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The background of the cover is a photograph of a grand, classical-style building with a portico supported by several white columns. The building is set against a backdrop of a large, rugged mountain with a prominent peak, which is Table Mountain. The sky is filled with soft, white clouds, suggesting a bright but slightly overcast day. The building's facade is a warm, light brown color, and the columns are white. A wide set of stone steps leads up to the building's entrance. Some people can be seen walking up the steps. The overall scene is one of academic grandeur and natural beauty.

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FOREWORD

Postgraduate programmes at the University of Cape Town play a vital role in developing skills necessary for success in a knowledge-driven economy, both locally and internationally. Our postgraduate programmes span the basic disciplines as well as a range of applied and professional areas in Commerce, Engineering and the Built Environment, Health Sciences, Humanities, Law, and Science. Our commitment to being a high-quality research-intensive university means that our postgraduate students can work with academics who are making important contributions to new knowledge via their on-going research and professional activities.

This booklet provides information on potential sources of financial support for postgraduate students. There are various categories of financial assistance administered by the University and many other agencies and donors. This booklet also provides information on a range of postdoctoral fellowships. The opportunity of a postdoctoral fellowship, following the successful completion of a doctoral degree, is a useful career experience allowing a researcher to develop further skills in knowledge creation and dissemination.

We hope that this booklet will be a useful resource in identifying potential bursaries and scholarships. We wish you a successful and enjoyable postgraduate and postdoctoral experience at the University of Cape Town.

PLEASE NOTE

This booklet guides students who will register for Honours, Master's, or Doctoral study and who require financial assistance, and for Doctoral graduates seeking financial support for postdoctoral research. It consists of various sections which are subdivided as described under the contents section.

Each section of the booklet includes a brief introduction to the category of awards and describes the discipline (if applicable), eligibility and conditions, and address for

submission.

The scholarships and bursaries listed in this version of the booklet will open for application for the 2027 academic year with various stated deadlines, unless otherwise specified. In most cases interested students must apply for postgraduate funding support preceding the year of study for registration toward their postgraduate Honours, Master's, or Doctoral degree (e.g., applicants should apply by the deadlines in 2026, for 2027).

The financing of postgraduate study invariably takes the form of a combination of scholarships or bursaries, part-time employment within or outside the university, student loans (either personal or UCT loan), personal savings and assistance from families. Note that in certain cases awards may be held concurrently, in others, not. Concurrence rules are detailed where relevant.

Funding administered by the UCT Postgraduate Funding office (PGFO) aims to provide financial support to Honours, Master's, and Doctoral students through a variety of awards administered, depending on eligibility and appropriate, **timely application**. Please contact the PGFO if you're unsure about any aspects of postgraduate funding, such as how to apply, or the holding of particular awards concurrently etc.

Students who wish to apply for this funding should submit a completed Postgraduate (PG) Online Funding Application form, or in some specific cases (e.g., for international students and certain independent awards), alternative or additional specific application forms, with all the supporting documentation by the advertised deadlines. It is vital that applicants understand the principle that they are only considered for postgraduate funding awards that they apply for – e.g., there is no automatic consideration for any awards without appropriate application.

The PG Online funding form is a general application through which South African

and permanent resident postgraduate Honours, Master's and Doctoral applicants apply for funding. An applicant has the option via the Online Funding application to be considered for a need-based funding. The deadline for the online funding application is usually November 10, but students should check deadlines on the Postgraduate Student Funding Page (<https://uct.ac.za/students/fees-funding-postgraduate-degree-funding/postgraduate-degree-funding-overview>).

South African students who qualify for financial need, using the same criteria as used for undergraduate funding, on application and review, receive funding that contributes towards the cost of attendance. Priority for financial need funding will be given to black South African students who meet the funding criteria., are eligible for partial funding.

Most awards offered by the university are limited to South African citizens and permanent residents. External independent scholarships (see Section 5), the National Research Foundation (NRF) scholarships in certain cases, as well as the UCT Conference Travel grants and the Scholarships for International Travel grants.

The University administered awards appearing in this booklet are not available for the fourth or later year of Bachelor degrees, Postgraduate Diplomas and Certificates, and most professional degrees, or any other university- designated part-time programme, the PGCE or the LLB and BArch degrees. Students wishing to register for these courses must, where applicable, refer to booklet 13 "Financial Assistance for Undergraduate Study" issued by the Undergraduate Student Financial Aid office.

The content of this booklet is updated

annually and is available on the Postgraduate Funding Office website (<https://uct.ac.za/students/fees-funding-postgraduate-degree-funding/postgraduate-degree-funding-overview>).

Please read through the information carefully to familiarise yourself with the funding opportunities offered through the University as well as those offered via private and third-party organisations.

Students are encouraged to contact the Postgraduate Funding Office should they need further assistance with the application forms and requirements.

The Postgraduate Funding Office extends their best wishes for success in your studies.

IMPORTANT INFORMATION

- Prospective students should apply for UCT funding on or before the stated deadlines, in addition to applying for admission to study at UCT. You do not need to wait to be accepted for an academic position, but you must have applied for one.
- Note that closing dates for some awards are early in the year preceding the year for which you require funding. For example, the National Research Foundation (NRF) Master's and Doctoral applications for study in 2027 will close early in June 2026.
- While limited financial aid awards are available (as outlined in the Foreword) students are encouraged as a matter of principle, where applicable and eligible, to apply for further or alternative funding such as the NRF.
- Many awards are renewable, but for a stipulated period of tenure, and dependent on satisfactory progress being maintained. In most of the cases tenure for Honours, Master's and Doctoral funding is one, two and three years, respectively.
- There is no guarantee that an applicant will receive funding on application due to limited budget and some categories of award are oversubscribed and hence, competitive.
- UCT cannot consider assistance for the cost of dependents – funding is considered and aligned to the South African Revenue Services (SARS) policy as an award to the **individual students'** tuition and living costs.
- UCT awards and most external awards cannot be used for student fee debt relief, other than in certain exceptional cases.
- Appeals may be considered through an appeal process in exceptional circumstances, provided the appeal is in writing (form available from the PGFO) and there is strong motivation. Legitimate reasons for postgraduate students to appeal must be fully motivated and include changed financial circumstances; request to hold funds that exceed maximum award limit; deferral of award; change to programme of study

Application for admission to study and registration

Applicants for financial assistance who are not already registered for the degree of their choice are reminded that they must also apply for admission to the University (<https://applyonline.uct.ac.za/>) and should consult UCT's Admissions Office or relevant Faculty Office for the closing dates. Funding selection committees will only consider candidates who have applied to UCT for admission. Bear in mind that successful applicants can only claim their bursaries/scholarships once they have been accepted and registered in the relevant academic department for the course/programme for which they applied. **AN OFFER OF A FUNDING AWARD DOES NOT IMPLY AN OFFER OF AN ACADEMIC PLACE TO STUDY AND VICE VERSA.** Funding and academic admissions are two separate, delinked processes.

Applying for funding

There are multiple sources of funding from which postgraduate awards are established. These awards are administered by UCT's Postgraduate Funding Office (PGFO). Students apply and are assessed for these based on needs only, merit-only, or merit-needs categories.

Applicants applying via the PG Financial Aid application, do not have to be in the first year of their degree. They can apply for second year support without having been awarded in the first year. In this case the award will only be **once for their Master's and two years (subject to satisfactory progress) for their Doctoral** degree.

It is important that students and prospective postdoctoral research fellows applying for funding comply with the requirements and submit applications on time and by the specific closing date, **even if they are not admitted for the intended degree or postdoctoral appointment.** As indicated above some scholarships and bursaries require the use of an (independent) application form therefore, students should familiarise themselves with the application requirements before applying. **Late and incomplete applications will not be considered.**

Merit Awards

The major source of merit-based awards is the state-funded Research Council – the National Research Foundation (NRF) (see Section 1).

UCT also awards scholarships (limited value) each December to graduating students who have performed exceptionally well at UCT. Recipients are nominated by their faculty therefore, an application form for this category of award is not required. (See Section 8.)

Other scholarships and bursaries such as the so-called 'Prestigious fellowships' funded from a variety of sources are available. (See Section 3). Other scholarships may be awarded by heads of departments or supervisors to students researching specific projects or programmes. Candidates should enquire as to the availability of such awards by consulting their supervisors, course convenors or heads of academic departments.

Financial need awards

The University has instituted a policy to support South African and permanent resident Honours, Master's and Doctoral students based on financial need, the family gross household income of R350 000 or less. Such applicants may qualify for a contribution towards their cost of attendance. GAP Funding (a percentage towards the approved tuition fees) is awarded to those who qualify and the family gross household income of R350 001 – R600 000.

UCT will determine an applicant's financial need by applying the National Means Test (NMT) used by the National Student Financial Aid Scheme (NSFAS).

The value of a Financial-need bursary will be calculated on "assessed need" for a contribution towards the cost of university attendance in 2027.

Prospective Honours, Master's and Doctoral postgraduate students who are financially needy are required to apply for the UCT's Postgraduate Financial Assistance scholarship and provide the required supporting documentation. Such students will be means-tested, and where the means-test is met, a combination of scholarships may be offered as a contribution towards the cost of attendance.

Honours, Master's and Doctoral South African and permanent resident students who fall outside of the above may qualify for partial GAP funding support via the relevant application form. The same financial eligibility criteria will be applied for such applicants as indicated above.

Section 5 lists awards administered independently of UCT, and enquiries should be directed to the Administrators/Trustees indicated.

AS A PRINCIPLE EVERY EFFORT MUST BE MADE TO SECURE ASSISTANCE FROM SOURCES EXTERNAL TO UCT WHEREVER POSSIBLE (E.G. FROM THE NRF) AS UCT CANNOT INDEPENDENTLY FUND ALL POSTGRADUATE STUDENTS TO OPTIMAL LEVELS.

International and refugee students

Prospective postgraduate students must secure sufficient financial support **prior to embarking on their studies** at UCT. The scholarships are renewable for the duration of the course of study subject to satisfactory progress being maintained.

Allocations are made for one year at Honours level; for the first and second years of Master's study, and the first, second and third years of Doctoral study. Applications for funding cannot be considered unless applicants apply for admission through the UCT Admissions Office or the Faculty Office.

Awards for study at universities abroad

UCT does not offer scholarships for international study from their central budget. However, certain independent (external) donor funders do, some requiring application processing and awarding through the PGFO (see Section 7), others are administered by the external partner directly. Various research councils such as the NRF & the Medical Research council (MRC) are potential sources of assistance for overseas study at the doctoral degree level. Such overseas awards are made based on academic excellence and the significance of the proposed study. Certain overseas universities may offer scholarships or bursaries to international students or may be able to offer part-time employment in the form of assistantships or fellowships, which often include a waiver of academic fees. Students are advised to check with the intended overseas institutions.

Section 7 provides information on independently administered awards for study at overseas universities.

Scholarships for short research visits and conference grants

UCT has made available limited awards to support doctoral students' research visits abroad and participate in academic conferences. Calls for such awards are generally made biannually. Again, only applications made on time and complete in terms of required documentation are considered by selection committees.

Postdoctoral research fellowships

This booklet includes several opportunities for Postdoctoral research fellowships (See Section 6). However, many opportunities are offered by independent donors and agencies, and interested parties are advised to check with their department Heads and with the PGFO regularly. The office also provides details of externally administered funding and other opportunities on an electronic noticeboard, which can be found on the Postdoctoral website (<https://uct.ac.za/research-innovation-postdoctoral-research-fellowships/postdoctoral-research-fellowships>).

The reason Postdoctoral funding is considered as part of the postgraduate administrative sector is that many of these awards are administered through the same processes and systems as student awards to qualify for tax-free status as approved by the South African Revenue Services (SARS)

GENERAL IMPORTANT INFORMATION

Employment

Individuals who are employed full-time (more than 20 hours per week) are not eligible for UCT postgraduate funding support.

The regulations governing the NRF/ MRC scholarships and UCT awards permit some degree of concurrent part-time employment. Demonstratorships, teaching assistantships or research assistantships may be offered by your department and details should be obtained from your supervisor or Head of Department. Subject to limitations on remuneration, award-holders may undertake part-time employment, provided weekly.

Duration of scholarship assistance

Research Council scholarships and UCT awards may be held for:

- the first year of the Honours degree only.
- the first and second year of Master's study, and
- the first, second and third years of Doctoral study.

Renewal of awards for Master's and Doctoral study each year is subject to satisfactory progress and continued evidence of need in the case of need-based bursaries, and on the availability of funds. Students must make every effort to complete their studies within these periods; **duties do not exceed 12 hours if funded via the NRF.**

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In addition to the awards listed, certain other awards exist that are not acceptable in an open-democratic society based on freedom and equality and are therefore not utilised or advertised by the University of Cape Town.

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NOTE 1: - The University has made every effort to ensure the accuracy of the information in its handbooks. However, we reserve the right at any time, if circumstances dictate, to

- make alterations or changes to any of the published details of the opportunities on offer; or
- add to or withdraw any of the opportunities on offer. Our students are given every assurance that changes to opportunities will be made only under compelling circumstances.

NOTE 2: - It is important to note that students who receive funding support and who exceed the maximum value allocations may be required to return any funding made from UCT funds.
Maximum income limit value allowed per annum – this does not mean permission to hold up to this limit. Additionally, be mindful of concurrency rules of individual scholarships:
Honours – R190 000
Master's – R254 000
Doctoral – R315 000
Postdoctoral – R590 327

SECTION 1

NATIONAL RESEARCH FOUNDATION (NRF) BURSARIES FOR STUDY IN SA UNIVERSITIES

Note: All eligible candidates wishing to apply for UCT financial need and merit-based scholarships for study towards Honours, Master's or Doctoral degrees are required to apply timeously for an NRF award (see comments in the Foreword). Any eligible candidate who fails through negligence to make such an application, will be ineligible for UCT financial need or merit awards.

Individuals who are employed full-time are ineligible. The NRF restricts part-time employment to a maximum of 12 hours per week. Please be advised that the NRF's criteria as stipulated below may change without prior notice therefore you are encouraged to please also visit their website (<https://www.nrf.ac.za/>) for up-to-date information.

National Research Foundation

Faculty	Discipline	Name of award	Eligibility & conditions Value p.a.& Tenure	Address to which to apply & closing date for application
Engineering Health sciences Humanities Commerce Law and Science	The overall percentage of supported students by the NRF will be 80% from the Science, Engineering and Technology (SET) disciplines and 20% from the Social Sciences and Humanities (SSH).	NRF - Full Cost of Study (FCS) and Partial Cost of Study (PCS) Bursaries: Local Honours	FCS funding will be awarded to South African citizens and Permanent Residents only, who are either financially needy, living with disability or exceptional academic achievers. PCS funding will be awarded to 5% of international students incl. SA citizens and Perm Residents who could not be funded under FCS but meet other minimum requirements. Full-time Studies ONLY Values vary per degree level Minimum GPA for major subjects $\geq 75\%$ Full Cost of Study (FCS) and $\geq 65\%$ Partial Cost of Study (PCS)	Applicants are required to apply via the NRF Connect online system (https://nrfconnect.nrf.ac.za) by selecting the Honours General funding application. Applicant closing date are normally between October/ November 2026 for 2027 funding support Academic Results deadline: December 2026 Late applications will not be accepted.

2 NATIONAL RESEARCH FOUNDATION (NRF)

Faculty	Discipline	Name of award	Eligibility & conditions Value p.a.& Tenure	Address to which to apply & closing date for application
Engineering Health sciences Humanities Commerce Law and Science	The overall percentage of supported students by the NRF will be 80% from the Science, Engineering and Technology (SET) disciplines and 20% from the Social Sciences and Humanities (SSH).	NRF - Full Cost of Study (FCS) and Partial Cost of Study (PCS) Local Awards: Master's	South African citizens and permanent residents as well as international candidates. Full-time Studies ONLY Values vary per degree level Minimum GPA for major subjects $\geq 75\%$ Full Cost of Study (FCS) and $\geq 65\%$ Partial Cost of Study (PCS).	Applicants are required to apply via the NRF Connect online system (https://nrfconnect.nrf.ac.za) by selecting the Masters funding application. Closing date: July 2026 for 2027 funding support Academic Results deadline: December 2026 Late applications will not be accepted.
Engineering, Health sciences Humanities Law Commerce and Science	The overall percentage of supported students by the NRF will be 80% from the Science, Engineering and Technology (SET) disciplines and 20% from the Social Sciences and Humanities (SSH).	NRF - Full Cost of Study (FCS) and Partial Cost of Study (PCS) Local Awards: Doctoral	South African citizens and permanent residents as well as international candidates. Full-time Studies ONLY Values vary per degree level Minimum GPA for major subjects $\geq 75\%$ Full Cost of Study (FCS) and $\geq 65\%$ Partial Cost of Study (PCS).	Applicants are required to apply via the NRF Connect online system (https://nrfconnect.nrf.ac.za) by selecting the Doctoral funding application. Closing date: July 2026 for 2027 funding support Academic Results deadline: December 2026 Late applications will not be accepted.

