

COMMONWEALTH SHARED SCHOLARSHIP SCHEME 2012

Department for International Development (DFID)



Commonwealth Shared Scholarships, set up by the Department for International Development (DFID) in 1986, represent a unique partnership between the United Kingdom government and UK universities.

For 2012 we are delighted that 60 UK universities have offered to support our scholarships by contributing the stipend for the students from their own resources, or those which the university has been able to generate from elsewhere. Indeed it is the mark of UK universities' commitment that the scheme each year receives bids for many more awards than it has the resources to fulfil. This reflects the confidence of DFID, which provides the government funding for the scheme, that higher education and scholarships in particular have a critical role to play in influencing the development of some of the world's poorest countries. We are pleased to see that this approach has been increasingly taken by other international agencies.

Once again the range of opportunities listed in the following pages is wide and will provide recipients of the Shared Scholarships with the skills and knowledge to assist in the development of their home countries.

The Commonwealth Scholarship Commission (CSC) extends its grateful thanks to participating universities, DFID, and the students themselves; whilst the scheme is managed by the CSC, its success depends critically on the support of all of these, and we express the hope that the 2012 intake will be one of the most successful ever.

To date, in excess of 2,500 students from developing Commonwealth countries have been awarded Shared Scholarships.* Without these awards they would not otherwise have been able to benefit from UK higher education.

* Records only available from 1988, when the scheme was first administered by the Association of Commonwealth Universities (ACU)

COMMONWEALTH SHARED SCHOLARSHIP SCHEME

1. General

Awards made under this scheme are jointly funded by the Department for International Development (DFID), as part of the UK international development programme to developing countries, and participating institutions in the UK. The scheme is administered by the Commonwealth Scholarship Commission (CSC), whose secretariat is provided by The Association of Commonwealth Universities, Woburn House, 20-24 Tavistock Square, London, WC1H 9HF, UK.

2. Aims

The aim of the scheme is to assist students from developing Commonwealth countries who are of excellent academic calibre but for financial reasons would not otherwise be able to afford to study in the UK. The scheme allows them to benefit from postgraduate study at a university in the UK which will help them to contribute toward the development of their home countries.

3. Level of study

Awards are for taught Master's courses only. No awards will be made for undergraduate or doctoral study.

4. Subjects

Subjects must be related to the economic, social and technological development of the student's home country; see page 8 for a full list of eligible courses.

5. Duration of awards

Awards are normally tenable for one-year taught postgraduate courses only.

6. Eligibility

6.1 Candidates are normally expected to hold a first degree at either first class or upper second-class level. Sponsoring institutions must confirm that candidates are sufficiently fluent in written and oral English to pursue their proposed studies immediately, as no pre-course English Language Teaching is available under these awards. Candidates who have already studied for one year or more in a developed country or who possess sufficient resources to self-fund are not eligible for an award.

6.2 Candidates must certify in writing that they:

- i) are nationals of a Commonwealth developing country, and not at present living or studying in a developed country;

- ii) have not undertaken studies lasting one year or more in a developed country;
- iii) are themselves, or through their families, unable to pay to study in the United Kingdom;
- iv) will return to their home country as soon as their award comes to an end. The commission will only consider requests to extend leave to remain in the UK post-award for those wishing to move from masters to PhD study. Strict conditions will apply.

6.3 Candidates are advised that false declarations will cause at least DFID's share of the award to be terminated, even if the course of study has started. In such circumstances, the candidate will be required to refund any payments made by DFID in connection with the award.

7. Costs

7.1 DFID and participating UK institutions will jointly meet the full costs of an award holder's study in the UK including air fares to and from the UK. Maintenance allowance is paid by the scholar's host institution, at the level set by the UK Government: £1,091 per month for scholars based in London and £882 per month for the rest of the UK. (July 2011 figures)

7.2 A grant of up to £225 to cover thesis (Master's) costs is available; also available is £200 for study travel. The cost of up to 10 Kilograms of excess baggage (books only) is available for scholars returning home at the end of their awards.

7.3 No additional allowances are paid for spouses or other dependants.

8. Application and selection

8.1 Although institutions will normally recruit direct, the availability of these awards will be advertised through British High Commissions if the institutions have indicated their wish to avail themselves of this service.

