women. The family of Ken Bird will take an active role in the selection and welfare of the scholar. The scholarship is awarded jointly with International Students House.

ELIGIBILITY: Preference will be given to you if you are a female student from India or Sri Lanka and hold an offer for a full-time undergraduate degree in a technology based subject at the University. The scholarship will be renewed each year subject to satisfactory academic performance.

CRITERIA: Academic excellence, financial need and development potential.

UNIVERSITY OF WESTMINSTER SCINDIA SCHOOLS SCHOLARSHIP

ELIGIBILITY: This is a 'closed' scholarship in conjunction with the Scindia School India, or Scindia Kanya Vidyalaya. You must hold an offer for a full-time undergraduate degree at the University. The scholarship will be renewed each year subject to satisfactory academic performance.

CRITERIA: Academic excellence, financial need and development potential.

WESTMINSTER FULL INTERNATIONAL SCHOLARSHIPS

ELIGIBILITY: You must be an international student from a developing country and hold an offer for a full-time undergraduate degree at the University. For the list of developing countries, please see appendix B (p68). The scholarship will be renewed each year subject to satisfactory academic performance.

CRITERIA: Academic excellence, financial need and development potential.



TUITION FEE SCHOLARSHIPS

Tuition Fee scholarships can cover all of your tuition fees, half of your tuition fees or part of your tuition fees. Each scholarship is extremely competitive. *These scholarships are for three-year full-time degree programmes only.*

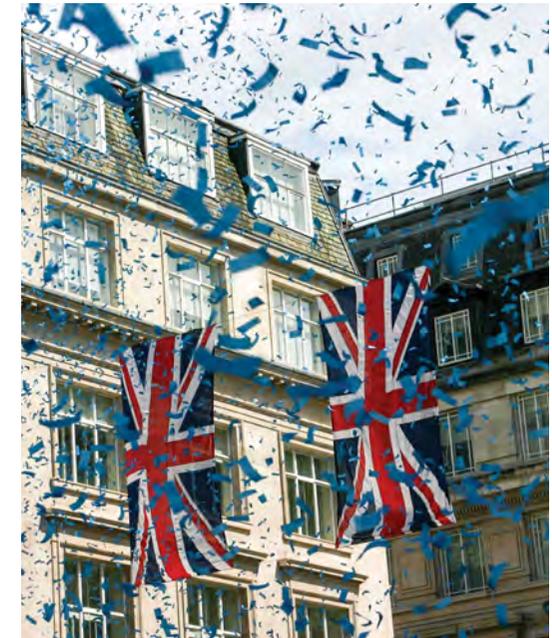
FULL-FEE SCHOLARSHIPS (TUITION ONLY)

EDUCATION FOR ALL SCHOLARSHIP

The University of Westminster wants to help ensure that access to higher education is a reality for talented students who have been granted Discretionary Leave to Remain (DLR) in the UK, and have been offered a place at our University but cannot access the necessary financial support to attend.

ELIGIBILITY: You must be living in the UK and have been granted Discretionary Leave to Remain (DLR) by the Home Office; this must be the sole reason why you do not qualify for student funding or home fee status. You must hold an offer for a full-time undergraduate degree at the University and be under 25 years of age when you start your degree. The scholarship will be renewed each year subject to satisfactory academic performance.

CRITERIA: Academic excellence and financial need.



WESTMINSTER FULL-FEE SCHOLARSHIPS

The University offers a number of full tuition fee award scholarships to exceptionally well-qualified students from outside the UK/EU. Please note this scholarship covers tuition fees only, not living expenses or accommodation.

ELIGIBILITY: You must be an international student and hold an offer for a full-time undergraduate degree at the University. The scholarship will be renewed each year subject to satisfactory academic performance.

CRITERIA: Academic excellence and financial need.

HALF/PART-FEE SCHOLARSHIPS

Please see individual scholarships for the specific award amount.

DIPLOMATIC SCHOLARSHIPS

Diplomatic Scholarships are designed to benefit the children or spouse of diplomatic staff from developing countries, who are currently stationed in the UK. These are only applicable to countries where the government is unable to contribute towards tuition fees. These scholarships are limited in number and are competitive. For the list of developing countries, please see appendix B (p68).