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Faculty	Discipline	Name of award	Eligibility & conditions Value p.a.& Tenure	Address to which to apply & closing date for application
Engineering and Science	Students who wish to pursue postgraduate-level research relevant to the scientific and technical goals of the SKA and MeerKAT radio telescopes	South African Radio Astronomy Observatory (SARAO): Honours, Master's and Doctoral	<p>Maximum duration of a SARAO Scholarship; a. Honours: One year, however, SARAO will provide two years funding to students who register for the NASSP Extended Honours Course, b. Masters: Two years. c. Doctoral: Three years. Please refer to the NRF SARAO website https://www.sarao.ac.za/other-scholarship-and-postdoctoral-fellowship-opportunities/ for the full detail of all eligibility requirements.</p> <p>Values vary per degree level.</p> <p>Travel grants and Equipment Grant are awarded annually, for the duration of the scholarship</p>	<p>Applicants are required to apply via the NRF Connect online system (https://nrfconnect.nrf.ac.za) by selecting the SARAO Honours, SARAO Masters or SARAO Doctoral funding application.</p> <p>Closing date: August 2026 for 2027 funding support</p> <p>Academic Results deadline: December 2026</p> <p>Late applications will not be accepted.</p>
Engineering, Health sciences, Humanities, Law, Commerce and Science	Extensions will only be granted under exceptional circumstances and will be for either six (6) or twelve (12) months as the NRF expects all postgraduate students to complete their qualifications within the NRF funding period.	NRF - Extension Masters and Extension Doctoral Local Awards	<p>Please refer to the NRF framework i.e., eligibility for extension support applicants for full time master's and doctoral studies. These are downloadable via the NRF website (https://www.nrf.ac.za/)</p>	<p>Applicants are required to apply via the NRF Connect online system (https://nrfconnect.nrf.ac.za) by selecting the Extension Masters or Extension Doctoral funding application.</p> <p>Closing date: August / September 2026 for 2027 funding support</p>

4 NATIONAL RESEARCH FOUNDATION (NRF)

Faculty	Discipline	Name of award	Eligibility & conditions Value p.a.& Tenure	Address to which to apply & closing date for application
Engineering, Health sciences, Law and Science	The programme is open to all subject areas with strong relevance to the national development of South Africa. This will include science, engineering, technology, applied social science, environmental and other special areas of law, but excludes the humanities and fine arts	NRF/DAAD Bursary: Local Master's and Doctoral	South African citizens and permanent residents are eligible for master's and doctoral bursaries. Only applicants that are eligible for FCS funding will be awarded NRF-DAAD funding. Applicants should have a general interest in an education and cultural exchange with Germany. Values vary per degree level Minimum GPA for major subjects $\geq 75\%$ Full Cost of Study (FCS) and $\geq 65\%$ Partial Cost of Study (PCS). Late applications will not be accepted.	Applicants are required to apply via the NRF Connect online system (https://nrfconnect.nrf.ac.za) by selecting the Doctoral funding application. Closing date: July 2026 for 2027 funding support Academic Results deadline: December 2026

Contact NRF Administration Offices in the UCT Postgraduate Funding Office for online application problems, assistance, and advice. Please note that the above information may change without prior notice therefore applicants are encouraged to visit the NRF's website (<https://www.nrf.ac.za/>) and PGFO's website.

Enquiries: nrfdasupport@uct.ac.za.

SECTION 2

UCT SOURCED, ENDOWMENT AND DONOR FUNDED POSTGRADUATE AWARDS

University Financial need and merit scholarships

To improve the chances of securing sufficient funding, Honours, Master's and Doctoral candidates, are encouraged to apply for other sources of funding. PLEASE NOTE: These awards are NOT GUARANTEED and depend on availability of funds.

Candidates in the fourth year of a Bachelor's degree, PGCE, Postgraduate Diplomas, or any other university-designated part-time programme, the PGCE or the LLB and BArch degrees students are ineligible for postgraduate funding and must, where applicable contact the Undergraduate Student Financial Aid Office for information regarding funding.

UCT awards appearing in sub-sections A and C are restricted to South African citizens and permanent residents.

A single Postgraduate Financial Assistance Application should be submitted for most awards appearing under sub-sections A and C, except where otherwise specified. Candidates will automatically be considered for all awards within these sections for which they may be eligible.

Please take note of the closing dates as LATE AND/OR INCOMPLETE APPLICATIONS WILL NOT BE CONSIDERED.

Please note that specific application forms or alternative application procedures are required in order to apply for awards appearing under sub-sections B and D.

Renewal of Master's and Doctoral students funding appearing in subsections A (for those who are eligible) will be automatically renewed based on the submission of a satisfactory progress report.

Where eligible, all applicants for Honours, Master's and Doctoral study are reminded of the need to apply additionally for the appropriate NRF bursary scholarship (see Section 1)

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A: UCT Needs-based Awards (for South African and Permanent residents)

Faculty	Discipline	Name of award	Eligibility & conditions Value p.a. & Tenure	Address to which to apply & closing date for application
Commerce, Engineering Health Sciences, Humanities, Law and Science	All Disciplines	UCT Honours Financial Need Scholarships	Requirements: Full-time Honours study Full-time employed applicants are ineligible. Working hours limited to 20 hours per week Annual gross household income R350 000 or less Value: Contribution towards studies Tenure: first year of study only *Not renewable	Apply via: Postgraduate Online funding application via the PeopleSoft system and a submitted UCT Admissions application, https://studentsonline.uct.ac.za/ Opening date: August 2026 Closing date: 10 November 2026
Commerce, Engineering Health Sciences, Humanities, Law and Science	All Disciplines	UCT Honours GAP Scholarship	Requirements: Graduates from any university for full-time Honours study Full-time employed applicants are ineligible. Working hours limited to 20 hours per week Annual gross household income between R350 001 and R600 000 Value: Percentage bursary towards tuition fees only. Tenure: First year of study only *Not renewable	Apply via: Postgraduate Online funding application via the PeopleSoft system and a submitted UCT Admissions application, https://studentsonline.uct.ac.za/ Opening date: August 2026 Closing date: 10 November 2026

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Faculty	Discipline	Name of award	Eligibility & conditions Value p.a. & Tenure	Address to which to apply & closing date for application
Commerce, Engineering Health Sciences, Humanities, Law and Science	All Disciplines	UCT Master's Financial Need Scholarship	Requirements: Full-time Master's study Full-time employed applicants are ineligible. Working hours limited to 20 hours per week Annual gross household income R350 000 or less Value: Contribution towards studies Tenure: First two years of study only, renewable depending on your year-end progress	Apply via: Postgraduate Online funding application via the PeopleSoft system and a submitted UCT Admissions application, https://studentonline.uct.ac.za/ Opening date: August 2026 Closing date: 10 November 2026
Commerce, Engineering Health Sciences, Humanities, Law and Science	All Disciplines	UCT Master's GAP Scholarship	Requirements: Full-time Master's study Full-time employed applicants are ineligible. Working hours limited to 20 hours per week Annual gross household income between R350 001 and R600 000 Value: Percentage bursary towards tuition fees only Tenure: First two years of study only, renewable depending on your year-end progress	Apply via: Postgraduate Online funding application via the PeopleSoft system and a submitted UCT Admissions application, https://studentonline.uct.ac.za/ Opening date: August 2026 Closing date: 10 November 2026

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Faculty	Discipline	Name of award	Eligibility & conditions Value p.a. & Tenure	Address to which to apply & closing date for application
Commerce, Engineering Health Sciences, Humanities, Law and Science	All Disciplines	UCT Doctoral Financial Need Scholarship	<p>Requirements: Full-time registration for the Doctoral degree Full-time employed applicants are ineligible. Working hours limited to 20 hours per week Annual gross household income R350 000 or less</p> <p>Value: Contribution towards studies</p> <p>Tenure: First three years of study only, renewable depending on your year-end progress</p>	<p>Apply via: Postgraduate Online funding application via the PeopleSoft system and a submitted UCT Admissions application, https://studentonline.uct.ac.za/</p> <p>Opening date: August 2026</p> <p>Closing date: 10 November 2026</p>
Commerce, Engineering Health Sciences, Humanities, Law and Science	All Disciplines	UCT Doctoral GAP Scholarship	<p>Requirements: Full-time registration for the Doctoral degree Full-time employed applicants are ineligible. Working hours limited to 20 hours per week Annual gross household income between R350 001 and R600 000</p> <p>Value: Percentage bursary towards tuition fees only.</p> <p>Tenure: First three years of study, renewable depending on your year-end progress</p>	<p>Apply via: Postgraduate Online funding application via the PeopleSoft system and a submitted UCT Admissions application, https://studentonline.uct.ac.za/</p> <p>Opening date: August 2026</p> <p>Closing date: 10 November 2026</p>

Contact UCT Postgraduate Funding Office: Telephone (021) 650 3622;
Email pgfunding@uct.ac.za

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B: Travel Awards

Faculty	Discipline	Name of award	Eligibility & conditions Value p.a. & Tenure	Address to which to apply & closing date for application
Commerce, Engineering, Health Sciences, Humanities, Law and Science	All Disciplines	Scarbrow Bursary Fund	South African citizens Past or present students of UCT to study a recognised profession at any university in UK, Ireland, USA, Canada or Europe	Refer to the Postgraduate Funding Office URL: https://uct.ac.za/students/fees-funding-postgraduate-degree-funding-bursaries-scholarships/travel-scholarships Closing date: 10 October 2026
Commerce, Engineering, Health Sciences, Humanities, Law and Science	All Disciplines	UCT Postgraduate Doctoral Conference Travel Grants	Requirements: Doctoral students: Only in second or third years of study, except students who have upgraded from Master's to Doctoral study are eligible in the first and second year of registration for doctoral study. Value: Variable and not full cost, yet up to a maximum of R32 000 <i>*Specific rules apply. Please refer to the terms of reference available from the Funding office</i>	See conditions on https://uct.ac.za/students/fees-funding-postgraduate-degree-funding-bursaries-scholarships/travel-scholarships Closing Date 21 February 2026 (for travel between March 2026 and October 2026) Closing Date 23 August 2026 (for travel between November 2026 and April 2027) <i>Full report on participation/presentation and expenditure receipts required upon return to UCT</i>

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Faculty	Discipline	Name of award	Eligibility & conditions Value p.a. & Tenure	Address to which to apply & closing date for application
Commerce, Engineering, Health Sciences, Humanities, Law and Science	All Disciplines	UCT Scholarship for International Travel	<p>Requirements: Only first and second year Master's and first, second and third year Doctoral students registered at UCT for full-time study, and who wish to spend *two (minimum) to ten (maximum) months at an approved international institution for the purposes of conducting research that ordinarily cannot be undertaken at UCT.</p> <p>Value: Variable Tenure: Only one award per student, per degree</p> <p><i>*Specific rules apply. Please refer to the terms of reference available from the Funding office</i></p>	<p>UCT Scholarships for International Travel application form available upon request from the Postgraduate Funding Office. Application to be submitted at least three months prior to intended departure.</p> <p>Accompanying documents: Letter of application, full research proposal and/or progress report, letter of motivation from Head of Department, full details of proposed travel and costing, proof of acceptance by host institution and supporting documents.</p> <p>Closing date: Ad hoc</p> <p>Closing date: Ad hoc</p> <p><i>Full report and expenditure receipts required on return to UCT.</i></p>

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Faculty	Discipline	Name of award	Eligibility & conditions Value p.a. & Tenure	Address to which to apply & closing date for application
Engineering	Minerals Sector	Dee Bradshaw & Friends' Scholarship	<p>Requirements: Doctoral or Master's students (Master's students must be registered for a degree that has a research component of 50% or more) who are registered at UCT, to proceed to an approved international institution for purposes of conducting research that ordinarily cannot be undertaken at UCT, or for attendance at specific and approved courses that contribute substantively to the student's research project. Applicants must be in the field of the Minerals Sector.</p> <p>Value: Variable Tenure: One year only</p> <p><i>Specific rules apply: Please refer to the terms of reference available from the Postgraduate Funding Office</i></p>	<p>The application and conditions of award are available at https://uct.ac.za/students/fellowships/postgraduate-degree-funding-bursaries-scholarships/travel-scholarships</p> <p>Contact Postgraduate Funding Office for the closing date at fellowships@uct.ac.za</p> <p><i>Full travel report and expenditure receipts required on return to UCT</i></p>

Contact UCT Postgraduate Funding Office: Telephone (021) 650 3622;
Email Fellowships@uct.ac.za

C. Merit and Need-based awards applied via the PG Financial Aid scholarship *(for South African and Permanent residents)*

Faculty	Discipline	Name of award	Eligibility & conditions Value p.a. & Tenure	Address to which to apply & closing date for application
Commerce, Engineering, Health Sciences, Humanities, Law and Science	All Disciplines	Alexandra Club Bursary	Requirements: Female UCT graduate Value: Variable Tenure: one year	Apply via: Postgraduate Online funding application via the PeopleSoft system and a submitted UCT Admissions application, https://studentsonline.uct.ac.za/ Opening date: August 2026 Closing date: 10 November 2026
Commerce, Engineering, Health Sciences, Humanities, Law and Science	All Disciplines	Ashton, Lilly Educational Trust	Requirements: Candidate must have been disadvantage during their youth Value: Variable Tenure: one year Master's renewable for one further year (maximum two years), one year Doctoral, renewable for two further years (maximum three years), <i>renewable depending on your year-end progress</i>	Apply via: Postgraduate Online funding application via the PeopleSoft system and a submitted UCT Admissions application, https://studentsonline.uct.ac.za/ Opening date: August 2026 Closing date: 10 November 2026
Commerce, Engineering, Health Sciences, Humanities, Law and Science	All Disciplines	Beattie, Jock Memorial Bursary	Requirements: For Honours or Master's degrees in major subject of first degree. Value: Variable Tenure: one year	Apply via: Postgraduate Online funding application via the PeopleSoft system and a submitted UCT Admissions application, https://studentsonline.uct.ac.za/ Opening date: August 2026 Closing date: 10 November 2026

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Faculty	Discipline	Name of award	Eligibility & conditions Value p.a. & Tenure	Address to which to apply & closing date for application
Commerce, Engineering, Health Sciences, Humanities, Law and Science	All Disciplines	Hans Middleman Open Society Bursary	<p>Requirements: Student who is likely to promote and further the concept of an Open Society in South Africa</p> <p>Value: Variable Tenure: one year Master's renewable for one further year (maximum two years) one year Doctoral, renewable for two further years (maximum three years), <i>renewable depending on your year-end progress</i></p>	<p>Apply via: Postgraduate Online funding application via the PeopleSoft system and a submitted UCT Admissions application, https://studentsonline.uct.ac.za/</p> <p>Opening date: August 2026 Closing date: 10 November 2026</p>
Commerce, Engineering, Health Sciences, Humanities, Law and Science	All Disciplines	Johnson, Siri Bursary	<p>Requirements: Limited number of awards for full-time Master's and Doctoral students undertaking research degrees Based on merit</p> <p>Value: Variable Tenure: one year Master's renewable for one further year (maximum two years) one year Doctoral, renewable for two further years (maximum three years), <i>renewable depending on your year-end progress</i></p>	<p>Apply via: Postgraduate Online funding application via the PeopleSoft system and a submitted UCT Admissions application, https://studentsonline.uct.ac.za/</p> <p>Opening date: August 2026 Closing date: 10 November 2026</p>

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Faculty	Discipline	Name of award	Eligibility & conditions Value p.a. & Tenure	Address to which to apply & closing date for application
Commerce, Engineering, Health Sciences, Humanities, Law and Science	All Disciplines	Johnston, KW Research Scholarship	<p>Requirements: Limited number of awards for full-time Master's and Doctoral students undertaking research degrees Based on merit</p> <p>Value: Variable Tenure: one year Master's renewable for one further year (maximum two years) one year Doctoral, renewable for two further years (maximum three years), <i>renewable depending on your year-end progress</i></p>	<p>Apply via: Postgraduate Online funding application via the PeopleSoft system and a submitted UCT Admissions application, https://studentonline.uct.ac.za/</p> <p>Opening date: August 2026 Closing date: 10 November 2026</p>
Commerce, Engineering, Health Sciences, Humanities, Law and Science	All Disciplines	Mullne, Rose & Sydney Bursary	<p>Requirements: Master's or Doctoral study by research</p> <p>Value: Variable Tenure: one year Master's renewable for one further year (maximum two years) one year Doctoral, renewable for two further years (maximum three years), <i>renewable depending on your year-end progress</i></p>	<p>Apply via: Postgraduate Online funding application via the PeopleSoft system and a submitted UCT Admissions application, https://studentonline.uct.ac.za/</p> <p>Opening date: August 2026 Closing date: 10 November 2026</p>

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Faculty	Discipline	Name of award	Eligibility & conditions Value p.a. & Tenure	Address to which to apply & closing date for application
Commerce, Engineering, Health Sciences, Humanities, Law and Science	All Disciplines	Saunders, Noreen Bursary	Requirements: Preference for female UCT graduate Value: Variable Tenure: one year Master's renewable for one further year (maximum two years) one year Doctoral, renewable for two further years (maximum three years), <i>renewable depending on your year-end progress</i>	Apply via: Postgraduate Online funding application via the PeopleSoft system and a submitted UCT Admissions application, https://studentsonline.uct.ac.za/ Opening date: August 2026 Closing date: 10 November 2026
Commerce, Engineering, Health Sciences, Humanities, Law and Science	All Disciplines	Twamley Postgraduate Bursary	Requirements: Master's or Doctoral study Value: Variable Tenure: one year Master's renewable for one further year (maximum two years) one year Doctoral, renewable for two further years (maximum three years), <i>renewable depending on your year-end progress</i>	Apply via: Postgraduate Online funding application via the PeopleSoft system and a submitted UCT Admissions application, https://studentsonline.uct.ac.za/ Opening date: August 2026 Closing date: 10 November 2026
Commerce, Engineering, Health Sciences, Humanities, Law and Science	All Disciplines	UCT Fund Inc	Requirements: Needy students Value: Variable Tenure: One year, <i>renewal at donor's discretion</i>	Apply via: Postgraduate Online funding application via the PeopleSoft system and a submitted UCT Admissions application, https://studentsonline.uct.ac.za/ Opening date: August 2026 Closing date: 10 November 2026