8.2 Applications should be made directly to the institutions at which candidates wish to study. The sponsoring institutions will be the judges of academic calibre and will forward their nominations to the Commonwealth Scholarship Commission for its agreement. Institutions will normally advise candidates of the result not later than July.

8.3 Candidates should note that although they may apply to more than one institution, only one offer of award may be accepted.

List of participating universities 2012-2013

Institution	Total awards	Closing date
Aberystwyth	1	1 March 2012
Aston	3	1 May 2012
Bangor	2	17 May 2012
Bath	3	31 January 2012
Bedfordshire	1	31 March 2012
Birmingham	3	30 March 2012
Bournemouth	1	30 April 2012
Bristol	6	13 February 2012
Buckingham	1	27 April 2012
Cambridge	20	1 December 2011
Cranfield	7	23 March 2012
De Montfort	1	13 April 2012
Dundee	1	3 April 2012
Durham	3	13 April 2012
East Anglia	2	16 March 2012
Edinburgh	4	27 April 2012
Exeter	3	6 April 2012
Glasgow	6	30 April 2012
Glasgow Caledonian	2	30 April 2012
Greenwich	7	1 April 2012
Heriot-Watt	1	30 April 2012
Hull	3	1 April 2012
Keele	1	20 April 2012
Kent	1	4 April 2012
Lancaster	1	30 March 2012
Leeds	6	1 March 2012
Leeds Metropolitan	6	30 April 2012
Leicester	3	30 April 2012
Liverpool	4	30 March 2012
Liverpool Hope	1	1 May 2012
London Birkbeck	1	1 May 2012
London Goldsmiths	1	1 March 2012
London Institute Of Education	2	30 April 2012
London King's College	6	1 April 2012

Institution	Total awards	Closing date
London Royal Veterinary College	2	2 April 2012
London School Of Economics	5	30 April 2012
London School of Hygiene and Tropical Medicine	6	4 May 2012
London School of Oriental and African Studies (SOAS)	3	31 January 2012
London South Bank University (LSBU)	1	11 May 2012
London UCL	3	30 March 2012
Loughborough	2	13 April 2012
Manchester	3	13 April 2012
Newcastle	4	31 March 2012
Newport	1	14 May 2012
Northumbria	3	20 April 2012
Nottingham	7	20 April 2012
Oxford	4	20 January 2012
Queen Margaret	1	*
Queen's Belfast	2	31 January 2012
Royal College Of Art	1	16 January 2012
Sheffield	1	17 May 2012
Sheffield Hallam	4	13 April 2012
Southampton	3	27 April 2012
St Andrews	2	20 April 2012
Stirling	1	17 May 2012
Strathclyde	5	1 April 2012
Sussex (Institute of Development Studies – IDS)	2	1 April 2012
Warwick	5	12 March 2012
West Of England	2	17 May 2012
West Of Scotland	2	20 April 2012
Worcester	2	31 March 2012

Candidates should note that institutions are asked to forward their nominations to the CSC no later than 31 May 2012.

* Candidates should email the institution so as to ascertain the latest date that the institution is willing to accept applications. All applications should be made direct to the university.

Commonwealth Shared Scholarships are offered only for subjects relating to the economic, social and technological development of a candidate's country.

All awards are offered for courses at Master's level (taught).

The following additional information has been provided by institutions participating in the scheme and gives details of the eligible courses (or departments) in each institution.

Aberystwyth

- Environmental Monitoring and Analysis
- Food and Water Security
- GIS and Remote Sensing
- Glaciology
- Information and Library Studies
- Information Systems
- Practising Human Geography
- Records and Information Management
- Remote Sensing and the Living Environment
- Remote Sensing with Computer Science

Email: rlw@aber.ac.uk

Website: www.aber.ac.uk/en/postgrad/funding-fees

Aston

- Biotechnology
- Drug Delivery
- Pharmacology

Preference given to nationals of Bangladesh, Pakistan, and African Commonwealth countries

