Bursaries & Financial Aid for Undergraduate students
FINANCIAL AID OFFICE 2014
Our Vision

To be a dynamic African university, recognised for its leadership in generating cutting-edge knowledge for a sustainable future.

Our Mission

To offer a diverse range of quality educational opportunities that will make a critical and constructive contribution to regional, national and global sustainability

Our Values

- Respect for diversity
- Excellence
- *Ubuntu*
- Integrity
- Respect for the environment
- Taking Responsibility
BURSARIES & FINANCIAL AID FOR UNDERGRADUATE STUDIES
2014

HOW TO CONTACT US:
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PO Box77000
Nelson Mandela Metropolitan University
Port Elizabeth
6031

Tel: 041 504 1111
Website: www.nmmu.ac.za/finaid

Please include your student number in all correspondence.

Although great care has been taken in the compilation of this booklet, the university cannot accept responsibility for any inaccuracies that may appear in it. Information has been supplied by the sponsors of the bursaries and enquiries should be directed to the contacts supplied by the sponsors.
Introduction

This booklet has been compiled by NMMU’s Financial Aid office to assist current and prospective undergraduate and honours students with information on financial assistance available for their studies. University study can be expensive, and at NMMU we strive to assist as many students as possible with accessing financial assistance to ease the burden on students and their families.

NMMU offers various forms of bursaries and loans, including our scholar and student merit awards, which reward top academic performance. We also administer funds from corporate donors and from the National Student Financial Aid Scheme (NSFAS). NSFAS funding is aimed at assisting financially needy South African students who display academic merit.

This booklet contains information on funding available from a wide range of donors, including private companies, trusts, government departments and NGOs. Funding is awarded based on the criteria set by these donors, usually including financial need and academic merit. Some awards are made to specific categories of people or to students studying in particular fields, while others are more widely applicable.

We recommend that students apply for as many sources of funding as they qualify for, in order that they may have the best chance of receiving financial assistance. Students are also urged to watch the university notice-boards regularly for information on available funding.

Students are invited to contact the Financial Aid office at any time for assistance and advice regarding funding for their studies at NMMU.

Electronic version of this booklet is available on:

www.nmmu.ac.za/finaid

Application forms can also be downloaded.
Official provisions and conditions for bursaries

Bursaries are awarded on the basis of an application made by the student, and not automatically. Contact details of the donors or administrators of bursary funds have been made available in this booklet in order that students might enquire regarding the application processes for specific bursaries.

Should any portion of the student’s studies have been conducted at another university, the relevant academic record must accompany the application, when applying for bursaries administered by NMMU.

No incomplete or late forms will be accepted.

Students who cancel their studies could forfeit bursaries that have been awarded to them. The university may claim reimbursement of the amount paid out to the student.

Before submitting an application, students should ensure that they are eligible according to the criteria specified by the funder.

Closing dates

Applications should be made in the year prior to the studies for which the bursary is required, by the closing date supplied in the information for each bursary.
NMMU Vice-Chancellor’s Scholarship

NMMU’s Vice-Chancellor introduced a premier scholarship to attract top achievers in the country to register for an NMMU undergraduate programme of their choice. The scholarship, currently valued at R70 000 per annum is awarded to 30 candidates each year. The scholarship is renewable for the full minimum period of study of the programme registered for, provided that the student continues to render excellent academic performance.

Candidates must achieve an Academic Point Score (APS) of 49 or more in their final grade 12 examination in order to be considered for this scholarship. Applications must be submitted on the prescribed application form to the NMMU Marketing & Corporate Relations office on or before the closing date. Candidates may also be nominated by their School Principal or by a Dean of an NMMU faculty. T’s & C’s apply

For more information contact Mr Bernard Piater at Marketing & Corporate Relations on (041) 504 3430 or e-mail: vcs@nmmu.ac.za

National Student Financial Aid Scheme (NSFAS)

NSFAS is a government loan scheme, with the added incentive of a bursary conversion (maximum of 40%) depending on academic performance.

The purpose of these loans is to assist students who have the academic potential to succeed, but who do not have the financial means to gain access to tertiary institutions. The loan is determined according to a means test. As loans do not necessarily cover all costs, students are encouraged to seek additional funding from other sources. The family is also expected to make a contribution towards the student’s studies.
NSFAS loans

Academically deserving and financially needy students have the opportunity to apply for a loan from the National Student Financial Aid Scheme (NSFAS), part of which can be converted to a bursary, subject to academic results.

Loans do not always cover tuition fees and other study costs in full. The amount of the loan is determined, inter alia, by the family’s financial need and the student’s cost of study.

Applications

Applications for financial assistance from NSFAS must be made on the NSFAS website (www.nfas.org.za). Full details regarding applications are available on the NSFAS website.

Students are advised to retain the confirmation slip proof that they have submitted on a certain date.

Awaiting the outcome of the application does not relieve students of the obligation to settle their debt by the due dates. Students applying for assistance should not assume that the application will be successful.

Recipients of NSFAS loans are exempted from paying the tuition initial payments, provided that written confirmation of financial assistance is received prior to registration and that the amount exceeds the required initial payment.

The cancellation of studies/modules will result in the reversal of the bursary/loan allocations and the student will be liable for the entire account balance. Refunding of credit balances is not allowed.
NMMU Merit Bursaries

**SCHOLAR MERIT AWARDS**
Matriculants automatically qualify for a Scholar Merit Award based on their final Grade 12 results. The award is for one year only. No application form is required as the university identifies these students based on the final matric results of students accepted by the university as supplied by the Department of Education. Prospective students can also hand in a copy of their final matric results to the Financial Aid office.

**CRITERIA FOR SCHOLAR MERIT AWARDS**
- Grade 12 must have been completed not earlier than in the three years preceding registration at NMMU.
- Prospective students must be enrolling for the first time at a university. Only South African citizens qualify.

**CALCULATION OF SCHOLAR MERIT AWARDS**
Calculation of merit point is the total of the points allocated per subject to a maximum of seven subjects.