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Faculty	Discipline	Name of award	Eligibility & conditions Value p.a. & Tenure	Address to which to apply & closing date for application
Commerce, Engineering, Health Sciences, Humanities, Law and Science	All Disciplines	UK Alumni Bursary	<p>Requirements: Awarded on basis of need for postgraduate study from historical disadvantaged background</p> <p>Value: Variable Tenure: one year Master's renewable for one further year (maximum two years) one year Doctoral, renewable for two further years (maximum three years), <i>renewable depending on your year-end progress</i></p>	<p>Apply via: Postgraduate Online funding application via the PeopleSoft system and a submitted UCT Admissions application, https://studentsonline.uct.ac.za/</p> <p>Opening date: August 2026 Closing date: 10 November 2026</p>
Commerce, Engineering, Health Sciences, Humanities, Law and Science	All Disciplines	Urmson - Smith Bursary	<p>Requirements: For Honours, Master's or Doctoral study at UCT Graduates born, educated or permanent resident in Oudtshoorn</p> <p>Value: Variable Tenure: one year Master's renewable for one further year (maximum two years) one year Doctoral, renewable for two further years (maximum three years), <i>renewable depending on your year-end progress</i></p>	<p>Apply via: Postgraduate Online funding application via the PeopleSoft system and a submitted UCT Admissions application, https://studentsonline.uct.ac.za/</p> <p>Opening date: August 2026 Closing date: 10 November 2026</p>

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Faculty	Discipline	Name of award	Eligibility & conditions Value p.a. & Tenure	Address to which to apply & closing date for application
Commerce, Engineering, Health Sciences, Humanities, Law and Science	All Disciplines	Wakeford, Dr John Bursary	Requirements: Preference for degrees in Education Graduates born/educated in Kimberley Value: Variable Tenure: one year	Apply via: Postgraduate Online funding application via the PeopleSoft system and a submitted UCT Admissions application, https://studentsonline.uct.ac.za/ Opening date: August 2026 Closing date: 10 November 2026
Commerce	Economics, Accounting, Statistics (excluding Science/mathematics related statistics), Operations/Engineering Management Organisational and Industrial Psychology and Information System	Anglo Amer DeBeers Chairman Fund	Requirements: Awarded on basis of merit (65% GPA) and need for postgraduate study for previously disadvantaged backgrounds Value: Variable Tenure: one year Master's renewable for one further year (maximum two years) one year Doctoral, renewable for two further years (maximum three years), <i>renewable depending on your year-end progress</i>	Apply via: Postgraduate Online funding application via the PeopleSoft system and a submitted UCT Admissions application, https://studentsonline.uct.ac.za/ Opening date: August 2026 Closing date: 10 November 2026
Commerce	Business	Sir Chips Keswick Postgraduate Bursary	Requirements: Honours or Masters Postgraduate study in Business from a historically disadvantaged background Value: Variable Tenure: one year	Apply via: Postgraduate Online funding application via the PeopleSoft system and a submitted UCT Admissions application, https://studentsonline.uct.ac.za/ Opening date: August 2026 Closing date: 10 November 2026

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Faculty	Discipline	Name of award	Eligibility & conditions Value p.a. & Tenure	Address to which to apply & closing date for application
Commerce	Economics	Van der Horst, Sheila Bursary	Requirements: Degree in Economics Awards made on basis of merit and financial need Value: Up to R20 000 Tenure: one year	Contact: Administrative Officer: Reza Abrams Room 4.29, School of Economics building. Middle Campus reza.abrams@uct.ac.za Closing date: Please consult the department
Engineering	All Disciplines	McKay, Alister and Graham	Requirements: Master's study by research Value: Variable Tenure: Renewable <i>by donor approval</i>	Apply via: Postgraduate Online funding application via the PeopleSoft system and a submitted UCT Admissions application, https://studentsonline.uct.ac.za/ Opening date: August 2026 Closing date: 10 November 2026
Engineering	Mechanical Engineering	Reino Stegen Scholarships	Requirements: Awarded on basis of merit (65% GPA) and need for postgraduate study (Master's and Doctoral) Value: R20 000 Tenure: one year Master's renewable for one further year (maximum two years) one year Doctoral, renewable for two further years (maximum three years), <i>renewable depending on your year-end progress</i>	Apply via: Postgraduate Online funding application via the PeopleSoft system and a submitted UCT Admissions application, https://studentsonline.uct.ac.za/ Opening date: August 2026 Closing date: 10 November 2026

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Faculty	Discipline	Name of award	Eligibility & conditions Value p.a. & Tenure	Address to which to apply & closing date for application
Engineering	Architecture & Planning	Walker, Hugh & Win Scholarship	<p>Requirements: Awarded with preference for degrees in Architecture and, thereafter, Planning.</p> <p>Value: Variable Tenure: one year</p>	<p>Apply via: Postgraduate Online funding application via the PeopleSoft system and a submitted UCT Admissions application, https://studentsonline.uct.ac.za/</p> <p>Opening date: August 2026 Closing date: 10 November 2026</p>
Engineering, Health Sciences and Commerce (Information Technology)	All Disciplines	Levenstein, Ada & Bertie Bursary	<p>Requirements: Limited number of awards on basis of merit (65% GPA) and need for postgraduate study, Age 25 or younger</p> <p>Value: Variable Tenure: one year Master's renewable for one further year (maximum two years) one year Doctoral, renewable for two further years (maximum three years), <i>renewable depending on your year-end progress</i></p>	<p>Apply via: Postgraduate Online funding application via the PeopleSoft system and a submitted UCT Admissions application, https://studentsonline.uct.ac.za/</p> <p>Opening date: August 2026 Closing date: 10 November 2026</p>

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Faculty	Discipline	Name of award	Eligibility & conditions Value p.a. & Tenure	Address to which to apply & closing date for application
Health Sciences	Cancer Research	Baxter, J W Duncan Scholarship	<p>Requirements: Preference for cancer research</p> <p>Value: Variable Tenure: one year Master's renewable for one further year (maximum two years) one year Doctoral, renewable for two further years (maximum three years), <i>renewable depending on your year-end progress</i></p>	<p>Apply via: Postgraduate Online funding application via the PeopleSoft system and a submitted UCT Admissions application, https://studentsonline.uct.ac.za/</p> <p>Opening date: August 2026 Closing date: 10 November 2026</p>
Health Sciences	Cancer Research	Benfara Scholarship	<p>Requirements: For postgraduate Honours, Master's and Doctoral study in Health Sciences and cancer related research</p> <p>Value: Variable Tenure: one year Master's renewable for one further year (maximum two years) one year Doctoral, renewable for two further years (maximum three years), <i>renewable depending on your year-end progress</i></p>	<p>Apply via: Postgraduate Online funding application via the PeopleSoft system and a submitted UCT Admissions application, https://studentsonline.uct.ac.za/</p> <p>Opening date: August 2026 Closing date: 10 November 2026</p>

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Faculty	Discipline	Name of award	Eligibility & conditions Value p.a. & Tenure	Address to which to apply & closing date for application
Health Sciences	All Disciplines	Brunow, Myer & Harry, Scholarships	<p>Requirements: For postgraduate Honours, Master's and Doctoral study in Health Sciences</p> <p>Value: Variable Tenure: one year Master's renewable for one further year (maximum two years) one year Doctoral, renewable for two further years (maximum three years), <i>renewable depending on your year-end progress</i></p>	<p>Apply via: Postgraduate Online funding application via the PeopleSoft system and a submitted UCT Admissions application, https://studentsonline.uct.ac.za/</p> <p>Opening date: August 2026 Closing date: 10 November 2026</p>
Health Sciences	All Disciplines	Forman, Frank Grant	<p>Requirements: For Honours, Master's or Doctoral study and research in Health Sciences</p> <p>Value: Variable Tenure: one year Master's renewable for one further year (maximum two years) one year Doctoral, renewable for two further years (maximum three years), <i>renewable depending on your year-end progress</i></p>	<p>Apply via: Postgraduate Online funding application via the PeopleSoft system and a submitted UCT Admissions application, https://studentsonline.uct.ac.za/</p> <p>Opening date: August 2026 Closing date: 10 November 2026</p>

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Faculty	Discipline	Name of award	Eligibility & conditions Value p.a. & Tenure	Address to which to apply & closing date for application
Health Sciences	All Disciplines	Glickman/Elliott Scholarship	<p>Requirements: For postgraduate Honours, Master's and Doctoral study in Health Sciences</p> <p>Value: Variable Tenure: one year Master's renewable for one further year (maximum two years) one year Doctoral, renewable for two further years (maximum three years), <i>renewable depending on your year-end progress</i></p>	<p>Apply via: Postgraduate Online funding application via the PeopleSoft system and a submitted UCT Admissions application, https://studentsonline.uct.ac.za/</p> <p>Opening date: August 2026 Closing date: 10 November 2026</p>
Health Sciences	Medical Research	Loewenstein Trust Postgraduate Scholarship	<p>Requirements: Full-time Master's and Doctoral study in medical sciences Awarded on merit (GPA 60% and above) with a dissertation/thesis component of 100%, open to South African citizens generally under the age of 30 years.</p> <p>Value: Variable Tenure: one year, <i>but may be renewable in special cases</i></p>	<p>Apply via: Postgraduate Online funding application via the PeopleSoft system and a submitted UCT Admissions application, https://studentsonline.uct.ac.za/</p> <p>Opening date: August 2026 Closing date: 10 November 2026</p>

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Faculty	Discipline	Name of award	Eligibility & conditions Value p.a. & Tenure	Address to which to apply & closing date for application
Health Sciences	All Disciplines	Rubin, Marcus Scholarship	<p>Requirements: For postgraduate Honours, Master's and Doctoral study in Health Sciences</p> <p>Value: Variable Tenure: one year Master's renewable for one further year (maximum two years) one year Doctoral, renewable for two further years (maximum three years), <i>renewable depending on your year-end progress</i></p>	<p>Apply via: Postgraduate Online funding application via the PeopleSoft system and a submitted UCT Admissions application, https://studentsonline.uct.ac.za/</p> <p>Opening date: August 2026 Closing date: 10 November 2026</p>
Health Sciences	Cancer Research	Yeoman Bequest Bursary	<p>Requirements: For postgraduate Honours, Master's and Doctoral study in Health Sciences</p> <p>Value: Variable Tenure: one year Master's renewable for one further year (maximum two years) one year Doctoral, renewable for two further years (maximum three years), <i>renewable depending on your year-end progress</i></p>	<p>Apply via: Postgraduate Online funding application via the PeopleSoft system and a submitted UCT Admissions application, https://studentsonline.uct.ac.za/</p> <p>Opening date: August 2026 Closing date: 10 November 2026</p>

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Faculty	Discipline	Name of award	Eligibility & conditions Value p.a. & Tenure	Address to which to apply & closing date for application
Health Sciences, Humanities, Law	Any discipline in Law and Health Sciences. Only Drama and Operatics Studies in Humanities	Canadian Alumni Postgraduate Bursary	<p>Requirements: Any discipline in Law and Health Sciences. Only Drama and Operatics Studies in Humanities.</p> <p>Value: Variable Tenure: one year Master's renewable for one further year (maximum two years) one year Doctoral, renewable for two further years (maximum three years), <i>renewable depending on your year-end progress</i></p>	<p>Apply via: Postgraduate Online funding application via the PeopleSoft system and a submitted UCT Admissions application, https://studentsonline.uct.ac.za/</p> <p>Opening date: August 2026 Closing date: 10 November 2026</p>
Humanities	Social Sciences	Albrow Bursary	<p>Requirements: Preference for research in Race Relations for Honours, Master's or Doctoral</p> <p>Value: Variable Tenure: one year Master's renewable for one further year (maximum two years) one year Doctoral, renewable for two further years (maximum three years), <i>renewable depending on your year-end progress</i></p>	<p>Apply via: Postgraduate Online funding application via the PeopleSoft system and a submitted UCT Admissions application, https://studentsonline.uct.ac.za/</p> <p>Opening date: August 2026 Closing date: 10 November 2026</p>

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Faculty	Discipline	Name of award	Eligibility & conditions Value p.a. & Tenure	Address to which to apply & closing date for application
Humanities	Music	Bokhorst, Matthijs Bursary	Requirements: For postgraduate study in Music Value: Variable Tenure: one year	Apply via: Postgraduate Online funding application via the PeopleSoft system and a submitted UCT Admissions application, https://studentsonline.uct.ac.za/ Opening date: August 2026 Closing date: 10 November 2026
Humanities	Library and Information Studies	Buyskes, Hilda Bursary	Requirements: Graduate with aptitude for library and information work. Acceptance by UCT into the PGDipLIS for the forthcoming year (full- time study) Submission: of a letter of motivation, a CV, full academic transcript of previous studies, and two referees' letters to determine passion for and interest in the discipline of Library and Information Studies to dkis@uct.ac.za	Contact: Enquiries to the Library and Information Studies Centre on dkis@uct.ac.za
Humanities	Music	Chisholm, Erik Memorial Bursary	Requirements: Awarded on basis of ability and need for postgraduate study at the South African College of Music Value: Variable Tenure: one year	Apply via: Postgraduate Online funding application via the PeopleSoft system and a submitted UCT Admissions application, https://studentsonline.uct.ac.za/ Opening date: August 2026 Closing date: 10 November 2026

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Faculty	Discipline	Name of award	Eligibility & conditions Value p.a. & Tenure	Address to which to apply & closing date for application
Humanities	Music	EE Coutts Bursary	Requirements: Full-time music students Value: Variable Tenure: one year	Apply via: Postgraduate Online funding application via the PeopleSoft system and a submitted UCT Admissions application, https://studentsonline.uct.ac.za/ Opening date: August 2026 Closing date: 10 November 2026
Humanities	English	Epstein, Bertha Isobel Bursary	Requirements: South African student For postgraduate study in English Literature Value: Variable Tenure: one year	Apply via: Postgraduate Online funding application via the PeopleSoft system and a submitted UCT Admissions application, https://studentsonline.uct.ac.za/ Opening date: August 2026 Closing date: 10 November 2026
Humanities	Music	Epstein, Louis Bursary	Requirements: South African student For postgraduate study in Music Value: Variable Tenure: one year	Apply via: Postgraduate Online funding application via the PeopleSoft system and a submitted UCT Admissions application, https://studentsonline.uct.ac.za/ Opening date: August 2026 Closing date: 10 November 2026

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Faculty	Discipline	Name of award	Eligibility & conditions Value p.a. & Tenure	Address to which to apply & closing date for application
Humanities	English Language and Literature	Frances Arnold & Esme Clark Bursary	Requirements: Awarded on basis of need for postgraduate study Value: Variable Tenure: one year	Apply via: Postgraduate Online funding application via the PeopleSoft system and a submitted UCT Admissions application, https://studentonline.uct.ac.za/ Opening date: August 2026 Closing date: 10 November 2026
Humanities	Music Preference for the study of the Cello	Gardell, Stella & John Bursary	Requirements: Full-time study at the South African College of Music Honours, Master's and Doctoral Value: Variable Tenure: one year	Apply via: Postgraduate Online funding application via the PeopleSoft system and a submitted UCT Admissions application, https://studentonline.uct.ac.za/ Opening date: August 2026 Closing date: 10 November 2026
Humanities	Music & Psychology	Gavron, Dr Sylvia Scholarship	Requirements: For Master's and Doctoral students in Music (Piano) Or For Master's and Doctoral students in Psychology with specific emphasis on the study of wife abuse, including woman battering Value: Variable Tenure: one year	Apply via: Postgraduate Online funding application via the PeopleSoft system and a submitted UCT Admissions application, https://studentonline.uct.ac.za/ Opening date: August 2026 Closing date: 10 November 2026

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Faculty	Discipline	Name of award	Eligibility & conditions Value p.a. & Tenure	Address to which to apply & closing date for application
Humanities	Fine Arts Preference in the field of Graphic Design	Harries, Katrine Memorial Bursary	Requirements: For award to a needy postgraduate student in Department of Fine Arts. Preference given to the field of graphic design. Value: Variable Tenure: one year	Apply via: Postgraduate Online funding application via the PeopleSoft system and a submitted UCT Admissions application, https://studentsonline.uct.ac.za/ Opening date: August 2026 Closing date: 10 November 2026
Humanities	History, Classical Music	Ivor Davies Bursary	Requirements: Historical studies or classical music (preference for study in Piano) Value: Variable Tenure: one year Master's renewable for one further year (maximum two years) one year Doctoral, renewable for two further years (maximum three years), <i>renewable depending on your year-end progress</i>	Apply via: Postgraduate Online funding application via the PeopleSoft system and a submitted UCT Admissions application, https://studentsonline.uct.ac.za/ Opening date: August 2026 Closing date: 10 November 2026
Humanities	Piano	Kellman, Ascher Bursary	Requirements: For postgraduate study in Pianoforte Value: Variable Tenure: one year	Apply via: Postgraduate Online funding application via the PeopleSoft system and a submitted UCT Admissions application, https://studentsonline.uct.ac.za/ Opening date: August 2026 Closing date: 10 November 2026

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Faculty	Discipline	Name of award	Eligibility & conditions Value p.a. & Tenure	Address to which to apply & closing date for application
Humanities	Musicology	Kirby, PR Memorial Scholarship	Requirements: For study in Musicology at South African College of Music Preference for African Ethnomusicology Value: Variable Tenure: one year	Apply via: Postgraduate Online funding application via the PeopleSoft system and a submitted UCT Admissions application, https://studentsonline.uct.ac.za/ Opening date: August 2026 Closing date: 10 November 2026
Humanities	Music and Fine Art	Kramer, Jules Music & Fine Art Grants (Local)	Requirements: For postgraduate study in Music and Fine Art Value: Variable Tenure: one year	Apply via: Postgraduate Online funding application via the PeopleSoft system and a submitted UCT Admissions application, https://studentsonline.uct.ac.za/ Opening date: August 2026 Closing date: 10 November 2026
Humanities	Fine Art	MacIver Scholarship	Requirements: Awarded to promising women students currently registered or accepted for study at Michaelis School of Fine Art on the basis of creative work at the school. Value: Variable Tenure: one year	Apply via: Postgraduate Online funding application via the PeopleSoft system and a submitted UCT Admissions application, https://studentsonline.uct.ac.za/ Opening date: August 2026 Closing date: 10 November 2026