ELIGIBILITY: You must be a child or spouse of a diplomatic staff member currently stationed in the UK and from a developing country. You must hold an offer for a full-time undergraduate degree at the University. In addition to your scholarship application form, you must provide a letter from your embassy or high commission verifying that you are a child or spouse of a diplomatic staff member stationed in the UK, and that your government is not offering a contribution toward your tuition fees. The scholarship will be renewed each year subject to satisfactory academic performance.

CRITERIA: Academic excellence and financial need.

WESTMINSTER HALF-FEE SCHOLARSHIPS

ELIGIBILITY: You must be an international student and hold an offer for a full-time undergraduate degree at the University. The scholarship will be renewed each year subject to satisfactory academic performance.

CRITERIA: Academic excellence and financial need.



WESTMINSTER PART FEE SCHOLARSHIPS

AMOUNT: £3,000 fee award.

ELIGIBILITY: You must be an international student and hold an offer for a full-time undergraduate degree at the University. The scholarship will be renewed each year subject to satisfactory academic performance.

CRITERIA: Academic excellence and financial need.

WESTMINSTER 175 SCHOLARSHIPS (INTERNATIONAL STUDENTS ONLY)

The University of Westminster arrived at a major milestone in 2013 when it celebrated its 175th anniversary. To celebrate this, the University now offers a range of fee scholarships to students from countries where the University maintains strong relationships.

AMOUNT: £3,000 tuition fee award.

ELIGIBILITY: You must be an international student from one of the countries listed in appendix F (p70) and hold an offer for a full-time undergraduate degree at the University.

CRITERIA: Equivalent to a UK Upper Second Class Honours or above and financial need.



UNDERGRADUATE SCHOLARSHIPS FOR UK/EU STUDENTS

As a university, we realise that the rising costs of higher education can be daunting for students. That's why we're committed to providing an extensive scholarships programme based largely on academic excellence and financial need - because we believe that the brightest undergraduates should be able to achieve their full potential, regardless of their financial situation.

UK/EU UNDERGRADUATE SCHOLARSHIPS AT A GLANCE

AVAILABLE SCHOLARSHIPS The number of each scholarship available is indicated in brackets.	Requirements	Deadline date	More information
FULL TUITION FEE AWARD PER ACADEMIC YEAR For maximum of three academic years			
Education for All Scholarship (1)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Open to students who are living in the UK and have been granted Discretionary Leave to Remain (DLR) by the Home Office; this must be the sole reason why they do not qualify for UK student funding or home fee status. They must also be under 25 years of age when starting their degree. Academic excellence 	4 May 2017	See page 44
£6,000 CASH OR TUITION FEE AWARD PER ACADEMIC YEAR For maximum of three academic years			
Platinum Scholarship (25+)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Academic excellence A household income of less than £25,000 per annum 	4 April 2017	See page 45
£4,000 CASH OR TUITION FEE AWARD PER ACADEMIC YEAR For maximum of three academic years			
Gold Scholarship (20)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Academic excellence Financial need 	4 April 2017	See page 45
£4,000 CASH OR TUITION FEE AWARD PER ACADEMIC YEAR For maximum of three academic years			
Maud Tyler Scholarship (1)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Must have a specific or hidden disability Academic excellence Financial need 	4 April 2017	See page 46
£,3000 CASH OR TUITION FEE AWARD PER ACADEMIC YEAR For maximum of three academic years			
Access Scholarship (for students with disabilities) (4)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Must have a documented disability Academic excellence Financial need 	4 April 2017	See page 46

AVAILABLE SCHOLARSHIPS The number of each scholarship available is indicated in brackets.	Requirements	Deadline date	More information
£2,000 CASH OR TUITION FEE AWARD PER ACADEMIC YEAR For maximum of three academic years			
Silver Scholarship (25)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Academic excellence Financial need 	4 April 2017	See page 45
Wates Scholarships (6)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Studying at Faculty of Architecture and the Built Environment Academic excellence Financial need 	4 April 2017	See page 46
£1,000 CASH AWARD Awarded for the first year of study only			
Reid Scholarship for Biosciences (1)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Female student studying Biomedical Sciences BSc UK citizen and first in family to attend university Academic excellence 	4 April 2017	See page 46



PLEASE NOTE THAT EXPECTATIONS OF ACADEMIC EXCELLENCE AND CREATIVITY MAY VARY SLIGHTLY FROM COURSE TO COURSE, DEPENDING ON COURSE ENTRY STANDARDS. THIS IS TO ENSURE THAT SCHOLARSHIPS ARE FAIRLY SPREAD ACROSS THE UNIVERSITY'S COURSES AND NOT CLUSTERED IN HIGH-ENTRY QUALIFICATION AREAS.