Email: lhspgt@aston.ac.uk

Website: www.aston.ac.uk

Bangor

- Agroforestry
- Conservation and Land Management
- Environmental Forestry

Email: postgraduate@bangor.ac.uk

Website: www.bangor.ac.uk/international

Bath

- International Development
- Wellbeing and Human Development

Email: s.j.swaby@bath.ac.uk

Website: www.bath.ac.uk/hss/graduate-school

Bedfordshire

- Public Health

Email: susan.sapsed@beds.ac.uk

Website: www.beds.ac.uk/research/ihr/academic

Birmingham

- African Studies
- Computer Security
- Development Management
- Digital Entrepreneurship
- International Development
- International Studies in Education (Education and Development)
- Management of Special Education Needs in Developing Countries
- Operations Management
- Physics and Technology of Nuclear Reactors
- Project Management

Email: p.l.carpenter@bham.ac.uk

Website:

www.birmingham.ac.uk/international/students/finance/scholarships/index.aspx

Bournemouth

- Public Health
- Tourism Management

Email: kberry@bournemouth.ac.uk

Website: www.bournemouth.ac.uk/scholarships

Bristol

- Development and Security
- Earth System Science
- Education Leadership, Policy and Development
- Gender and International Relations
- International Development
- International Law
- International Relations
- Meat Science and Technology
- Transfusion and Transplantation Science
- Water and Environmental Management

Email: student-funding@bris.ac.uk

Website: www.bristol.ac.uk/studentfunding/overseas_pg/dfid.html

Buckingham

- Finance and Investment

Email: debbie.millns@buckingham.ac.uk

Website: www.buckingham.ac.uk

Cambridge

- Development Studies
- Economics
- Education
- Engineering for Sustainable Development
- Environmental Policy
- Law
- Modern Society and Global Transformation
- Planning, Growth and Regeneration
- Public Health
- Technology Policy

Email: info@overseastrusts.cam.ac.uk

Website: www.cambridgetrusts.org

Cranfield

- Design Programme (School of Applied Sciences)
- Environment and Resources Programme (School of Applied Sciences)
- Finance and Management
- Food Chain Systems
- Health and the Environment
- Information Management and Technology
- Logistics and Supply Chain Management
- Manufacturing Programme (School of Applied Sciences)
- Medical Diagnostics
- Water Programme (School of Applied Sciences)

Email: b.ovens@cranfield.ac.uk

Website: www.cranfield.ac.uk/students/International/page46513.html

De Montfort

- Architectural Design
- Computing
- Design Innovation
- English Language Teaching
- International Business and Entrepreneurship
- International Business and Human Resource Management
- Mechatronics
- Pharmaceutical Biotechnology
- Public Relations
- Youth/Health and Community Development Studies

Preference given to nationals of Kenya

Email: jao@dmu.ac.uk

Website: www.dmu.ac.uk

Dundee

- Environmental Remote Sensing
- International Business
- International Business and Finance
- International Business and Marketing

Email: postgrad-admissions@dundee.ac.uk

Website:

www.dundee.ac.uk/postgraduate/fees_funding/scholarships/commonwealth_shared_scholarship_scheme.htm

Durham

- Communications Engineering
- International Studies
- Internet Systems and eBusiness
- Medical Anthropology
- New and Renewable Energy
- Risk and Environmental Hazards
- Risk, Health and Public Policy
- Social Work Studies
- Sustainability, Culture and Development

Email: sharne.procter@durham.ac.uk

East Anglia

- Agriculture and Rural Development
- Climate Change
- Climate Change and International Development
- Development Studies
- Education and International Development
- Environment and International Development
- Environmental Assessment and Management
- Environmental Sciences
- Water Security and International Development

Email: s.carruthers@uea.ac.uk

Website: www.uea.ac.uk

Edinburgh

- Africa and International Development
- African Studies
- Anthropology of Health and Illness
- Global Crime, Justice and Security
- Global Health and Public Policy
- Science, Technology and International Development
- South Asia and International Development

Email: scholarships@ed.ac.uk

Website: www.ed.ac.uk/student-funding

Exeter

- Engineering and Management
- Urban Water Systems

Email: m.j.billington@exeter.ac.uk

Website: www.exeter.ac.uk/international

Glasgow

- Environmental Statistics
- Geoinformation Technology and Cartography
- Global Economy
- Human Nutrition
- International Law and Security
- Mechatronics
- Medical Genetics
- Physics: Energy and the Environment
- Physics: Global Security
- Public Health

