INTRODUCTION
BY PROFESSOR GEOFFREY PETTS,
VICE-CHANCELLOR

The University of Westminster is proud of its scholarship scheme, which supports students from diverse backgrounds and from many different countries. The scholarship scheme has now been running in a major way for 11 years and we are seeing the fruits of our investment. Many of our former scholars have contributed vastly to their countries and communities and of course we have enabled many to secure a future for themselves and their families, which would not have been possible without the opportunities given by the scholarship scheme.

Last year we appointed our first Patron of the scheme, the Maharani of Gwalior. The Maharani was our guest of honour at the November 2011 scholarships reception in London and launched our new India scholarships in New Delhi in April 2012 during the celebrations to open our India office. We are most grateful to Her Highness for her continued interest and support.

I take this opportunity to thank all our donors, whether individuals, businesses or charities that have helped so much with our work, and we hope further partners will be forthcoming to enable us to help even more students to fulfil their dreams and assist their countries and communities. Given the global financial climate it is essential that we attract further funding from outside the University to the scheme.

There are several new and exciting changes to Westminster’s Scholarships scheme in 2012/13. We welcome our final Olympic handover scholars from China. These were established to celebrate the handover of the Olympic Games from Beijing to London. We intend to carry on this theme with handover scholarships for Brazilians to welcome the games to Rio de Janeiro.

This year we also welcome our first students from North Korea. This is through a joint venture with Pyongyang University of Science and Technology (PUST), which is North Korea’s first privately funded university, and is partly funded by associations and people outside the country, in particular from China and the USA.

We have also taken the opportunity to develop a number of new scholarships to extend the range of the programme. We have introduced scholarships for graduate diplomas and scholarships to assist South Sudan in its transition to new nationhood, to mention but two. The UK’s National Scholarships Programme is also being launched in 2012. We hope with your support to continue to expand the opportunities we are able to give students in the future.

Professor Geoffrey Petts
BSc, PhD, FRGS, FRSA
Vice-Chancellor
SUPPORTING EXCELLENCE IN NEED

EDUCATION TRANSFORMING FUTURES

Education has an unrivalled ability to change lives, both for those who have the opportunity to study, and for those who benefit from their knowledge. Making knowledge widely accessible was one of the founding principles of the Royal Polytechnic Institution, University of Westminster’s original incarnation. It is a principle that we adhere to today, with a student body that is incredibly diverse in culture, nationality and background.

Philanthropy has played a vital role in supporting our students from the very beginning, when Quintin Hogg made his educational endowment to establish the Regent Street Polytechnic. We remain dedicated to making it possible for outstanding students who could not access higher education without our help to realise their potential.

Our students explore the fields of creative industries, business, law, humanities, life sciences, and computing and electronics. Our staff and alumni have made their mark in many fields, and our current students will go on to shape professional life of the future, and change lives for the better, both in the UK and internationally. Now you can play a key role in that change.

THE LEADING UNIVERSITY SCHOLARSHIPS SCHEME IN THE UK

Today, about 750 students at our University benefit from scholarships every year. Around a quarter of this support comes from external sources. However, every year we also have to turn down at least a further 3,000 good scholarship applicants. We want to address this by providing an additional 100 scholarships annually, and we need philanthropic support to achieve that goal.

Our scholarships scheme has been praised for its diverse, flexible and innovative approach to supporting students. A scrupulous award process based on clear criteria is followed by continual pastoral care for beneficiary students. The scheme’s success has been recognised by the Award for Outstanding Support for Overseas Students from the Times Higher Education magazine.

MAKE A DIFFERENCE, TOUCH A LIFE

Now more than ever, maintaining our ability to change lives through access to higher education will depend on philanthropic support for scholarships. By helping us to extend the scholarships scheme, you will be providing opportunities for a diverse and vibrant student community. You will be changing lives and enabling them to improve the lives of many others, at a time of uncertainty for all, and when financial limits may prevent many promising students from pursuing higher education.

Your contribution could be shaped flexibly and linked to a particular school, department or course, should you wish to do so.
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NAMING OPPORTUNITIES
Your gift will be recognised on our website and in a number of printed publications. You will be invited to meet the student recipients at special events and will receive news from them from time to time.

New scholarships can be named after you, an organisation or in memory of someone you wish to honour. For named international scholarships, we encourage gifts of £10,000 per year or more, and for named domestic scholarships, we encourage gifts of £5,000 per year or more.

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If you give us your consent to claim Gift Aid, at no extra cost to you we would increase the value of your gift to the University by claiming the tax you have already paid on the donation from the tax authorities.

THE WESTMINSTER SCHOLARSHIP

“The Westminster scholarship changed my life by offering me a world-class education in one of the best cities in the world. Living, studying and working in London for one year totally changed my life, career and view of the world. I have learnt that no matter what your background is, education is the key to success. I therefore want to say thank you to the University of Westminster for the various international student scholarships.”

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SCHOLARSHIPS PARTNERS AND DONORS

The University of Westminster is very grateful to its partners and donors in the scholarship programme. Many of the scholarships would not have been possible or as extensive without their involvement and contributions.

ASSOCIATION OF COMMONWEALTH UNIVERSITIES
The Association of Commonwealth Universities (ACU) is a voluntary society, founded in 1913. It is a registered charity, controlled by its member institutions through an elected council. The aim of the ACU is to strengthen the universities in membership through international co-operation and understanding (acu.ac.uk).

COSMUR
Cosmur is a construction company offering services to public and private sector clients. With over 35 years experience of both new build and refurbishment, it has delivered projects ranging from hospitals to residential tower blocks, churches to leisure centres. Cosmur has provided support for one UK/EU full-time student in Architecture BA Honours/BSc Honours.

CHEVENING – FOREIGN AND COMMONWEALTH OFFICE
The Foreign and Commonwealth Office provides support through the Chevening Scheme for a significant number of students studying at the University of Westminster (chevening.com).

COMMUNITY BUILDING ASSOCIATION
The Commonwealth Broadcasting Association is a membership-based organisation, with some 100 corporate members, working for quality broadcasting throughout the Commonwealth. This is achieved through training, bursaries for employees of member organisations, conferences, a magazine (Commonwealth Broadcaster) and their website (cba.org.uk).

THE FRANK LONGFORD CHARITABLE TRUST
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INTERNATIONAL STUDENTS HOUSE

International Students House (ISH) is open 365 days a year and located in leafy Regent’s Park. ISH offers free accommodation for many of our scholars. The house was founded for the betterment of international understanding and provides a unique social, cultural and recreational centre for international and British students alike. A variety of events take place including social and cultural experiences and there are also counselling and advice services onsite. ISH ultimately offers students from the developing world opportunities to study at many universities in London and make wide and long lasting friends with people from all over the world (ish.org.uk).

INVESTMENT PROPERTY DATABANK

Investment Property Databank (IPD), established in the UK in 1985, is a global information business. It is the market leader in supply of objective measurement and analysis of property. The IPD has generously donated to the Geoff Marsh Memorial Scholarship, and intend to provide one year’s work experience for the new Geoff Marsh scholar (ipdglobal.com).

MBI AL JABER FOUNDATION

The MBI Al Jaber Foundation is a British registered charity that emerged from founder and sole patron Sheikh Mohamed Bin Issa Al Jaber’s desire to promote better understanding between the peoples of the Middle East and the wider world, especially in Europe but also with the USA and elsewhere. The MBI Al Jaber Foundation enables young people from all parts of the Arab world to fulfil their potential through the opportunity to undertake a Masters degree at elite institutions of higher education, including the University of Westminster and other prominent universities in the UK. The scholarship programme is open to all Arab residents of the Middle East and North Africa who intend to return to their country of residence and contribute to its future development (mbifoundation.com).

THE MEDIA DIVERSITY INSTITUTE

The Media Diversity Institute (MDI) works internationally to encourage and facilitate responsible media coverage of diversity. It aims to prevent the media from intentionally or unintentionally spreading prejudice, intolerance and hatred; encouraging instead, fair, accurate, inclusive and sensitive media coverage in order to promote understanding between different groups and cultures.

MDI has collaborated with Westminster’s CAMRI on the development and delivery of the Diversity and the Media MA and has been of invaluable assistance in securing scholarship support for students joining this course.