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Faculty	Discipline	Name of award	Eligibility & conditions Value p.a. & Tenure	Address to which to apply & closing date for application
Humanities	English	MacKenzie, Barbara Memorial Scholarship	Requirements: Restricted to women undertaking a Master's degree in English. Minimum 2+ result for English III. Value: Variable Tenure: one year	Apply via: Postgraduate Online funding application via the PeopleSoft system and a submitted UCT Admissions application, https://studentsonline.uct.ac.za/ Opening date: August 2026 Closing date: 10 November 2026
Humanities	Music	MacKenzie, Megan Memorial Scholarship	Requirements: Graduate with evidence of ability for advanced study in Music Value: Variable Tenure: one year	Apply via: Postgraduate Online funding application via the PeopleSoft system and a submitted UCT Admissions application, https://studentsonline.uct.ac.za/ Opening date: August 2026 Closing date: 10 November 2026
Humanities	Music	Myra Chapman Department Scholarship	Requirements: Awarded on basis of merit and need for postgraduate study at the South African College of Music Value: Variable Tenure: one year	Apply via: Postgraduate Online funding application via the PeopleSoft system and a submitted UCT Admissions application, https://studentsonline.uct.ac.za/ Opening date: August 2026 Closing date: 10 November 2026

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Faculty	Discipline	Name of award	Eligibility & conditions Value p.a. & Tenure	Address to which to apply & closing date for application
Humanities	English Studies	NG Henshilwood Will Trust	Requirements: Awarded for postgraduate study Value: Variable Tenure: one year	Apply via: Postgraduate Online funding application via the PeopleSoft system and a submitted UCT Admissions application, https://studentsonline.uct.ac.za/ Opening date: August 2026 Closing date: 10 November 2026
Humanities	Social Work	Overbeek, John & Margaret Scholarship	Requirements: Awarded primarily on merit and need, for advanced study in Social Work. Award is restricted to South African and Permanent Residence students. Value: Variable Tenure: one year Master's renewable for one further year (maximum two years) one year Doctoral, renewable for two further years (maximum three years), <i>renewable depending on your year-end progress</i>	Apply via: Postgraduate Online funding application via the PeopleSoft system and a submitted UCT Admissions application, https://studentsonline.uct.ac.za/ Opening date: August 2026 Closing date: 10 November 2026
Humanities	Social Anthropology	Sacks, Ruth Bursary	Requirements: UCT graduate Value: Variable Tenure: one year	Apply via: Postgraduate Online funding application via the PeopleSoft system and a submitted UCT Admissions application, https://studentsonline.uct.ac.za/ Opening date: August 2026 Closing date: 10 November 2026

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Faculty	Discipline	Name of award	Eligibility & conditions Value p.a. & Tenure	Address to which to apply & closing date for application
Humanities	Library and Information Studies Department of Knowledge and Information Stewardship	Spilhaus, PA Memorial Bursary	<p>Requirements: Graduate with aptitude for library and information work. Acceptance by UCT into the PGDipLIS for the forthcoming year (full-time study).</p> <p>Submission: of a letter of motivation, a CV, full academic transcript of previous studies, and two referees' letters to determine passion for and interest in the discipline of Library and Information Studies to dkis@uct.ac.za</p>	<p>Contact: Enquiries to the Library and Information Studies Centre on dkis@uct.ac.za</p> <p>Closing date: First semester of each year.</p>
Humanities	Education	Spilman, Mary Dorina Bursary	<p>Requirements: For Honours, Master's and Doctoral students Value: Variable Tenure: one year Master's renewable for one further year (maximum two years) one year Doctoral, renewable for two further years (maximum three years), <i>renewable depending on your year-end progress</i></p>	<p>Apply via: Postgraduate Online funding application via the PeopleSoft system and a submitted UCT Admissions application, https://studentsonline.uct.ac.za/</p> <p>Opening date: August 2026 Closing date: 10 November 2026</p>
Humanities	Religious Studies	Woodstock & Salt River Mission Bursary	<p>Requirements: Protestant graduates intending to undertake missionary work Value: Variable Tenure: one year Master's renewable for one further year (maximum two years) one year Doctoral, renewable for two further years (maximum 3 years), <i>renewable depending on your year-end progress</i></p>	<p>Apply via: Postgraduate Online funding application via the PeopleSoft system and a submitted UCT Admissions application, https://studentsonline.uct.ac.za/</p> <p>Opening date: August 2026 Closing date: 10 November 2026</p>

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D. Miscellaneous awards and prizes

Faculty	Discipline	Name of award	Eligibility & conditions Value p.a. & Tenure	Address to which to apply & closing date for application
Commerce, Engineering Health Sciences, Humanities, Law and Science	All Disciplines	Garden Cities	Requirements: Honours Family income between R350 000 to R600 000 per annum and merit (60% GPA) Preference for Western Cape from disadvantaged backgrounds Value: Variable Tenure: one year	Apply via: PG funding noticeboard: https://uct.ac.za/students/fees-funding-postgraduate-degree-funding/postgraduate-degree-funding-noticeboard Hard-copy application handed into: Postgraduate Centre & Funding Office third level Otto Beit Building Upper Campus University of Cape Town Email: pgfunding@uct.ac.za Opening date: As advertised on website Closing date: As advertised on website
Commerce and Science	Information Systems	Information Systems Honours Bursary	Requirements: B. Com Honours OR be enrolled in fourth year B.Bus.Sci Demonstrate financial need Have a credit-weighted average of at least 65% for third year Information Systems/Computer Science courses Value: R60 000 Tenure: one year	Apply via: PG funding noticeboard: https://uct.ac.za/students/fees-funding-postgraduate-degree-funding/postgraduate-degree-funding-noticeboard Opening date: As advertised on website Closing date: As advertised on website

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Faculty	Discipline	Name of award	Eligibility & conditions Value p.a. & Tenure	Address to which to apply & closing date for application
Engineering and Commerce (Accounting Only)	<p>Students who are registered for full time study in any area of Engineering and Accounting</p> <p>Preference will be given to Postgraduate Diplomas, Honours and Masters</p>	Davidson, John Educational Trust	<p>Requirements: Academic Criteria: 60% mark and above for undergraduate, Honours or Masters coursework. Other Criteria: Financial need</p> <p>Value: Variable – The value of the bursaries to be awarded are at the discretion of the Trustees Tenure: one year, recipients to apply again for renewal. Renewals are not guaranteed.</p>	<p>Apply via: PG funding noticeboard: https://uct.ac.za/students/fees-funding-postgraduate-degree-funding/postgraduate-degree-funding-noticeboard</p> <p>Hard-copy application handed into: Postgraduate Centre & Funding Office third level Otto Beit Building Upper Campus University of Cape Town Email: pgfunding@uct.ac.za</p> <p>Opening date: As advertised on website Closing date: As advertised on website</p>
Health Sciences, Humanities, Law	<p>Research Topics are restricted to research which will contribute knowledge relating to the field of Child Protection in South Africa.</p> <p>Studies that contribute to the prevention of child abuse and neglect are particularly encouraged</p>	RAPCAN	<p>Requirements: Applicants must be registered for a PhD degree at UCT, renewable, pending satisfactory progress. Be financially deserving according to UCT's means test. Have demonstrated academic excellence at postgraduate level. Be a full-time South African doctoral student. Value: Variable Tenure: first three years of Doctoral degree, renewable at donor's discretion</p>	<p>Apply via: Postgraduate Online funding application via the PeopleSoft system and a submitted UCT Admissions application, https://studentsonline.uct.ac.za/</p> <p>A separate email titled RAPCAN must be sent with a concept note outlining a plausible research topic and a letter of support from a potential UCT supervisor to pgfunding@uct.ac.za</p> <p>Opening date: As advertised on website Closing date: As advertised on website</p>

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Faculty	Discipline	Name of award	Eligibility & conditions Value p.a. & Tenure	Address to which to apply & closing date for application
Humanities	Linguistic study of African Languages	Lestrade Scholarship	<p>Requirements: For postgraduate Linguistic study with preference for indigenous languages of Africa</p> <p>Values: Honours – R30 000 Master's – R36 000 Doctoral – R42 000</p> <p>Tenure: one year, recipients to apply again for renewal. <i>Renewals are not guaranteed.</i></p>	<p>Apply via: PG funding noticeboard: https://uct.ac.za/students/fees-funding-postgraduate-degree-funding-degree-funding-noticeboard</p> <p>Opening date: As advertised on website</p> <p>Closing date: As advertised on website</p>
Science	Mathematics	The Nigel & Judith Weiss Educational Trust (NJWET)	<p>Requirements: Full-time Honours study</p> <p>Value: Variable</p> <p>Tenure: one year</p>	<p>Apply via: Postgraduate Online funding application via the PeopleSoft system and a submitted UCT Admissions application, https://studentsonline.uct.ac.za/</p> <p>A separate email titled WEISS must be sent with a motivational letter as per instructions stated in the advertisement to pgfunding@uct.ac.za</p> <p>Opening date: As advertised on website</p> <p>Closing date: As advertised on website</p>

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SECTION 3

PRESTIGIOUS FELLOWSHIPS ADMINISTERED BY UCT (FROM A VARIETY OF EXTERNAL DONORS)

Prestigious Research Fellowships

Faculty	Discipline	Name of award	Eligibility & conditions Value p.a. & Tenure	Address to which to apply & closing date for application
Commerce, Engineering, Health Sciences, Humanities, Law and Science	All Disciplines	Accelerated Transformation Academic Program (ATAP))	<p>Requirements: Black (African, coloured or Indian) South African applicants are nominated based on high performance in their academics, with the purpose of actively pursuing an academic career. Candidates entering or within their Master's or Doctorate, who obtained an average mark of 70% in their last degree. Candidates should demonstrate involvement in teaching and/or curriculum development.</p> <p>Tenure: two years of Master's study (Year one & two) three years of PhD (Years one, two & three) Renewable dependant on satisfactory progress.</p> <p>Values: Research Master's - R200 000 per annum; Doctoral - R250 000 per annum.</p>	<p>By Nomination</p> <p><i>Please consult the PGFO for the relevant closing date and nomination procedure</i></p>

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Faculty	Discipline	Name of award	Eligibility & conditions Value p.a. & Tenure	Address to which to apply & closing date for application
Health Sciences	Nursing and Midwifery	Marjorie McIntosh Postgraduate Bursary in Midwifery and Child Nursing	<p>Requirements: Students from the African continent For full-time study towards Postgraduate Diploma and Master's degree</p> <p>Value: Variable Tenure: one year</p>	<p>Contact: Application to Head of Nursing and Midwifery Division, Accompanying documents: Application form, certified copies of all academic transcripts (no certificates), reference letters from two academics who have taught/supervised the applicant at university</p> <p>Opens: 1 December of current year and Closes: end of February of intake year</p>
Humanities	Social work and Social Development, Sociology and Political Sciences	Midgley, James & Khadija Prize	<p>Requirements: Postgraduate students (preferably doctoral) are nominated by the Department. The candidate shall demonstrate excellence in scholarly work, preferably at Doctoral level that broadly is compatible with Professor Midgley's academic interest in progressive social change, social justice and the role of government in improving the lives of all people.</p> <p>The successful candidate shall demonstrate an intention to pursue an academic career in the social sciences and must be registered in either departments</p>	<p>By Nomination</p> <p><i>Please consult the PGFO for the relevant closing date and application procedure</i></p>

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Faculty	Discipline	Name of award	Eligibility & conditions Value p.a. & Tenure	Address to which to apply & closing date for application
			of Social Work and Social Development, Sociology or Political Sciences. Value: Prize of R50 000 once-off	
Science	Computer Sciences, Mathematics	Exness ZA Bursaries	<p>Requirements:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1) postgraduate students in Mathematics or Computer Science 2) over 70% (or equivalent) grade average, 3) gross family income per annum household income under R350 000 per annum to qualify for 100% scholarship, and between R350 001 and R800 000 per annum to qualify for 75% scholarship. <p>Value: Variable Tenure: Renewable at donor's discretion</p>	<p>Apply via: PG funding noticeboard: https://uct.ac.za/students/fees-funding-postgraduate-degree-funding/postgraduate-degree-funding-noticeboard</p> <p>Opening date: As advertised on website Closing date: As advertised on website</p>

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SECTION 4

POSTGRADUATE (PG) RESEARCH SCHOLARSHIPS (formerly known as Departmental Scholarships) FOR STUDY AT UCT.

Postgraduate Research Scholarships formerly known as Departmental scholarships are applied for via independent application to the respective academic head of department. Interested students are thus advised to approach the relevant contact persons as stipulated below. All PG Research Scholarships are processed via PeopleSoft. The PG Research Scholarships process flow may be downloaded from the Postgraduate Funding Office website via this link (<https://uct.ac.za/students/fees-funding-postgraduate-degree-funding-bursaries-scholarships/departmental-scholarships>).

Faculty	Discipline	Name of award	Eligibility & conditions Value p.a. & Tenure	Address to which to apply & closing date for application
Commerce, Engineering, Health Sciences, Humanities, Law and Science	All Disciplines	Sports Council Bursary	Requirements: Applications should be made on the prescribed application form, available from the UCT Sport webpage https://sport.uct.ac.za Value: From R10 000 Tenure: one year renewable	URL: https://sport.uct.ac.za Closing Date: 31 October 2026
Commerce	Economics	African Economic Research Consortium Scholarship	Requirements: For students enrolled for collaborative Doctoral programmes in Economics Value: Variable Tenure: four years, subject to satisfactory progress annually.	Contact: Administrative Officer: Reza Abrams Room 4.29, School of Economics building. Middle Campus reza.abrams@uct.ac.za Closing Date: Please consult the department for the closing date

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Faculty	Discipline	Name of award	Eligibility & conditions Value p.a. & Tenure	Address to which to apply & closing date for application
Engineering	Chemical Engineering	Chemical Engineering Postgraduate Scholarship	Requirements: Awarded on merit for full-time Master's and Doctoral study in Chemical Engineering. Value: Variable Tenure: Master's - two years Doctoral - three years	Contact: The Head Department of Chemical Engineering, UCT Consult supervisor on commencement of research
Engineering	Electrical Engineering	Electrical Engineering	Requirements: Awarded on merit for full-time Master's and Doctoral study in Department of Electrical Engineering. Value: Variable	Contact: The Head Department of Electrical Engineering, UCT Consult supervisor on commencement of research
Engineering	Materials Engineering	Mechanical Engineering Scholarship	Requirements: Scholarship may be awarded by specific research groups within the Department. Candidates should identify the relevant academic supervisor and apply directly to the prospective supervisor for scholarship support.	Contact: Apply to the relevant academic supervisor In the Department of Mechanical Engineering, UCT. Closing Date: There is no specific closing date

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Faculty	Discipline	Name of award	Eligibility & conditions Value p.a. & Tenure	Address to which to apply & closing date for application
Graduate School of Business	Currently only open to postgraduate candidates who would like to complete a GSB: 1. MBA 2. MPhil in Inclusive Innovation Or requires funding to complete their 3. PhD	GSB/Bertha Centre for Social Innovation & Entrepreneurship Scholarships	<p>Requirements: Applicants will only be able to take up the Bertha Centre Scholarship if successfully admitted to the UCT GSB programme. An online application form, together with a short video application needs to be completed, please see information online here: https://gsbberthacentre.uct.ac.za/catalysing/bertha-centre-scholarship/</p> <p>Applicants must be a citizen from an African country and a permanent Resident for at least one year.</p>	<p>Contact: Fergus Turner/Ntombini Marrengane Telephone numbers: +27 (0)21 650 5728 or +27 (0)21 650 7574</p> <p>Website: https://gsbberthacentre.uct.ac.za/catalysing/bertha-centre-scholarship/</p> <p>Opening date: Applications open annually around July/August</p> <p>Closing Date: October 31 <i>subject to change annually</i></p>
Health Sciences	Radiation Oncology	Baker, Justice Peter Memorial Scholarship	<p>Requirements: For study/research in Radiation Oncology and Radiobiology.</p> <p>Value: Variable Tenure: one year</p>	<p>Contact: nadia.mitchell@uct.ac.za</p> <p>Department of Radiation Oncology L-Block, LD-Floor, Room D8 Anzio Road, Groote Schuur Hospital, UCT</p> <p>Closing Date: 30 January 2026</p>

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Faculty	Discipline	Name of award	Eligibility & conditions Value p.a. & Tenure	Address to which to apply & closing date for application
Health Sciences	Medical Research	Elliott, Guy Research Fellowship	<p>Requirements:</p> <p>South African citizen with medical degree. For full-time medical research at UCT within division of Medicine. Advertised on UCT notice board Medical Schools when available. Registration for MPhil; MMed; DSc (Med); Doctoral. Candidates must normally be under the age of 35 years when their appointment is made.</p> <p>Value: Variable</p>	<p>Contact: lydia.brown@uct.ac.za</p> <p>Guy Elliott Department of Medicine J Floor Old Main Building Groote Schuur Hospital Observatory 7925</p> <p>Closing Date: 15 September 2026 or as advertised</p>
Health Sciences	Cancer Research in any field	Honikman, Deena & Alfred Memorial Scholarship	<p>Requirements:</p> <p>For postgraduate research in Cancer or for Conference Travel to an appropriate conference</p> <p>Value: Variable Tenure: one year, renewable</p>	<p>Contact: nadia.mitchell@uct.ac.za</p> <p>Department of Radiation Oncology L-Block, LD-Floor, Room D-8, Anzio Road, Groote Schuur Hospital, UCT</p> <p>Closing Date: 31 October 2026 or as advertised</p>