For UK/EU undergraduate scholarships

The University has an online application process. However, please note that decisions on these applications will not be made until after the deadline date in April. For more information on the online application process, please visit westminster.ac.uk/scholarships

TUITION FEE SCHOLARSHIPS

FULL-FEE SCHOLARSHIPS

EDUCATION FOR ALL SCHOLARSHIP

The University of Westminster wants to help ensure that access to higher education is a reality for talented students who have been granted Discretionary Leave to Remain (DLR) in the UK, and have been offered a place at our University but cannot access the necessary financial support to attend.

ELIGIBILITY: You must be living in the UK and have been granted Discretionary Leave to Remain (DLR) by the Home Office; this must be the sole reason why you do not qualify for student funding or home fee status. You must hold an offer for a full-time undergraduate degree at the University and be under 25 years of age when you start your degree. The scholarship will be renewed each year subject to satisfactory academic performance.

CRITERIA: Academic excellence and financial need.



PART-FEE SCHOLARSHIPS

WESTMINSTER PLATINUM, GOLD AND SILVER SCHOLARSHIPS

To celebrate excellence amongst our students and further our commitment to providing education for all, the University has a number of scholarships available for you if you have achieved academic excellence and are in financial need.

Platinum Scholarship

AMOUNT: £6,000 award, which can be taken as cash for living expenses or tuition fees.

ELIGIBILITY: You must hold an offer for a full-time undergraduate degree at the University and be from the UK or EU. You must come from a household income of less than £25,000 pa. The scholarship will be renewed each year subject to satisfactory academic performance.

CRITERIA: Academic excellence and financial need.

Gold Scholarship

AMOUNT: £4,000 award, which can be taken as cash for living expenses or tuition fees.

ELIGIBILITY: You must hold an offer for a full-time undergraduate degree at the University and be from the UK or EU. The scholarship will be renewed each year subject to satisfactory academic performance.

CRITERIA: Academic excellence and financial need.

Silver Scholarship

AMOUNT: £2,000 award, which can be taken as cash for living expenses or tuition fees.

ELIGIBILITY: You must hold an offer for a full-time undergraduate degree at the University and be from the UK or EU. The scholarship will be renewed each year subject to satisfactory academic performance.

CRITERIA: Academic excellence and financial need.



ACCESS SCHOLARSHIPS

In line with its commitment to providing education for all, the University has a number of scholarships available for you if you have achieved academic excellence in spite of severe disabilities. These scholarships will not take into account any other funding you may have from other external sources.

- AMOUNT:** £3,000 award, which can be taken as cash for living expenses or tuition fees.
- ELIGIBILITY:** You must hold an offer for a full-time undergraduate degree at the University with a documented disability. The scholarship will be renewed each year subject to satisfactory academic performance.
- CRITERIA:** Academic excellence and financial need.

MAUD TYLER SCHOLARSHIP

Dr Maud Tyler, who retired as Deputy Vice-Chancellor in December 2006 after 35 years at the University, made a generous donation to support this scholarship which is open to those who have a specific or hidden disability.

- AMOUNT:** £4,000 award, which can be taken as cash for living expenses or tuition fees.
- ELIGIBILITY:** You must hold an offer for a full-time undergraduate degree at the University. You must also be from the UK or EU and have a specific or hidden disability. The scholarship will be renewed each year subject to satisfactory academic performance.
- CRITERIA:** Academic excellence and financial need.

REID SCHOLARSHIP FOR BIOSCIENCES

Following a generous donation from Guildford Academic Associates, a one-off £1,000 cash award is available for women who wish to study biosciences.

- AMOUNT:** One-off £1,000 cash award, distributed in January 2018.
- ELIGIBILITY:** You must hold an offer for a full-time undergraduate degree in Biomedical Sciences at the University. You must be a citizen of the UK and the first in your family to attend university.
- CRITERIA:** Academic excellence and financial need.