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**LEADERSHIP AWARDS**
Head prefects of schools (or LRC President in cases of no Head prefect) meeting the above criteria, could have their merit award topped up to R10 000 (i.e. 38 to 45 merit points). Applicants above 45 merit points will not qualify for an additional award. Head prefects with less than 38 merit points qualify for R4 000.
STUDENT MERIT BURSARIES

NMMU students automatically qualify for merit bursaries at the end of each academic year of their undergraduate studies. These awards are based on the examination results of the full academic year. Qualifying students are notified before registration in the following year of study. No application is required as students are identified for these awards, using the following criteria, i.e. Students must have:

- passed all modules registered for first time round;
- been registered for a minimum relative course weight of at least .800 (or 96 credits);
- have attained a weighted average mark of at least 70%

**NB:** Exempted courses are not included in the minimum relative course weight/credit value for merit award purposes.

The value of the bursary is not a fixed amount and is determined by the available budget;

- These awards are for undergraduate studies, with the exception of students continuing with a
  - Postgraduate Diploma in Education, LLB (BCom Law students) or a first BTech qualification.
- Students in their final year of undergraduate study do not qualify for a merit award at the end of their final year.
- These awards are administered by the Financial Aid Office. Students intending to register for honours studies must contact the Research Office regarding bursaries and merit awards.
SPORT BURSARIES
The NMMU Sport Bureau offers sport bursaries of varying amounts to sport performers who have demonstrated
the ability to play sport at a high level of competition. Sport bursaries are awarded to students by the Sports
Bureau. Application forms are available from their office.

Closing date: Before the end of October each year

Bursary application forms can be obtained from the Sport Bureau:
e-mail: krish.williamson@nmmu.ac.za
Tel: 041 504 2555 or 041 504 2165

NMMU ADMINISTERED BURSARY TRANSFERS
Recipients of NMMU bursaries are excluded from paying the tuition initial payments, provided that written con-
firmation of financial assistance is received prior to registration and that the amount exceeds the required initial
payment.

The cancellation of studies/modules will result in the reversal of the bursary allocations and the student will
be liable for the entire account balance. Refunding of credit balances are subject to confirmation by fund admin-
istrators.
Bursaries awarded by sponsors

Abe Bailey Travel Bursary
The bursaries are awarded each year and cover the cost of an all-expense paid, three week educational tour of England and Scotland.

The objective of this bursary is to:
- broaden the views of young South Africans
- effect greater understanding and co-operation among those with various language and cultural backgrounds
- enable OUTSTANDING South African students as well as junior lecturers who show exceptional leadership qualities and a strong service ethic,
  - to foster enterprise, commitment and effective participation in a common future
  - to promote South African unity.

The credo of the Abe Bailey Trust is:
“Leadership Development with the emphasis on Nation Building”

The following conditions apply:
- Nominees shall be students of not less than two years standing or members of the staff of junior lecturer status;
- Nominees must be of South African nationality;
- Nominees must be aged 25 or younger at the start of the tour;
- Applicants should have a sound academic record;
- Applicants must have been involved in leadership roles within the university, schools and/or community;
- Applications will be subjected to a selection process.

SHOULD YOU MEET THE CRITERIA AND WISH TO APPLY FOR THIS PRESTIGIOUS BURSARY, THE FOLLOWING DETAILS MUST BE SUBMITTED TO THE FINANCIAL AID OFFICE, NORTH CAMPUS (there is no application form as such):
- A personal letter of motivation as to why you are applying.
- A recent CV.
- Three recent letters of reference.
- Copies of ID, matric certificate and university academic record.
- Details of leadership roles in the community, at school and university.

Only one award is made per Institution.

Closing date: 30 April
Apply to: NMMU Financial Aid Office

Adams & Adams
Who can apply?
Deserving students from previously disadvantaged communities studying LLB.
Applications should be accompanied by a comprehensive CV, certified copies of ID, matric certificate and full academic record, under cover of an introductory letter.

Apply to: The HR Manager, Bursaries, Adams & Adams, PO Box 1014, Pretoria, 0001.
E-mail: articles@adamsadams.co.za or Fax: 012 362 6439
Afrox

Who can apply?

- **Bachelor of Commerce**: Major in Accounting with the prospect of qualifying as a Chartered Accountant (CA). Must have a C-average at the end of matric and have completed the first year of study.
- **BSc Engineering (Metallurgical, Chemical, Industrial, Mechanical or Clinical)**: Must have completed the first year of study.

Please ensure that your cv/resume provides the following information: name, postal address, email address, telephone numbers, academic history (including school and university, study disciplines and results)

Apply to: graduate.afrox@afrox.linde.com or fax to 086 673 6424
Closing date: 31 July

Anglo Platinum Bursary Scheme

Who can apply?

Only South African citizens/residents are eligible.

Undergraduate study in the following fields:
Accounting/Finance, Analytical Chemistry, Electrical and Mechanical Engineering, Geology.

A comprehensive post-study training programme will provide graduates with the experience, skills and confidence to cope with later appointments to managerial positions. They will be required to work for the company for an equivalent number of years to that for which they received sponsorship.

The bursary covers full tuition, full residence fees/allowance, book allowance, once-off computer allowance, personal allowance and medical aid.

Closing date: 15 May
Apply: Online at www.angloplatinum.com > careers or e-mail: bursaries@angloplat.com
P O Box 450, Kroondal, 0350  Tel: 014 596 0190/0333

ASF Johnson-Parr Trust

Who can apply?

This bursary aims to afford a needy deserving child in Nelson Mandela Bay the opportunity of obtaining a university education. The award is made based on the applicant’s qualities of leadership, application and ability for higher education, rather than academic distinction alone.

Closing date: 31 January
Apply to: Lynn Harris, Standard Executors & Trustees, Port Elizabeth branch. Tel: 041 391 2711, Fax: 041 3912227, E-mail: Lynn.Harris@standardbank.co.za
Athlone Institute Bursary Project Fund

Who can apply?
Bursaries available annually on application, to senior students (2nd, 3rd year etc), and bursary loans available to first-year students who are permanent residents of Paarl or Mbekweni.

