

# University of Westminster International Postgraduate Scholarships

## Terms and Conditions

To be eligible, applicants must meet the following conditions.

- Have a course offer for a place on a full time postgraduate taught programme (*please see point 8 for a list of exclusions*)
- Meet the conditions attached to your academic offer (if it is a conditional offer) and to the issuance of a CAS.
- Join your academic course at the given start date and before the enrolment deadline.
- Be registered as a full-time student and be classified as overseas for fee purposes
- Priority is given to new entrants at the University as current or former students at the University of Westminster may be entitled to a separate alumni discount.
- Seek permission and obtain consent from the scholarship team before making any changes to your programme of study – this includes course transfers, suspending studies, etc. Please note that approval is not guaranteed, particularly if there is any difference in scholarship eligibility criteria between the courses.
- Maintain your living costs for the duration of your programme of study. The [University recommends that students will need £1,334 per month for living costs](#). This figure is based on UKVI student visa requirements for a single student, and students with families will require considerably more.
- Make satisfactory progress on your programme of study. The scholarship is subject to satisfactory progress.
- Recipients of this award are expected to act in an ambassadorial capacity, to provide student profiles or testimonials if requested, and to attend scholarship or recruitment events as required to include the annual scholarship reception.

1. Postgraduate scholarships of £3,000 are awarded towards tuition fees for one year only, in the first academic year of study. Students must pay any additional costs incurred for subsequent years of study or extensions to their standard course duration.
2. The scholarship will be paid directly to the University's Finance Offices on behalf of the student by the Scholarships office toward tuition fees in November of your first academic year.
3. All decisions are made by the University and are final. Any applications submitted after the published deadline will not be considered. All applicants will be informed of the outcome within 4 weeks after the deadline. Please note we are unable to provide individual feedback on applications.
4. You can only be awarded one scholarship. Students applying for other University of Westminster Awards (such as agent and partner scholarships) will only be considered for one.
5. Scholarships cannot be deferred to another academic year. If you decide to defer your studies to the next academic year, you should apply again for our scholarships in the following year once you have an offer for the new academic year. **There is no guarantee that we will offer the same scholarships each year**, or that you will be offered a scholarship again after reapplying. Exceptions may be considered for students deferring from September to January start courses within the same academic year. You should request consent from the Scholarships team.
6. Students who apply with a 2.1 who are eligible for a scholarship on the basis of an offer for one of the courses listed below, are not able to transfer their award to a course not listed below, unless they have a qualification that is equivalent to a UK 1<sup>st</sup> Class, and receive approval from the Scholarships team.

- MA Criminology
- MA English Language and Linguistics
- MA Creative Writing: Writing the City
- MA English Language and Literature

- MA English Literature: Modern & Contemporary Fiction
- MA Art and Visual Culture
- MA Cultural and Critical Studies
- MA Professional Writing
- MA Global Development

7. The following categories of study programme are not eligible:

- a. Postgraduate Diploma (including Legal Practice Postgraduate Diploma)
- b. Professional or short courses (e.g. RIBA Part III, ACCA, CIMA, CiLEX)
- c. Integrated Masters (e.g. a four year programme which combines undergraduate and postgraduate study into a single course)
- d. Research level courses such as MPhil/PhD
- e. Part time courses

University of Westminster reserves the right to amend these terms and conditions.