Email: mary.johnston@glasgow.ac.uk

Website: www.glasgow.ac.uk/scholarships

Glasgow Caledonian:

- Biomolecular and Biomedical Science
- Clinical Nutrition and Health
- Diabetes Care and Management
- Energy and Environmental Management
- Food Bioscience
- Health and Social Care (Physiotherapy)
- International Development
- International Project Management
- Public Health
- Wireless Communication Technologies

Email: international@gcu.ac.uk

Website: www.gcu.ac.uk/study/scholarships/international

Greenwich

- Natural Resources (Plant Health and Protection)
- Natural Resources (Sustainable Agriculture)
- Natural Resources (Sustainable Environmental Management)

Email: p.j.a.burt@greenwich.ac.uk

Website: www.nri.org

Heriot-Watt

- Architectural Engineering
- Urban Regional Planning
- Water Resources

Email: m.garbouj@hw.ac.uk

Website: www.scholarships.hw.ac.uk/student-life/scholarships-bursaries.htm

Hull

- Computer Science
- Early Childhood Studies
- Economics and Business
- Environmental Technology
- Inclusive Education

Email: v.davison@hull.ac.uk

Website: www.hull.ac.uk/international

Keele

- Diplomatic Studies
- Environmental Politics
- Environmental Sustainability and Green Technology
- Gender, Sexuality and Human Rights
- Global Security
- Globalisation and Justice
- Human Rights

Email: international@keele.ac.uk

Website: www.keele.ac.uk/studyatkeele/postgraduatetaught

Kent

- Broadband and Mobile Communication Networks
- Conservation and International Wildlife Trade
- Conservation and Tourism
- Environmental Law and Policy
- International Conflict Analysis
- International Finance and Economic Development
- International Security and the Politics of Terror
- Management (International Business)
- Management Science
- Security and Terrorism

Email: scholarships@kent.ac.uk

Website: www.kent.ac.uk

Lancaster

- International Business

Email: k.rennie-bloor@lancaster.ac.uk

Website: www.lums.lancs.ac.uk/masters/msc-international-business

Leeds

- Catchment Dynamics and Management
- Geographical Information Systems (GIS)

- Global Development
- Health Management, Planning and Policy
- Public Health (International)
- Sustainability (Business, Environment and Corporate Responsibility)
- Sustainability (Environment and Development)
- Transport Planning
- Transport Planning and Engineering

Email: pg_scholarships@leeds.ac.uk

Website: <http://scholarships.leeds.ac.uk>

Leeds Metropolitan

- Public Health – Health Promotion
- Responsible Tourism Management

Email: d.braham@leedsmet.ac.uk

Website: www.leedsmet.ac.uk

Leicester

- Banking and Finance
- Economics
- Environmental Informatics (Geographical Information Systems with Sustainable Management of Natural Resources)
- Global Environmental Change
- Human Rights
- Human Rights and Global Ethics
- Infection and Immunity
- International Relations and World Order
- Sustainable Management of Natural Resources

Preference given to nationals of Ghana, India, Malaysia, Pakistan, and Uganda

Email: scholarships@le.ac.uk

Website:

www.le.ac.uk/international/future/CommonwealthSharedScholarshipScheme.html

Liverpool

- Advanced Computer Science
- Energy Generation
- Microelectronic Systems and Telecommunications
- Public Health
- Teaching English to Speakers of Other Languages

Email: seschol@liverpool.ac.uk

Website: www.liv.ac.uk/gradschool/funding/index.htm

Liverpool Hope

- Environmental Management

Email: international@hope.ac.uk

Website: www.hope.ac.uk/international

London Birkbeck

- Bioinformatics and Systems Biology
- Development Studies
- Economics
- Education, Power and Social Change
- Human Rights
- International Business and Development
- International Economic Law, Justice and Development
- International Security and Global Governance
- Law and Political Justice
- Structural Biology

