

SCHOLARSHIP PROGRAMMES

SCHOLARSHIPS FROM INTERNATIONAL ORGANISATIONS

Scholarships from international organisations (such as the United Nations, UNESCO, and the World Health Organisation) are primarily granted to PhD students or young researchers who apply in their home country. UNESCO publishes an international guide to higher education study opportunities providing references to additional funding sources. It can be downloaded from the UNESCO website.

If you are an EU student, do not forget scholarships awarded by the European Commission under the Erasmus+ programme. Contact the international office of your home university or visit the EU website:

www.europa.eu.int

For other funding opportunities offered by Foundations and associations, see also:

- www.unesco.org
- www.fordfound.org
- www.gatesfoundation.org
- www.grantsnet.org
- www.nature.com
- www.esf.org
- www.fundersonline.org
- www.sloan.org
- www.iie.org
- www.rotary.org
- www.akdn.org
- www.itto.int/en/feature20/

ERASMUS+ MASTER DEGREE LOANS

In cooperation with the European Investment Fund, the Erasmus+ programme has established a loans scheme to help students finance their Master's studies abroad. The scheme is open to higher education students who have been accepted for a full Master's study programme in another Erasmus+ Programme Country. The loan may amount to up to €12,000 for a one-year Master's course or up to €18,000 for a two-year Master's course. For further information please visit the website of [Erasmus+ Master Loans](#) or consult the [informative brochure](#).

ERASMUS + LEARNING MOBILITY OF INDIVIDUALS (LMI)

Self-financing students who comply with the relevant requirements can apply to Erasmus + Learning Mobility of Individuals (LMI) between [Programme Countries](#). All students from Programme Countries can receive an Erasmus mobility grant, for the duration of the mobility, according to the rules of each university/country, if studying in another country from his/her country of origin.

GENERAL SCHOLARSHIPS

Please check the following:

- <http://www.scholarshipstimes.com/>
- <http://www.scholarshipportal.com/>
- <http://scholarship-positions.com/>
- <http://www.scholars4dev.com/8647/europe-scholarships-international-students/>
- <http://www.topuniversities.com/student-info/sch>
- <http://www.uab.cat/web/beques-i-ajuts-1276168992788.html?language=en>

SCHOLARSHIP PROGRAMMES SPECIFICALLY TO France

Please consult the following website which provides a search engine for grants in France:

<http://www.campusfrance.org/en/page/campusbourses-grant-search-engine>

FRENCH GOVERNMENT GRANTS

These grants are awarded by the Ministry of Foreign Affairs and are managed by different organisations, especially Campus France (www.campusfrance.org)

These grants are reserved for nationals coming from countries that have signed a bilateral co-operation treaty with France. Fields of study are clearly identified in the cooperation agreements.

You must apply for a French Government Grant in your country of origin. You must contact the cultural service or the scientific and technical co-operation service of the French Embassy or the French mission of co-operation and cultural action in your country to know about possible existing programmes. They will tell you about the possibilities and procedures.

This is a long process! You must apply for it at the beginning of the academic year (September/October) preceding your arrival in France.

SPECIFIC SCHOLARSHIP PROGRAMMES

Scholarships may be offered in some specific bilateral cooperation programmes signed between France and other countries.

Other grants may be allocated via specific programmes such as the “Excellence-Major grant programme” (for foreign students who achieved the best Baccalaureate results at an overseas high school offering the French national curriculum) or the “Eiffel scholarship programme” (for excellent students in Science; Economics and Management; Law and Political Science). For the latter programme, you must contact your host institution in the November of the year preceding your arrival in France in September of the year after.

<http://www.campusfrance.org/fr/ressource/le-programme-dexcellence-eiffel>