WATES SCHOLARSHIPS

With generous support from the Wates Family Enterprise Trust we are able to offer 6 new scholarships for students embarking on full time undergraduate study at our Faculty of Architecture and the Built Environment.

- AMOUNT:** £2,000 per annum towards living costs distributed in October each academic year
- ELIGIBILITY:** You must hold an offer for a full-time undergraduate degree at the Faculty of Architecture and the Built Environment and be from the UK. The scholarship will be renewed each year subject to satisfactory academic performance.
- CRITERIA:** Academic excellence and financial need. Preference will be given to candidates who are first in their families to attend university. Preference will be given to candidates from London or the South East of England.





JOINT SCHOLARSHIPS WITH PARTNERS

The University of Westminster Scholarships Programme works with partners across the world to provide our students with more funding opportunities. We work with prestigious organisations such as the Chevening Scholarship Programme, the UK Government's global scheme to help fund academically excellent candidates during their time here.



PLEASE NOTE YOU CANNOT APPLY DIRECTLY TO WESTMINSTER FOR THESE SCHOLARSHIPS. THEY HAVE A DIFFERENT APPLICATION PROCESS SO YOU NEED TO CONTACT THE RELEVANT ORGANISATION TO FIND OUT HOW TO APPLY.

CARA (THE COUNCIL FOR ATRISK ACADEMICS)

This organisation helps academics in immediate danger, those forced into exile, and many who choose to remain in their home countries despite the serious risks they face. CARA also supports higher education institutions whose continuing work is at risk or compromised. For more information, please visit cara.ngo

CHEVENING SCHOLARSHIPS

Chevening Scholarships are the UK Government's global scholarship programme, funded by the Foreign and Commonwealth Office and partner organisations including Westminster. The programme makes awards to outstanding scholars with leadership potential from around the world to study postgraduate courses at universities in the UK. For more information, please visit chevening.org

GREAT INDIA SCHOLARSHIPS

The University in partnership with the British Council is offering a number of Part Fee Award scholarships. These awards are for students that are a national of (or permanently domiciled in) India.

The awards are offered for the range of courses and subjects, the full details of which will be published at westminster.ac.uk/scholarships

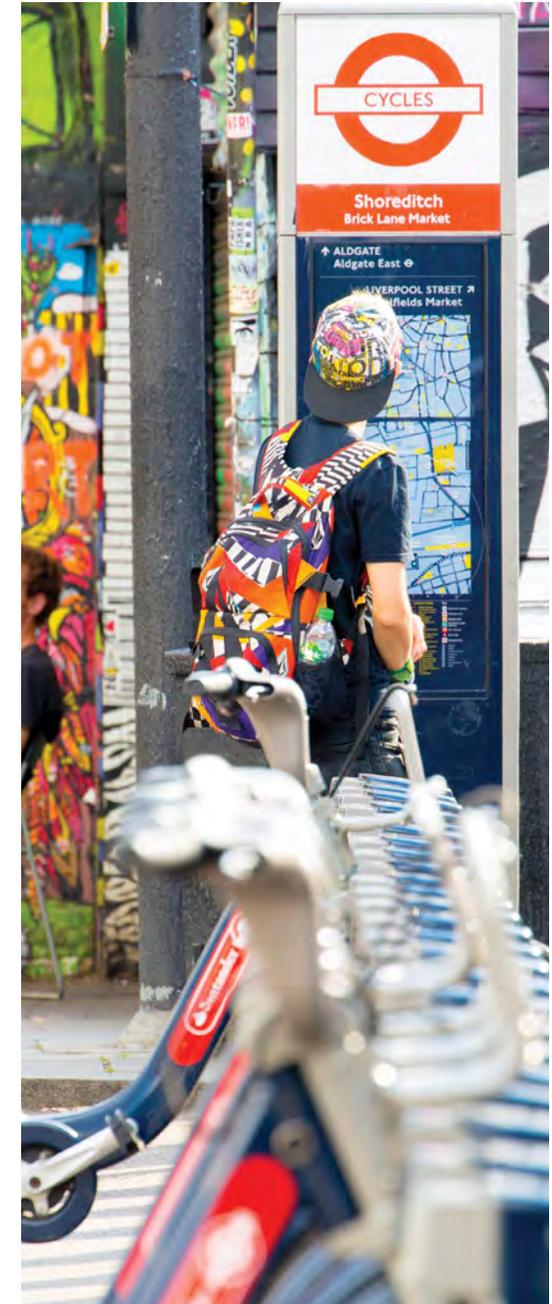
HELENA KENNEDY FOUNDATION

The University is pleased to be associated with the Helena Kennedy Foundation, and will make a number of fee awards to those coming through this route. The Helena Kennedy Foundation exists to tackle injustice and social exclusion through education, by supporting home students who are disadvantaged and come from further and adult education sectors to complete their studies and move on successfully into employment. For further information email the Helena Kennedy Foundation at enquiries@hkf.org.uk or see hkf.org.uk

