



## Terms and Conditions for Taught Postgraduate Master’s Scholarships 2026-27

(For scholarships offered on behalf of the Faculty of Science, Faculty of Engineering and Design and Faculty of Humanities and Social Sciences)

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## 1. Scope

These terms and conditions apply to new fee-paying full-time taught postgraduate master's students taking up a place of study in 2026/27 entry, who are identified by the University as eligible for consideration for one of the taught postgraduate master's scholarships.

These terms and conditions specifically apply to students from the three Faculties: Science, Engineering and Design, and Humanities and Social Sciences.

Please note that there are other scholarships schemes for fee-paying taught postgraduate master's students in the School of Management which have separate guidelines. Please see the University of Bath website for full details.

The allocation of the scholarship is competitive and so not all applications received may be successful. Please see below for details on how selection is made.

Scholarships are awarded in the form of a fee waiver ('discount') which is a sum of money to assist fee-paying students with tuition fees. The University allocates a waiver to your fee account in place of some of the fee liability you would otherwise have. The fee waiver is applied to your first year of study only. There is no cash alternative to a fee waiver. Scholarships cannot be deferred and are for the 2026/27 academic entry year only. Eligible candidates are invited to apply for a scholarship by the Department of Student Recruitment and Admissions or by our network of agent partners.

This document outlines the full terms and conditions of these schemes, and you should read these before you accept your scholarship.

## 2. Eligibility

If you wish to be considered for one of the taught postgraduate master's scholarships you must:

- have received an offer to study one of our **full-time, campus-based, taught postgraduate master's courses** in one of the three faculties outlined above for the entry year 2026/27; and
- applied for the scholarships before the final application deadline **23:59 (GMT +1) 12<sup>th</sup> June 2026, OR 23:59 (GMT+1) 8<sup>th</sup> April 2026** in the case of the GREAT Scholarships, Sir Jack Cater Scholarship and Frank Wallace Scholarship.

If you have not complied with the conditions outlined above, you will not be considered for any taught postgraduate master's scholarships (as applicable).

## 3. Current Scholarships

To be considered for a scholarship you must meet the eligibility criteria outlined in section 2 above. Please note that **all awards are discretionary and limited in number, so even if you meet the criteria you are not guaranteed to receive one.**

Successful candidates are selected by the University as outlined below.

<b>Award</b>	<b>Amount</b>
<u>Bath Global Excellence Scholarship</u>	£10,000
<u>Diamond Scholarship</u>	£3,000
<u>Frank Wallace Scholarship</u>	£5,000
<u>Sir Jack Cater Scholarship</u>	£3,000
<u>GREAT Scholarship</u>	Nigeria - 1 x £15,000 Pakistan - 1 x £10,000 Greece - 1 x £10,000 Spain - 1 x £10,000

### **Bath Global Excellence Scholarship**

Bath Global Excellence Scholarships are worth £10,000 each towards the successful applicant's tuition fees. You must hold Overseas fee status. To be considered for one of these scholarships you must meet the eligibility criteria outlined in Section 2 above.

### **Diamond Scholarship**

Diamond Scholarships are worth £3,000 each towards the successful applicant's tuition fees. You must hold Home fee status. To be considered for one of these scholarships you must meet the eligibility criteria outlined in Section 2 above.

### **Frank Wallace Scholarship** | Faculty of Engineering & Design | People's Republic of China

The Frank Wallace Scholarship is worth £5,000 towards the successful applicant's tuition fees. To be considered for this scholarship you must meet the eligibility criteria outlined in Section 2 above. You must also:

- currently reside in the People's Republic of China
- hold an offer for one of the following programmes for 2026 entry
  - MSc Automotive Engineering with Business Management
  - MSc Automotive Engineering with Electrical Propulsion
  - MSc Automotive Technology
  - MSc Automotive Technology with Business Management

### **Sir Jack Cater Scholarship** | Hong Kong graduates

The Sir Jack Cater Scholarship is worth £3,000 towards the successful applicant's tuition fees. To be considered for this scholarship you must meet the eligibility criteria outlined in Section 2 above. You must also:

- be a graduate from one of the following universities: Hong Kong University, The Chinese University of Hong Kong (CUHK), Hong Kong Baptist University