Bursary amount: Variable annually
Closing date: 9 February
Apply to: The Secretary, Athlone Institute Bursary Project Fund, PO Box 846, Huguenot, Paarl 7645.
Tel: 021862 7777, E-mail: athlonebursaries@gmail.com

Attorneys Fidelity Fund

Who can apply?
Bursaries are available for 3rd and 4th year LLB students. Preference will be given to applicants in serious financial need, although outstanding academic merit will be taken into consideration. The bursary shall only be applied towards tuition fees and may be awarded for a maximum period of two years. The Fund will determine the amount.

Closing date: 15 August
Apply to: Attorneys Fidelity Fund (Bursary applications), PO Box 3062, Cape Town, 8000.
Tel: 021 424 5351 E-mail: attorneys@fidfund.co.za
www.fidfund.law.co.za

Aurecon South Africa

Who can apply:
Civil engineering students. Matriculants must have at least C symbols in Maths and Science. Service contract.

Closing date: 31 July for completed forms
Apply to: Aurecon SA (Pty) Ltd, PO Box 905, Pretoria, 0001
Tel: 012 427 2186
E-mail: Fredah.Nkuna@af.aurecongroup.com
www.aurecongroup.com

BKS Inc Bursary Fund

Who can apply?
Civil, mechanical and electrical engineering students. Awarded on academic merit. Service obligation after completion of studies.

Apply to: Personnel Officer, BKS Inc Bursary Fund, PO Box 31865, Braamfontein, 2017.
Closing date: 30 June for completed forms
BOE bursaries
FOR THE BELOW BURSARIES
Apply to: Charitable Trusts, BOE Trust Ltd, P O Box 86, Cape Town, 8000
Tel: 021 416 6000

ALEC BROOK bursaries
Applications are invited from matriculants and undergraduates presently studying Engineering.

Who can apply?
Special consideration will be given to children of parents residing in Nelson Mandela Bay and surrounding districts.
A high standard of academic achievement is indicated.

Application forms may be obtained from the Administrators of the Trust and must be submitted before the closing date on 30 September.

THE AGAR-HAMILTON TRUST BURSARY
For English-speaking SA male students for any degree at a university in South Africa. Must be active communicant and a recognised member of a church belonging to the Anglican Communion, under 25 years of age, be predominantly British descent and in need of financial assistance.
Closing date: 31 July

G T SEARLE BURSARY
For SA students to study at any higher education institution in South Africa. Preference given to those from the Mossel Bay, George, Great Brak River and Knysna areas.
Closing date: 31 December

LOUISE & NELLIE HERMAN BURSARY
For Jewish SA students of either sex to study for any degree at a university in South Africa.
Closing date: 31 October

ST LEGER SCHOLARSHIP
For SA students to study for any degree at a university in South Africa. Must be of Christian faith, under 25 years of age and have matriculated in the Western Cape.
Closing date: 15 September

VAN HOYTEMA BURSARY
For SA students to study law at any university in South Africa.
Closing date: 31 October

Cape Wools Scheme
Who can apply:
Bursaries are available to South African students enrolling for a qualification appropriate for formal employment in the South African wool industry.
These include animal science, business/marketing disciplines and wool textile science/technology, clothing design, manufacturing and marketing.

Apply to: General Manager, Cape Wools SA Bursary Fund, PO Box 2191, North End, PE 6056
Tel: 041 484 4301
Fax: 041 484 6792
CETA Bursary Scheme
The Construction Education and Training Authority (CETA) is committed to support tertiary education in the Construction Sector by offering bursaries to first-year and continuing students pursuing careers that will benefit the construction sector. There are limited number of bursaries in the following disciplines: (Degree, Diploma and B.Tech qualifications)
Architecture, Civil Engineering, Construction Studies/Management, Geomatic, Land & Quantity Surveying, Town/Urban and Regional Planning, BA Building Arts

Selection Criteria:
- 60% Grade 12 academic achievement, with Mathematics and Physical Science both at Level 5 and above
- No bursaries will be granted to existing students who are not promoted to the next year of study and have failed more than two subjects;
- Applications from designated groups will be given preference

Successful applicants will be required to work in the South African construction industry for at least three (3) years upon qualifying.

How to apply:
Interested/qualifying students should download the application form from the website (www.ceta.org.za), complete the application and submit with supporting documentation to: CETA Bursary Administrators, PO Box 644, Bedfordview, 2008.

Contact number: 011 265 5900
Tel: ElmineB@fpmseta.org.za
Closing date: 31 August

Charles & Jessie Hills Trust Scholarship
Students enrolled for the following courses:
- BEng Mechatronics
- ND + BTech: Architectural Technology (Applied Design)
- ND + BTech: Architectural Technology (Technology)
- ND + BTech: Interior Design (limited applications)
- ND + BTech: Engineering (all fields)
- ND + BTech: Engineering (Operations Management)
- ND + BTech: Construction Management
- ND + BTech: Quantity Surveying

Criteria:
- under 25 years of age
- second year or higher students
- full-time student
- require financial assistance
- minimum of 60% in all modules for previous year
- diligent and display professional conduct
- ability to apply himself/herself to make a success of studies & career
- must indicate clearly on the application form what other bursaries have been applied for and/or received

Closing date: 31 October
Apply to: NMMU Financial Aid Office, Tel: 041 504 2550
Chartis & Barnes Bursary

Study Field: Accounting
Who can apply:
Students from the 2nd year onwards, who are studying towards a BCom degree which leads to qualification as a Chartered Accountant. Preference will be given to applicants from the Eastern Cape with an excellent academic record.

Tenable:
SA universities whose degree programme is accredited by SAICA.

Apply to: The Bursary Officer, Charteris & Barnes, PO Box 137, Queenstown, 5320.
Amount: Up to R24 000 per annum dependent upon merit
Terms: Successful applicant will be expected to serve articles with the firm

Closing date: 31 July annually

Charles Bryars Scholarship Bursary

Who can apply:
Students above practical Grade 7 (music exams) may audition for the bursary.