PROFESSOR MOORAD CHOU DHRY

In 2011 the Professor Moorad Choudhry Scholarship was set up in support of Westminster Business School undergraduate students from the UK. The scholarship is awarded to two scholars every three years. The scholarship has been made possible through the generosity of Professor Moorad Choudhry, who graduated in 1988 with a Social Sciences BA (Hons) from the Polytechnic of Central London, the University of Westminster’s predecessor. Professor Choudhry is a finance specialist and author whose career has spanned the banking industry and academia. This is what he told us about what has motivated him to support next generations of students:

“Coming to study at Central London Poly, as it was then known, was one of the better decisions I’ve made in my life. I especially remember the friendly atmosphere and the excellence of the academic staff. I’m proud to be associated with the University of Westminster.”

THE OPEN SOCIETY FOUNDATION, NETWORK MEDIA PROGRAMME

The Open Society Foundations work to build vibrant and tolerant societies whose governments are accountable and open to the participation of all people. The Foundation’s Network Media Programme has very kindly supported the first generations of students following Diversity and the Media MA the first of its kind in any university, from around the world.

RICHARD JENKINS AND MAUREEN AMAR

Richard Jenkins and Maureen Amar have generously funded the David Faddy Scholarship.

SANTANDER UNIVERSITIES GLOBAL DIVISION

The relationship that Santander has had with the university sector since 1996 has established itself as one of its hallmarks. Already more than 880 academic institutions receive support from the bank for the implementation of study programmes, teaching projects, research, and activities to promote the use of new technologies on campus, or promote the relationship between universities and businesses, among others. Santander supports the university community more than any other bank in the world, with initiatives such as the granting of more than 17,000 scholarships and travel bursaries each year to promote study, research, social inclusion and the inflow of students in the labour market. The bank assists in the development of over 2,500 university projects.

In the UK, Santander collaborates with 42 academic institutions. For more information visit (santander.co.uk/santanderuniversities).
SARATH PALIHAWADANA SCHOLARSHIP

We are grateful for a generous donation from Mr. Saman Palihawadana towards this scholarship established in memory of his father Sarath Palihawadana.

UNIVERSITY OF WESTMINSTER ESTATES AND FACILITIES DEPARTMENT

The University of Westminster Estates and Facilities Department has contributed housing scholarships which provide free accommodation for scholarship students in the University halls of residences.

MATHUR FAMILY SCHOLARSHIP

The Mathur family from New Delhi, India have had a long association with the University. Vikram Mathur is the Head of our Alumni chapter in India. The family have made a generous donation to enable an Indian student to study a Masters course at Westminster.

WINDLE TRUST INTERNATIONAL

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. The Trust is now helping to rebuild countries such as Ethiopia, Rwanda, Eritrea, Sudan and Uganda which are recovering from long periods of conflict. The Trust have made a generous donation towards scholarships for Masters students who wish to return and benefit their region.
**RECENT**

**MAHARANI OF GWALIOR**

Her Highness the Maharani of Gwalior has graciously agreed to become Patron of the Scholarships programme. Her Highness was the guest of honour at the International Scholarships Reception in November 2011 in London and launched our new Indian scholarships in New Delhi in April of 2012. We are very grateful to Her Highness for her continuing interest in and assistance with our work.

**DIRECTOR OF SCHOLARSHIPS**

After over 11 years at the helm of the scholarships programme, the Director of Scholarships, Colin Matheson, has retired to a cottage by the sea. The members of the Scholarships team, current students and University staff would like to thank him for all of the great work he has done in developing the University of Westminster Scholarships Programme over the past 11 years. We wish him well on his retirement. The Scholarships Office will now form part of the University’s Student Funding Office.

**NORTH KOREA**

For the first time the University will welcome two students from North Korea on scholarship this year. This collaboration with Pyongyang University of Science and Technology, a private, partly American, Chinese and South Korean funded university, will enable the students to study a Masters programme and experience life outside North Korea for the first time.

**SYLVIA PANKHURST**

With the agreement of the Pankhurst family, and in association with the Jethro Institute of Good Governance, the University is offering a full scholarship to an Ethiopian student in memory of Sylvia Pankhurst. Whilst her work as a suffragette is well known, less so is Ma Pankhurst’s support for Ethiopia, both during and after the 1935 Italian occupation. She responded to the Italian invasion of Ethiopia by publishing The New Times and Ethiopia News from 1936, and became a supporter of the Emperor, Haile Selassie. Additionally, she raised funds for Ethiopia’s first teaching hospital and wrote extensively on Ethiopian art and culture; her research was published as Ethiopia, a Cultural History (London: Lallibela House, 1955). Pankhurst became a friend and adviser to the Ethiopian Emperor Haile Selassie. She died in 1960, and was given a full state funeral at which Haile Selassie named her “an honorary Ethiopian”. She is the only foreigner buried in front of Holy Trinity Cathedral in Addis Ababa, in the area reserved for patriots of the Italian war.

**SANTANDER TRAVEL AWARDS**

As part of a much larger donation of £40,000 Santander Bank has given the university £5,000 for student travel awards. These will allow the less well-off student to access course, career and other appropriate opportunities abroad. We are grateful to Santander for this generous donation.

**SCHOLARSHIPS OFFICE**

Liz Dye, one of the longstanding members of the Scholarships Office team, has left to pursue her career aspirations in Brazil. We all wish her well. Her role has now been filled by Charlotte Regan, who we welcome to the department.

**Roberta Mitchell Society**

The University is delighted to announce the launch of a new society to recognise the support of those individuals who make an annual charitable gift of £1,000 or more towards student support. The society is named after Robert Mitchell as a great symbol of both those who have benefited from and those who have supported education.

Having had little schooling as a child, Robert Mitchell was fortunate enough to enter into Quintin Hogg’s Young Men’s Christian Institute, which later developed into the Regent Street Polytechnic. He then went on to dedicate over 50 years of his life to the success of the Polytechnic, becoming the organisation’s first secretary and later its first Director of Education (the Vice-Chancellor of the day).

By joining the Robert Mitchell Society and contributing to the scholarships fund, members will be helping us change lives through providing access to higher education.

If you would like to find out more about the Robert Mitchell Society and how to join, please contact the Development Office by phone 020 3506 6290 or email development@westminster.ac.uk.

**South Sudan**

The newest nation on Earth, at least as we go to press, South Sudan has designated English as the official language of the country. In order to assist with this project, the University, in association with the Jethro Institute of Good Governance, is offering a scholarship to a South Sudanese student to study our Masters in Teaching English to Speakers of Other Languages on condition that they return to teach on completion of their course.

**African Prison Project**

The University has agreed to match the £5,000 Santander Bank have given and is offering two scholarships for refugees, the displaced and other communities emerging from conflict, in line with our partner in this venture, the African Prison Project.

**Windle Trust International**

We are happy to announce that the Windle Trust International have given a significant donation to dedicate to Masters-level scholarships for refugees, the displaced and other communities emerging from conflict.
"The Cosmur Scholarship eased my mind and has brought peace to me as a student. It meant that I did not have to squeeze my pocket so hard that my education would be restricted by my wealth.

The costs of student life are already building up, and with a single parent it is a great opportunity to have the tuition fees washed away, clearing any worrying thoughts in the present and the future for both me and my mum.

Businesses and organisations should continue to support students at Westminster through the scholarship programme, to ensure that genuinely devoted students are not shackled by university fees and living costs."

PAUL CONWAY
BUSINESS DEVELOPMENT DIRECTOR
COSMUR CONSTRUCTION

Cosmur Architecture Scholarship offers a full scholarship for an undergraduate student of architecture over three years, along with an opportunity to take up work placements at Cosmur or facilitated by Cosmur.

"Cosmur is a medium-sized construction company. We do a wide variety of work, from large gallery projects down to single house refurbishment, mostly in London and within the M25. We consider ourselves essentially to be a London company and we wanted to contribute back to London.

It seemed to us that the University would be a good partner to work with, because it works with the kind of people and offers the kind of opportunities that we would like to see ourselves doing; it seemed like a natural fit. There are not many other people doing this sort of thing in London at the moment.

The final thing that really convinced us to sponsor a scholarship was that the fees increase would make it much more difficult for the sort of person we hope will take advantage of this sponsorship to cope with. We felt it’s important for firms like ourselves or other organisations to stand up and do something to help, if they can.