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Faculty	Discipline	Name of award	Eligibility & conditions Value p.a. & Tenure	Address to which to apply & closing date for application
Health Sciences	Immunology, Pathology	Immunology Scholarship	Requirements: Limited awards for Honours, Master's, Doctoral or Postdoctoral research bursaries for those enrolled in the Division of Immunology. Value: Variable Tenure: one year	Contact: The Head Division of Immunology, Department of Pathology, IDM, UCT Awards are dependent on availability of funds Closing Date: Please consult the department for the closing date
Health Sciences	Anaesthetics	Prisman, David Travel Bursary	Requirements: UCT graduate Travel grant for postgraduate research in Anaesthetics Intermittent award Value: Up to R2 000 Tenure: one year	Contact: The Head Department of Anaesthetics, UCT Closing Date: Please consult the department for the closing date
Health Sciences	Physiotherapy	Roper, Margaret Scholarship	Requirements: Full-time Master's and Doctoral students Value: Variable Tenure: one year	Contact: Postgraduate Administrator: Ms Margo Rathan Department of Health and Rehabilitation Sciences F45 Old Main Building Groote Schuur Hospital Email: margo.rathan@uct.ac.za Closing Date: Please consult the department for the closing date

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Faculty	Discipline	Name of award	Eligibility & conditions Value p.a. & Tenure	Address to which to apply & closing date for application
Health Sciences	Physiotherapy	White, Margaret Scholarship	<p>Requirements:</p> <p>Full-time Master's or Doctoral students for study overseas</p> <p>Value: Variable Tenure: one year</p>	<p>Contact:</p> <p>Postgraduate Administrator: Ms Margo Rathan</p> <p>Department of Health and Rehabilitation Sciences</p> <p>Email: margo.rathan@uct.ac.za</p> <p>Closing Date: Please consult the department for the closing date</p>
Humanities	African Studies	HOI Scholarship	<p>Requirements:</p> <p>UCT full time registered Masters' and Doctoral students undertaking research in African Studies.</p> <p>Value: Up to R40 000 Tenure: one year</p>	<p>Contact:</p> <p>Centre for African Studies</p> <p>Harry Oppenheimer Institute Building, Upper Campus, UCT</p> <p>Noma-Afrika Maseti noma-afrika.maseti@uct.ac.za +2721 650 4868</p> <p>Closing Date: Advertised every year between March and April</p>

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Faculty	Discipline	Name of award	Eligibility & conditions Value p.a. & Tenure	Address to which to apply & closing date for application
Humanities	Jewish Studies, i.e. study and/or research relating to the history, politics, philosophy, sociology or culture of Jews and Judaism.	Kaplan Centre for Jewish Studies Award	Requirements: Postgraduate awards. Certain awards may be renewable. Value: Variable Tenure: one year	Contact: The Director Kaplan Centre, Rachel Bloch House, Engineering Mall, Upper Campus, Rondebosch Email: kc@uct.ac.za Closing Date: 5 February 2026
Humanities	African Studies	Simons, Jack Bursary	Requirements: Students registered for Postgraduate Diploma or Honours in African studies with disadvantaged educational backgrounds Award will be based on financial need and academic merit. Value: Maximum of R20 000 Tenure: one year	Contact: Centre for African Studies Harry Oppenheimer Institute Building, Upper Campus, UCT Noma-Afrika Maseti noma-afrika.maseti@uct.ac.za +2721 650 4868 Closing Date: Advertised every year between March and April

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Faculty	Discipline	Name of award	Eligibility & conditions Value p.a. & Tenure	Address to which to apply & closing date for application
Law	All Disciplines	Alexander Burman Memorial Grant	<p>Requirements: One grant is awarded each year to a woman who is either a South African citizen or permanent resident and is in their first year of a PhD in the field of socio-legal studies. The award is based primarily on academic merit although financial need may also be considered, and preference will be given to candidates from previously disadvantaged backgrounds.</p> <p>Value: R100 000 Tenure: One year, non-renewable</p>	<p>Contact: Law Faculty Office, Kramer Law Building, UCT.</p> <p>Visit https://law.uct.ac.za/undergrad-info-scholarship-funding/postgraduate-scholarships</p> <p>Closing Date: 15 November</p>

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Faculty	Discipline	Name of award	Eligibility & conditions Value p.a. & Tenure	Address to which to apply & closing date for application
Law	All Disciplines	Basil and Con Corder Scholarship	<p>Requirements:</p> <p>In 1997, a scholarship was established in terms of the wishes of the late Basil Corder. The scholarship is awarded to a University of Cape Town graduate in law who is registered at the University of Cape Town for the LL.M degree by coursework and minor dissertation, on the basis of financial need, proven academic merit and having displayed a concern for the wider community through service individually or in voluntary organisations.</p> <p>Preference will be given to an applicant who will be completing part of the degree at a university outside South Africa. In the event that there are no suitable candidates for the award at the level of LL.M studies, the scholarship may be awarded to an applicant registered for the Intermediate or Final Level LL.B, on the basis of financial need, proven academic merit and indication of concern for the wider community, as set out above.</p> <p>Value: Variable (approximately R10 000). Tenure: one year.</p>	<p>Contact: Law Faculty Office, Kramer Law Building, UCT.</p> <p>Email: lawscholarships-pg@uct.ac.za or</p> <p>Visit https://law.uct.ac.za/undergrad-info-scholarship-funding/postgraduate-scholarships</p> <p>Closing Date: as per department</p> <p>The direct link to the scholarships application form is as follows: https://forms.uct.ac.za/studentadmin/law01.pdf</p>

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Faculty	Discipline	Name of award	Eligibility & conditions Value p.a. & Tenure	Address to which to apply & closing date for application
Law	All Disciplines	Beric Croome Postgraduate Tax Law Scholarship	<p>Requirements:</p> <p>This scholarship has been established in recognition of the contribution made by Dr Beric Croome to the practice of tax law. Generous financial support from Dr Croome, an Advocate of the High Court and qualified CA who completed a PhD in Tax Law at UCT Law in 2008, as well as from friends and associates, has enabled the establishment of a fund from which an annual scholarship of R10 000 will be awarded to a candidate undertaking postgraduate tax law studies and who has an undergraduate record that reflects effort and perseverance, has financial need and who provides some evidence of having overcome disadvantage.</p> <p>Value: R10 000 Tenure: One year</p>	<p>Contact: Law Faculty Office, Kramer Law Building, UCT.</p> <p>Visit https://law.uct.ac.za/undergrad-info-scholarship-funding/postgraduate-scholarships</p> <p>Closing Date: 15 November</p>

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Faculty	Discipline	Name of award	Eligibility & conditions Value p.a. & Tenure	Address to which to apply & closing date for application
Law	All Disciplines	Ethel Walt Human Rights Scholarship	<p>Requirements: Ethel Walt was a human rights activist who directed her passion for social justice through her work in the Black Sash. This scholarship is awarded towards tuition for the LLM or MPhil programme in Social Justice or Human Rights Law by coursework and minor dissertation. Preference will be given to applicants who demonstrate proven community involvement of some kind, and a commitment to engaging in community issues after graduation</p> <p>Value: R10 000 Tenure: One year</p>	<p>Contact: Law Faculty Office, Kramer Law Building, UCT.</p> <p>Visit https://law.uct.ac.za/undergrad-info-scholarship-funding/postgraduate-scholarships</p> <p>Closing Date: 15 November</p>

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Faculty	Discipline	Name of award	Eligibility & conditions Value p.a. & Tenure	Address to which to apply & closing date for application
Law	All Disciplines	Excellence in Law Postgraduate Scholarships	<p>Requirements: The Faculty of Law has raised donor funding to be able to offer scholarships to previously disadvantaged South African postgraduate candidates. Several Excellence in Law scholarships are available annually, at LLM, MPhil and PhD level. These are awarded based primarily on academic merit, although financial need may also be a consideration.</p> <p>Value: R60 000 pa for LLM or MPhil candidates and R90 000 pa for PhD candidates Tenure: One year for LLM or MPhil by coursework and research candidates. Two years for Master's by research only candidates, subject to satisfactory progress in the first year of registration. Three years for PhD candidates, subject to satisfactory progress in the first and second year of registration</p>	<p>Contact: Law Faculty Office, Kramer Law Building, UCT.</p> <p>Visit https://law.uct.ac.za/undergrad-info-scholarship-funding/postgraduate-scholarships</p> <p>Closing Date: 15 November</p>

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Faculty	Discipline	Name of award	Eligibility & conditions Value p.a. & Tenure	Address to which to apply & closing date for application
Law	All Disciplines	Law Faculty Master's & Doctoral Scholarships	<p>Requirements: To encourage postgraduate research, the Law Faculty makes awards to suitable candidates for master's by research only or doctoral degrees in the Faculty of Law at UCT.</p> <p>This funding is to be regarded as a form of bridging finance to give students contemplating higher degrees the security of knowing that their financial needs will be at least partially met for the first year of their studies, which is a critical period in their progress.</p> <p>Successful candidates must also make application to the UCT Postgraduate Funding Office and other appropriate sources for scholarship funding.</p> <p>Any award from external sources that takes financial support beyond the level of R230 000 per annum for a master's student or R283 000 per annum for a doctoral student will then be deducted from the scholarship granted by the Faculty.</p> <p>Value: R84 000. Tenure: one year (renewable, depending on satisfactory progress, once only).</p>	<p>Contact: Law Faculty Office, Kramer Law Building, UCT.</p> <p>Email: lawscholarships-pg@uct.ac.za</p> <p>or</p> <p>Visit https://law.uct.ac.za/undergrad-info-scholarship-funding/postgraduate-scholarships</p> <p>Closing Date: as per department</p> <p>The direct link to the scholarships application form is as follows: https://forms.uct.ac.za/studentadmin/law01.pdf</p>

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Faculty	Discipline	Name of award	Eligibility & conditions Value p.a. & Tenure	Address to which to apply & closing date for application
Law	All Disciplines	Sir William Solomon Memorial Scholarship	<p>Requirements: In 1939 Miss Emile Jane Solomon bequeathed R10 000 to the University to fund a scholarship in memory of her brother, the late Sir William Solomon MA KCSI KCMG, formerly Chief Justice of the Union of South Africa.</p> <p>The scholarship is available for candidates taking research degrees in law by thesis only.</p> <p>Value: R20 000 for LL.M or MPhil and R30 000 for PhD. Tenure: one year (renewable, depending on satisfactory progress, once only).</p>	<p>Law Faculty Office, Kramer Law Building, UCT.</p> <p>Email: lawscholarships-pg@uct.ac.za</p> <p>or</p> <p>Visit https://law.uct.ac.za/undergrad-info-scholarship-funding/postgraduate-scholarships</p> <p>Closing Date: as per department</p> <p>The direct link to the scholarships application form is as follows: https://forms.uct.ac.za/studentadmin/law01.pdf</p>

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Faculty	Discipline	Name of award	Eligibility & conditions Value p.a. & Tenure	Address to which to apply & closing date for application
Law	All Disciplines	The Dikgang Moseneke Postgraduate Fellowship	<p>Requirements: These fellowships have been established by the UCT Faculty of Law, in recognition of the contribution that Justice Dikgang Moseneke has made to the field of law in South Africa. Generously supported by Justice Moseneke, as well as friends and associates, these fellowships are intended to promote and encourage academic research into areas of legal theory and practice, and their impact on social justice, democracy, constitutionalism, public accountability, development, and social change.</p> <p>Value: R140 000 pa for PhD; R90 000 pa for Masters</p> <p>Tenure: One year for a candidate registered for an LLM by coursework and research degree. Two years for a candidate registered for an LLM by research only degree, subject to satisfactory progress being shown in the first year of registration. Three years for a candidate registered for a PhD degree, subject to satisfactory progress being shown in the first and second years of registration.</p>	<p>Contact: Law Faculty Office, Kramer Law Building, UCT. Visit https://law.uct.ac.za/undergrad-info-scholarship-funding/postgraduate-scholarships</p> <p>Closing Date: 15 November</p>

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Faculty	Discipline	Name of award	Eligibility & conditions Value p.a. & Tenure	Address to which to apply & closing date for application
Law	All Disciplines	Wilfred Kramer Law Grants and Scholarships	<p>Requirements: Wilfred Kramer Law Grants are available for who enrol for approved higher postgraduate study in the Faculty of Law at the University of Cape Town.</p> <p>In addition, limited funds are available for students who wish to participate in an approved exchange programme at an overseas university the students do part of the LLM coursework at an approved overseas university and the balance of coursework as well as the minor dissertation at UCT Law Faculty.</p> <p>Further information is available from the Law Faculty Office. Wilfred Kramer Law Grants are available to enable graduates in law of the University of Cape Town to pursue postgraduate studies in law at Cambridge University, England, preferably (Trinity Hall), or elsewhere overseas.</p> <p>Value: Variable Tenure: one year (renewable, depending on satisfactory progress, once only).</p>	<p>Contact: Law Faculty Office, Kramer Law Building, UCT.</p> <p>Email: lawscholarships-pg@uct.ac.za</p> <p>or</p> <p>Visit https://law.uct.ac.za/undergrad-info-scholarship-funding/postgraduate-scholarships</p> <p>Closing Date: as per department</p> <p>The direct link to the scholarships application form is as follows: https://forms.uct.ac.za/studentadmin/law01.pdf</p>

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Faculty	Discipline	Name of award	Eligibility & conditions Value p.a. & Tenure	Address to which to apply & closing date for application
Science	Biological Sciences	Biological Sciences Department Postgraduate Scholarship	<p>Requirements: Available for full-time Honours, Master's and Doctoral studies in the Department of Biological Sciences. Awarded on academic merit and financial need.</p> <p>Value: Variable Tenure: one year</p>	<p>Contact: The Head</p> <p>Biological Sciences Department, UCT.</p> <p>Closing Date: Please consult the department for the closing date</p>
Science	Biological Sciences	Cameron, Dorothy Scholarship	<p>Requirements: Full-time Master's or Doctoral students registered in Biological Sciences Department.</p> <p>The award will only be made to PhD students within three years and MSc students within two years of registration.</p> <p>If there is a strong merit component articulated in the letter of motivation an exception may be made for the award to be made in the fourth year of a PhD.</p> <p>Project should have significant botanical content. Awarded on academic merit and financial need.</p> <p>Value: R30 000 Tenure: one year</p>	<p>Contact: The Head</p> <p>Biological Sciences Department</p> <p>Closing Date: 31 May each year</p>

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Faculty	Discipline	Name of award	Eligibility & conditions Value p.a. & Tenure	Address to which to apply & closing date for application
Science	Biological Sciences	Dickson, Charles Research Grant	Requirements: For postgraduate research in the field of butterflies. Intermittent award. Value: Variable Tenure: one year, renewable	Contact: Application by letter to: Head of Department Biological Sciences, UCT. Closing Date: No closing date
Science	Physics	Henderson, Colin Memorial Fellowship	Requirements: Full-time Doctoral study in physics excluding research related to military matters Preference given to students in experimental nuclear physics. Value: Variable Tenure: one year, renewable	Contact: The Head Department of Physics, UCT Consult the Head when formulating Research proposal
Science	Ornithology	Sprigg, Gordon Scholarship	Requirements: Graduate of a South African University from Master's to Doctoral level. Value: Variable Tenure: two years maximum	Contact: The Director, FitzPatrick Institute of African Ornithology, John Day Building, UCT. Applicants should submit a full CV, full academic transcripts and a statement of financial need. Email: fitz@uct.ac.za Closing Date: 28 February 2026

PG Research Scholarships (formerly known as departmental awards) enquiries may be emailed to pfodept-awards@uct.ac.za

SECTION 5

INDEPENDENTLY ADMINISTERED (EXTERNAL) AWARDS FOR STUDY AT SOUTH AFRICAN UNIVERSITIES

Candidates for postgraduate study are strongly urged to apply as widely as possible for awards administered by independent Donors and Trustees.

The University is not able to keep detailed information and application forms for all awards offered by independent organisations, and candidates are required to apply directly to such organisations at the addresses indicated.

Although the information appearing in this section is updated annually, awards offered by independent organisations may be subject to amendment and/or cancellation without prior notice. Intending candidates should also monitor notice boards and the press for any other opportunities.

Faculty	Discipline	Name of award	Eligibility & conditions Value p.a. & Tenure	Address to which to apply & closing date for application
Commerce, Engineering, Health Sciences, Humanities, Law and Science	All Disciplines	Fuchs, Carl and Emily, Doctoral Scholarship	Awarded to South African citizens only, for Doctoral studies based on academic achievement (minimum 75% at Master's level), economic merit and leadership qualities, for full-time or part-time studies at a local university/university of technology. R100 000 per annum, awarded for two years, and renewed subject to satisfactory progress. Shortlisted applicants are interviewed by a selection panel; must agree to applying benefits of the research as part of a career based in South Africa.	Doctoral Scholarships, The Carl & Emily Fuchs Foundation, PO Box 1910, Halfway House, 1685 Enquiries: ceff@iafrica.com Postnet Suite 081, Private Bag X 81, Midrand, 1685 Closing Date: Advertised by the Foundation during the second semester of the academic year preceding the year of Doctoral studies. <i>Awarded only every alternate year</i>

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Faculty	Discipline	Name of award	Eligibility & conditions Value p.a. & Tenure	Address to which to apply & closing date for application
Commerce, Engineering, Health Sciences, Humanities, Law and Science	Open	Mandela Rhodes Scholarship Programme	Citizens of all African countries between the ages of 19 and 29 years. For Honours (maximum one year) or Master's (up to a maximum of two years), MBA's excluded. Must possess a first degree or its equivalent or must be in the process of completing, Value: Full cost	All applications to be submitted online only via the link provided on The Mandela Rhodes Foundation website. Website: https://www.mandelarhodes.org Closing date: Mid-April of the preceding year
Commerce, Engineering, Health Sciences, Humanities, Law and Science	Educational grants awarded to Females (25 years and older) from Developing Countries, enrolled at the University of Cape Town	Margaret McNamara Educational Grant	Applicants must meet the following eligibility criteria: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> •Be a self-identifying woman, and at least 25 years old at time of application deadline; •Be a national of a country listed on the MMEG country eligibility list; •Be registered (not just accepted) at an accredited in-person academic institution and program when submitting their application; •Plan to be enrolled for at least one full academic semester (half-year term) after award of the MMEG grant; •Plan to graduate no later than three years after the award of the MMEG grant; •Not be related to a World Bank Group, International Monetary Fund, or Inter- American Development Bank staff member, spouse, retiree, or MMEG Board member; •Already be enrolled full-time or part-time 	Online Application forms are available at https://www.mmeg.org Enquiries: southafrica@mmeg.org Opens: May Closes September each year . Applicants experiencing technical issues may contact the Program Coordinator at mmeg@worldbank.org .