HESPAL SCHOLARSHIP

The University of Westminster is working in partnership with the British Council to provide a Higher Education Scholarship for a Palestinian (HESPAL); that is, to support a junior academic at a Palestinian University wishing to study a one-year masters programme or a three-year PhD research programme in the UK.

Applications are made through the British Council in the Palestinian Territories at britishcouncil.ps/en/study-uk/scholarships/hespal





SCHOLARSHIPS FOR UK/EU PART-TIME STUDENTS

We know that life doesn't always fit into a traditional course structure. Most of our part-time students will have to fit their study around their already full lives of work and family. We aim to offer these students an additional layer of support, which will turn their desire for a university education into a reality.



PLEASE NOTE THAT INTERNATIONAL STUDENTS ARE NOT ELIGIBLE FOR THESE SCHOLARSHIPS AS THEIR VISA CONDITIONS DO NOT ALLOW THEM TO STUDY PART-TIME.

THE DEADLINE FOR PART-TIME SCHOLARSHIPS IS 1 AUGUST 2017.

THESE SCHOLARSHIPS ARE OPEN TO STUDENTS STUDYING ON EITHER A PART-TIME UNDERGRADUATE DEGREE OR PART-TIME MASTERS.

SCHOLARSHIPS FOR PART-TIME POSTGRADUATE STUDENTS

FULL-FEE SCHOLARSHIPS

WESTMINSTER PG PT FULL FEE SCHOLARSHIP

ELIGIBILITY: You must hold an offer for the part-time Masters at the University.
CRITERIA: First Class Honours degree, career progression and financial need. The scholarship will be renewed each year for up to two years, subject to satisfactory academic performance.



HALF-FEE SCHOLARSHIPS

WESTMINSTER PG PT HALF FEE SCHOLARSHIP

ELIGIBILITY: You must hold an offer for the part-time Masters at the University.
CRITERIA: Minimum Upper Second Class Honours or above, career progression and financial need. The scholarship will be renewed each year for up to two years, subject to satisfactory academic performance.

SCHOLARSHIPS FOR PART-TIME UNDERGRADUATE STUDENTS

WESTMINSTER UG PT PART FEE SCHOLARSHIPS

AMOUNT: £2,000 award per year, which can be taken as cash for living expenses or tuition fees. The scholarship will be renewed each year for up to four years, subject to satisfactory academic performance.

ELIGIBILITY: You must be from the UK or another EU country and hold an offer for a part-time undergraduate degree from the University. You must intend to study at least 50 per cent of the full-time programme, ie four modules (60 credits) per academic year. You must not have studied substantially at first-degree level previously.

CRITERIA: Academic excellence and financial need.





SHORT COURSE SCHOLARSHIPS

Learning comes in all shapes and sizes. We are working to increase the number of short course scholarships available for students wishing to study in this way.

SHORT COURSE – NUTRITION
IN EMERGENCIES

Due to the continued success of this course, scholarships are again available for the week-long Nutrition in Emergencies course. This is scheduled to run in the summer of 2017.

AMOUNT: Full tuition fee award, accommodation, living expenses and flights to and from London.

ELIGIBILITY: You must be from a developing country. For a list of eligible countries, please see appendix B (p68).

CRITERIA: Financial need and must be employed in the relevant sector in a country prone to disaster.

DEADLINE: 12 May 2017





JANUARY 2018 POSTGRADUATE SCHOLARSHIPS

We don't want our January intake to miss out so we offer a number of scholarships for those intending to start their course in January.

THE UNIVERSITY OFFERS A NUMBER OF SCHOLARSHIPS FOR STUDENTS INTENDING TO START THEIR POSTGRADUATE FULL-TIME ACADEMIC PROGRAMME IN JANUARY 2018.