### **GREAT Scholarships** | Nigeria, Pakistan, Greece, Spain

British Council GREAT Scholarships are available for full-time taught master's applicants. The GREAT Nigeria, Pakistan, Greece, Spain scholarships are available for any subject area, excluding MBA. To be considered for these scholarships you must meet the eligibility criteria outlined in Section 2 above. You must also:

- be of **Overseas** fee status

The scholarships will be awarded per region as outlined below:

- Nigeria; 1 award of up to **£15,000** for Nigerian Nationals and Passport Holders
- Pakistan; 1 award of up to **£10,000** for Pakistani Nationals and Passport Holders
- Greece; 1 award of up to **£10,000** for Greek Nationals and Passport Holders
- Spain; 1 award of up to **£10,000** for Spanish Nationals and Passport Holders

## **4. Application**

You must apply using the application form link provided in your application tracker. If you have any issues or need any assistance, please contact the International Student Recruitment Office at [pgtfunding@bath.ac.uk](mailto:pgtfunding@bath.ac.uk).

It is the University's responsibility to identify potential scholarship recipients on the basis of the information provided in your scholarship application and course application to the University of Bath. The University cannot be responsible for any errors or omissions in the information supplied to it and on which eligibility decisions are based.

The University's decision on the interpretation of eligibility criteria is final and there is no right of appeal. You must comply with all requests for additional information to establish your eligibility in the timeframes specified and you must submit any evidence requested by deadlines.

### **Changes to study**

If you change to a non-eligible course or mode of study then your scholarship may be withdrawn. If you make any changes to your original course of study you must notify the International Student Recruitment Office about this as it may affect your continued eligibility.

### **Suspensions and withdrawal from studies**

If you suspend or withdraw from your studies then you will not be eligible to receive any future payments in that academic year and your fee waiver will be re-calculated.

All scholarships paid will be calculated on a pro-rata basis and any overpayments may need to be repaid to the University should you suspend, withdraw from studies, transfer to a non-eligible course, or no longer be eligible for a particular scholarship for any other reason. In such a case, the University may seek to recover the amount of the overpayment.

### **Repeating, extending or deferring your studies**

The scholarships outlined here will not be paid during any extension/repeat period(s) to your programme. You may be able to apply for [Financial Support Funds](#) from the Student Money Advice Team should you find yourself in financial difficulty. Please note that awards from this fund are not guaranteed.

The scholarships outlined here are for 2026 entry only. If you defer or withdraw and restart, any scholarship already offered will become void. If eligible, you may be considered for support the following year, but this will be subject to the terms of those scholarships then in force. There is no guarantee that postgraduate students will be eligible for funding in future years.

### **Changes to your immigration status**

If you have a change to your immigration status, you **MUST** notify the International Student Recruitment Office immediately. We may require you to provide documentary evidence of your change in status.

If you receive notice that you are liable to be detained by the UK Home Office then your scholarship will be suspended for the duration of your detention. The University will review the support available to you to help you resume your studies if your status enables you to continue.

### **Disciplinary action and fraudulent applications**

The University reserves the right to terminate your scholarship award and to seek repayment of any sums that have already been set off against your tuition fees in the case of any disciplinary action being taken against you. Cases will be considered on an individual basis by the Head of International Student Recruitment.

The University reserves the right to withdraw a scholarship from anyone who is found to have misled the University about any aspect of their eligibility and to seek repayment of any sums that have already been set off against their tuition fees. In such cases, the University may seek to recover any money paid as a debt in the county court (in which case it may also seek to recover additional sums such as interest, court fees and legal costs). We may request at any point, for audit purposes, evidence of the criteria as stated in your application.

### **Additional Terms and Conditions**

- If a scholarship is awarded to a conditional offer holder, then any scholarship will also be conditional on the student achieving the conditions of entry.
- Please also ensure that you keep your email address up to date in your Bath Application Tracker as you may also receive email alerts about our scholarships provision. It is a requirement that the home email address provided is your personal email address and not the address of an educational representative or agent.
- Please note that the University does not award scholarships in order of application and does not start selection until after the relevant closing date.
- All awardees may be expected to participate in publicity for the scholarships from time to time during the academic year.
- You cannot be considered for an award if you have not submitted your application along with any appropriate evidence by the published deadlines.
- Awards cannot be claimed retrospectively.

