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The University of Sydney Scholarships Program

- The largest and most generous program in NSW. We will be offering more than 700 new undergraduate scholarships in 2011.
- broad criteria
- high achievement across the board
- academic merit
- equity
- faculty and other targeted scholarships
- combined application processes
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› For students with minimum ATAR of 95, plus other achievements
› $6000 per annum
› Awarded in 2 categories:
   - Merit Scholarships for length of degree plus an honours year (up to 8 years)
   - Entry Scholarships for one year
› Available for all degrees, including combined
› International students are eligible if applying for entry to the University of Sydney through the UAC
› Cannot apply during gap year
› Must apply in the year students sit the HSC/IB/equivalent, but can be deferred for one year
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The process - what happens?

Applications close on 30 September

› Applications recorded and receipt acknowledged by Scholarships Office
› Sent to faculties for the selection process
› Faculties shortlist and may conduct interviews (after HSC/IB, usually in November)
› Applicants informed whether you have been shortlisted
› Successful applicants will be notified after HSC/IB results known
› Formal offer of scholarship in writing from Faculties around Christmas (early January for students completing IB)
› Late offers made throughout January and even February
Applications close on **30 September**

You should have received an acknowledgement by **29 October**. If not, contact us!

Interviews (where applicable) in **early November**

Applicants informed whether you have been shortlisted by **23 November**

First round of offers by **24 December**

IB and interstate offers start in January

Late offers made throughout January and even February

Return acceptance by **25 February**

First payment by **31 March**
Enter your personal details. Please use the same details that you provide to the UAC.

NB if you are in a GAP year in 2010 you are not eligible
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APPLICATION FORM – CHOSEN FACULTY

› Tick one box only
› For combined Law or Medicine, choose the faculty you are combining with.
› For other combined degrees, choose the faculty according to the UAC course code

eg  
511914 Science/ M Nursing select Nursing & Midwifery
511530 Commerce/ Arts select Economics & Business
APPLICATION FORM – ATTACHMENTS

› Personal statement – A4 page (typeface no smaller than 10pt)

› Your most recent school report and trial results/TAFE report – photocopy

› School reference – not compulsory

› No other attachments

› No late attachments
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What to include in the personal statement...

Past achievement
- Academic success
- Creativity
- Self-motivation
- Breadth of interests and experience
- Leadership roles
- Communication skills

Future potential
- Academic and career ambition
- Contribution to university life
The Scholarships Office administers scholarships for undergraduates, postgraduate coursework and postgraduate research students. There are over 700 scholarship schemes on offer and each year the University of Sydney gives out over $65 million in scholarships, not taking into consideration prizes or College and Sporting Scholarships!

We invite you to take your time and have a look on what's on offer. You can apply for as many scholarships as you want and suggest that you check latest updates every month for new scholarships.

Welcome to the University of Sydney!
APPLICATION FORM – ENDORSEMENT

› Signature from your school principal/Yr 12 coordinator or careers advisor
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APPLICATION FORM – DECLARATION

4. DECLARATION
To be filled in by you.

I declare that the information provided in this application form and in the attachments is correct and complete.

I hereby give permission for the University of Sydney to contact my school principal or teachers in respect of my marks and achievements.

Name:
Signature:
Date:

› Your Signature
APPLICATION FORM – COMPLETE THE FORM

Don’t forget to fill in this portion of the form (ignore the unique number)
This part will accompany your documents to your chosen Faculty
APPLICATION FORM – POST YOUR FORM IN

› Keep a photocopy of all documents including the form for your records

› Post your form or bring it in personally to the office

› Faxed or emailed applications are not accepted

› Closing date Thursday 30th September
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To recap – be prepared …

› Do the research on faculty offerings
› Be aware of the need to include school reports, school reference (where available) and
› Start thinking about your personal statement
› Allow sufficient time - start working on application early!
› Submit by 30 September 2010
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FACULTY SCHOLARSHIPS

› Awarded using the same application form

› You only need to complete a single application

› You will be considered for all faculty scholarships for which you are eligible

› Does not cover sports or college scholarships
FACULTY OF AGRICULTURE, FOOD AND NATURAL RESOURCES
SCHOLARSHIPS

› Environmental Sustainability Scholarship - NEW
  $10,000 over 3 years

› Rural Sustainability Scholarship
  $10,000 over 3 years

› Faculty Scholarship
  $8,000 pa for duration of degree
FACULTY OF ARCHITECTURE, DESIGN AND PLANNING SCHOLARSHIPS

> Faculty of Architecture Dean's Outstanding Merit Scholarship
  $1,000 for one year (no application needed)

> Faculty of Architecture Dean's Merit Scholarship
  $1,000 for one year (no application needed)

> Faculty of Architecture Dean's International Merit Scholarship
  $1,000 for one year (no application needed)
FACULTY SCHOLARSHIPS