With the opportunities available in our company and other people that we work with we hope we can give someone a real start to their career and a proper lift up the ladder."
SCHOLARSHIPS FOR UK/EU STUDENTS

THE UNIVERSITY OF WESTMINSTER OFFERS TWO MAIN SCHEMES FOR UK/EU UNDERGRADUATE STUDENTS

The National Scholarship Programme and the Westminster Undergraduate Scheme. While you are allowed to make an application for both scholarships, no applicants will be awarded more than one scholarship through our scholarships programme. To be eligible to apply for our scholarships, you must first have been offered either a conditional or unconditional place on an undergraduate course at the University of Westminster. Most offers of scholarships will be made conditional on students achieving required grades, which is usually a higher standard than the entry requirements for the undergraduate course. The Scholarships Office aims to notify students of the result of their scholarships application before the date on which they have to make their final choice of university, usually May. 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. The Scholarships Office intends to launch online scholarships applications for UK/EU undergraduate scholarship applicants this year, so please visit our website for further instructions on the application process at westminster.ac.uk/scholarships

1. NATIONAL SCHOLARSHIPS

With the recent changes to the undergraduate fee structure, the government has set up a National Scholarship Programme. Scholarships offered under this scheme are only available to UK or EU students with a household income of less than £25,000 pa. National Scholarships are limited in number, and applicants are chosen based on academic excellence.

AMOUNT: A total of £6,000 over a three-year undergraduate course (£3,000 distributed in year 1 and an additional £3,000 distributed between years 2 and 3). This may be given as fee waivers, cash or other benefits at the university’s discretion.

ELIGIBILITY: You must have Westminster as your first choice on UCAS and hold an offer for a full-time undergraduate degree (conditional or unconditional) at the University. The scholarship will be renewed each year subject to satisfactory academic performance.

CRITERIA: Academic excellence and or creative potential and financial need.

DEADLINE: 1 April 2013. Please note that courses in the School of Media, Arts and Design have a later deadline of 23 April 2013.
The University of Westminster offers its own ‘Westminster Undergraduate Scholarships’ for those who do not meet the strict financial criteria of the National Scholarship Scheme (ie. You are in financial need, but come from a household income of above £25,000 per annum).

**AMOUNT:** £2,000 tuition fee waiver.

**ELIGIBILITY:** 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 and financial need.

**DEADLINE:** 1 April 2013. Please note that courses in the School of Media, Arts and Design have a later deadline of 23 April 2013.

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**Helena Kennedy Foundation**

The University is pleased to be associated with the Helena Kennedy Foundation, and will make a number of awards to those coming through this route. The Helena Kennedy Foundation exists to tackle injustice and social exclusion through education, by supporting you if you are disadvantaged and come from further and adult education sectors to complete your 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

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**Organ Scholarship**

The University has two historic cinema organs. We are looking for students who can play the organ to use these on a regular basis to keep them in good order. The successful applicant will be expected to play each instrument at least weekly.

**AMOUNT:** £2,000 cash award, distributed in January 2014.

**ELIGIBILITY:** You must hold an offer for a full-time degree at the University. You should supply details of your ability and achievements as a musician.

**CRITERIA:** Achievements as a musician and academic excellence.

**DEADLINE:** 1 April 2013.

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**Scholarships for Students with Disabilities**

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 sources.

**AMOUNT:** £2,000 tuition fee waiver.

**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.

**DEADLINE:** 1 April 2013.

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**TAHERA BEGUM UNITED KINGDOM BUSINESS MANAGEMENT BA HONOURS RECIPIENT OF THE PROFESSOR MOORAD CHOUDRY SCHOLARSHIP**

“The Professor Moorad Choudhry Scholarship, which covers full tuition fees for each year, has made an immense difference to my life as it has taken the burden of having a colossal debt before I reach the age of 21. This scholarship has also given me the opportunity to experience university life and meet new people from all over the world. It has opened up doors to my future, which is why I believe it’s really important that businesses and organisations continue to support students at Westminster through the scholarship programme – it could positively change a person’s future forever.”

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**SUSAN NASH PROJECTS AND OPERATIONS MANAGER HELENA KENNEDY FOUNDATION**

“The Helena Kennedy Foundation aims to tackle injustice and exclusion through education, supporting disadvantaged students from the further and adult education sectors to enable them to complete their studies in higher education. We are delighted to have worked with the University of Westminster for a number of years, providing scholarships to talented students whose personal or financial circumstances may otherwise prevent them from accessing higher education. As fees are trebled, and the competition for places increases, partnerships like these become even more essential. To date the Helena Kennedy Foundation has helped more than 1,000 students progress from further education to higher education. With the continued support of institutions like the University of Westminster we hope to help many more students transform their lives and achieve their full potential.”

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**TAHERA BEGUM UNITED KINGDOM BUSINESS MANAGEMENT BA HONOURS RECIPIENT OF THE PROFESSOR MOORAD CHOUDRY SCHOLARSHIP**
Reid Scholarship for Biosciences
Following a generous donation from Guildford Academic Associates a £1,000 cash award is available for women who wish to study biosciences.

**AMOUNT:** £1,000 cash award, distributed in January 2014.

**ELIGIBILITY:** You must hold an offer for a full-time undergraduate degree in Biomedical Sciences BSc at the University. You must be a citizen of the UK and the first in your family to attend university.

**CRITERIA:** Academic excellence.

**DEADLINE:** 1 April 2013.

Achievement Awards
Awards will be given automatically to the top student(s) on each course. The winners of these awards will be invited to participate in the careers awards group which gives students additional support in their career aspirations. Details of this will be sent to the winners of the progression awards in September 2013.

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

**AMOUNT:** £4,000 per annum, £3,000 available as tuition fee waiver plus £1,000 towards living costs.

**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.

**DEADLINE:** 1 April 2013.

The Sadie Shinkins Memorial Scholarship
The Sadie Shinkins Memorial Scholarship is meant to help an unaccompanied asylum seeker living in the UK.

**AMOUNT:** Full tuition fee waiver.

**ELIGIBILITY:** You must hold an offer for a full-time undergraduate degree at the University. You must also be a student who is an unaccompanied asylum seeker.

**CRITERIA:** Academic excellence and financial need.

**DEADLINE:** 1 April 2013.
Diplomatic Scholarships
Diplomatic scholarships are meant to benefit children of diplomats 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.

AMOUNT: Reduces tuition fees to £4,000.
ELIGIBILITY: You must be a child of a diplomat 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 of a diplomat 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.

EHWLC International Business Programme Progression Scholarship
The Ealing, Hammersmith and West London College is an associate college of the University of Westminster.

AMOUNT: £2,000 fee reduction.
ELIGIBILITY: You must be an international student (non-EU) on the International Business programme at Ealing, Hammersmith and West London College and hold an offer of a full-time undergraduate degree at the University. The scholarship will be renewed each year subject to satisfactory academic performance.

CRITERIA: Academic excellence.

Full Fee International Scholarships
The University offers a number of full tuition fee waiver scholarships to you if you are an exceptionally well qualified student from outside the UK/EU. Please note that this covers tuition fees only, not living expenses or accommodation.

AMOUNT: Full tuition fee waiver.
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.
Half Fee Waiver Scholarships
The University offers a number of half tuition fee waiver scholarships to you if you are an exceptionally well qualified student from outside the UK/EU.

AMOUNT: Half tuition fee waiver.
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.

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 choice and welfare of the scholar. The scholarship is awarded jointly with International Students House.

AMOUNT: Full tuition fee waiver, accommodation in the International Students House London, living expenses and flights to and from London. 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.

Part Fee Waiver Scholarships
The University offers a number of part scholarships (£2,000 fee waiver) to you if you are an exceptionally well qualified student from outside the UK/EU.

AMOUNT: £2,000 fee waiver.
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.

Westminster Full International Scholarships
These are the University of Westminster’s most competitive undergraduate scholarships, as each year hundreds of bright students from around the world apply.

AMOUNT: Full tuition fee waiver, accommodation, living expenses and flights to and from London.
ELIGIBILITY: You must be an international student from a developing country 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, financial need and development potential.

University of Westminster and Scindia Schools (India) Scholarship

AMOUNT: Full tuition fee waiver, accommodation at the International Students House London, living expenses and flights to and from London.
ELIGIBILITY: You must be a scholarship recipient from Scindia School, India, or Scindia Kanya Vidvalaya and hold an offer for a full-time undergraduate degree at the University of Westminster. The scholarship will be renewed each year based on your academic performance.
CRITERIA: Academic excellence, financial need and development potential.

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CRITERIA: Academic excellence.

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ELIGIBILITY: You must be a scholarship recipient from Scindia School, India, or Scindia Kanya Vidvalaya and hold an offer for a full-time undergraduate degree at the University of Westminster. The scholarship will be renewed each year based on your academic performance.
CRITERIA: Academic excellence, financial need and development potential.
Dr Vikram Mathur is the head of the University of Westminster’s alumni in India. He and his family have given a substantial sum to the Scholarship Fund to support young Indian students.