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		<p>(minimum of 2 courses per semester or term) at one of the universities on this list; and</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Hold a study permit for South Africa if applying from an eligible country other than South Africa. <p>Successful applicants:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Connect career/study with how they will have an impact on women and/ or children; and • Demonstrate their commitment to work towards the upliftment of women and/or children in developing countries. <p>Also, candidates must:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Have a current account at their university, without any past due payments from previous academic terms; • Be in reasonably good financial standing; and • Be ready to provide a clear and sustainable financial plan/ strategy for financing their studies until their graduation. <p>Finally, candidates should:</p> <p>Demonstrate financial need for next year.</p> <p>Value: \$7,000.00 USD</p>
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Faculty	Discipline	Name of award	Eligibility & conditions Value p.a. & Tenure	Address to which to apply & closing date for application
Commerce	Economics and related disciplines	Genesis Educational Foundation Trust Bursary (GEFT)	<p>The Genesis Educational Foundation Trust bursary is offered to young South African students from previously disadvantaged backgrounds who are eligible to study towards their honours or master's degrees in Economics or Public Health related fields at a recognised South African university. Students must have achieved a consistent average of 65% or above for undergraduate and Honours degrees. Genesis Analytics is an Equal Opportunity Employer. Preference given to candidates from the Designated Groups, i.e. South African Indian, Coloured and African candidates, as defined in the Employment Equity Act 55 of 1998.</p>	<p>Applications to be submitted online.</p> <p>Visit: https://www.genesis-analytics.com for more information.</p> <p>Applications must include:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • A comprehensive CV, • A copy of South African ID, • A motivational letter indicating three practice areas that are of most interest to you. Please visit the website to read more about "what we do", • A full academic transcript (please note that full transcripts must be submitted as a single document), • A writing sample such as term paper or mini dissertation. <p>Closing date: As advertised on the funding noticeboard. Students are welcome to send emails to the following email address: recruitment@genesis-analytics.com</p>
Engineering	Corrosion research & control	The Ivan Ogilvie Research Scholarship	<p>The Institute offers bursaries to outstanding students who undertake research in the field of corrosion and corrosion control.</p> <p>Value: Variable</p> <p>Tenure: one year renewable</p>	<p>The Secretary Corrosion Institute of Southern Africa Science Park P O Box 5656 Halfway House 1685</p> <p>URL: https://www.corrosioninstitute.org.za/</p>

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Faculty	Discipline	Name of award	Eligibility & conditions Value p.a. & Tenure	Address to which to apply & closing date for application
Health Sciences and Science	Medical Virology	Poliomyelitis Research Foundation Bursary	<p>Application form and rules available on web. Application must be accompanied by a two-page curriculum vitae, details of the proposed research programme and a letter of motivation from the Supervisor or Head of Department</p> <p>Values: BSc Hons – R20 000 Master's – R40 000 Doctoral – R55 000</p> <p>Tenure: one year renewable for second year</p>	<p>The Secretary Scientific Advisory Panel of the Polio Research Foundation c/o National Institute for Communicable Diseases Private Bag X4 Sandringham 2131</p> <p>Email: prf@nicd.ac.za</p> <p>URL: https://prf.ac.za/</p> <p>Closing dates: 28 February and 15 September 2026</p>
Science and Health Sciences	Natural Sciences, Medicine	Stiglingh Memorial Bursary	<p>Full-time or part-time studies in Natural Sciences and Medicine from second year of study. Public servants and their dependents/children who have been employed for at least 12 months or members of the Public Servants Association are eligible to apply.</p> <p>Value: Minimum of R3 000 per annum to a maximum of R10 000 (based on available funds)</p> <p>Tenure: one year.</p>	<p>Postgraduate Funding Office, UCT. Applications should include Letter of application, full CV, certified copies of academic record.</p> <p>URL: https://www.psa.co.za/fringe-benefits/national-fringe-benefits/bursary/stiglingh-memorial-bursary</p> <p>Closing date: 15 October annually <i>Applicants must, where applicable, submit proof of membership of PSA</i></p>

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Faculty	Discipline	Name of award	Eligibility & conditions Value p.a. & Tenure	Address to which to apply & closing date for application
Humanities	Education – The research focus must relate to one of the following themes: Improving quality of education in southern Africa; Access to education in southern Africa	Canon Collins RMTF Scholarships for Postgraduate Study in Education	Applicants must be applying for postgraduate studies and be a resident national of one of the following countries: South Africa, Zimbabwe and Namibia. The value of the scholarship package will range from R20 000 to R100 000 depending on student circumstances. We support both full and part-time Masters and PhD level study and will consider applications from those who wish to study by distance learning.	Please visit our website for full details regarding our scholarships and how to apply: https://canoncollins.org/scholarship/ If your query is not answered here, you can email us at scholarships@canoncollins.org.uk
Humanities and Commerce	Education, Justice (which includes Law, Economics, Politics and the Environment) and Arts and Humanities	Canon Collins Sol Plaatje Scholarship	Applicants must be applying for postgraduate studies and be a resident national of one of the following countries: South Africa, Zimbabwe and Namibia. The value of the scholarship package will range from R20 000 to R100 000 depending on student circumstances. We support both full and part-time Masters and PhD level study and will consider applications from those who wish to study by distance learning.	Please visit our website for full details regarding our scholarships and how to apply: https://canoncollins.org/scholarship/ If your query is not answered here, you can email us at scholarships@canoncollins.org.uk

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Faculty	Discipline	Name of award	Eligibility & conditions Value p.a. & Tenure	Address to which to apply & closing date for application
Humanities	Literature, Art, Music, Drama, Ballet, Environmental Studies, Conservation	D'Ewes, Dudley Scholarship	Applicants must have completed an Honours degree and must be potential contributors to Cape cultural life. Value: R20 000 maximum Tenure: one year	The Secretary For other awards see: URL: www.Khulacapefoundation.org.za (Fax) 086 219 7119 Email: info@khulacapefoundation.org.za Closing date: last Friday in September
Humanities	English or related fields	Grahamstown Foundation Old Mutual Scholarship	Postgraduate study in English or related fields. Preference is given to Honours course students. Candidates will be selected on academic merit, qualities of character, motivation and field of study. Applicant must be a citizen of and reside in South Africa. No other bursary, scholarship or paid appointment may be held without the agreement of the Foundation. Value: R10 000 Tenure: one year	Scholarships and Bursary Officer, Grahamstown Foundation, PO Box 304, Grahamstown, 6140 Email: admin@foundation.org.za Closing Date: 31 October 2026

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Faculty	Discipline	Name of award	Eligibility & conditions Value p.a. & Tenure	Address to which to apply & closing date for application
Humanities	Performing Arts: Ballet, Speech and Drama, Music and Fine Arts	Grahamstown Foundation Scholarships - Slater, WJB Postgraduate Scholarship in the Performing Arts	Postgraduate study in English or related fields. Preference is given to Honours course students. Candidates will be selected on academic merit, qualities of character, motivation and field of study. Applicant must be a citizen of and reside in South Africa. No other bursary, scholarship or paid appointment may be held without the agreement of the Foundation. Value: R10 000 Tenure: one year	Scholarships and Bursary Officer, Grahamstown Foundation, PO Box 304, Grahamstown, 6140 Email: admin@foundation.org.za Closing Date: 31 October 2026
Humanities	Specialised Education and related fields	South African Association for Learning & Educational Differences (SAALED))	Restricted to South Africans who are qualified, experienced teachers or therapists wishing to study in the field of specialised education and return to the field. Value: R6 000 Tenure: one year	National Manager SAALED PO Box 55023 Northlands Johannesburg 2116 Email: nm@saaled.org.za Closing date: 31 October annually
Humanities	Social Services	Union of Jewish Women of South Africa Postgraduate Bursary	For female South African citizens holding a suitable first degree or in the final year of study for a first degree. For advanced study towards rendering social science service to the South African community. (Selection Committee awards Toni Saphra bursaries). Value: Variable Tenure: one year renewable	The Bursaries Office, Union of Jewish Women of SA, P O Box 87556, Johannesburg, 2000 Enquiries for forms Closing date: 1 March to 31 July annually Written Enquiries. Closing date: 31 August annually for return of completed application.

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Faculty	Discipline	Name of award	Eligibility & conditions Value p.a. & Tenure	Address to which to apply & closing date for application
Science and Engineering	Science Engineering	SA WISE Angus Scholarship	Sub-Saharan black woman graduates with an excellent academic record Awarded for study at Honours (fourth year) level in any field of natural science or engineering. Successful applicants should become actively involved in SA WISE.	Application to: Please complete the online application. Application Form and further information is available at URL: https://sawise.uct.ac.za/scholarships/angus-application Closing date: 31 January 2026
Science	Zoology or related discipline	Blundell, Bob, Memorial Scholarship	Awarded on merit to a deserving undergraduate or postgraduate student in the Department of Zoology or related department, with emphasis on conservation in South Africa. Value: R10 000 Tenure: one year renewable	C J Geekie P O Box 158 Pretoria 0001 Closing Date: 31 December
Science	Biodiversity-related studies, with emphasis on a number of priority skills areas	GreenMatter Postgraduate Fellowship	Awarded on merit to South African citizens studying in environmental or biodiversity-related fields. Value: In 2026: R50 000 per year for Honours R70 000 per year for Master's R90 000 per year for Doctoral Tenure: Master's two years & Doctoral three years only.	For more information visit the website https://www.greenmatter.za.com/programmes

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Faculty	Discipline	Name of award	Eligibility & conditions Value p.a. & Tenure	Address to which to apply & closing date for application
Science	Science	SA Association Of Women Graduates – 1. Pocock, Mary Agard Award	For a female undertaking postgraduate studies and/or research. Value: R2 000 Tenure: one year	SAAWG Fellowship Secretariat, Post Suite 329, Private Bag x18, Rondebosch, 7701. Email: fellowships@saawg.org Applications to be submitted between 1 January and 28 February of the same year See website https://saawg.org.za/ for Application Form
Science	All Disciplines	SA Association Of Women Graduates – 2. SAAWG International Fellowship	For a foreign female student enrolled with a South African university/university of technology undertaking postgraduate research. Value: R1 500 Tenure: one year	SAAWG Fellowship Secretariat, Post Suite 329, Private Bag x18, Rondebosch, 7701. Email: fellowships@saawg.org Applications to be submitted between 1 January and 28 February of the same year See website https://saawg.org.za/ for Application form

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Faculty	Discipline	Name of award	Eligibility & conditions Value p.a. & Tenure	Address to which to apply & closing date for application
Science	All Disciplines	SA Association Of Women Graduates – 3. Smuts, Isie Research Grant	For a female undertaking postgraduate studies and/or research. Value: R1 500 Tenure: one year	SAAWG Fellowship Secretariat, Post Suite 329, Private Bag x18, Rondebosch, 7701. Email: fellowships@saawg.org Applications to be submitted between 1 January and 28 February of the same year See website https://saawg.org.za/ for Application Form
Science	Botany, Natural Sciences or related studies (including Environmental Studies)	SA Association Of Women Graduates – 4. Stoneman, Bertha Memorial Award	For a female undertaking postgraduate studies and/or research. Value: R3 500 Tenure: one year	SAAWG Fellowship Secretariat, Post Suite 329, Private Bag x18, Rondebosch, 7701. Email: fellowships@saawg.org Applications to be submitted between 1 January and 28 February of the same year See website https://saawg.org.za/ for Application form

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Faculty	Discipline	Name of award	Eligibility & conditions Value p.a. & Tenure	Address to which to apply & closing date for application
Science	All Disciplines	SA Association Of Women Graduates – 5. Pollok, Hansi Scholarship	For a female undertaking postgraduate research directed towards bettering social conditions in South Africa. The recipient is required to spend at least two years in South Africa after completing the degree, implementing the results of the research.	<p>SAAWG Fellowship Secretariat, Post Suite 329, Private Bag x18, Rondebosch, 7701.</p> <p>Email: fellowships@saawg.org</p> <p>Applications to be submitted between 1 January and 28 February of the same year</p> <p>See website https://saawg.org.za/ for Application form</p>

SECTION 6

POSTDOCTORAL RESEARCH FELLOWSHIPS (IN SOUTH AFRICA AND ABROAD)

Postdoctoral Research Fellows should apply in the first instance to relevant departments for independent donor fellowships. Candidates should have received their Doctoral degrees in the last five years of applying for the Fellowship.

Faculty	Discipline	Name of award	Eligibility & conditions Value p.a. & Tenure	Address to which to apply & closing date for application
Engineering Health sciences Humanities Commerce Law and Science	All Disciplines	Accelerated Transformation Academic Programme (ATAP)	Black (African, coloured or Indian) South African applicants are nominated based on high performance in their academics, with the purpose of actively pursuing an academic career. Candidates entering or within their postdoctoral career, who obtained an average mark of 70% in their last degree. Candidates should demonstrate involvement in teaching and/or curriculum development. Value: R450 000 per annum Tenure: two years of Postdoctoral (Year one & two)	By Nomination <i>Please consult the PGFO for the relevant closing date and nomination procedure</i>

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Faculty	Discipline	Name of award	Eligibility & conditions Value p.a. & Tenure	Address to which to apply & closing date for application
Engineering Health sciences Humanities Commerce Law and Science	All Fields	Fulbright Postdoctoral Scholar programs African Research Scholar Program	For professionals with a PhD degree, many years of teaching and research and well published in recognized journals and Conduct research in their area of expertise in the us for three - nine months	Website: https://za.usembassy.gov/tag/fulbright/ Email: Fulbright_Program_SAfrica@state.gov Opens: July Closing date: September annually
Humanities and Health Sciences	Sustainable development, Democratic Institution Building, Education, Public Health (see website for specific categories)	Fulbright Hubert Humphrey Fellowship	For accomplished, mid-career professionals (with a minimum four-year Bachelor's degree) for a year of practical, professional development experiences and non-degree academic study	Website: https://za.usembassy.gov/tag/fulbright/ Email: Fulbright_Program_SAfrica@state.gov Opens: April/May Closing date: July annually

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Faculty	Discipline	Name of award	Eligibility & conditions Value p.a. & Tenure	Address to which to apply & closing date for application
Engineering Health sciences Humanities Commerce Law and Science	All Disciplines	Georg Forster Research Fellowships for Postdoctoral Researchers	Programme for highly-qualified scientists and scholars from emerging and developing countries who completed their doctorates less than four years ago. Sponsoring long-term research stays (6-24 months), at research institutions in Germany. Own choice of academic host and research project. The subject of research proposal must be of relevance to development. Provisions: monthly fellowship of 2 670 EUR, lump sum for travel expenses, family allowances, language course, and tailored alumni sponsorship opportunities	Visit: https://www.humboldt-foundation.de/en/apply/sponsorship-programmes/humboldt-research-fellowship for online application. Email: info@avh.de Closing date: No closing date
Engineering Health sciences Humanities Commerce Law and Science	All Disciplines	Humboldt Research Fellowship for Postdoctoral Researchers	Programme for highly-qualified scientists and scholars who completed their doctorates less than four years ago. Sponsoring long-term research stays (6-24 months, at research institutions in Germany. Own choice of academic host and research project. Provisions: monthly fellowship of 2 670 EUR, lump sum for travel expenses, family allowances, language course.	Visit: https://www.humboldt-foundation.de/en/apply/sponsorship-programmes/humboldt-research-fellowship for online application Email: info@avh.de Closing date: No closing date

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Faculty	Discipline	Name of award	Eligibility & conditions Value p.a. & Tenure	Address to which to apply & closing date for application
Engineering Health sciences Humanities Commerce Law and Science	All Disciplines	Killam, Izaak Walton Postdoctoral Scholarship	<p>Postdoctoral study at Dalhousie. Qualifying applicants should recently have completed a Doctoral degree at a recognised university and should not hold a permanent academic position.</p> <p>Value: Annual \$55 000 plus travel and research grants</p> <p>Tenure: Tenable for two years.</p>	<p>Address: Information Co-ordinator, Faculty of Graduate Studies, Henry Hicks Building Dalhousie University Halifax, Nova Scotia Canada B3H 4H6</p> <p>URL: https://www.dal.ca/faculty/gradstudies/postdoctoral-fellows/postdoctoral-fellowships/killam-pdfs.html</p> <p>Closing date: 15 December 2026</p>

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Faculty	Discipline	Name of award	Eligibility & conditions Value p.a. & Tenure	Address to which to apply & closing date for application
Engineering Health sciences Humanities Commerce Law and Science	All Disciplines	URC Postdoctoral Fellowship	<p>Foreign candidates are eligible, but preference will be given to applicants who graduated with the doctoral degree from universities other than UCT, or if graduating from UCT, from a different department/division/group up to that in which the PhD was completed.</p> <p>There is no restriction on any discipline or field of research, but applications from individuals from other African countries and from women and black researchers will be given preference.</p> <p>The fellowship is tenable for two years, subject to submission of a satisfactory progress report and valued at R325 000 per annum and does not include relocation expenses.</p> <p>The Fellowships carry no benefits and are compliant with the SARS rules for tax exemption.</p>	<p>Application available online at: https://uct.ac.za/research-innovation-postdoctoral-research-fellowships/fellowships-noticeboard and from the PGFO.</p> <p>Closing date: 19 September 2026</p>