Closing date: Auditions are held in April

Apply to: NMMU School of Music
Tel: 041 504 4235

Department of Education bursaries
Bursaries administered by NMMU - FUNZA LUSHAKA Bursary

These bursaries are for students entering the teaching profession. The value of these bursaries is R 56 000 per annum, renewable on academic progress. Students taking up the Funza Lushaka bursary are required to teach one year for every year of the bursary. The Department of Education reserves the right to place students/teachers where there is a need. Further particulars and application forms are available from the Education Faculty on the South Campus, NMMU, or the Department of Education website. www.funzalushaka.doe.gov.za/home.jsp

Closing date: Towards end of academic year
Contact person: Muriel Geswindt, Tel: 041 504 2387

Department of Social Development bursaries

These bursaries are for students entering the Social Work profession. Students taking up the Social Development bursary are required to work one year for every year of the bursary for the Department of Social Development.

Application forms can be obtained from the National or Provincial Departments of Social Development, or from the NMMU Social Development department, tel. 041 504 2353.

Closing date: 31 October
**Disability bursaries / NFAS DoL**

Bursaries are available for disabled students. For further information please contact the NMMU disability officer Ruth Barends
Tel: 041 504 2562
Application is made on the NSFAS website. www.nsfas.org.za or an application form can be downloaded and sent to the NSFAS office in Cape Town.

**Department of Water Affairs & Forestry**

Candidates to apply for diploma / degree bursaries to pursue full-time studies in the mentioned occupational classes at the Nelson Mandela Metropolitan University in the following fields of study:

- **ND and BEng. Civil** (preferably final-year, not exclusive of other years)
- **ND and BEng. Mechanical** (preferably final-year / S4, not exclusive to other years)
- **ND and BEng. Electrical** (Heavy Current, preferably final-year / S4), not exclusive of other years

The bursaries cover registration fees, tuition-and examination fees, books and equipment fees, monthly living allowance, as well as boarding and lodging.

To be eligible for a bursary from the Department for the above-mentioned qualifications, applicants must satisfy the following conditions:

- Only SA citizens may apply;
- Currently studying at the Nelson Mandela Metropolitan University
- Must be destitute students who have no bursaries or sponsors;
- Be willing to sign a contract to be accommodated by the Department in its Learning Academy for a minimum period of 3 years and to abide by the terms of such a contract.

For enquiries and application forms, please contact the relevant Faculty head / bursary office on campus or Tel: 041 504 4593

**Deloitte**

Who can apply?
Students studying for a CA qualification.

**Closing date:** None, but students are encouraged to apply early in the year.

**Apply:** Online at www.deloitte.com
**Contact:** 0861 225 538

**Department of Agriculture, Forestry & Fisheries**

Who can apply?
Grade 12 learners with Maths and Science
Undergraduate students

**Fields of Study:**
Agricultural studies, Plant pathology, Viticulture, Pomology, Agriculaural economics, Food science/technology, Biotechnology,
Forestry, BAgri (Plant Pathology), BSc Bioresource Engineering (Agricultural Engineering), BSc Forest, ND: Food Technology, ND: Forestry

Closing date: 30 September

Apply to:
The Director, Department of Agriculture, Forestry & Fisheries (Education & Training) Directorate Education, Training and extension Services, Private Bag X250, Pretoria, 0001

Department of Co-operative Governance
The Department of Cooperative Governance and Traditional Affairs is one of the critical government departments responsible for ensuring that Provincial and Local Governments deliver on their respective mandates pertaining to service delivery. The department of DCoG strives for excellence in the context of service delivery and skills development and encourages historically disadvantaged undergraduates to apply.

The Department offers bursaries in the following disciplines:
- Civil Engineering
- Technicians

Eligibility: Matriculants meeting the minimum requirements and undergraduate students, must be SA citizens.

Requirements: Applicants must be Matriculants with a C(5) symbol for Maths, Science and English, who have been admitted to the above-mentioned fields of study and who come from households with a combined total annual income of less than R40 000.

Enquiries: Ms Fortune Makhubu, Tel: (012) 334-4994 or Ms Charlotte Sebego Tel: (012) 334-0531

Note: Applications should be accompanied by certified copies of a South African Identity Document, Grade 12/academic records, latest proof of parents income, affidavit of unemployed parents and admission letter/proof of registration. Incomplete applications, non-submission of the required documents and/or applications received after the closing date will not be considered.

Applications forms may be obtained at www.cogta.gov.za.

Please submit your application, quoting the relevant area of discipline, for the attention of Ms Fortunate Makhubu at Office W504, 509 Pretorius Street, Pencardia 1, Arcadia or post to Private Bag X804, Pretoria 0001

Closing date: 21 February
Department of Health (DoH)
Nursing bursary
For students enrolled for Nursing studies i.e. B-Cur

Further details available from the Nursing Department, NMMU, Tel: 041 504 2122.

Department of National Treasury

Who can apply:
Only qualifications with the following major subjects will be considered: Economics, Taxation, Accounting, Finance, Public Finance, Computer science/Information systems, Corporate governance, Statistics/Mathematics, Social policy/Development economics, Econometrics.
Grade 12 applicants must have an aggregate of 60% or higher, university students 65%+

Apply to: Director, Talent Management, National Treasury, Private Bag X115, Pretoria, 0001
E-mail: gdp@treasury.gov.za or Tel: 012 395 6584.
Closing date: 30 September

EDULOAN

Who can apply?
Students can apply for a study loan through Eduloan and a sponsor can even apply on someone’s behalf, as long as they are in fulltime employment and provided that the Eduloan monthly instalment does not exceed 25% (based on a one year loan) of you or your sponsor’s monthly basic salary. Eduloan offers affordable study loans to suit every student or their sponsor’s affordability criteria.

Apply to: Call us on 0860 55 55 44, or visit our website www.eduloan.co.za or come to our office on your respective campus and talk to us.

Closing date: You can apply for educational finance with Eduloan at any time.

Engen Bursaries

Are you eager to further your studies and in need of financial assistance?

Who can apply:
- BSc Chemical Engineering: 1st and 3rd year only
- BSc Mechanical Engineering: 1st and 3rd year only
- BSc Electrical Engineering: 1st year only
- BBCom Accounting: 1st year and 2nd year only
- BCom IT: honours level only
- BSc IT: 2nd and 3rd year only
Essential requirements:

- Senior Certificate (Grade 12) with minimum Level 5 in relevant subjects
- Good academic results with a minimum 65% average (for applicants already at university)
- High achiever
- South African citizenship
- Preferably a previously disadvantaged background.