- Feedback will not be provided on unsuccessful applications or decisions on awarded scholarships in any circumstances.
- University of Bath scholarship schemes listed above can be combined with other university funded scholarships or tuition fee discounts provided the total amount **does not exceed more than £10,000**. We reserve the right to withdraw a scholarship where successful applicants are in receipt of multiple awards.
  - The only exception is the alumni discount on postgraduate tuition fees. If you are eligible to receive the alumni discount, then we will apply this to your tuition fees after we have applied your university scholarship.
  - The GREAT Nigeria Scholarship is worth £15,000 and is excluded from the £10,000 limit.
- We will not give a University of Bath scholarship to anyone who receives a fully funded scholarship (from the University or another organisation) to pay for their tuition fees.
- If you are sponsored by an external funding body (for example a government, business, or employer) and receive a partial scholarship towards your tuition fees, you will not be eligible to receive a university scholarship if the combined value of your external funding together with any other tuition fee discounts applied to the published tuition fee for your course (including alumni discounts, departmental awards, or other university tuition fee discounts) exceeds more than 50% of the total tuition fee of your course. Queries relating to externally funded students should be directed to [internationalsponsorship@bath.ac.uk](mailto:internationalsponsorship@bath.ac.uk)
  - If your funding or financial circumstances change such that the total value of your financial support exceeds 50% of the published tuition fee for your course, the University reserves the right to review the award and may amend or withdraw the scholarship.
- If you are eligible to receive multiple scholarship awards or tuition fee discounts, these will be applied in the following order:
  1. Fixed value scholarship (e.g. Bath Global Excellence Scholarship)
  2. Tuition fee discount (e.g. Sponsorship)
  3. Alumni discount
- If your financial situation changes the University reserves the right to reconsider the scholarship or tuition fee discount.
- The University reserves the right to vary the amount of the award and number of awards available from time to time.
- The University reserves the right to review application closing dates to ensure the allocation of awards is met in full.
- We may request at any point, for audit purposes, evidence of any criteria as stated in your application.
- Scholarships cannot be deferred and are for the 2026/27 academic entry year only.
- No additional information can be added, nor amendments made, to the original application.

#### 4. Selection

Selection will be based on academic merit and achievement, answers submitted to questions in your scholarship application form, and other contextual information as provided in your application to study at Bath.

A selection panel will meet to decide upon allocation of scholarships. This panel will normally comprise the International Student Recruitment Project Delivery Manager, Deputy Heads of

International Student Recruitment and International Student Recruitment Managers. Scholarship decisions will be made at their discretion and their decision is final.

The University of Bath reserves the right to award university scholarships outside of the application process outlined in Section 4 and eligibility criteria in Section 2. The value and number of awards may vary.

**All awards are discretionary and limited in number, so even if you meet the criteria you are not guaranteed to receive one.**

## **5. Definitions**

The following definitions apply:

### **Overseas student means**

those students who are classed as overseas and assessed as such for fees purposes.

### **Home student means**

those students who are classed as Home (UK) (England, Wales, Scotland or Northern Ireland), and assessed as such for fees purposes.

## **6. Appeals**

There is no right of appeal and the University's decision is final in relation to your eligibility for a scholarship. You may make a complaint if you believe that you have not been considered for a scholarship because of a procedural error, or you believe that there has been some other procedural problem with our allocating and awarding system. Complaints should be made in writing to the International Student Recruitment Office by emailing [pgtfunding@bath.ac.uk](mailto:pgtfunding@bath.ac.uk).

## **7. Use of Data**

The University may use the data/information you share with us as part of your application, to provide information and advice about the University to you as an applicant. Should you subsequently join the University, the University may also use the data you provide to inform our strategies for supporting you as a new entrant, to inform you about provision that you may be able to access, to monitor student success and for other legitimate reasons. All awardees may be expected to participate in publicity for the scholarships from time to time during the academic year. In the case of scholarships which are funded by a corporate or private donor, personal details may be passed to this third party to assist them to administer the award.

Any queries relating to these terms and conditions should be addressed to the Head of International Student Recruitment, International Student Recruitment Office, University of Bath, BA2 7AY or by emailing [pgtfunding@bath.ac.uk](mailto:pgtfunding@bath.ac.uk).