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Faculty	Discipline	Name of award	Eligibility & conditions Value p.a. & Tenure	Address to which to apply & closing date for application
Commerce, Engineering, Humanities, Science, Law and Health science	Open	NRF - Grantholder Linked Bursaries Postdoctoral Research Fellow	two years Postdoctoral Research - R320 000 (pro rata / month)	Contact: Heads of Department to be contacted for further information before 1 April in the preceding year of the intended study. Closing date: 31 March 2026 <i>Postdoctoral research fellow to be nominated by the Supervisor/ Co- Supervisor to receive this grant</i>
Commerce, Engineering, Humanities, Science, Law and Health science	Open	NRF - Grantholder Linked Bursaries: South African Research Chairs Initiative (SARChI) All levels	three years Postdoctoral Research – R320 000 (pro rata / month)	Contact: Heads of Department to be contacted for further information before 1 April in the preceding year of the intended study. Closing date: 31 March 2026 <i>Postdoctoral research fellow to be nominated by the Supervisor/ Co- Supervisor to receive this grant</i>

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Faculty	Discipline	Name of award	Eligibility & conditions Value p.a. & Tenure	Address to which to apply & closing date for application
Engineering Health sciences Humanities and Science	Biotechnology; Cellular and Molecular Biology; Engineering; Computer science; Physics; Astronomy; Mathematical Sciences; Nanotechnolog y; Chemistry; Earth Science; Ecology; Medical sciences; Social Sciences; and Humanities	NRF - Innovation Awards: Postdoctoral	South African citizens and permanent residents for full-time research R320 000 – p.a stipend plus R50 000 – p.a contribution towards research costs. R15 000 – p.a Institution contribution Beneficiaries are eligible for a local travel grant to a maximum of R25 000 and an international travel grant to a maximum of R50 000 which can be used for conferences, workshop attendance or visits to a laboratory/collaborator.	Application to be done online as follows (https://nrfconnect. nrf.ac.za/) Closing date: during July or August 2026 <i>Renewal applications to be submitted online (https://nrfconnect. nrf.ac.za/)</i>
Engineering Health Sciences, Humanities and Science	Natural Science; Engineering; Technology; Social Sciences; and Humanities. The percentage of Fellowships awarded towards the SET domain will be between 70 – 80%; and between 20 – 30% for the Social Sciences and Humanities (SSH).	NRF Freestanding postdoctoral Fellowship (Local)	South African citizens and permanent residents for full-time research. Value: R 320 000 p/a (stipend) plus R50 000 p/a (contribution towards research costs) and R 15 000 institutional contribution. Beneficiaries are eligible for a once off local travel grant to a maximum of R15 000 and an international travel grant to a maximum of R50 000 which can be used for conferences, workshop attendance or visits to a laboratory/collaboration.	Application and CV to be done online as follows: (https://nrfconnect. nrf.ac.za/) Deadline 30 May 2026 <i>Renewal applications to be submitted online (https://nrfconnect. nrf.ac.za/)</i>

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Faculty	Discipline	Name of award	Eligibility & conditions Value p.a. & Tenure	Address to which to apply & closing date for application
Commerce, Engineering, Science	Financial sector: Accounting, Auditing, Statistics, Actuarial Science Biological Sciences: Biotechnology Physical Sciences: Mathematical Sciences, Physics, Geology, Computer Science, Information Systems, Chemistry Engineering: (all fields) Sector specific: Agricultural Sciences, Transportation Studies, Tourism, Demography	NRF Scarce Skills for Postdoctoral Fellows	South African citizens and permanent residents for full-time research R320 000 – p.a stipend plus R50 000 – p.a contribution towards research costs R15 000- p.a Institution contribution Beneficiaries are eligible for a local travel grant to a maximum of R25 000 and an international travel grant to a maximum of R50 000 which can be used for conferences, workshop attendance or visits to a laboratory/collaborator	Application to be done online as follows: (https://nrfconnect.nrf.ac.za/) Closing date: during June/July 2026 <i>Renewals to be submitted as per UCT Internal Deadlines.</i> (https://nrfconnect.nrf.ac.za/)
Science	Biological Sciences	Smuts Memorial Botanical Fellowship	Postdoctoral applicants who have exhibited proficiency in independent research, to undertake study in systematic botany and geographical distribution of South African flora. Open to all nationalities. Value: R275 000 Tenure: One year, renewable for one year on satisfactory progress	Application package to The Head, Department of Biological Sciences, UCT. Closing date: 30 September 2026

Postdoctoral in the Postgraduate Funding Office telephone (021) 650 3622 or
email pdocs@uct.ac.za

SECTION 7

INDEPENDENTLY ADMINISTERED AWARDS FOR STUDY AT OVERSEAS UNIVERSITIES

The University is not in a position to keep detailed information and application forms for all awards offered by independent organisations, *and applicants should write direct to such organisations at the addresses indicated.*

Although the information appearing in this section is updated annually, awards offered by independent organisations are subject to amendment without prior notice.

Intending candidates should also monitor notice boards and the press for any other potential opportunities.

Faculty	Discipline	Name of award	Eligibility & conditions Value p.a. & Tenure	Address to which to apply & closing date for application
Commerce, Engineering, Health Sciences, Humanities, Law and Science	All Disciplines	AAUW International Fellowship	<p>Online applications and instructions for the following academic year are available August 1.</p> <p>The following fellowships are available:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Master's/First Professional Degree Fellowship - Doctoral Fellowship - Postdoctoral Fellowship <p>See application instructions for additional details.</p>	<p>Email: awards@aauw.org</p> <p>Closing Date: 15 November 2026</p> <p>URL: https://www.aauw.org/resources/programs/international-fellowships/</p>
Commerce, Engineering, Health Sciences, Humanities, Law and Science	All Disciplines	Alberta University Awards	<p>Please refer to our website: https://www.ualberta.ca/en/graduate-studies/fees-funding/scholarships-awards/index.html</p>	<p>URL: grad.awards@ualberta.ca</p>

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Faculty	Discipline	Name of award	Eligibility & conditions Value p.a. & Tenure	Address to which to apply & closing date for application
Commerce, Engineering, Health Sciences, Humanities, Law and Science	All Disciplines	Cambridge Commonwealth European & International Trust - Various Scholarships	South African citizens of outstanding academic merit, to pursue courses of study or research at the University of Cambridge (an offer of admission must be received before an application for funding can be considered)	Cambridge Commonwealth European & International Trust, Student Services Centre, Bene't Street, Cambridge CB2 3PT United Kingdom. URL: https://www.cambridge.trust.org/ Email: cambridge.trust@admin.cam.ac.uk
Commerce, Engineering, Health Sciences, Humanities, Law and Science	All Disciplines	Cecil Renaud Overseas Scholarship	Applicants must have obtained an undergraduate degree (Cum Laude) and should not be older than 27 years of age at the date of application. The scholarship is for a maximum of two years for study in the UK only. Value approximately GBP 46 000	The Trustees, The Cecil Renaud Educational and Charitable Trust, P.O. Box 3211, Durban, 4021, KZN URL: https://www.cecilrenaud.co.za/apply Email: roshinik@privatewealth.sanlam.co.za
Commerce, Engineering, Health Sciences, Humanities, Law and Science	Any Master's programme offered in UK	Chevening Scholarship	Applicants must hold equivalent of an upper second-class honours degree Must have completed two years work or equivalent experience and be able to satisfy the minimum English language requirement.	URL: https://www.chevening.org/ Email: Michael.Noon@fco.gov.uk or Georgie.Ryan@fco.gov.uk

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Faculty	Discipline	Name of award	Eligibility & conditions Value p.a. & Tenure	Address to which to apply & closing date for application
Commerce, Engineering, Health Sciences, Humanities, Law and Science	All Disciplines	Commonwealth Scholarships - United Kingdom	Applicants of highest calibre for Master's and Doctoral study in the UK. Applicants should have graduated with a first degree after September 1992	Please refer the Postgraduate Centre & Funding Office website for the Internal Closing Date https://uct.ac.za/students/fees-funding-postgraduate-degree-funding/applications-and-requirements
Commerce, Engineering, Health Sciences, Humanities, Law and Science	All Disciplines	Commonwealth Scholarships - New Zealand	Honours, Master's and Doctoral students Doctoral students must have a minimum standard of Upper second class Honours	Please refer the Postgraduate Centre & Funding Office website for the Internal Closing Date https://uct.ac.za/students/fees-funding-postgraduate-degree-funding/applications-and-requirements
Commerce, Engineering, Health Sciences, Humanities, Law and Science	Selected schools	Ferguson, Allan and Nesta Scholarship	For applicants from developing countries wishing to pursue a one year full-time taught Master's study in selected schools. Value: full cost of academic fees, plus maintenance with return economy travel and other allowances.	Visit the website: https://www.leeds.ac.uk/international-scholarships-funding for further information and an application form. Email: pg_scholarships@leeds.ac.uk Closing date: please consult the website for details.

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Faculty	Discipline	Name of award	Eligibility & conditions Value p.a. & Tenure	Address to which to apply & closing date for application
Commerce, Engineering, Health Sciences, Humanities, Law and Science	All Disciplines	FirstRand / Laurie Dippenaar Postgraduate International Scholarship	<p>Academically excellent South African citizens, preferably younger than 35 years.</p> <p>Conditions: Should have applied to and been accepted by an internationally recognised overseas university for postgraduate study. Students who are or have been studying overseas will not be considered. Excellence is the only criterion.</p> <p>Value: For PhD up to R2 million and for Master's up to R1.5 million per scholarship</p>	<p>Email: firstrandpgscholarship@firstrand.co.za</p> <p>URL: https://bursaries.firstrand.co.za/</p> <p>Closing Date: 20 February 2026</p>
Commerce, Engineering, Health Sciences, Humanities, Law and Science	All Disciplines	FirstRand Foundation International Postgraduate Scholarship	<p>Academically excellent South African citizens, preferably younger than 35 years.</p> <p>Conditions: Should have applied to and been accepted by an internationally recognised overseas university for postgraduate study. Students who are or have been studying overseas will not be considered. Excellence is the only criterion.</p> <p>Value: For PhD up to R2 million and for Master's up to R1.5 million per scholarship</p>	<p>Email: firstrandpgscholarship@firstrand.co.za</p> <p>URL: https://bursaries.firstrand.co.za/</p> <p>Closing Date: 20 February 2026</p>

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Faculty	Discipline	Name of award	Eligibility & conditions Value p.a. & Tenure	Address to which to apply & closing date for application
Commerce, Engineering, Health Sciences, Humanities, Law and Science	All Disciplines	Flanagan, Patrick & Margaret, Scholarship	<p>Women of South African descent with an excellent academic record and outstanding qualities are eligible to apply.</p> <p>Value: R750 000 maximum two years. Tenable preferably at any international university</p>	<p>Application form and further details are available at: https://www.ru.ac.za/researchgateway/postgraduates/funding/overseasstudy/</p> <p>Postgraduate Funding, Research Office, Rhodes University, Grahamstown, 6140. Tel: 046 603 8755</p> <p>Email: pgfunding@ru.ac.za</p> <p>Closing Date: 29 September 2026</p>
Commerce, Engineering, Health Sciences, Humanities, Law and Science	All Disciplines except MBA and the Medical Fields	Fulbright Foreign Student Program	<p>MA/PhD: Postgraduate students may apply for scholarships towards Master's or Doctorate degrees. Scholarships are awarded for two years towards one degree – Master's or Doctorate (renewable each year).</p>	<p>https://foreign.fulbrightonline.org/about/foreign-student-program</p> <p>Email: fpsa@state.gov</p> <p>Opens January Closes: 1 September 2026</p>
Commerce, Engineering, Health Sciences, Humanities, Law and Science	All Disciplines	Glasgow University Scholarships - International students	Postgraduate taught degree programmes	<p>Application form and further details are available at: https://www.gla.ac.uk/international/country/southafrica/</p>

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Faculty	Discipline	Name of award	Eligibility & conditions Value p.a. & Tenure	Address to which to apply & closing date for application
Commerce, Engineering, Health Sciences, Humanities, Law and Science	Any full-time postgraduate course	Goodenough College Bursary Sir Abraham Bailey Entry Scholarship	Goodenough College offers a number of Scholarships to enable new candidates to live at Goodenough College. Scholarships are offset against accommodation charges. The Sir Abraham Bailey scholarship is designed specifically for South African nationals and Abraham Bailey Bursars are encouraged to apply. There are also other Entry Scholarships available. Allocations are made on the basis of financial need.	https://www.goodenough.ac.uk/ Applications open in February and continue until August, but early application is encouraged. Applicants will be informed of result of their application for residence and the result of their scholarship applications in the month after their application is submitted. Applications must be submitted online as part of main application to join Goodenough College.
Commerce, Engineering, Health Sciences, Humanities, Law and Science	All Disciplines	Killam, Izaak Walton Pre- Doctoral Scholarship	Master's or Doctoral students Canadian and non-Canadians Value: \$20 000 Master's \$25 000 Doctoral Tenable: Two years for Master's Three years for Doctoral	Killam Administrator Faculty of Graduate Studies, Henry Hicks Academic Administration Building Dalhousie University Halifax, Nova Scotia Canada B3H 4H6 <i>Request admission forms as early as possible, Mid-February</i> URL: https://www.dal.ca/admissions/money_matters/awards-financial-aid/scholarships.html

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Faculty	Discipline	Name of award	Eligibility & conditions Value p.a. & Tenure	Address to which to apply & closing date for application
Commerce, Engineering, Health Sciences, Humanities, Law and Science	All Disciplines	McMaster University Future International students	Further your postgraduate studies in Canada	Application process and further details are available at: https://registrar.mcmaster.ca/aid-awards-for-international-students/
Commerce, Engineering, Health Sciences, Humanities, Law and Science	All Disciplines	Princeton University Awards - University Fellowship	Princeton guarantees funding for its regularly enrolled, degree-seeking Ph.D. candidates for all years of regular program enrolment, contingent upon satisfactory academic performance	More information about applying to Princeton and the programs available can be found at: https://gradschool.princeton.edu/admission-onboarding/apply Information about the costs and funding for students accepted to a Ph.D. program can be found at: https://gradschool.princeton.edu/financial-support
Commerce, Engineering, Health Sciences, Humanities, Law and Science	All Disciplines	Queensland University Awards	Awarded competitively based on merit, to international students of exceptional research potential undertaking a research higher degree	See website for more information about applying and available opportunities URL: https://scholarships.uq.edu.au Email: admissions@gradschool.uq.edu.au

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Faculty	Discipline	Name of award	Eligibility & conditions Value p.a. & Tenure	Address to which to apply & closing date for application
Commerce, Engineering, Health Sciences, Humanities, Law and Science	All Disciplines	Rhodes Trust Scholarships for Southern Africa (2027) - 1. South Africa, Botswana, Lesotho, Malawi, Namibia and Swaziland. <i>Tenable at Oxford University only</i> Designated Rhodes Scholarships are also available for citizens of Zimbabwe, Zambia, Kenya, listed countries in East Africa and West Africa – see website: https://www.rhodeshouse.ox.ac.uk/scholarships/constituency-information/	Requirements: Applicants to be citizens of one of the Southern African countries listed or have permanent residency; ordinarily resident in and to have loved for at least five years, within the period of ten years immediately preceding the date of application, in South Africa, Botswana, Lesotho, Malawi, Namibia or eSwatini (Swaziland); to be over 19 and under 25 years on 1 October 2027; and to have a first degree acceptable to Oxford. The Trustees have specially extended the age limit by three years for MBChB applicants who are doing medical internships and/or community service. Tenable at Oxford University. Tenure: two years (2026 & 2027), with possibility of funding for a third and fourth academic year. <i>Oxford University's academic year commences: 01 October</i>	Email: southernafrica.secretary@rhodestrust.co.uk URL: https://www.rhodeshouse.ox.ac.uk/scholarships/applications/ Closing date: 1 August 2026 <i>Referees confidential letters to be uploaded by 15 August 2026.</i>

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Faculty	Discipline	Name of award	Eligibility & conditions Value p.a. & Tenure	Address to which to apply & closing date for application
Commerce, Engineering, Health Sciences, Humanities, Law and Science	All Disciplines	Rhodes Trust Scholarships - 2. Zimbabwe Rhodes Scholarship	<p>The Rhodes Scholarships are fully funded scholarships for postgraduate study at the University of Oxford.</p> <p>Requirements: Exceptional students with exemplary leadership qualities in their community, sport, university, arts or their field of study are encouraged to apply.</p> <p>Applicants do need to familiarise themselves with and meet the eligibility criteria (citizenship, education, age and academic achievement) before submitting an application.</p> <p>Among other criteria, students who have completed an undergraduate degree with a first class degree or equivalent from a college or university either in or outside of Zimbabwe; and who are 25 years old or younger (with limited exceptions based on particular undergraduate degree for candidates under 27 years old) are eligible to apply.</p> <p>Students wishing to apply for the Zimbabwe Rhodes Scholarship should consult the detailed</p>	<p>All applications are handled through the Rhodes Trust website - https://www.rhodeshouse.ox.ac.uk/scholarships/the-rhodes-scholarship/</p> <p>Before seeking to submit an application, ensure you have familiarised yourself with the eligibility criteria and requirements at https://rhodes.embarck.com/</p>