THE DEADLINE FOR JANUARY SCHOLARSHIPS IS 13 OCTOBER 2017.

THESE SCHOLARSHIPS ARE FOR A ONE-YEAR MASTERS AND ARE NOT OPEN TO MBA APPLICANTS WHO MAY ONLY APPLY FOR AN MBA HALF/PART-FEE SCHOLARSHIP.

FULL SCHOLARSHIP

WESTMINSTER INTERNATIONAL SCHOLARSHIP

ELIGIBILITY: You must be an international student from a developing country and hold an offer for a full-time Masters at the University. For a list of eligible countries, please see appendix B (p68).

CRITERIA: First Class Honours degree, financial need and development potential.

TUITION FEE SCHOLARSHIPS

FULL-FEE SCHOLARSHIPS (TUITION ONLY)

WESTMINSTER FULL-FEE SCHOLARSHIPS

ELIGIBILITY: You must hold an offer for a full-time Masters at the University.

CRITERIA: First Class Honours degree and financial need.

HALF/PART-FEE SCHOLARSHIPS

WESTMINSTER HALF-FEE SCHOLARSHIPS

ELIGIBILITY: You must hold an offer for a full-time Masters at the University.

CRITERIA: Minimum Upper Second Class Honours or above and financial need.

WESTMINSTER PART-FEE SCHOLARSHIP

AMOUNT: £3,000 tuition fee award.

ELIGIBILITY: You must hold an offer for a full-time Masters at the University.

CRITERIA: Minimum Upper Second Class Honours or above and financial need.



WESTMINSTER 175 SCHOLARSHIPS

The University of Westminster arrived at a major milestone in 2013 when it celebrated its 175th anniversary. To celebrate this, the University is now offering a number of tuition fee awards to students from countries where the University maintains strong relationships.

AMOUNT: £3,000 tuition fee award.

ELIGIBILITY: You must be an international student from one of the countries listed in appendix F (p70) and hold an offer for a full-time Masters at the University.

CRITERIA: Minimum Upper Second Class Honours or above and financial need.

IMPORTANT NOTE:

THE SCHOLARSHIP APPLICATION PROCESS IS HIGHLY COMPETITIVE. WE RECEIVE THOUSANDS OF APPLICATIONS EACH YEAR, SO NEVER ASSUME THAT APPLICATION MEANS AWARD. YOU SHOULD ALSO SEEK OTHER SOURCES OF FUNDING IN THE EVENT THAT YOUR APPLICATION IS NOT SUCCESSFUL.

You should only apply for a scholarship once you have applied for admission and successfully been offered a place (either conditional or unconditional) on the course you wish to study. **We cannot consider your application for a scholarship if you have not already made an application for admission and been successfully offered a place on a course.**

For information on how to apply for a place on one of our courses, please visit our website: westminster.ac.uk/courses/undergraduate/how-to-apply (undergraduate) westminster.ac.uk/courses/postgraduate/how-to-apply (postgraduate)

If you are an existing Westminster student, unfortunately, you are not currently eligible to apply for any scholarships listed in this brochure as all scholarships are awarded before a course commences.

To apply for a scholarship you will need to complete the relevant scholarship application form.

For UK/EU undergraduate scholarships the University has an online application process available for use. Shortlisting will be done as applications arrive but final decisions on the allocation of awards will be taken after the deadline. For more information on the online application process, please visit westminster.ac.uk/scholarships

For international students and ALL postgraduate students you will need to download the relevant application form (International Undergraduate or Postgraduate) from our website at westminster.ac.uk/scholarships

Please note that for international undergraduate and all postgraduate students we do not currently have an online application facility and **DO NOT ACCEPT APPLICATIONS VIA EMAIL.** International students and postgraduate students will need to send their applications by post to the following address:

Scholarships Office
First Floor, Cavendish House
101 New Cavendish Street
London W1W 6XH
United Kingdom

Please ensure that you check any deadline dates for individual scholarships in the brochure or on our website at westminster.ac.uk/scholarships

Please note that you can only apply for ONE type of scholarship. That is either a Full Scholarship, Full Fee Scholarship or Half/Part-Fee Scholarship. But you can apply for more than one scholarship within the scholarship type.