“Education is the most important thing which a student is required to take up in life. Being a well-educated citizen is of prime importance in today’s modern world. Scholarships provide a way for deserving and needy students to achieve this objective.

My family supports this dream for young students from our part of the world to have an opportunity to study at a great institution, the University of Westminster in London.”
SCHOLARSHIPS FOR UK/EU STUDENTS

The deadline for all postgraduate scholarship applications is 31 May 2013, unless otherwise stated.

David Faddy Scholarships
These scholarships have been established in memory of David Faddy, former Head of the School of Communications, and generously funded by Richard Jenkins and Maureen Amar.

AMOUNT: £2,500 tuition fee waiver.
ELIGIBILITY: You must hold an offer for the full-time Photojournalism MA or Photographic Studies MA.
CRITERIA: Academic excellence and financial need.

Eastern European Scholarship
The Eastern European Scholarship is one the University’s most competitive scholarships, and is meant to fund a student who intends to return home to assist in benefiting a developing area of Eastern Europe.

AMOUNT: Full tuition fee waiver, accommodation, living expenses and flights to and from London.
ELIGIBILITY: You must be from Eastern Europe and hold an offer for a full-time Masters degree. You must intend on returning to your home country on completion of the course.
CRITERIA: Academic excellence, financial need and development potential.

Full Fee Waiver Scholarships
The University offers a number of full tuition fee waiver scholarships to you if you are an exceptionally well qualified student from within the UK/EU. Please note that this covers tuition fees only, not living expenses or accommodation.

AMOUNT: Full tuition fee waiver.
ELIGIBILITY: You must hold an offer for a full-time Masters degree at the University.
CRITERIA: Academic excellence and financial need.

Graduate Diploma Scholarship
The University offers a number of Graduate Diploma courses in various subject areas, which help further academic or career progression.

AMOUNT: Half tuition fee waiver.
ELIGIBILITY: You must hold an offer for a full-time Graduate Diploma course at the University.
CRITERIA: Academic excellence and financial need.
SCHOLARSHIPS FOR UK/EU STUDENTS

POSTGRADUATE SCHOLARSHIPS


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

CRITERIA: Academic excellence and financial need.


Organ Scholarship

The University has two historic cinema organs. We are looking for students who can play the organ to use these on a regular basis to keep them in good order. The successful applicant will be expected to play each instrument at least weekly.

AMOUNT: £2,000 cash award, distributed in January 2014.

ELIGIBILITY: You must hold an offer for a full-time degree at the University. You should supply details of your ability and achievements as a musician.

CRITERIA: Achievements as a musician and academic excellence.


Half Fee Waiver Scholarships

The University offers a number of half tuition fee waiver scholarships to you if you are an exceptionally well qualified student from within the UK/EU.

AMOUNT: Half tuition fee waiver.

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

CRITERIA: Academic excellence and financial need.


Part Fee Waiver Scholarships

The University offers a number of part (£2,000) tuition fee waiver scholarships to you if you are an exceptionally well qualified student from within the UK/EU.

AMOUNT: £2,000 tuition fee waiver.

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

CRITERIA: Academic excellence and financial need.


MBA Scholarships

Westminster Business School’s MBA is accredited by The Association of MBAs (AMBA) – which proves the high quality of our programme and gives our students access to the (AMBA) resources including alumni and career development.

AMOUNT: Up to 50 per cent fee waiver.

ELIGIBILITY: You must hold an offer for the full-time MBA degree at the University.

CRITERIA: Academic excellence, career progression and financial need. Preference will be given to you if you work in the voluntary or public sector.

DEADLINE: 1 August 2013.

Media, Arts and Design Scholarships

The School of Media, Arts and Design at the University of Westminster provide courses in a variety of disciplines and formats, including Art and Design, Fashion, Television, Film and Moving Image, Journalism and Mass Communication, Music and Photography.

AMOUNT: Full tuition fee waiver.

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

CRITERIA: Academic excellence and/or significant achievement in your chosen field.


Public Relations Scholarship MA

The Public Relations course at the University of Westminster was the first of its kind in London, the centre of Europe’s public relations industry.

AMOUNT: Full tuition fee waiver.

ELIGIBILITY: You must hold an offer for the full-time Public Relations MA at the University.

CRITERIA: Academic excellence and financial need. You must have some knowledge and experience of the UK public relations sector.


Santander Scholarships

Santander has recently marked their fifth anniversary of Santander Universities in the UK. Through this successful partnership, Santander and the University of Westminster co-fund a number of fee waiver scholarships.

AMOUNT: Full tuition fee waivers.

ELIGIBILITY: You must be a student from any country covered under the Santander Universidades scheme, which include: Argentina, Belgium, Brazil, Chile, China, Colombia, Germany, Mexico, Peru, Poland, Portugal, Puerto Rico, Russia, Singapore, Spain Uruguay, USA, Venezuela or the UK. You must hold an offer for a full-time Masters degree at the University.

CRITERIA: Academic excellence.


Sarath Palihawadana Scholarship

This scholarship has been established in memory of Sarath Palihawadana, former student and lecturer in the Department of Computer Science.

AMOUNT: £1,500 tuition fee waiver.

ELIGIBILITY: You must be a University of Westminster graduate holding an offer for a full-time MSc in a computing related subject.

CRITERIA: Academic excellence and financial need.


Westminster Business School Scholarships

Westminster Business School is one of London’s leading centres for business education.

AMOUNT: Full tuition fee waivers.

ELIGIBILITY: You must hold an offer for any full-time Masters degree (excluding the MBA), within Westminster Business School at the University.

CRITERIA: Academic excellence and/or evidence of excellence in previous employment, business and community services.


Writing in the City Scholarship

The unique Writing the City Masters course is the first to focus entirely on the city of London.

AMOUNT: Full tuition fee waiver.

ELIGIBILITY: You must hold an offer for a full-time Creative Writing: Writing the City MA degree at the University.

CRITERIA: Academic excellence.

SCHOLARSHIPS FOR INTERNATIONAL STUDENTS
TUITION FEE WAIVER SCHOLARSHIPS

The deadline for all these scholarships (unless otherwise stated) is 31 May 2012.

Capacity Building Scholarships
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.

AMOUNT: Variable.
ELIGIBILITY: You must be a faculty member of one of our partner institutions and hold an offer for a full-time Masters degree.
CRITERIA: Academic excellence.

Cavendish Research PhD Scholarships
These scholarships are uniquely for students studying on a research degree related to Life Sciences, Electronics or Computing.

AMOUNT: Full tuition fee waiver.
ELIGIBILITY: You must be a student from a developing country and hold an offer for a full-time MPhil/PhD degree in Life Sciences, Electronics or Computing at the University.
CRITERIA: Academic excellence, financial need and development potential.

China Scholarship
The University now boasts a wide network of highly successful Chinese alumni who have taken their skills and experience onto a global platform in countries all over the world.

AMOUNT: Up to a 100 per cent tuition fee waiver.
ELIGIBILITY: You must be a student from China and hold an offer for a full-time Masters degree at the University.
CRITERIA: Academic excellence, financial need and development potential.
David Faddy Scholarships
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AMOUNT: £2,500 tuition fee waiver.
ELIGIBILITY: You must hold an offer for the full-time Photojournalism MA or Photographic Studies MA.
CRITERIA: Academic excellence and financial need.

Full Fee Waiver Scholarships
The University offers a number of full tuition fee waiver scholarships to you if you are an exceptionally well-qualified student from an international country. Please note that this covers tuition fees only, not living expenses or accommodation.
AMOUNT: Full tuition fee waiver.
ELIGIBILITY: You must hold an offer for a full-time Masters degree at the University.
CRITERIA: Academic excellence and financial need.

Half Fee Waiver Scholarships
The University offers a number of half tuition fee waiver scholarships to you if you are an exceptionally well-qualified international student.
AMOUNT: Half tuition fee waiver.
ELIGIBILITY: You must hold an offer for a full-time Masters degree at the University.
CRITERIA: Academic excellence and financial need.

MBA Scholarships
Westminster Business School’s MBA is accredited by The Association of MBAs (AMBA)—which proves the high quality of our programme and gives our students access to AMBA resources including alumni and career development.
AMOUNT: Up to 50 per cent fee waiver.
ELIGIBILITY: You must hold an offer for the full-time MBA degree at the University.
CRITERIA: Academic excellence, career progression and financial need. Preference will be given to you if you work in the voluntary or public sector.
DEADLINE: 1 August 2013.