Email: m.wilson@bbk.ac.uk

Website: www.bbk.ac.uk/prospective/international

London Goldsmiths

- Anthropology and Cultural Politics
- Anthropology of Health and the Body in the 21st Century
- Culture Industry
- Design and Environment
- Development and Rights
- Education: Culture, Language and Identity
- International Studies;
- Postcolonial Culture and Global Policy
- Social Entrepreneurship
- World Cities and Urban Life

Email: international-office@gold.ac.uk

Website: www.gold.ac.uk/international/financial-info

London Institute of Education

- Development Education
- Education and International Development
- Education, Gender and International Development
- Education, Health Promotion and International Development
- Educational Planning, Economics and International Development

Preference given to nationals of India, Pakistan, and Nigeria

Email: internationaloffice@ioe.ac.uk

Website: www.ioe.ac.uk

London King's College

- Clinical Nursing for International Students
- Disasters: Adaptation and Development
- Environment and Development
- Tourism: Environment and Development

Email: graduateschool@kcl.ac.uk

Website:

www.kcl.ac.uk/graduate/funding/database/index.php?action=viewandid+247

London Royal Veterinary College

- Control of Infectious Diseases in Animals
- Veterinary Epidemiology
- Wild Animal Biology
- Wild Animal Health

Email: smanick@rvc.ac.uk

Website: www.rvc.ac.uk/Postgraduate/Courses/Index.cfm

London School of Economics

- Anthropology and Development
- Development Management
- Development Studies
- Environment and Development
- Health, Community and Development
- Local Economic Development
- NGOs and Development
- Population and Development
- Social Policy and Development
- Urbanisation and Development

Preference given to nationals of sub-Saharan African Commonwealth countries and Commonwealth countries on the Indian subcontinent

Email: financial-support@lse.ac.uk

Website:

<http://www2.lse.ac.uk/intranet/students/moneyMatters/financialSupport/Scholarship/sLSE/MScApp/awards/OverseasMSc/csss.aspx>

London School of Hygiene and Tropical Medicine

- Public Health for Eye Care
- Public Health Nutrition

Email: sarah.rutterford@lshtm.ac.uk

Website: www.lshtm.ac.uk

London School of Oriental and African Studies (SOAS)

- Development Economics
- Development Studies
- Law, Development and Governance
- Social Anthropology of Development

Awards open to nationals of (or those permanently domiciled in) African Commonwealth countries

Email: scholarships@soas.ac.uk

Website: www.soas.ac.uk/scholarships

London South Bank University (LSBU)

- Civil Engineering Structural Design
- Development Studies
- Health Services and Hospital Management
- Legal Studies
- Planning Buildings for Health
- Sustainable Energy Systems

Email: edmondsa@lsbu.ac.uk

Website: www.lsbu.ac.uk

London UCL

- Anthropology, Environment and Development
- Comparative Business Economics
- Development Administration and Planning
- Earthquake Engineering with Disaster Management
- Environment and Sustainable Development
- Genetics of Human Disease
- Medical Anthropology
- Pharmacogenetics and Stratified Medicine
- Politics, Security and Integration
- Urban Development Planning

Email: kevin.king@ucl.ac.uk

Website:

www.ucl.ac.uk/prospective-students/scholarships/graduate/overs-masters/cwss

Loughborough

- Analytical and Pharmaceutical Science
- Analytical Chemistry
- Analytical Chemistry and Environmental Science
- Building Services Engineering
- Construction Management
- Construction Project Management
- Environmental Studies
- International Financial and Political Relations
- Pharmaceutical Science and Medicinal Chemistry
- Renewable Energy Systems Technology

Email: pgtadmissions@lboro.ac.uk

Manchester

- Education (International)
- Educational Leadership and School Improvement
- Educational Leadership and School Improvement (Inclusive Education)
- Educational Technology and TESOL
- Pollution and Environmental Control

Email: international.relations@manchester.ac.uk

Website: www.manchester.ac.uk

Newcastle

- Agriculture and Environmental Science
- Applied Hydrogeology.
- Aquaculture Enterprise and Technology
- Electrical Power
- Innovation, Creativity and Enterprise Management
- International Politics (Globalisation: Poverty and Development)
- Public Health and Health Services Research
- Renewable Energy, Enterprise and Management
- Town Planning
- Transport