Once we have received your application, we will acknowledge receipt by email. In cases where an application is received very close to the deadline, it will take longer to send you an acknowledgement.

Applications are reviewed in two stages. Before the deadline, applications are reviewed and selected to move forward for the shortlist. After the deadline, the shortlist is reviewed and the top candidates are selected. The Scholarships Office will inform you as soon as possible regarding an unsuccessful decision. However, those who are shortlisted may not receive the outcome until as late as six weeks after the deadline.

APPLICATION TIPS

- Only apply for ONE scholarship type (Full, Full Fee etc.) for which you are eligible – check the eligibility criteria for each scholarship, either in the brochure or on the website, to make sure you qualify before applying.
- Make sure your application is well presented and includes all the requested documents.
- You should only submit the supporting documents we request (these are listed on the scholarship application form). The quantity of documents will not improve your chances of a successful application.
- Do not send original documents as we are unable to return these. Please only send copies.
- You must provide officially certified translations of any supporting documents which are in a language other than English.

- Your application should be word processed.
- Spend sufficient time on your application. You are in competition with some of the strongest students in the world, so spend as much time as necessary researching the scholarship and creating a polished, professional and persuasive application.
- Please do not exceed the word limit for the supporting statement. We ask you to present yourself briefly for a reason.
- Check your application form and supporting statement for any grammar or typing errors.
- Make a complete copy of the application before you send it. It is always important to have a complete record of everything you send in exactly the form it was sent.
- The Scholarships Office will email you to acknowledge receipt of your application. However, if you require proof of delivery, please use a delivery or courier service that allows you to track the package's path and verify who signed for it.

More helpful information can be found in our Frequently Asked Questions section (p14) or on our website.

The information in this brochure is correct at the time of going to press, but please check the website westminster.ac.uk/scholarships which will be updated and go-live in November 2016.

IMPORTANT DISCLAIMER

The scholarships described within this brochure are for studying at the University of Westminster only and are normally for one year only for postgraduate courses or three years for undergraduate courses (renewable subject to academic performance in case of undergraduate and MPhil/PhD scholarships).

Scholarships awarded are for the student only and not families. **Under no circumstances can students bring family members.**

Scholarships are awarded by the University's Scholarships Assessment and Awarding Group and their decision is final. No correspondence will be entered into as to the reasons for their decision. No appeal is allowed, as once scholarships are awarded, all funds have been committed.

No monies are paid to students except where a living allowance is payable. Living allowances are made to students directly. Tuition fee costs will be paid directly to the Finance Office by the Scholarships Office on behalf of the student.

Accommodation costs as part of a Full Scholarship will also either be waived or paid by the Scholarships Office directly. Where accommodation is provided, it will normally be at the University's halls of residence or International Students House. Where you will be accommodated is at the University's discretion and this may include sharing with an assigned room-mate.

The University and its partners reserve the right to withdraw, terminate or suspend any scholarship on disciplinary grounds or in case of academic failure. This includes failing to meet the satisfactory academic progress condition of scholarship which, unless specified, means, at minimum, successfully passing all modules.

Scholars may be requested to assist the University with its marketing and publicity activities as appropriate. Acceptance of a scholarship implies consent under the Data Protection Act for the University to keep in contact with the student and for the scholar's name to be published in relevant publicity materials.

Lobbying of any members of the Scholarships Assessment and Awarding Group will disqualify applicants from receiving any scholarship.

The University reserves the right to withdraw or amend a scholarship without prior notification. Information is correct at the time of going to print, however any updates will be posted on our website.

Scholarships are offered subject to funding and availability.

All scholarships are subject to verification of academic qualifications and satisfactory academic progress.

Scholarships are awarded for a specific course and start date. Students may not defer the scholarship.

Funds for scholarships are for the scholar's use only and may not be repatriated under any circumstances. Students attempting to do so will have their scholarship revoked and will be required to return to their home country.