Media, Arts and Design Scholarship
The School of Media, Arts and Design at the University of Westminster provides courses in a variety of disciplines and formats, including Art and Design, Fashion, Television, Film and Moving Image, Journalism and Mass Communication, Music and Photography.
AMOUNT: Full tuition fee waiver.
ELIGIBILITY: You must hold an offer for any full-time Masters degree in the School of Media, Arts and Design at the University.
CRITERIA: Academic excellence and/or significant achievement in your chosen field.
Santander Scholarships
Santander has recently marked their fifth anniversary of Santander Universities in the UK. Through this successful partnership, Santander and the University of Westminster co-fund a number of fee waiver scholarships.

AMOUNT: Full tuition fee waivers.
ELIGIBILITY: You must be a student from a country covered under the Santander Universities scheme, which include: Argentina, Belgium, Brazil, Chile, China, Colombia, Germany, Mexico, Peru, Poland, Portugal, Puerto Rico, Russia, Singapore, Spain, Uruguay, USA, Venezuela or the UK. You must hold an offer for a full-time Masters degree at the University.
CRITERIA: Academic excellence and financial need.

USA Scholarship
The University of Westminster has a long history of welcoming students from the USA. The University now boasts a wide network of highly successful USA alumni who have taken their skills and experience onto a global platform in countries all over the world.

AMOUNT: Full tuition fee waiver.
ELIGIBILITY: You must be a student from the United States of America and hold an offer for a full-time Masters degree at the University.
CRITERIA: Academic excellence and financial need.

Westminster Business School Scholarships
Westminster Business School is one of London’s leading centres for business education.

AMOUNT: Full tuition fee waivers.
ELIGIBILITY: You must hold an offer for any full-time Masters degree, excluding the MBA, within Westminster Business School at the University.
CRITERIA: Academic excellence and/or evidence of excellence in previous employment, business and community services.

Writing in the City Scholarship
The unique Writing the City Masters course is the first to focus entirely on the city of London.

AMOUNT: Full tuition fee waiver.
ELIGIBILITY: You must hold an offer for a full-time Creative Writing: Writing in the City MA at the University.
CRITERIA: Academic excellence.
SCHOLARSHIPS FOR INTERNATIONAL STUDENTS
FULL SCHOLARSHIPS

Full scholarships are the most generous scholarships offered by the University of Westminster Scholarship Programme, and each one offered below is extremely competitive. These scholarships include a full tuition fee waiver, accommodation, living allowance and flights to and from London. Applicants should be living overseas. If you are currently residing in the UK, you will not be considered for these scholarships. Please note that all full scholarship recipients will be expected to return to their home country at the end of their Masters course.

African Prisons Project Scholarship
In partnership with the African Prisons Project, the aim of these scholarships is to encourage prison reform in Africa. These scholarships are for members of prison staff from an African country.

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

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

CRITERIA: Academic excellence, financial need and development potential.

Brazil Scholarship
To celebrate the handover of the Olympic Games from London to Rio, the University has created a scholarship for Brazilian students.

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

ELIGIBILITY: You must be a student from Brazil and hold an offer for a full-time Masters degree at the University.

CRITERIA: Academic excellence, financial need and development potential.

Central American and the Caribbean Scholarships

These scholarships are awarded jointly with International Students House (ISH) and are open to you if you are a Central American or Caribbean national wishing to study a subject useful to the development of the region.

AMOUNT: Full tuition fee waiver, accommodation at International Students House, living expenses and flights to and from London.

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

CRITERIA: Academic excellence, financial need and development potential.


Disaster Regeneration Scholarship

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

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

ELIGIBILITY: You must be an international student from a disaster struck country or region and hold an offer for a full-time Masters degree at the University. You must intend to return home on completion of the course.

CRITERIA: Academic excellence, financial need and development potential.


Colin Matheson Scholarship

Colin Matheson has dedicated over 30 years of loyal service to the University of Westminster, with one of his most significant achievements being the establishment of the University’s Scholarship scheme, which is the largest of its kind in the UK. Before his retirement in 2012, he spent over a decade as Director of Scholarships, helping thousands of students from all over the world achieve their goal of studying in the UK.

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

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

CRITERIA: Academic excellence, financial need and development potential.


Eastern European Scholarship

The Eastern European Scholarship is one of the University’s most competitive scholarships, and is meant to fund a student who intends to return home to assist in benefiting a developing area of Eastern Europe.

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

ELIGIBILITY: You must be from Eastern Europe and hold an offer for a full-time Masters degree. You must intend on returning to your home country on completion of the course.

CRITERIA: Academic excellence, financial need and development potential.


Fashion Business Management MA Scholarship

The Fashion Business Management course continues the University’s fashion tradition of a commitment to excellence in developing highly effective, talented and committed professional fashion graduates.

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

ELIGIBILITY: You must be an international student and hold an offer for the full-time Fashion Business Management MA at the University.

CRITERIA: Academic excellence, financial need and development potential.


Geoff Marsh Scholarship

This scholarship is in memory of Geoff Marsh, a Visiting Professor at the School of Architecture and the Built Environment. Friends and colleagues of Geoff Marsh have raised the funds for the living costs for the scholar. The scholarship is intended to benefit a scholar with an interest in a career in real estate.

AMOUNT: Full tuition fee waiver, accommodation, living expenses, flights to and from London and a salaried one-year work placement at Investment Property Databank on successful completion of your course (subject to a successful interview at the company and visa conditions).

ELIGIBILITY: You must be from India and hold an offer for a full-time Masters degree at the University for one of the following courses: Facilities and Property Management MSc, Property Finance MSc, Real Estate Development MSc, Urban and Regional Planning MA, International Business Economics MSc, International Finance MSc, Applied Economics MSc or Investment and Risk Finance MSc.

CRITERIA: Academic excellence, financial need, development potential and interest in a career in real estate.

POSTGRADUATE SCHOLARSHIPS FOR INTERNATIONAL STUDENTS

FULL SCHOLARSHIPS


CRITERIA: Academic excellence, financial need and development potential.

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

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

Latin American Scholarship

The Latin American Scholarship is meant to fund a student who intends to return home to assist in benefiting a developing area of Latin America.

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

ELIGIBILITY: You must be from Latin America and hold an offer for a full-time Masters degree at the University.

CRITERIA: Academic excellence, financial need and development potential.


International Students House Scholarships

These scholarships are awarded jointly with International Students House. The house was founded for the betterment of international understanding and provides a unique social, cultural and recreational centre for international and British students alike.

AMOUNT: Full tuition fee waiver, accommodation at International Students House, living expenses and flights to and from London.

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

CRITERIA: Academic excellence, financial need and development potential.


Laos Scholarship

The Laos Scholarship is intended to benefit teaching and education in Laos.

AMOUNT: Full tuition fee waiver, accommodation at International Students House, living expenses and flights to and from London.

ELIGIBILITY: This is a ‘closed’ scholarship

CRITERIA: Academic excellence, financial need and development potential.


Mongolia Scholarship

The Mongolia Scholarship is meant to fund a student who intends to return home to assist in benefiting the development of Mongolia. The scholarship is given in partnership with International Students House.

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

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

CRITERIA: Academic excellence, financial need and development potential.


Media, Arts and Design Scholarships

The School of Media, Arts and Design at the University of Westminster provides courses in a variety of disciplines and formats, including Art and Design, Fashion, Television, Film and Moving Image, Journalism and Mass Communication, Music and Photography.

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

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

CRITERIA: Academic excellence and/or significant achievement in your chosen field, financial need and development potential.


Philippines Scholarship

To encourage academically excellent students from the Philippines to attend the University of Westminster, we are offering a full scholarship to a student to study a Masters programme with us.

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

ELIGIBILITY: You must be a student from the Philippines and hold an offer for a full-time Masters degree at the University.

CRITERIA: Academic excellence, financial need and development potential.


South Sudan (Dr John Garang) Scholarship

With the participation of the Jethro Institute for Good Governance, this scholarship is available to students from the South Sudan seeking a Masters in Teaching English to Speakers of Other Languages. As the South Sudan Government has made English the official language of the country, the intention behind the scholarship is to assist with the teaching of English in the newest nation on the globe.

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

ELIGIBILITY: You must be a student from the South Sudan and hold an offer for a full-time Masters degree in Teaching English to Speakers of Other Languages at the University.

CRITERIA: Academic excellence, financial need and development potential.


Small Island Nation Scholarships

This full scholarship is intended for nationals of developing small island nations.