If you meet our requirements and would like to pursue studies in one of the above disciplines, forward a concise CV, with copies of all relevant results and/or certificates, and clearly quote Reference Number BUR0002, to MM Labour

Applications close: 30 June
Apply to: MM Labour Consultants
Fax: 021 448 9143
E-mail: mtwishab@sybaweb.co.za

Kindly do not contact ENGEN directly.

ESKOM
Who can apply?

- South African citizens in any one of the following fields:
- Engineering / Computer Science, BCom Accounting / Economics,
- Electrical Engineering (Heavy Current)
- Learners currently doing year S1, S2 & S3

Closing date: 14 September

Apply to: ESKOM HR, Private Bag X1, Beacon Bay, 5205
Fax applications with academic records to: Nonzuzo Zondani @ 086 538 6874
Contact person: Nonzuzo Zondani Tel: 043 704 1043 or E-mail: zondani@eskom.co.za

Foundation for Pharmaceutical Education (FPE)

Who can apply?
Pharmacy students from 2nd year onwards

Closing date: 31 December
Apply to: FPE, PO Box 26039, Arcadia, 0007
Application forms are available at www.pssa.org.za

Fresinius Kabi Manufacturing (FKMSA)
FKMSA offers bursaries for the following fields of study:

Who can apply?

- BPharm degree students who have passed their first year and been accepted for second year.
- BSc (Chemistry) degree students who have passed first year and been accepted for second year.
National Diploma in Electrical Engineering or Mechanical Engineering students who have passed and completed semesters one and two.

**Conditions:** These bursaries are conditional on a good academic pass rate into the 2nd year (degrees)/3rd semester (diplomas) and a service contract with Bodene, namely one year’s service with Bodene for each year of the bursary, an internship at Bodene, and experiential learning at Bodene as per Bodene bursary agreement.

**Closing date:** 14 September of the candidate’s first year of study.
**Apply to:** Derek Bouwer, Bodene.
**E-mail:** derek.bouwer@fresnius-kabi.com
**Tel:** 041 403 1604  **Fax** 041 451 1638

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**GROUP FIVE Bursary programme**

GROUP FIVE is offering bursaries in the following disciplines: Civil, Mechanical and Electrical Engineering, Construction Management and Quantity Surveying

**To apply:** Send your CV and statement of results to: bursary@g5.co.za

**Deadline:** 31 July

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**Grahamstown Foundation Bursaries and Scholarships**

**GERALD WRIGHT SCHOLARSHIP**

**Arts:** R2000 p/a for 3 years (dependent on academic progress).
Available to school-leavers who will enter a first degree course majoring in English. Applicants must be a citizen of, and resident in, South Africa. Candidates will be selected on Matric symbols (or provisional Matric results), motivation and the field of study.

**WJB SLATER POSTGRADUATE SCHOLARSHIP IN PERFORMING ARTS**

**Arts:** R4000 for one year only.
Postgraduate study in the performing arts, ballet, speech and drama, music and fine art. Candidates will be selected on academic merit, qualities of character, motivation and field of study. Applicants must be a citizen of, and resident in, South Africa. No other bursary, scholarship or paid appointment may be held without the agreement of the foundation.

**Closing date:** 31 October

**Apply to:** The Scholarship & Bursaries Officer, PO Box 304, Grahamstown, 6140
**GCR Academy bursary fund**
Applications are invited for the GCR Academy bursary. The bursary will provide financial assistance for the education, training and skill development of historically disadvantaged Gauteng residents who are considering a career in the following areas:

- Engineering (all fields)
- Land Surveying / Regional Town Planning
- Computer Science
- Chartered Accountancy
- Economic / Financial Information Systems
- Tourism
- Commerce/ Public Financial Management
- Quantity Surveying
- Sports Science / Psychology
- Actuarial Sciences
- Water Reticulation
- Built Environment

**Requirements:**
Preference will be given to learners with excellent results.

Application forms are obtainable at the Gauteng Shared Services Centre, 78 Fox Street, Standard Bank Building, Lower Ground Floor.

**Applicants must forward their applications directly to:**
Gauteng Shared Services, Private Bag X117, Marshalltown, 2107 or above the street address

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**Enquiries:** Lydia Mathinya 011 556 9001, E-mail: Lydia.mathinya@gauteng.gov.za

**Closing date:** 20 October

**Human Settlements Scholarship**
Applications are invited from well performing matriculants nation wide who wish to further their studies and pursue careers within the broader human settlements related fields with studies commencing in the 2014 academic year.

The Scholarship will assist the Department to contribute towards the creation and acquisition of scarce and critical skills in South Africa.

- Civil Engineering
- Town and Regional Planning
- Architecture
- Architectural Technology
- Construction Management
- Project Management
- Surveying
- Property Economics
- Quantity Surveying
- Landscape Technology
- Urban and Rural Studies
- Construction Science
Application forms can be obtained from the Provincial Human Settlements offices or from the website: www.dhs.gov.za

**Investec Merit bursary**
Bursaries towards tuition (up to a maximum of R15000) will be awarded to Grade 12 learners for study at NMMU, in either the BCom (Accounting for Chartered Accountants) or BCom Rationum programmes - based on Academic merit and Financial need.

**Application forms / further information available from:**
Bashlique Hayes, Tel: 041 504 2904

**Closing date:** 30 September

**HCI bursary**
Bursary applies to all fields of undergraduate studies

Applications can be done online at www.hcifoundation.co.za

**Closing date:** 30 September

**Highveld Steel**
**Who can apply:** Engineering students (Mechanical and Electrical)

**Apply to:** Applications are completed on line: www.highveldsteel.co.za

**Closing date:** 31 May
**KPMG bursary**

**Who can apply?**
Students studying towards a BCom C3 or R level qualification

**Value of bursary:** Amount varies

**Apply online:** [www.kpmg.co.za/careers](http://www.kpmg.co.za/careers) or sms “apply” to 32176

**Closing date:** Applications are accepted all year round.

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**Mercedes-Benz SA bursary**

Mercedes Benz SA is offering bursaries for top achievers in the following academic fields:
- Engineering: Mechanical, Electrical or Industrial.
  - 2nd & 3rd year students only
- Human Resources
- IT 3rd year only
- BCom Finance 3rd year students majoring in financial accounting, management accounting or taxation.

