

Eligibility Criteria for Award of British Council GREAT Scholarship in partnership with The University of Manchester

- Scholarships can only be awarded to offer holders who are passport holders of China, India, Sri Lanka, Nepal, Nigeria, Pakistan, Bangladesh, Thailand, Egypt, Mexico, Ghana, Indonesia or Kenya
- If a course/programme lasts longer than one year, the scholarships will be offered for the first year of study only
- Scholarships can only be awarded to applicants who studied in China, India, Sri Lanka, Nepal, Nigeria, Pakistan, Bangladesh, Thailand, Egypt, Mexico, Ghana, Indonesia or Kenya
- at all levels (school/college/ university) with the exception of students who completed their bachelor's at The University of Manchester and previously studied in China, India, Sri Lanka, Nepal, Nigeria, Pakistan, Bangladesh, Thailand, Egypt, Mexico, Ghana, Indonesia or Kenya
- Scholarships will be offered at postgraduate taught level only
- Scholarships can only be awarded to applicants who are classified by the University as an international tuition fee payer
- As a condition of the award of a scholarship, recipients are required to take part in student ambassador and/or mentoring schemes
- Scholarships are only available for September 2021 entry (a scholarship award may not be deferred)
- Applicants for scholarships for programmes in the Faculty of Science and Engineering are required to submit a completed application form by 30 April 2021
- Scholarships can only be awarded to applicants who are offer holders on 30 April 2021

Selection Criteria for Award of British Council GREAT scholarship in partnership with The University of Manchester

- Academic excellence over and above the criteria required for admission to the PGT programme selected
- Proficiency in English language

Profile of a GREAT Scholar

- Be a citizen of a GREAT target country.
- Have an undergraduate degree that will enable you to gain entry onto a postgraduate programme at a UK university.
- Motivated and academically able to follow and benefit from a UK postgraduate taught course.
- Active in the field with work experience or with a proven interest in the proposed subject area
- Meet the English language requirement of the UK HEI.
- Willing to embody the UK Higher Education experience, by attending lectures and tutorials and engaging with extra-curricular activities, and act as an ambassador for UK Higher Education, by promoting the value of studying at a UK HEI.

- Willing to establish an engagement with the UK as a scholar, through personal and academic fulfilment.
- Represent the high standards of the GREAT brand by becoming an advocate for scholarships.
- Willing to attend a networking event of all UK-based GREAT scholars, to discuss experiences and capture perceptions of studying in the UK
- Willing to demonstrate future contribution to capacity-building and socio-economic advancement through the benefits achieved after graduating from UK higher education.
- Willing to maintain contact with the British Council and act as an ambassador for the GREAT Scholarships, by sharing experiences of studying in the UK with future GREAT scholars.
- As an alumnus of the GREAT Scholarships, willing occasionally to speak to potential candidates about his or her own experience of studying in the UK.

Profile of a GREAT Scholarships for a Sustainable Future Scholar (Nigeria and Egypt only)

- Active in the field with work experience or with a proven interest in the proposed subject
- Willing to act as a spokesperson in the climate change space
- Willing to attend COP26 related events in the UK upon invitation from the British Council
- Willing to demonstrate future contribution to capacity-building and socio-economic advancement in the climate change space through the benefits achieved after graduating from UK higher education.

The University of Manchester is strongly committed to promoting equality and diversity, including the Athena SWAN charter for gender equality in higher education. For further details see: <https://www.manchester.ac.uk/connect/jobs/equality-diversity-inclusion/> . All awards will be made on merit taking into account the University's strategic PGT teaching priorities.