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

ELIGIBILITY: You must be a student from a developing small island nation and hold an offer for a full-time Masters degree at the University.

CRITERIA: Academic excellence, financial need and development potential.

Vice-Chancellor’s Scholarship
Our most prestigious award, this scholarship is funded by the Vice-Chancellor’s Office and is aimed at fully funding a student from a developing country to study a full-time Masters degree at the University.

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

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

CRITERIA: Academic excellence, 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.

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

ELIGIBILITY: You must be a refugee from Sudan, South Sudan, Kenya, or Uganda, and hold an offer for a full-time Masters degree at the University.

CRITERIA: Academic excellence, financial need and development potential.

SCHOLARSHIPS FOR INTERNATIONAL STUDENTS

JOINT SCHOLARSHIPS

Please note the below scholarships will have a different application process. To find out how to apply, please refer to the respective websites named below.

Commonwealth Shared Scholarships
Commonwealth Shared Scholarships are a joint initiative between the Commonwealth Scholarship Commission (with funding from DFID) and UK universities, to support scholarships for students from developing Commonwealth countries who would not otherwise be able to study in the UK. For more information on eligibility and application procedures, please visit cscuk.dfid.gov.uk/apply/shared-scholarships/info-candidates/

University of Westminster and Brazil Chevening Scholarships
Scholarships are awarded in conjunction with the Brazil Chevening programme.

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

ELIGIBILITY: You must be from Brazil and hold an offer for any full-time Masters degree (except the MBA), at the University.

CRITERIA: Academic excellence, development potential and financial need.

For further information about the scholarships and application procedures please visit the British Council in Brazil website, britishcouncil.org/brasil
University of Westminster and China Chevening Scholarships
These scholarships are awarded in conjunction with the China Chevening Programme.

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

**ELIGIBILITY:** You must be from the People’s Republic of China and hold an offer for any full-time Masters degree in the School of Law at the University.

**CRITERIA:** Academic excellence, development potential and financial need.

For further information about the scholarships and application procedures please visit the British Council in China website, britishcouncil.org/china

University of Westminster and Malaysia Chevening Scholarships
These scholarships are awarded in conjunction with the Malaysia Chevening Programme.

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

**ELIGIBILITY:** You must be from Malaysia and hold an offer for any full-time Masters degree (except the MBA), at the University.

**CRITERIA:** Academic excellence, development potential and financial need.

For further information about the scholarships and application procedures please see the British Council in Malaysia website, britishcouncil.org/malaysia

University of Westminster and Russia Chevening Scholarships
This scholarship is awarded in conjunction with the Russia Chevening Programme. The scholarship is for the MA in International Journalism at the University of Westminster.

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

**ELIGIBILITY:** You must be from the Russian Federation and hold an offer for the MA in International Journalism at the University.

**CRITERIA:** Academic excellence, financial need and development potential.

For further information about the scholarships and application procedures please visit the British Council in Russia website, britishcouncil.org/russia

University of Westminster and Vietnam Chevening Scholarships
These scholarships are awarded in conjunction with the Vietnam Chevening Programme.

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

**ELIGIBILITY:** You must be from Vietnam and hold an offer for any full-time Masters degree, except the MBA, at the University.

**CRITERIA:** Academic excellence, development potential and financial need.

For further information about the scholarships and application procedures please visit the British Council in Vietnam website, britishcouncil.org/vietnam

MBI Al Jaber Foundation Scholarships
The MBI Al Jaber Foundation offers scholarships to students from across the Arab world wishing to study for a full-time Masters degree at its partner institutions, including the University of Westminster. The scholarship programme is open to you if you are an Arab resident of the Middle East and North Africa who intends to return to your country of residence and contribute to its future development.

**AMOUNT:** Full tuition fee waiver, accommodation expenses at the rate of the University’s halls of residences, living expenses and flights to and from London.

**ELIGIBILITY:** You must be from the Middle East and hold an offer for a full-time Masters degree.

**CRITERIA:** You need to show the intention to return to your region after the period of study. Priority is given to you if you have not previously studied in Europe or the USA.

If you are applying for these scholarships you must apply directly to the MBI Al Jaber Foundation by their specified deadline.

For more information, please email info@mbifoundation.com or visit mbifoundation.com

POSTGRADUATE SCHOLARSHIPS FOR INTERNATIONAL STUDENTS JOINT SCHOLARSHIPS

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I graduated from the Faculty of Economics and Political Science at Cairo University, and for two years I followed my passion and worked with human rights through different NGOs in the fields of women’s empowerment, refugee rights and social entrepreneurship. When the Egyptian revolution broke out I realised that after the very important hands-on experience I had gained over those two years, it was time to consolidate my experience with academic studies so that I could benefit my country more in the fields of human rights law, preservation and advocacy.

I decided to apply for the University of Westminster because of its research facilities, great access to information, and professors who offer diverse perspectives and encourage independent thinking and analysis. I am very grateful for this opportunity since I wouldn’t have been able to be here if it wasn’t for the scholarship.

The Middle East is really changing; young people now have a sense of ownership of their countries and want to do something valuable for themselves and their communities. I hope more scholarships will be offered to young people from the region because they have proved that – if empowered – they are able to drive real change.

YASMIN MOHAMED EGYPT
INTERNATIONAL LAW LLM
RECIPIENT OF VICE-CHANCELLOR GEOFFREY PETTS SCHOLARSHIP
National Part-Time Scholarships

With the introduction of higher tuition fees in September 2012, the government has set up a National Scholarship Programme. Scholarships offered under this scheme are only available to UK or EU students with a household income of less than £25,000 pa. National Scholarships are limited in number, and applicants are chosen based on academic excellence.

**AMOUNT:**
The value of £6,000 over your four or five year part-time course, 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.

**DEADLINE:**
31 August 2013.
## MBA Scholarship
Westminster Business School’s MBA is accredited by The Association of MBAs (AMBA) – which proves the high quality of our programme and gives our students access to AMBA resources including alumni and career development.

**AMOUNT:** Up to 50 per cent tuition fee waiver.

**ELIGIBILITY:** You must hold an offer for the part-time MBA degree at the University.

**CRITERIA:** Academic excellence and financial need.

**DEADLINE:** 30 August 2013.

## Media, Arts and Design Scholarship
The School of Media, Arts and Design at the University of Westminster provides courses in a variety of disciplines and formats, including Art and Design, Fashion, Television, Film and Moving Image, Journalism and Mass Communication, Music and Photography.

**AMOUNT:** £2,000 tuition fee waiver.

**ELIGIBILITY:** You must hold an offer for any part-time Masters degree in the School of Media, Arts and Design at the University.

**CRITERIA:** Academic excellence and/or significant achievement in your chosen field.

**DEADLINE:** 30 August 2013.

## Public Relations MA Scholarship
The Public Relations course at the University of Westminster was the first of its kind in London, the centre of Europe’s public relations industry.

**AMOUNT:** Full tuition fee waiver.

**ELIGIBILITY:** You must hold an offer for the part-time Public Relations MA at the University.

**CRITERIA:** Academic excellence and financial need. You must have some knowledge and experience of the UK public relations sector.

**DEADLINE:** 30 August 2013.

## Westminster Business School Scholarships
Westminster Business School is one of London’s leading centres for business education.

**AMOUNT:** Up to 50 per cent tuition fee waiver.

**ELIGIBILITY:** You must hold an offer for any part-time Masters degree (excluding the MBA), within Westminster Business School.

**CRITERIA:** Academic excellence, career progression and financial need.

**DEADLINE:** 30 August 2013.
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PROFESSOR MICHAEL GAUNT
CHAIRMAN
GUILDFORD ACADEMIC ASSOCIATES

"My dedication and passion for IT led me to pursue an MSc in Computer Science, but universities in Jamaica had only a few full scholarships and no exposure to a different education system and culture.

The Central America and the Caribbean Full Scholarship gave me access to education that I would not otherwise have had the opportunity to receive, and the course at the University of Westminster allowed me to customise my learning path to suit my needs. In addition, I had access to extensive knowledge from the academic staff, various software and tools in the IT labs, and presentation from external speakers.

The learning experience extended beyond the classroom as I shared in the British culture and other cultures from Europe to as far as India and China, connecting me to their lives on a personal scale.

My time at Westminster contributed to my overall personal and professional development because of the education attained, the friendships formed, cultures experienced and appreciation of how countries can bond by enhancing each other’s life which unites us on a global scale. This is the best approach to promoting harmony between generations and nations."