**Who can apply?**
- SA citizens or permanent residents
- Studying full-time towards a relevant degree at a recognised South African university
- Must be accepted by the chosen institution for the specific course

**How to apply:**
- Fax all CV’s to the following fax to email address: 0866368311
- At the top of application quote reference number: BUR2010/11 and your field of study

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- Ensure that your application is concise
- Include certified copies of your:
  - Identity document
  - Latest Grade12 results or tertiary qualification results
  - Proof of acceptance at chosen institution

**Closing date:** 31 December.

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**MERSETA**

Bursaries are available to students studying Mechatronics.

**Apply to:**
Visit our Web Site - [www.careerwise.co.za](http://www.careerwise.co.za) or [www.merseta.org.za](http://www.merseta.org.za)
Tel: 011 484 7505/9310 Fax: 086 661 6978

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**Mick Leary Educational Trust Fund**

The Mick Leary Educational Trust Fund aims to enable people with epilepsy to study at a higher education level and to empower people from marginalised and previously disadvantaged communities. It aims to ensure that these individuals are able to graduate and be employable.

**Who can apply?**
Any individual with epilepsy, who has been accepted for study at a higher educational institution may apply. In addition, the Trustees will also take into account factors such as the financial situation of the applicant or their parents, academic performance and community involvement.
Apply to: Ask your local branch of Epilepsy South Africa for an application form.

Contact: Mick Leary Educational Trust, c/o Epilepsy SA, PO Box 73, Observatory, 7935.
Tel: 021 447 3014 or E-mail: info@epilepsy.org.za

Milde McWilliams Bursary

Eligibility:
Undergraduate / BTech students
Preference will be given to financially needy students with good academic results
The value of the bursary will be a maximum of R12000

Selection criteria:
Applicants must registered for the following fields of study:
- Accounting / Business Management
- Information Technology
- Architecture / Building disciplines
- Engineering
- Law
- Nursing
- Marketing management

Applications obtainable at Financial Aid Office, North Campus as from 1st September.

Closing date: 31st October

NESTLE Engineering Bursary

Nestlé is offering bursaries to 1st year students who are pursuing a Bachelor of Technology in Engineering (Electrical, Mechanical or Mechatronics).

Value: Tuition fees, residence with meals, allowance for study equipment / material during theoretical component of studies.
Duration: Four years, renewable annually.

Eligibility:
- 1st year students
- South African citizens
- BEE candidates
- Full-time students with a National Senior Certificate with Maths at least 60% and Physical Science at least 60%

Service Contract:
- P1 and P2
- Year for year pay back period

Send CV, National Senior Certificate and proof of registration to:
Email: Bursary.opportunities@za.nestle.com

Closing date: 20 March
NMMU Honours Bursaries
NMMU and NRF bursaries are available for honours students on application. Application forms are available from the Research Office.

Closing date: 1 November

NRF Bursaries
Bursaries are available for Honours and final-year BTech studies. Application forms are available from the NMMU Research Office.

Closing date: 1 November

Oceana Group Ltd
Who can apply: 1st, 2nd and 3rd year students studying Marketing, Marine Engineering, Finance, Food Technology, Logistics and Quality Systems.

Apply to: E-mail CV to: bursary@strategy-rm.co.za
Closing date: 8 May

PetroSA Bursary
PetroSA is offering bursaries to South African students from previously disadvantaged communities to pursue undergraduate studies at South African higher education institutions in the following disciplines:
- BSc in Geology, Geographics and Reservoir Engineering
- BSc in Mathematics, Physics and Chemistry
- BSc Eng in Metallurgy/Materials Engineering
- Chemical / Mechanical / Electrical Engineering (Instrumentation, control systems, light and heavy current).
- BCom (Econ), (Acc) or BBusSc in Finance

Applications are invited from matriculants with Mathematics, Science or Accounting subjects. First, second and third-year students in any of the above engineering disciplines are welcome to apply. Students who currently hold any other bursary are not eligible. No bursary will be awarded for a field of study not listed above.

Applications accompanied by CV’s, certified copies of Senior Certificates and/or academic records and SA ID documents, as well as proof of parents income, must be forwarded to: PO Box 833, Green Point 8051 or email: careers@rm.amcomms.co.za or fax 086 539 1613

Closing date: 31 August
**PPS Chairman’s Fund**

**Scholarship Fund**
- One award per annum, based on academic merit.
- Students must be registering for at least their fourth academic year of study or honours equivalent in a profession which, on qualification, would be eligible for membership of PPS Limited e.g. Medical, Legal, Accountancy, Teaching, Engineering etc.
- Students must be citizens or permanent residents of South Africa, Namibia, Swaziland, Botswana, Zimbabwe or such areas as the PPS Board may determine.

**Value of award:** Tuition and books, accommodation and allowance to a maximum of R30 000.

**Tenure:** One year

**Closing date:** 31 December

**Apply to:** The Scholarship & Bursary Officer, PPS Insurance, PO Box 1089, Houghton, 2041
Fax: 011 644 4252 or E-mail: scholarship@pps.co.za

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**SAPREF**
*(Shell SA Energy & BP Southern Africa)*

**Who can apply?**
A limited number of bursaries are awarded for the following fields of study:
- Engineering (Chemical / Mechanical / Electrical) and Information systems.

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**Sentech Educational Fund**

**Who can apply?**
Students enrolling for degree or diploma courses in telecommunications-related or relevant fields, for example: Information Science, Electronics, Computer Engineering, Computer Science or Telecommunications Law.