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			<p>eligibility criteria and conditions of tenure.</p> <p>For full information, including application materials, see https://www.rhodeshouse.ox.ac.uk/scholarships/the-rhodes-scholarship/</p>	
Commerce, Engineering, Health Sciences, Humanities, Law and Science	All Disciplines	Rondebosch Overseas Scholarship	<p>Graduates who matriculated from Rondebosch Boys' High School</p> <p>For further study at an overseas university. Awarded when funds available. Tenable at any approved institution.</p>	<p>Treasurer Rondebosch Overseas Scholarships Rondebosch Boys High School Old Boys Union P O Box 731 Rondebosch 7701 or</p> <p>Email: obu@rondebosch.co.m</p> <p>Closing date: 30 April</p>
Commerce, Engineering, Health Sciences, Humanities, Law and Science	Animal behavior, Ecology, Environmental Science, Anthropology, Astrophysics, Astronomy, Earth Sciences and Paleobiology, Evolutionary & systematic biology, Folklife, History of Science and Technology, History of Art, Materials research, Molecular biology, Social and cultural History of the United States	Smithsonian Fellowship	<p>Merit based awards to conduct research in residence for a period of three to twelve months, or ten weeks for the Graduate Student Fellowship.</p> <p>Graduate: \$8 000 Predoctoral \$40 000 Postdoctoral \$55 000 Senior Postdoctoral \$55 000</p>	<p>Smithsonian Institution Office of Fellowships and Internships, 470 L'Enfant Plaza, Suite 7102, MRC 902 PO Box 37012, Washington DC 20013–7012 Tel: 202 633 7070</p> <p>Email: siofi@si.edu</p> <p>URL: https://fellowships.si.edu/fellowship-programs</p>

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Commerce, Engineering and Science	<p>See website for further information on fields of study offered in the 3 schools of AIT, namely:</p> <p>1. School of Engineering and Technology (https://ait.ac.th/school/school-of-engineering-and-technology/)</p> <p>2. School of Environment, Resources and Development (https://ait.ac.th/school/school-of-environment-resources-development/)</p> <p>3. School of Management (https://som.ait.ac.th/)</p>	<p>Asian Institute of Technology (AIT)</p>	<p>For development of highly qualified and committed professionals who will play a leading role in the sustainable development of the region and its integration into the global economy. For candidates who wish to register for Master's and Doctoral degrees at AIT. Information on Financial Assistance is at: https://ait.ac.th/financial/ait-scholarships/</p>	<p>Postal Address: Admissions and Scholarships Unit Asian Institute of Technology P.O. Box 4, Klong Luang, Pathumthani 12120, THAILAND</p> <p>Street Address: Admissions and Scholarships Unit Asian Institute of Technology 58 Moo 9, Km. 42, Paholyothin Highway Klong Luang, Pathumthani 12120 THAILAND</p> <p>URL: https://ait.ac.th/financial-aid/</p> <p>Email: admissions@ait.asia Phone:(66-2)524-5031-33</p>
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Faculty	Discipline	Name of award	Eligibility & conditions Value p.a. & Tenure	Address to which to apply & closing date for application
Commerce, Engineering and Humanities	MSc at the Smith School of Enterprise and the Environment at the University of Oxford	FirstRand Oxford Smith School of Enterprise and the Environment scholarship for a MSc in Sustainability, Enterprise and the Environment	<p>FirstRand's five-year partnership with Wadham College entails providing full funding for one student a year to study for an MSc in Sustainability, Enterprise and the Environment at the Smith School of Enterprise and the Environment, as well as residency at Wadham College.</p> <p>FirstRand will conduct the interviewing and selection process, which will run concurrently with the FirstRand international postgraduate scholarship programme. Candidates will be assessed based on academic excellence, leadership ability, community involvement and their potential to be a destiny changer. Applications can be submitted online only.</p> <p>FirstRand and the Smith School of Enterprise and the Environment are looking for the best applicants who will truly benefit from the opportunity and contribute to South Africa on their return.</p>	<p>Email: mscenquiries@smithschool.ox.ac.uk</p> <p>URL: https://www.ox.ac.uk/admissions/graduate/courses/msc-sustainability-enterprise-environment</p> <p>Closing date: 7 March 2026</p>

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Faculty	Discipline	Name of award	Eligibility & conditions Value p.a. & Tenure	Address to which to apply & closing date for application
Engineering	MSc in Water and Sustainable Development at IHE Delft in the Netherlands	FirstRand IHE Delft Water Education Scholarship for an MSc in Water and Sustainable Development	<p>Outstanding, academically excellent South African citizen. Should have applied to and been accepted by the IHE Delft Water Education University for a MSc in Water and Sustainable Development at IHE Delft in the Netherlands. FirstRand will conduct the interviewing and selection process, which will run concurrently with the FirstRand international postgraduate scholarship programme. Candidates will be assessed based on academic excellence, leadership ability, community involvement and their potential to be a destiny changer.</p> <p>Candidates have to apply and be accepted for any of the four thematic tracks: Water, food and energy, water hazards, risks and climate; water and health; water resources and ecosystem health</p>	<p>Email: m.baburek@un-ihe.org</p> <p>URL: https://www.un-ihe.org/education/master-programmes</p> <p>Closing date: 7 March 2026</p>

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Faculty	Discipline	Name of award	Eligibility & conditions Value p.a. & Tenure	Address to which to apply & closing date for application
Health Sciences	Medicine or Medical Science	Adams, Cecil John Travelling Fellowship	Only for overseas study or research Must have lived in South Africa for three years prior to application and must undertake to return to South Africa for at least three years after completion of research. Must be under 34 years of age.	The Trustees P O Box 86 Cape Town 8000 Closing Date: 31 August 2026
Health Sciences	Clinical Medicine & Medical Science	Oxford Nuffield Medical Fellowship	Medical school graduates at South African universities with research experience and potential for academic growth Stipend, housing allowance, return travel, baggage and in-course travel two years, possibly a third	Email: lydia.brown@uct.ac.za Closing date: advertised (usually 30 April each second year)
Humanities	All subjects for graduate study, administered by the Faculties of the Humanities Division with the exception of studio-based Fine Art	Ertegun, The Mica and Ahmet, Graduate Scholarship Programme in the Humanities, University of Oxford, UK	Around fifteen scholarships are offered every year, for Master's or Doctoral study at Oxford in any discipline of the Humanities. The scholarship pays all university and college fees (at overseas rates where necessary) for the full duration of the student's course and provides a generous stipend. Scholars are also provided with study space in 'Ertegun House' in central Oxford. Please see website for eligibility	Ertegun House, 37a St Giles', Oxford OX1 3LD, UK. Closing date: Between 1 September 2026 and 5 January 2027 Full details at https://www.ertegun.ox.ac.uk/scholarships

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			criteria: https://www.ertegun.ox.ac.uk	
Humanities	MSc at the African Studies Centre at the University of Oxford	FirstRand Oxford African Studies Scholarship to the University of Oxford	<p>Outstanding, academically excellent South African citizen. Should have applied to and been accepted by the University of Oxford for a Master's degree at the African Studies Centre. The successful student will be housed at Wadham College. Students who are or have been studying overseas will not be considered. Excellence is the only criterion.</p> <p>Value: full scholarship. 50% funded by FirstRand and 50% funded by the African Studies Centre, University of Oxford</p>	<p>Email: admissions@area.ox.ac.uk</p> <p>URL: https://www.ox.ac.uk/admissions/graduate/courses/msc-african-studies</p> <p>Closing Date: 7 March 2026</p>
Humanities	MSc at the Blavatnik School of Government at the University of Oxford	FirstRand Oxford Blavatnik School of Government scholarship for a Master of Public Policy at the University of Oxford	<p>Outstanding, academically excellent South African citizen. Should have applied to and been accepted by the University of Oxford for a Master's degree at the Blavatnik School of Government. The successful Students who are or have been studying overseas will not be considered. Excellence is the only criterion.</p> <p>Value: full scholarship. 50% funded by FirstRand and 50% funded the Blavatnik School of Government University of Oxford</p>	<p>Email: admissions@bsg.ox.ac.uk</p> <p>URL: https://bursaries.firstrand.co.za/</p> <p>Closing Date: 7 March 2026</p>

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Faculty	Discipline	Name of award	Eligibility & conditions Value p.a. & Tenure	Address to which to apply & closing date for application
Humanities	All disciplines	Italian Ministry of Foreign Affairs and International Cooperation Bursary	Further postgraduate studies in Italy. Certified knowledge of Italian compulsory only for courses to be taught in Italian. Certified knowledge of English compulsory for courses to be taught in English. Annual awards up to nine months renewable. Tenable at any approved institution.	Istituto Italiano di Cultura - Pretoria, 803 George Avenue, Arcadia, 0083, Pretoria URL: https://iicpretoria.esteri.it/en/ Email: iicpretoria@esteri.it Usually there are 45 days from call for application being published to closing date, dates may vary (<i>usually in the beginning of May</i>)
Humanities	Peace and conflict resolution studies	Rotary Foundation International Understanding and Educational Awards: Peace Fellowship	Graduates in appropriate disciplines with relevant work experience. For Master's degree studies at one of seven overseas universities with a view to final employment in related areas whilst being an ambassador of goodwill for South Africa while overseas.	The Chairman, Awards Sub-Committee, 3 Marne Avenue, Claremont, 7708 Email: michaelw@telkomsa.net URL: https://my.rotary.org/en/peace-fellowship-application The 2026-27 Rotary Peace Fellowship application will be available online in February 2026. Candidates can visit this page at that time to access the application. Submit your online application between February and 15 May

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Faculty	Discipline	Name of award	Eligibility & conditions Value p.a. & Tenure	Address to which to apply & closing date for application
Humanities and Law	Arts, Law, Humanities	Mears, Nan Scholarship	<p>Graduates who matriculated from Rondebosch Boys' High School.</p> <p>For study at Emmanuel College, Cambridge.</p>	<p>The Secretary, Rondebosch Old Boys' Union, P O Box 731, Rondebosch, 7701</p> <p>Email: obu@rondebosch.co.m</p> <p>Closing date: 30 April</p>
Law	Human Rights - Law	Notre Dame	<p>For study toward LL.M or J.S.D degree from Notre Dame University.</p> <p>Tuition, living and travel allowance maintenance grant</p> <p>one year. Tenable at Notre Dame Law School, Indiana, USA</p>	<p>2157 Eck Hall of Law, Notre Dame, Indiana 46556, USA</p> <p>Application available at LL.M. in International Human Rights Law</p>

SECTION 8

SCHOLARSHIPS AWARDED FOR OUTSTANDING ACADEMIC PERFORMANCE BY UCT

Applications are not invited for the scholarships described in section 8. As and when they become available for award, they are offered without application to the most outstanding UCT graduates.

All students who complete Bachelors, Honours or Master's degrees at UCT in June or December and who display outstanding academic performance are considered by the individual Faculties. Recipients of these scholarships are notified of their awards each year in December.

The scholarships are awarded to encourage full-time study towards higher degrees and may be held concurrently with other awards. Recipients who do not enrol at UCT for higher full-time degrees qualify to hold these scholarships only in an honorary capacity. Some scholarships appearing in this section will be reflected on recipients' academic records.

Faculty	Discipline	Name of award	Eligibility & conditions	Value p.a. & Tenure
Commerce, Engineering, Health Sciences, Humanities, Law and Science	All Disciplines	SA College Croll Scholarship	Graduate obtaining first class Honours degree or Master's degree with distinction. Recipient must be under 30 years and must register at UCT for a higher degree. The scholarship may be deferred by students who have to complete compulsory community service.	Value: Variable Tenure: one year <i>Tenable at UCT</i>
Commerce, Engineering, Humanities, Law and Science	Architecture, Arts, Commerce, Science, Social Science and Humanities	UCT Scholarships	Seven scholarships are awarded annually to outstanding graduates who complete the three-year Bachelors curriculum. For full-time study towards a higher degree at UCT.	Value: Variable
Health Sciences	All Disciplines	UCT Postgraduate Scholarships in Health Sciences	Best MBChB and other four-year degree and Master's graduates for further study in Medicine at UCT	Value: Variable

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Faculty	Discipline	Name of award	Eligibility & conditions	Value p.a. & Tenure
Commerce, Engineering Health Sciences, Humanities, Law and Science	All Disciplines	Washkansky, Manuel and Luby Scholarship	Graduate completing an Honours degree or other degree course of four years or longer, in the first class or of equivalent standard. For full-time study leading towards a higher degree at UCT.	Value: Variable Tenure: one year <i>Tenable at UCT</i>
Commerce	All Disciplines	Broeksma, Albertonie Herman Scholarship	Graduate obtaining first class Honours degree or Master's degree with distinction. Recipient must be under 30 years and must register at UCT for a higher degree. The scholarship may be deferred by a student who has to complete compulsory community service.	Value: Variable Tenure: one year <i>Tenable at UCT</i> Deferral request must be in writing.
Commerce	All Disciplines	Hutt, William Harold Scholarship	Awarded to graduate obtaining highest marks in Bachelor's degree. For study leading to a higher degree at UCT.	Value: Variable Tenure: one year <i>Tenable at UCT</i>
Commerce	Economics	Wiener, Louis Scholarship	For research leading towards a Master's degree in Economics at UCT.	Value: Variable Tenure: two years
Engineering	All Disciplines	Centlivres Scholarship	Graduate obtaining first class Honours degree or Master's degree with distinction. Recipient must be under 30 years and must register at UCT for a higher degree. The scholarship may be deferred by a student who has to complete compulsory community service.	Value: Variable Tenure: one year <i>Tenable at UCT</i> Deferral request must be in writing.
Engineering	All Disciplines	Shand, Ninham Scholarship	Graduate obtaining the Bachelor's degree in Civil Engineering with Honours	Value: Variable Tenure: two years <i>Tenable at UCT</i>

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Faculty	Discipline	Name of award	Eligibility & conditions	Value p.a. & Tenure
Engineering	Surveying	Twamley Postgraduate Scholarship	Awarded on academic achievement and appropriate experience for postgraduate study in Surveying at UCT.	Value: Variable Tenure: three years <i>Tenable at UCT</i>
Engineering	All Disciplines	UCT Postgraduate Scholarship in Engineering	Best Bachelor's degree graduate in Engineering for further study in Engineering at UCT.	Value: Variable
Engineering	All Disciplines	Van Breda, Chris Scholarship	Most outstanding Bachelors graduate in Engineering, with preference for a graduate in Civil Engineering. For further full-time study at UCT.	Value: Variable Tenure: two years maximum
Health Science	Pharmacology	Adcock-Ingram Scholarship	Awarded annually to outstanding graduate completing MBChB or other appropriate UCT medical degree for postgraduate study in Pharmacology.	Value: Variable Tenure: one year <i>Tenable at UCT</i>
Health Sciences and Science	All Disciplines	Levinson, Myer Scholarship	BSc Honours and MBChB graduates obtaining degree in the first class. For study leading towards a higher degree at UCT.	Value: Variable Tenure: two years <i>Tenable at any approved institution</i>
Health Sciences and Science	All Disciplines	Spilhaus, Nellie Brown Scholarship	Graduate obtaining first class Honours degree or Master's degree with distinction. Recipient must be under 30 years and must register at UCT for a higher degree. The scholarship may be deferred by students who have to complete compulsory community service.	Value: Variable Tenure: one year <i>Tenable at UCT</i>

Faculty	Discipline	Name of award	Eligibility & conditions	Value p.a. & Tenure
Humanities	Hebrew Studies	Bender Memorial Scholarship	Awarded to a student taking a course in Hebrew studies on the basis of overall scholastic merit. The choice will be guided by the general ability of the student and not necessarily by her/ his knowledge of Hebrew.	Value: Variable Tenure: one year <i>Tenable at UCT</i>
Humanities	Music	Chapman, Myra Postgraduate Scholarship	Awarded on merit on recommendation of Board of the Faculty of Music.	Value: Variable Tenure: two years maximum <i>Tenable at UCT or overseas institution</i>
Humanities	All Disciplines	De Villiers-Smuts Scholarship	Graduate obtaining a BA Honours degree in the first class or with distinction. Recipient must be under 30 years and must register at UCT for a higher degree. The scholarship may be deferred by a student who has to complete compulsory community service.	Value: Variable Tenure: one year <i>Tenable at UCT</i> Deferral request must be in writing.
Humanities	All Disciplines	Gorfinkel, Max Memorial Scholarship	Graduate obtaining first class Honours degree or Master's degree with distinction. Recipient must be under 30 years and must register at UCT for a higher degree. The scholarship may be deferred by students who have to complete compulsory community service.	Value: Variable Tenure: one year <i>Tenable at UCT</i> Deferral request must be in writing.
Humanities	Afrikaans en Nederlands	Hertzog, General JBM Scholarship	BA graduate obtaining highest marks throughout the Afrikaans and Nederlands course. For study leading to a higher degree at UCT.	Value: Variable Tenure: one year <i>Tenable at UCT</i>

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Faculty	Discipline	Name of award	Eligibility & conditions	Value p.a. & Tenure
Humanities	Afrikaans en Nederlands	Smith, Prof JJ Scholarship	Awarded on Merit to graduate who has obtained first class in Afrikaans and Nederlands III for Honours or Master's study, with preference for linguistic topics.	Value: Variable Tenure: one year <i>Tenable at UCT</i>
Humanities	History	Struben, Charles Scholarship	For research topics bearing upon the British Commonwealth leading towards an Honours or Master's degree.	Value: Variable Tenure: one year
Humanities	Political Studies, Philosophy	Ticktin, Mayshell Scholarship	Awarded on academic merit to a student intending to continue the study of Philosophy or in Political Studies.	Value: Variable Tenure: one year.
Humanities	Afrikaans en Nederlands	Van Ewijk Foundation Scholarship	Awarded on merit to student who completes at least one year of study in Afrikaans and Nederlands for approved course of postgraduate study.	Value: Variable
Humanities	Social Science and Humanities	Wilson, Monica Scholarship	Graduate obtaining highest marks in Bachelor's degree curriculum. For study leading to a higher degree at UCT	Value: Variable Tenure: one year <i>Tenable at UCT</i>
Science	All Disciplines	Lieberman, Hyman Postgraduate Scholarship	Graduate obtaining the highest marks in Bachelor's degree. For study leading to a higher degree at UCT	Value: Variable Tenure: one year <i>Tenable at UCT</i>
Science	All Disciplines	Lydia, Maria Scholarship	Graduate obtaining first class Honours degree or Master's degree with distinction. Recipient must be under 30 years and must register at UCT for a higher degree. The scholarship may be deferred by students who have to complete compulsory community service.	Value: Variable Tenure: one year <i>Tenable at UCT</i> Deferral request must be in writing.

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