TAMARA WILLIAMS
JAMAICA
COMPUTER SCIENCE MSc
RECIPIENT OF CENTRAL AMERICA AND CARIBBEAN SCHOLARSHIPS

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English as Foreign Language (EFL) Scholarships

EFL Scholarships are meant to benefit those people currently living in the UK and needing to improve their English to live and work in this country.

**AMOUNT:** Full tuition fee waiver for full-time English as a Foreign Language courses.

**ELIGIBILITY:** These are open to asylum-seekers, refugees, Eastern European nationals or other foreigners currently living in the UK who need to improve their English language skills for employment. Please note that EFL scholarships are not open to foreign residents.

**CRITERIA:** Financial need.

**DEADLINE:** Open throughout the academic year.

Write a letter stating why you want to study an English as a Foreign Language course and why you need financial help. Please send this letter with your application to the English as a Foreign Language course.

For information on how to apply for a course please see westminster.ac.uk/efl

Graduate Diploma Scholarship

The University offers a number of Graduate Diploma courses in various subject areas, which help further academic or career progression.

**AMOUNT:** Half tuition fee waiver.

**ELIGIBILITY:** You must hold an offer for a full-time Graduate Diploma course at the University.

**CRITERIA:** Academic excellence and financial need.

**DEADLINE:** 31 May 2013.

Short Course – Nutrition in Emergencies

Scholarships are available for the short course ‘Nutrition in Emergencies’, which will run 1–5 July 2013.

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

**ELIGIBILITY:** You must be from a developing country.

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

**DEADLINE:** 15 April 2013.
Full Fee Waiver Scholarships
The University offers a number of full tuition fee waiver scholarships to you if you are an exceptionally well-qualified student. Please note that this covers tuition fees only, not living expenses or accommodation.

AMOUNT: Full tuition fee waiver.
ELIGIBILITY: You must hold an offer for a full-time Masters degree at
the University.
CRITERIA: Academic excellence, financial need and development case (if you are applying from a developing country).
DEADLINE: 1 November 2013.

Half Fee Waiver Scholarships
The University offers a number of half tuition fee waiver scholarships to you if you are an exceptionally well-qualified student.

AMOUNT: Half tuition fee waiver.
ELIGIBILITY: You must hold an offer for a full-time Masters degree at
the University.
CRITERIA: Academic excellence and financial need.

Westminster Business School Scholarships
Westminster Business School is one of London’s leading centres for business education.

AMOUNT: Up to 100 per cent tuition fee waiver.
ELIGIBILITY: You must hold an offer for any full-time Masters degree (excluding the MBA), within Westminster Business School at the University.
CRITERIA: Academic excellence and/or evidence of excellence in previous employment, business and community services.
DEADLINE: 1 November 2013.

MBA Scholarship
Westminster Business School’s MBA is accredited by The Association of MBAs (AMBA)—which proves the high quality of our programme and gives our students access to AMBA resources including alumni and career development.

AMOUNT: Up to 100 per cent tuition fee waiver.
ELIGIBILITY: You must hold an offer for the full-time MBA degree at
the University.
CRITERIA: Academic excellence, career progression and financial need.
DEADLINE: 1 December 2013.

Part Fee Waiver Scholarships
The University offers a number of part (£2,000) tuition fee waiver scholarships to you if you are an exceptionally well-qualified international student.

AMOUNT: £2,000 tuition fee waiver.
ELIGIBILITY: You must hold an offer for a full-time Masters degree at
the University.
CRITERIA: Academic excellence and financial need.
DEADLINE: 1 November 2013.

Westminster International Scholarships
These generous awards are aimed at fully funding you if you are from a developing country and will study a full-time Masters degree at the University.

AMOUNT: Full tuition fee waiver, accommodation, living expenses and flights to and from London.
ELIGIBILITY: You must be an international student from a developing country and hold an offer for a full-time Masters degree.
CRITERIA: Academic excellence, financial need and development potential.
DEADLINE: 1 November 2013.
How to Apply for a University of Westminster Scholarship?

* Please note that the scholarship application process is separate to the process of applying for admission to the University. 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.

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 student, unfortunately, at present, you are not currently eligible to apply for a scholarship 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

For September 2013, we will be introducing an online application process which should be available for use from January 2013 onwards. For more information on the online application process and to make an application, please visit our website at 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 here: 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
Cavendish House
101 New Cavendish Street
London
W1W 6XH
United Kingdom

DEADLINE DATES

for receipt of applications are as follows:

2 April 2013 for September 2013 UK/EU undergraduate scholarships

31 May 2013 for September 2013 international undergraduate scholarships

31 May 2013 for September 2013 postgraduate scholarships

1 November 2013 for January 2014 postgraduate scholarships

Some scholarships may have a different deadline date than those listed above. Please ensure that you check the deadline dates for individual scholarships in the brochure or on our website - westminster.ac.uk/scholarships.

Once we have received your application, we will acknowledge receipt by email. In cases where an application is received very close to the deadline, students may not get an email of acknowledgement.

• You can only apply for a scholarship once you have been offered either a conditional or unconditional place on your chosen course. 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.

• Only apply for scholarships 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.

• Unless you are applying for a specific scholarship, just tell us what level of support you require (eg fees only, fees and accommodation, etc) and we will match the scholarship to your needs where possible.

• 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 advantage your application.

• Do not send original documents as we are unable to return these. Please only send copies.

• You must provide translations of any supporting documents which are in any other language than English.

• Your application should be word processed. If you have to submit a handwritten application, it is your responsibility to ensure that it is legible.

• 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.

• Do not excessively 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 typographical mistakes. Enlist help in this review if needed.

• 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 received.

• The Scholarships Office will email you to acknowledge receipt of your application. However, if your 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.

These are general guidelines only. More helpful information can be found in our Frequently Asked Questions section within the brochure and on our website.

At the time of going to press all the enclosed information and new scholarships.

IMPORTANT NOTE

The scholarship application process is HIGHLY COMPETITIVE. We receive thousands of applications each year, so do NOT assume that application means acceptance. You should also seek other sources of funding in the event that your application is not successful.
**FREQUENTLY ASKED QUESTIONS**

- Where can I find my University of Westminster reference number?
- What does ‘academic excellence’ mean?
- Can I use the same application form to apply for multiple scholarships?
- What should I write in my statement of support?
- Who should write my reference and what should it contain?
- As an international scholarship applicant, do I have to pay the £4,000 deposit before I know if I have been awarded a scholarship?
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- Where can I find information about PhD scholarships/studentships for subjects other than Life Sciences, Electronics or Computing?

**Where can I find my reference number?**
This can be found at the top of your admissions offer letter or email correspondence from the University and will usually be an eight digit number. This number must be included on your scholarship application. We will not consider applications that do not include this number.

If you are applying for an undergraduate degree, you can also use your UCAS application number found on all UCAS correspondence. Applicants for PhD scholarships need not fill in this space but should attach proof of acceptance of your proposal.

**Can I use the same application form to apply for multiple scholarships?**
Yes, please use the same application form even if you wish to apply for a number of scholarships. However, please remember that one of the criteria for many of our scholarships is financial need. This means you need to think carefully about whether your level of financial need is assistance with tuition fees or whether you truly require a full scholarship (if you are eligible to apply for one). If you apply for tuition fee only scholarships AND full scholarships, it will be assumed by the Scholarships Committee that you are not truly financially dependent on a full scholarship to take up your place on the course.

**What should I write in my statement of support?**
The statement of support is your opportunity to present yourself to the Scholarships Committee and demonstrate why it is that 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 in a highly competitive process.

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

i) **academic excellence**
ii) **financial need**
iii) **development potential**

(for international students only).

Your supporting statement should therefore address:

- How you meet the criteria
- What you expect to gain from the opportunity of studying your course
- How you intend to use your experience and knowledge in the future
- Your professional experience and career aspirations

**For UK/EU undergraduate students:**
For those UK/EU students 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.

**For international students applying for full scholarships only:**
In addition to demonstrating academic excellence and financial need, international students applying for one of our full scholarships also need to evidence ‘development potential’ and explain, specifically and in detail, how you envisage using 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.

**Who should write my reference and what should it contain?**
The reference letter should be written by someone of stature who knows you well in either an academic or professional capacity, i.e. a teacher, lecturer or employer.

Choose your referee carefully. Think of the letter as an integral part of a package that will present an accurate and complete picture of you, your background and why it is felt that you are eligible for a scholarship.

The reference should, where possible, be written 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, i.e. you should not use the same reference that you supplied for your admission application.