Email: irena.rencsova@ncl.ac.uk

Website: www.ncl.ac.uk/postgraduate/funding/search/list/dfid

Newport

- Autism
- Leadership and Management
- Special Education Needs (SEN)
- Teaching English to Speakers of Other Languages (TESOL)

Email: claire.modlen@newport.ac.uk

Website: www.newport.ac.uk/international

Northumbria

- Computer Network Technology
- Construction Project Management
- Education Studies
- Health Sciences (Management)
- Microelectronics and Communications Engineering
- Project Management
- Public Health

Email: er.scholarships@northumbria.ac.uk

Website:

www.northumbria.ac.uk/brochure/international/fees/intlscholarships/commonwealth
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Nottingham

- Advanced Nursing Studies
- Applied Epidemiology
- Cancer Immunology and Biotechnology
- Clinical Microbiology
- Microbiology and Immunology
- Molecular Genetics and Diagnostics
- Molecular Medical Microbiology

- Oncology
- Public Health
- Public Health (International Health)

<http://pgstudy.nottingham.ac.uk/postgraduate-courses/courses-a-z.aspx>

Email: scholarship-assistant@nottingham.ac.uk

Website:

www.nottingham.ac.uk/internationaloffice/offer-holders/scholarships/comm-shared-masters.aspx

Oxford

- African Studies
- BCL
- Biodiversity, Conservation and Management
- Computer Science
- Criminology and Criminal Justice
- Economics for Development
- Environmental Change and Management
- Global Governance and Diplomacy
- Global Health Science
- Integrated Immunology
- MJuris
- Nature, Society and Environmental Policy
- Neuroscience
- Pharmacology
- Radiation Biology
- Refugee and Forced Migration Studies
- Theoretical Chemistry
- Water Science, Policy and Management

Final list of courses to be confirmed

Email: student.funding@admin.ox.ac.uk

Website: www.graduate.ox.ac.uk/ask

Queen Margaret

- Health Systems
- Human Resources for Health
- International Health
- Sexual and Reproductive Health
- Social Justice, Development and Health

Email: iihd@qmu.ac.uk

Website: www.qmu.ac.uk/iihd

Queen's Belfast

- Leadership for Sustainable Development
- Sustainable Rural Development and Project Management

Email: pg.centre@qub.ac.uk

Website: www.qub.ac.uk/postgraduate

Royal College of Art

Courses to be confirmed

Sheffield

- Advancing Practice
- Biological and Bioprocess Engineering
- Environmental Change and International Development
- Human Nutrition
- International Development
- Molecular Medicine
- Speech and Cleft Palate (SPACL)
- Speech Difficulties

Email: s.bramall@sheffield.ac.uk

Website: www.sheffield.ac.uk

Sheffield Hallam

- Applying Physiotherapy
- Construction Management
- Human Resource Management/Development
- International Events and Conference Management
- International Human Resource Management/Development
- Nursing
- Pharmacology and Biotechnology
- Project Management
- Technical Architecture
- Tourism for International Development

Email: ias@shu.ac.uk

Website: www.shu.ac.uk/international/scholarships/csss.html

Southampton

- Foundations of Clinical Psychology
- Health Psychology
- Human-Animal Interactions
- Research Methods

Email: psypgt@soton.ac.uk

- Leadership and Management in Health and Social Care

Email: r.giordano@soton.ac.uk

- Marine Science Policy
- Ocean Science
- Oceanography (Ocean Remote Sensing Pathway)

Email: m scenq@noc.soton.ac.uk

- Maritime Archaeology – preference given to applicants from Caribbean and East African Commonwealth countries, and India

Email: l.k.blue@soton.ac.uk

- Public Health Practice

Email: l.m.Wilson@soton.ac.uk

Website: www.soton.ac.uk/postgraduate/pgstudy/programmes

St Andrews

- Sustainable Development.