**Closing date:** 15 August

**Apply to:** Sentech Bursary & Awards Committee, Private Bag X06, Honeydew, 2040, Tel: 011 691 7080, E-mail: Nkoane@sentech.co.za, www.sentech.co.za

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**SETA – Sector Education Training Authority**

Scholarships, Internships and Bursaries are available from the various SETA’s within South Africa. Students may contact the relevant SETA which is applicable to their academic programme enquiring more on various students funding support available:

**AGRISETA – Agriculture Sector Education Training Authority**
- www.agriseta.org.za
- Tel: (012) 325 1655
BANKSETA – Banking Sector Education Training Authority
- www.bankseta.org.za
- Tel: 0861 020 002 or (011) 805 9661

CHIETA – Chemical Industries Education Training Authority
- www.chieta.org.za
- Tel: 086 0244 382

CTFL – Clothing, Textiles, Footwear and Leather Sector Education and Training Authority
- www.ctflseta.org.za
- Tel: (031) 702 4482 or (041) 585 9371

ESETA – Energy Sector Education and Training Authority
- www.eseta.org.za
- Tel: (011) 689 5300

ETDP SETA – Education, Training and Development Practices Sector Education and Training
- www.etdpseta.org.za
- Tel: (011) 807 5621/517 3720

FASSET – Financial and Accounting Services
- www.fasset.org.za
- Tel: 0861 010 001 or (011) 476 8570

FIETA – Forest Industries Sector Education and Training
- www.Fieta.org.za
- Tel: (011) 712 0600

HWSETA – Health and Welfare Sector Education and Training Authority
- www.hwseta.org.za
- Tel: (011) 607 6900

INSETA – Insurance Sector Education and Training Authority
- www.inseta.org.za
- Tel: (011) 544 2000 or 086 113 0013

INSETT – Information Systems, Electronics and Telecommunications Technologies
- www.insett.org.za
- Tel: (011) 207 2600 or (011) 805 5115

LGSETA – Local Government Sector Education and Training Authority
- www.lgseta.org.za
- Tel: (011) 456 8579

MAPPP – Media, Advertising, Publishing, Printing and packaging
- www.mappp-seta.co.za
- Tel: (021) 949 1463 or (011) 699 3094

MERSETA – Manufacturing, Engineering and Related Services Education and Training Authority
- www.merseta.org.za
- Tel: (011) 484 9310

PSETA – Public Service Sector Education and Training Authority
- www.dpsa.gov.za
- Tel: (012) 314 7493
SKA SOUTH AFRICA bursaries
Do you want to be part of one of the world’s most exciting projects?

Calling all students interested in careers in Engineering

The South African Square Kilometre Array Project supports undergraduate students majoring in Physics, Mathematics or Electrical/Electronic Engineering who wish to pursue a career or postgraduate research in radio astronomy.

Apply on: http://www.ska.ac.za/studentsupport/index/shtml

(Students studying Physics, Mathematics or Electrical/Electronic Engineering at first year, second or third year level may apply).

Southern African Clothing & Textile Worker’s Union (SACTWU)
Who can apply?
SACTWU members, their children, spouses and legal dependants

Closing date: 28 February

Apply to: SACTWU Bursary Department, PO Box 18359, Dalbridge, 4014.

South African Music Rights Organisation (SAMRO)
Who can apply?
All music students

Closing date: Early February (dates are determined by SAMRO)

Apply to: Christine Otto, PO Box 31609, Braamfontein, 2017
Tel: 011 489 5000
South African Music Rights Organisation (SAMRO)

Who can apply?
Overseas Scholarships for Singers - postgraduate
One scholarship in each genre. Advanced study abroad at postgraduate level in either the western art/choral music or jazz/popular music genres.

Closing date: 30 April

Intermediate bursaries for music composition study – 3rd/4th year, honours, masters or doctoral degrees
Music composition as a major in either the western art/choral music or jazz/popular music genres.

Closing date: 15 February

Undergraduate bursaries for general music study or music education study. Music as a major subject in any general branch of either the western art/choral music or jazz/ popular music genres in 1st or 2nd year of study.
Music Education and/or class music teaching as major subject in any year of study.

Closing date: 15 February

Apply to: SAMRO Endowment for the National Arts, PO Box 31609, Braamfontein, 2017
Tel: 011 489 5000 Fax: 011 403 1934 E-mail: sena@samro.org.za

South African Broadcasting Corporation

Bursaries for ND Electrical Engineering - Female applicants ONLY!
Female students with Grade 12 Maths and Science who would like to study Electrical Engineering Light Current or Computer Sciences to build an exciting career in the broadcasting engineering industry are invited to apply to the SABC for bursaries.

Requirements:
- Female and from previously disadvantaged group
- Grade 12 passed
- Above average academic track record Maths, Science and English
- Must not be a bursary holder from another organization
- Radio, Television, Digital Communications, signal Processing, Electronics, and Networking subjects will be an added advantage
- Technical aptitude
- Computer Proficient

Candidates who are willing to work irregular hours, who are enthusiastic, self confident and results orientated must forward their CV to: Technologyideas@sabc.co.za or Fax: 011 714 3398

Closing date: 6 February

South African Institute of Race Relations

Who can apply?
Grade 12 learners need a minimum 50% or university exemption and tertiary students must have a good academic record with a minimum of...
50% pass in all subjects written.

Apply to: SA Institute of Race Relations, Private Bag X13, Marshalltown, 2107.
Tel: 011 492 0600 www.sairr.org.za

Closing date: 31 August

South African National Council for the Blind Bursary

Who can apply?
This bursary is awarded annually to blind or partially sighted students for higher education study in any suitable field. Medical proof of visual disability is required. The bursary is for tuition only - maximum of R15 000.

Closing date: 30 September.

Apply to: The Bursary Administrator, PO Box 1149, Hatfield, 0028.

South African National Roads Agency

The SA National Roads Agency (SANRAL) is offering full bursaries to candidates who are studying in the following study fields: Civil/electrical/electronic engineering, traffic and transport engineering and computer science. Consideration will be given to SA students in 2nd, 3rd or fourth of undergraduate study, as well as post-graduate studies.