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.
FREQUENTLY ASKED QUESTIONS

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 overseas 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 United Kingdom.

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 British Embassy how long it takes to process visas during the July/August period. If you are awarded a scholarship that includes full tuition fee costs, you will not be required to pay this deposit and the admissions offices will be notified of this. If you are awarded a scholarship which awards part of the tuition fee costs (ie £2,000 fee award or 50 per cent fee award) you will still be required to pay this deposit.

If you feel that you will come to study at the University regardless of whether or not you are awarded a scholarship, we would encourage you to 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.

As a national student do I need to provide evidence of my English language competency?

If your offer is conditional and one of the conditions relates to demonstrating your English language competency, then we would expect the IELTS/TOEFL results to be included in your scholarship application.

If you are required to provide IELTS/TOEFL results with your scholarship application, but your test date is after the deadline date for scholarship applications, you can send the IELTS/TOEFL results to us, separately, at a later date (as long as they are received before 15 August 2013).

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 a Scholarships Committee. The Committee is made up of academic members of staff from across the University’s four campuses, staff within the International Office, Academic Services, Student Advice Service and external members. All are very experienced and make the awarding decision based on the criteria for the scholarship and the case you make.

Once decisions have been made, we will write to you if you are successful informing you of the outcome. If you are unsuccessful you will be contacted as far as is reasonably possible.

Please note that the Committee will not undertake or participate in any individual correspondence with you, either before or after the decision has been made. The decision of the Committee is final, and is not open to appeal. Lobbying a committee member will only make you ineligible for a scholarship.

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 conditions by signing the contract that is sent with your awarding letter.

During and after your period of study you may be asked to participate in promotional activities for the University. This may include receptions and social events, testimonial or publicity articles or even assisting with activities in your home country.

During each year as a scholarship student, you will also be expected to participate in our volunteering scheme (up to a maximum of 40 hours of voluntary work per year). Students awarded joint scholarships with International Students House are expected to do ten hours per month voluntary work there.

The continuation of all scholarships is based on satisfactory academic performance, the exact nature of which will be described in your award letter and Terms of Agreement. For UK/EU undergraduate students, we require all modules to be passed and an average of 60 per cent overall to be achieved. For first year students, the average is taken from six modules, the best and worst module being discounted.

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Which countries are considered under the ‘developing’ title?

For our purposes, the term ‘developing’ includes middle income countries. All countries with the exception of the following are considered ‘developing countries’: Andorra, Australia, Canada, Gibraltar, Iceland, Israel, Japan, New Zealand, San Marino, Singapore, USA, Vatican City and all member countries of the European Union.

Where can I find information about PhD scholarships/studentships?

The only PhD/research scholarship offered and administered via the University’s Scholarships Office is the Cavendish Research PhD Scholarship for research related to Life Sciences, Electronics or Computing. All other PhD/research scholarships/studentships are managed by the University’s Research Office, and are advertised here: westminster.ac.uk/courses/research-degrees/research-studentships.

If you have any questions regarding funding opportunities for PhD study in subjects other than Life Sciences, Electronics or Computing, please contact the University Research Office at researchadmissions@westminster.ac.uk

If you require any further information or have any more questions please contact the Scholarships Office at scholarships@westminster.ac.uk
The scholarships described within this brochure are to be held at the University of Westminster only and are normally for one year only (renewable subject to academic performance in case of undergraduate and MPhil/PhD scholarships).

Scholarships awarded are for the student only and not families. Students may not bring family members.

Scholarships are awarded by a sub group of the University’s Scholarships Committee 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 may be a mixture of cash and food scholarship. Fees will be waived or paid for by the committee on behalf of the student.

Accommodation costs will also either be waived or paid by the committee directly. Where accommodation is provided, it will normally be at the University’s halls of residences or International Students House. Where you will be accommodated is at the University’s discretion and this may include sharing with an assigned roommate.

The University and its partners reserve the right to withdraw, terminate or suspend any scholarship on disciplinary grounds or in case of academic failure.

Scholars will be required 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 committee will disqualify applicants from receiving any scholarship.

The University reserves the right to withdraw or amend a scholarship without prior notification.

Scholarships are offered subject to funding and availability.

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

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

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

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Cavendish House
101 New Cavendish Street
London W1W 6XH

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Sara Taukolonga
Marc Vlessing
Dr Terence Wright
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The website addresses most questions that might arise while applying for scholarships: westminster.ac.uk/scholarships

Please read it carefully and only contact the Scholarships Office if the information you require is not there.

• Apply only for scholarships if you are holding an offer (conditional or unconditional) of a place on a course at the University of Westminster. We do not consider applications from students who have already begun a course of study at the University.

• Please check individual scholarships for deadlines.

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The scholarships procedure is separate from your admissions application. Therefore, please make sure that you send in a separate application to the Scholarships Office accompanied with the following documents in this order:

• Your statement of support
  (This is section B of the application form)
• A copy of your offer letter or UCAS confirmation letter (Either hard copy or printed email version)
• A copy of your IELTS/TOEFL result. These are English language qualifications, and you are only required to submit this if you are an international or European applicant
• A copy of your results achieved so far in your most recent/current academic study (eg, AS/A Level, access course or BTEC results achieved so far). If you are a home student, please attach your predicted grades from your course tutor
• A reference letter for your scholarship application.

Please attach all supporting documentation and submit by the deadline to the following address:

Scholarships Office
University of Westminster
Cavendish House
101 New Cavendish Street
London W1W 6XH
United Kingdom

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GUIDELINES

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• Apply only if you are holding an offer (conditional or unconditional) of a place on a course at the University of Westminster. We do not consider applications from students who have already begun a course of study at the University.

• Unless otherwise stated, the deadline for sending in your application for scholarships for September entry is 31 May of the same year. Please check individual scholarships or any exceptions to this.

• Unless otherwise stated, the deadline for sending in your application for scholarships for January entry is 1 November of the previous year. Please check individual scholarships for any exceptions to this.

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• A copy of your transcript from your most recent/current academic study
• 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).

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SECTION B

PLEASE USE THIS SPACE TO WRITE A 250 WORD STATEMENT ON THE TOPIC “GIVEN THE COMPETITION FOR SCHOLARSHIPS, WHAT QUALITIES DO I HAVE THAT MAKE ME AN OUTSTANDING APPLICANT.” CONTINUE ON A SEPARATE SHEET IF NECESSARY.

IF YOU ARE AN INTERNATIONAL APPLICANT, PLEASE ALSO ADDRESS THE DEVELOPMENT POTENTIAL CRITERIA AND YOUR INTENTIONS UPON RETURNING TO YOUR HOME COUNTRY.

SIGNATURE: ________________________ DATE: ________________
SECTION A

SCHOLARSHIP(S) APPLYING FOR OR JUST TELL US WHAT FINANCIAL SUPPORT YOU NEED AND WE WILL FIT THE SCHOLARSHIP TO YOU, WHERE POSSIBLE:

FORENAME: 

FAMILY NAME: 

GENDER: 

DATE OF BIRTH: 

UNIVERSITY OF WESTMINSTER REFERENCE NUMBER OR UCAS APPLICATION NUMBER: 

COURSE TITLE: 

FULL-TIME / PART-TIME: 

CAMPUS: CAVENDISH / HARROW / MARYLEBONE / REGENT: 

INTENDED START DATE (MONTH AND YEAR): 

NATIONALITY: 

COUNTRY OF RESIDENCE: 

CORRESPONDENCE ADDRESS: 

PERMANENT ADDRESS (IF DIFFERENT): 

IF YOU ARE AN INTERNATIONAL STUDENT RESIDING IN THE UK, PLEASE EXPLAIN WHY YOU ARE IN THE COUNTRY: 

TELEPHONE: 

EMAIL: 

SIGNATURE: 

DATE: 

SECTION B

PLEASE USE THIS SPACE TO WRITE A CLEAR AND SHORT LETTER OF SUPPORT (OF NO MORE THAN 400 WORDS) FOR YOUR APPLICATION FOR THIS SCHOLARSHIP. IN PARTICULAR, STATE YOUR REASONS FOR TAKING THIS COURSE AND FINANCIAL NEED. IF YOU ARE AN INTERNATIONAL APPLICANT, PLEASE ALSO ADDRESS THE DEVELOPMENT POTENTIAL CRITERIA AND YOUR INTENTIONS UPON RETURNING TO YOUR HOME COUNTRY.

CONTINUE ON A SEPARATE SHEET IF NECESSARY.