Email: pgscholarships@st-andrews.ac.uk

Website: www.st-andrews.ac.uk/admissions/pg/financialinformation/financing

Stirling

- Media Management

Preference given to nationals of India from the Kashmir/Punjab regions

Email: k.m.reibig@stir.ac.uk

Website: www.stir.ac.uk/postgraduate

Strathclyde

- Advanced Computer Science
- Applied Economics
- Electronic and Electrical Engineering
- Environmental Engineering
- Finance
- International Law and Sustainable Development
- Internet Law and Policy
- Pharmaceutical Analysis
- Power Plant Technologies
- Subsea Engineering

Email: s.kirk@strath.ac.uk

Website: www.strath.ac.uk

Sussex (Institute of Development Studies – IDS)

- Climate Change and Development – open to nationals of all developing Commonwealth countries
- Development Studies
- Gender and Development
- Globalisation and Development
- Governance and Development
- Poverty and Development
- Science, Society and Development – preference given to nationals of African Commonwealth countries

Email: teaching@ids.ac.uk

Website: www.ids.ac.uk/go/teaching

Warwick

- Biotechnology, Bioprocessing and Business Management
- Economics
- Gender and International Development
- Globalisation and Development
- International Development Law and Human Rights
- International Political Economy
- Public Policy

Email: graduateschool@warwick.ac.uk

Website: <http://www.go.warwick.ac.uk/graduateschool>

West of England

- Cellular Pathology
- Clinical Chemistry
- Construction Project Management
- Environment Health
- Haematology
- Human Rights
- Immunology
- Medical Microbiology
- Public Health
- Urban Design

Email: faye.arlett@uwe.ac.uk

Website: www.uwe.ac.uk

West of Scotland

- Biotechnology
- Quality Management
- Waste Management with Environmental Management

Email: lesley.follan@uws.ac.uk

Website:

www.uws.ac.uk/international/Scholarships-Incentives.asp#Commonwealth

Worcester

- Advancing Practice
- Airborne Infectious Agents and Allergens
- Education
- Educational Management and Leadership
- Issues in Applied Psychology
- Nutritional Therapy
- Social Work and Community Studies
- Sports Coaching
- Sports Management

Email: j.shore@worc.ac.uk

Website: www.worcester.ac.uk

Additional notes

Academic Technology Approval Scheme for International Students (ATAS)

In common with other governments around the world, the UK Government is working hard to stop the spread of knowledge and skills that could be used in the proliferation of weapons of mass destruction (WMD) and their means of delivery. The ATAS is designed to ensure that people who are applying to study certain sensitive subjects in the UK do not have links to WMD programmes.

Since 1 November 2007 non-EU/EEA (including Switzerland) nationals planning to undertake postgraduate study in the UK in certain science, engineering or technology disciplines are required to have an ATAS certificate before they can apply for a Visa or Entry Clearance (EC).

Application is free and can be made online. Applicants should hear about the result of their application within 20 working days from the date the application is received by the issuing department.

For further information on the ATAS, visit www.fco.gov.uk/atas

Visas

There has recently been a change to UK immigration rules and Commonwealth Scholars are now required to apply for a visa to come to the UK under Tier 4 of the new Immigration System. The UK host university will be the sponsor for your visa.

List of eligible Commonwealth countries

Anguilla	Nauru
Antigua and Barbuda	Nigeria
Bangladesh	Pakistan
Barbados	Papua New Guineas
Belize	Pitcairn
Bermuda	Rwanda
Botswana	St Helena
British Virgin Islands	St Kitts and Nevis
Cameroon	St Lucia
Dominica	St Vincent
Falkland Islands	Seychelles
Fiji*	Sierra Leone
Gambia	Solomon Islands
Ghana	South Africa
Grenada	Sri Lanka
Guyana	Swaziland
India	Tanzania
Jamaica	Tonga
Kenya	Trinidad and Tobago
Kiribati	Tristan da Cunha
Lesotho	Turks and Caicos
Malawi	Tuvalu
Malaysia	Uganda
Maldives	Vanuatu
Mauritius	Western Samoa
Montserrat	Zambia
Mozambique	Zimbabwe*
Namibia	

* Awards are offered to build the capacity of civil society organisations

All enquiries about making an application and eligibility should be addressed to the university to which you wish to apply.

General enquiries regarding the scheme should be sent to the scheme administrators at the address below. **Please note that applications sent to this office will be disregarded and will not be passed on to the universities.**

Commonwealth Shared Scholarship Scheme
Commonwealth Scholarship Commission
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