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APPENDIX A

CENTRAL AMERICAN AND CARIBBEAN COUNTRIES

For the purposes of our Central American and Caribbean Scholarship the following countries are regarded as Central American and Caribbean:

Anguilla
 Antigua and Barbuda
 Aruba
 The Bahamas
 Barbados
 Belize
 British Virgin Islands
 Cayman Islands
 Costa Rica
 Cuba
 Curacao
 Dominica
 Dominican Republic
 El Salvador
 Grenada
 Guatemala
 Haiti
 Honduras
 Jamaica
 Mexico
 Montserrat
 Navassa Island
 Panama
 Puerto Rico
 Saint Barthelemy
 Saint Kitts and Nevis
 Saint Lucia
 Saint Martin
 Saint Vincent and the Grenadines
 Sint Maarten
 Trinidad and Tobago
 Turks and Caicos
 Virgin Islands

APPENDIX B

DEVELOPING COUNTRIES

For our scholarship purposes, the term 'developing' includes middle income countries. All countries **EXCEPT those listed below** are considered 'developing countries':

Andorra
 Australia
 Austria
 Belgium
 Bulgaria
 Canada
 Croatia
 Cyprus
 Czech Republic
 Denmark
 Estonia
 Finland
 France
 Germany
 Gibraltar
 Greece
 Hungary
 Iceland
 Ireland
 Israel
 Italy
 Japan
 Latvia
 Liechtenstein
 Lithuania
 Luxembourg
 Malta
 Netherlands
 New Zealand
 Norway
 Poland
 Portugal
 Romania
 San Marino

Singapore
 Slovakia
 Slovenia
 Spain
 Sweden
 Switzerland
 United Kingdom
 USA
 Vatican City

APPENDIX C

LATIN AMERICAN COUNTRIES

For the purposes of our Latin American Scholarship, the following countries are regarded as Latin American countries:

Argentina
 Belize
 Bolivia
 Brazil
 Chile
 Colombia
 Costa Rica
 Ecuador
 El Salvador
 Guatemala
 Guyana
 Honduras
 Nicaragua
 Panama
 Paraguay
 Peru
 Suriname
 Uruguay
 Venezuela

APPENDIX D

SMALL ISLAND DEVELOPING NATIONS

For the purposes of our Small Island Nation Scholarship the following countries are regarded as Small Island Developing States:

Anguilla
 Antigua and Barbuda
 Bahamas
 Barbados
 Belize
 British Virgin Islands
 Cape Verde
 Comoros
 Cuba
 Dominica
 Dominican Republic
 Fiji
 French Polynesia
 Grenada
 Guinea-Bissau
 Guyana
 Haiti
 Jamaica
 Kiribati
 Maldives
 Marshall Islands
 Mauritius
 Micronesia (Federated States of)
 Montserrat
 Nauru
 New Caledonia
 Niue
 Northern Mariana Islands
 Palau
 Papua New Guinea
 Puerto Rico
 Saint Kitts and Nevis
 Saint Lucia
 Saint Vincent and the Grenadines
 Samoa

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Sao Tome and Principe
 Seychelles
 Singapore
 Solomon Islands
 Suriname
 Timor-Leste
 Tonga
 Trinidad and Tobago
 Tuvalu
 Vanatu

APPENDIX F

WESTMINSTER 175 SCHOLARSHIPS

The following countries are regarded as eligible countries:

Postgraduate Scholarships

Bangladesh
 Brazil
 Canada
 China
 Colombia
 Egypt
 India
 Indonesia
 Kazakhstan
 Malaysia
 Morocco
 Nigeria
 Pakistan
 Russia
 South Korea
 Taiwan
 Thailand
 Turkey
 Ukraine
 USA
 Vietnam

Undergraduate Scholarships

Brazil (non-Science without Border applicants)
 China
 Hong Kong
 India
 Jordan
 Kenya
 Malaysia
 Morocco
 Russia
 Turkey
 South Korea
 Sri Lanka

APPENDIX G

SOUTHEAST ASIA ELIGIBLE COUNTRIES

The following countries are regarded as eligible countries:

Brunei Darussalam
 Cambodia
 Christmas Island
 Cocos (Keeling) Islands
 East Timor (Timor-Leste)
 Indonesia
 Lao, People's Democratic Republic
 Malaysia
 Myanmar, Burma
 Philippines
 Singapore
 Thailand
 Vietnam

APPENDIX H

SANTANDER SCHOLARSHIP

The following countries are regarded as eligible countries:

Argentina
 Belgium
 Brazil
 Chile
 China
 Colombia
 Germany
 Ghana
 Mexico
 Poland
 Portugal
 Puerto Rico
 Russia
 Singapore
 South Korea
 Spain
 UAE
 UK
 Uruguay
 USA



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