FACULTY OF ARTS SCHOLARSHIPS

> Liberal Studies Entry Scholarship
  $2,000 for one year (no application needed)

> Bowman-Cameron Scholarship
  $1,000 for three years (no application needed)

> Garton Scholarship No. III in French
  $1,000 for one year (no application needed)

> Lithgow Scholarship No. I in German
  $1,000 for one year (no application needed)

> Nicholson Matriculation Scholarship in Latin
  $1,000 for one year (no application needed)

For more information on these and other scholarship schemes available please visit:
FACULTY OF ECONOMICS AND BUSINESS SCHOLARSHIPS

› Dean’s Undergraduate Scholarship in Economics and Business
  $15,000 pa for up to 4 years (honours year inclusive)
› Scholarships with Distinction for All Round Excellence
  $10,000 pa for up to 4 years (honours year inclusive)
› Rural/Regional Leadership Scholarships
  $6,000 pa for up to 4 years (honours year inclusive)
› Scholarships with Merit for Academic Achievement
  $6,000 pa for up to 4 years (honours year inclusive)
› Scholarships with Merit for Excellence in Extracurricular Endeavour
  $6,000 pa for up to 4 years (honours year inclusive)

For more information on these and other scholarship schemes available please visit: sydney.edu.au/business/futurestudents/scholarships
FACULTY OF ENGINEERING AND INFORMATION TECHNOLOGIES

› RTA Scholarship in Civil and Electrical Engineering
  $12,500 pa for up to 5 years

› Dean’s Award
  $6,000 for one year only

› Muriel Anderson Scholarship (female applicants only)
  $1,500 pa for one year only

› PNR Scholarship in Mechanical & Mechatronic Engineering
  $1,000 for 4 years

› Microsoft Research Asia Scholarship in IT
  $5,000 for 4 years

› Chemical Engineering Scholarship
  $1,500 for 3 years
FACULTY OF PHARMACY SCHOLARSHIP

› Peter Giles Memorial Scholarship

- $6,000 pa for up to 4 years
FACULTY OF SCIENCE SCHOLARSHIPS

> Dean’s Entry Scholarships
  $6,000 for one year

> Subject entry scholarships (no application needed)
  $2,000 for one year

> Degree entry scholarships (no application needed)
  $2,000 for one year

> General academic merit scholarships (no application needed)
  $500 to $2,500 for one year
UNIVERSITY OF SYDNEY ACCESS SCHOLARSHIP
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› For students with academic ability who can also demonstrate financial or other impediments to enrolling at university

› $6000 per annum for length of degree plus an honours year (up to 8 years)

› 160 offers in 2011

› Available for all degrees, including combined degree

› Application through UAC website Equity Scholarships (http://www.uac.edu.au/equity/)

› Applications close 30 September 2010
WHAT ELSE IS AVAILABLE?
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UNIVERSITY OF SYDNEY OUTSTANDING ACHIEVEMENT SCHOLARSHIP

› For domestic students who achieve an ATAR of 99.95

› $10,000 per annum for length of degree plus an honours year (up to 8 years)

› Available for all degrees, including combined degrees

› No application required
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COMMONWEALTH SCHOLARSHIPS

› A range of Indigenous Commonwealth Scholarships

CENTRELINK SCHOLARSHIPS

› *The Student Start-up Scholarship* $2,218 in 2011 and indexed
› *The Relocation Scholarship* $4,000 in the first year, then $1,000 each year. Students who are eligible for the Relocation Scholarship will also receive the Start-up Scholarship.
› These scholarships can both be held with the University of Sydney Access Scholarship.

› **How to apply:** No application is necessary. This will be paid directly to eligible students through Centrelink.
ELITE ATHLETE PROGRAM

› For elite athletes with demonstrated academic potential

Benefits include:
› Scholarships of between $1,000 and $10,000 per annum
› Opportunity to be involved in the Talented Athlete Program
› Additional financial assistance up to $2000 for travel costs
› Free tutoring (up to 10 hours per semester)

› Apply through Sydney Uni Sport & Fitness: http://www.susf.com.au
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ACCOMMODATION SCHOLARSHIPS

› The residential colleges are affiliated with, but not owned by the University. Each one is run independently and you need to apply directly to the college.

› The following residential colleges offer scholarships:
  - International House
  - Mandelbaum House
  - Sancta Sophia College
  - St John's College
  - St Paul’s College
  - The Women’s College

› The University also provides low cost accommodation. Apply through the University Owned Student Housing Unit.
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WHERE TO FIND INFORMATION

› Scholarships website
  www.sydney.edu.au/scholarships

› Email
  scholarships.reception@sydney.edu.au

› General enquiry line
  1300 362 006

› Scholarships enquiries
  (02) 8627 8450

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