Interested students must submit a comprehensive CV with certified copies of matric results, recent academic records, confirmation of registration, SA ID document, proof of parent’s income and motivation to:

Apply to: SANRAL Corporate Services Executive, PO Box 415, Pretoria, 0001, Atten: Ms Heide Harper,
Tel: 012 844 8016, E-mail: mothapom@nra.co.za
www.sanral.ensight.cdn.com

Closing Date 31 September

Stinglingh Memorial Bursary

Eligibility:
Public servants and/or members and their dependant children who have been in the employ of Public Service or a member of the PSA for at least 12 months on the closing date of the year in which a bursary is applied for.
For part-time or full-time studies in Natural Sciences (undergraduate or research related from 2nd year).

Value of the bursary is R3 000 and is revised annually.

Proof of membership of the PSA must accompany your letter of application to the Financial Aid Office, North Campus, NMMU. Tel: 041 504 2550 / 3096.

Closing date: 15 October
Ted and Mabel Everitt Bursary
A limited number of bursaries are available to students who are resident in, or educated in EAST LONDON, and genuinely in need of financial assistance and must show scholastic promise and ability.

Students must meet minimum university admission requirements. The bursaries are awarded for any degree and may be renewed annually depending on academic performance.

Matriculants and undergraduate students can apply.

Application forms are obtainable from:
FNB Trust services, Tel. 0877362558 or 043 7022391 or
E-mail: mbetts@fnb.co.za or jheathcote@fnb.co.za

Closing date: 1 October

The Hilary & Dorothy Campion Trust
Who can apply:
Students should be at least in their 2nd year of study, in the following courses: Sciences, Geology, Technological courses and Teachers (Science and Mathematics), only South African citizens can apply.

Apply to: The Administrator, The Hillary & Dorothy Champion Trust .
E-mail: championtrust@petalon.co.za,
Tel: 021 782 6943, Fax: 086 566 7817

Closing date: 31 October

The Southern African Association for Energy Efficiency
The Southern African Association for Energy Efficiency (SAEE) hereby invites applications for scholarships from interested students in the Engineering, Built Environment and Environmental Studies. Scholarships are awarded in support of transformation of the energy sector and will only be awarded to South African Nationals. Recipients of other government scholarships and or bursaries will not be eligible for the SAEE scholarships.

The Scholarships will be awarded to students with excellent academic record in previous years of study.

Application forms are obtainable from the SAEE website www.saae.org.za. Applications must be submitted by the students in their personal capacity.
Closing date: 30 September
Fax: 086 7267135 or E-mail: info@saee.org.za.
Enquiries may be directed to Danielle Badenhorst (018) 293 1499

The Methodist Church of Southern Africa
All children of members of UTATU – membership of UTATU must accompany letter of application

Closing date: 31 December.
Apply to: NMMU Financial Aid Office, Tel: 041 505 2550
THUTHUKA bursaries
These bursaries are aimed at SA black and coloured students intending to become Chartered Accountants. The value of the bursary is currently R43 000 per year, renewable on academic performance. These students also qualify for a loan of R43 000 from the NSFAS loan scheme. Full funding for BCom Honours (Accounting) is provided. Students are required to stay in the university residences and participate in the supplementary academic interventions offered by the School of Accounting. Successful students will be placed with accredited training offices by SAICA for purposes of completing a three-year training contract.

Further particulars and application forms are available from the SAICA website www.saica.co.za or NMMU Accounting Department. Tel: 041-504 2072 / 2014, E-mail: thuthuka@nmmu.ac.za

Closing date: April of the year preceding study

Transnet Bursary
Transnet is a focussed and integrated freight transport company which is essentially driven by five operating divisions; Freight Rail; Rail Engineering; National Ports Authority; Port Terminals and Transnet Pipelines. These operating divisions supported by Company-wide specialist functions give meaning to our philosophy of “One Company, One Vision”

Full-time bursaries are awarded annually according to the employment needs of the company. All our full-time students are viewed as potential employees – depending on vacancies being available after successfully completing their qualifications.

Who can apply?
- SA citizens who meet entry requirements of the relevant tertiary institutions and the chosen field of study

Fields of Study?
B.Eng and N.Dip:
  - Industrial
  - Electrical
  - Electronic
  - Mechanical
  - Civil
  - Electro-Mech
  - Metallurgy

Closing date: 31 July

Applications forms obtainable:
Website: http://www.transnet.co.za/pages/home Or
Bursary Office Address, Room 4206, Carlton Centre, 150 Commissioner St, Johannesburg
Tel: (011) 308 2799
Fax: (011) 774 9235
Toll free: 0800 601 226

Trudon Bursary
Aimed at assisting South African second or third year tertiary students.

Who can apply?
Undergraduate students studying towards the following:
  - Informatics/Economics/Information Management/IT Management
  - Computer Science and Informatics/Information Technology
  - Multimedia Design
  - Digital Media Studies
Multimedia Design and Digital Media Studies are awarded to students studying towards a Bachelor of Information Science (Publishing and Multimedia) and/or Graphic Design qualification.

**How to apply:**
Application forms can be accessed on www.trudon.co.za under CSI

**Closing date:** 31 October

Fully completed applications forms together with certified copies of your final matric and tertiary results must be emailed to smithc@truton.co.za

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**Volkswagen Community Trust**

**Who can apply?**
- Full-time students from the Nelson Mandela Bay area
- Fields of Study: Engineering, Computer Studies, Finance, Commerce, Science (not Health Sciences) and Business Studies etc.
- Bursary covers tuition and books only

**Closing date:** 30 July

**Apply to:** The Administrator, VW Community Trust, PO Box 80, Uitenhage, 6230
Tel: 041 994 4399/4049/5178  Fax: 041 994 5587

**United Transport & Allied Trade Union**

All children of members of UTATU – membership of UTATU must accompany letter of application

**Closing date:** 31 December.

**Apply to:** NMMU Financial Aid Office, Tel: 041 505 2550

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**WSP Consulting Engineers**

**Who can apply?**
Engineering (mechanical, electrical from 2nd year onwards.)
Service contract minimum 2 years and vacation employment.

**Apply to:** WSP Group Africa (Pty) Ltd, PO Box 98867
Sloane Park, 2152
Tel: 011 361 1320  e-mail: sue.eddey@wspgroup.co.za

**Closing date:** 30 September for completed forms