The University of Manchester Global Futures Scholarship Eligibility and Application Criteria – 2021 awards

Africa – Master’s Scholarships

A total of 10 awards of £6,000 are available.

Eligibility

- Applicants will only be considered for these awards if they are domiciled in one of the following countries: Nigeria; Kenya; Ghana; Egypt, Tanzania, Zimbabwe and South Africa. In order to be considered to be domiciled in these countries applicants must have predominantly resided there during the last three years.

- The awards will be made on merit with no fixed allocation by country.

- Eligibility will be based on meeting the following criteria:

  I. Applicants must apply for the scholarship via an online form by 12 June 2021 and will be considered based on academic merit and the quality of their scholarship application. The application form will be emailed to all offer holders.

  II. Applicants must have accepted a conditional or unconditional offer to study by the above deadline.

  III. Applicants for the African regional awards must have completed their bachelor’s degree and have a final transcript or statement of results by the closing date.

  IV. Applicants for the African regional awards will be eligible if their offer is pending the final certificate, transcript or references.

  V. Applicants for the African regional awards must satisfy the English language requirement of their intended course by the published deadline.

  VI. Applicants must be classified as ‘international’ for tuition fee purposes.

  VII. The award will be made as a discount on tuition fees and no payment will be made to the applicant.

  VIII. Applicants must be self-funded (i.e., not sponsored by a government or commercial funder).

  IX. For courses with a duration of more than one year the discount will apply to the first year of tuition fees only.

  X. Applications for MBA, MPhil, Master of Architecture (MArch), Architecture & Urbanism (MA) and Master of Landscape Architecture (MLA), Postgraduate Certificate in Education (PGCE), Clinical Medicine and Dentistry degrees are not eligible for the award.

  XI. The scholarship cannot be used in conjunction with other partial UoM internal awards.

  XII. The scholarship cannot be used in conjunction with other internal full tuition awards such as the Equity and Merit programme.

  XIII. The award cannot be deferred (to a later intake cycle).

  XIV. The award applies to full-time courses of study only.

  XV. Students may only submit one scholarship application even if they apply for multiple courses. Where students submit multiple scholarship applications only the first will be considered.
XVI. Successful candidates must be willing to work with the international recruitment team from time to time to serve as a student ambassador for the University during their period of study. This may entail attending physical or virtual presentations for prospective students, providing written or filmed testimonials for the University’s website and acting as an advocate for the scholarship programme. The time commitment for ambassador activities should not typically exceed 8 hrs per semester.