Master Fellowships in Public Health and Tropical Medicine, Wellcome Trust, UK


This scheme provides junior researchers with the opportunity to gain research experience and training at Master’s degree level. The scheme aims to support research that will improve public health and tropical medicine at a local, national and global level.

**Scheme at a glance**

- **Career stage:** Postgraduate
- **Where your host organisation is based:** Low- and middle-income countries
- **Type of researcher:** Public health
- **Level of funding:** Studentship stipend, fees and research expenses
- **Duration of funding:** 30 months

**Who can apply**

You can apply for a Master’s Fellowship in Public Health and Tropical Medicine if you:

- are a national of a low- or middle-income country
- hold a clinical or non-clinical undergraduate degree in a subject relevant to public health or tropical medicine.

You must also:

- be at an early stage in your career with limited research experience (but you must have a demonstrated interest in, or aptitude for, research)
- have sponsorship from an eligible host organisation in a low- or middle-income country
- have a research proposal that is within our public health and tropical medicine remit.

Go to the World Bank website to see a list of low- and middle-income countries.

**Who can’t apply**

You can’t apply if you’re:

- intending to be based in the UK, Republic of Ireland or another high-income country (although your taught course can be anywhere in the world)
- a researcher in India – instead see the Wellcome Trust/Department of Biotechnology India Alliance
- currently applying for another Wellcome Trust fellowship.

**What we’re looking for**

Your research proposal should focus on an area within our public health and tropical medicine remit. Research can include laboratory-based molecular analysis of field or clinical samples, but we don’t normally consider projects focused solely on studies in vitro or using animal models.
We’re particularly interested in requests for research training support in the social sciences, demography, health economics, medical statistics and vector biology.

When we consider your application, we’ll look at:

- the quality and importance of your research question(s)
- the feasibility of your approach to solving these problems
- the suitability of your choice of research environments
- the suitability of the Master’s course you select – it should take place at a recognised centre of excellence and provide you with training that will complement your research project.

What we offer
A Master’s Fellowship in Public Health and Tropical Medicine is normally for 30 months and can be held on a part-time basis. The first 12 months should be dedicated to doing a taught Master’s course at a recognised centre of excellence. The following 18 months is normally for your research project.

Support during the Master’s course
The support includes:

- a stipend. If your taught course or training is in the UK, you’ll get £15,000 a year (outside London) or £17,000 a year (Greater London). If your course or training is outside the UK, you should check living costs with your prospective training organisation. Contact us for advice if you need extra funding (eg for dependants).
- travel costs (eg outward and return airfares)
- approved tuition fees, according to the rate charged by the training organisation. We usually provide funds at the level charged to the UK/EU students, rather than the overseas student rate.

We support distance learning Master’s degrees.

If your stipend is liable for tax in the country you’re based in, we’ll provide costs to cover the taxed amount.

How to apply
You must submit your application through the Wellcome Trust Grant Tracker (WTGT).

Stages of application
1. Submit your full application. View a sample full application form for Master’s Fellowships in Public Health and Tropical Medicine [PDF 2.2MB]. We may take up to three to four months to consider your full application.
2. Shortlisting. The Public Health and Tropical Medicine Interview Committee will shortlist applications.
3. Review by interview committee. The Public Health and Tropical Medicine Interview Committee will review your application and make the final decision. There are no interviews for these fellowships. If successful, you must take up the fellowship within one year of the award.

Dates
We consider applications three times a year. You must submit your application by 17:00 (GMT/BST) on the deadline day. We don’t accept late applications.

March 2018 round
Application deadline: 26 March 2018
Decision: June 2018

1. Fully Funded PhD Scholarships for International Students, University of Warwick, UK
2. Full Tuition Fee MBA Scholarships for International Students, Melbourne Business School, Australia
3. Master Scholarships for International Students, Malmö University, Sweden
4. Space Studies Scholarships, International Space University, France
5. Fully Funded Master Scholarships for International Students, Utrecht University, Netherlands
6. Full Tuition Fee Fashion Scholarships, International Fashion Academy, France
7. Master Scholarships for International Students, Uppsala University, Sweden
8. Fully Funded Master Scholarships, Perimeter Institute for Theoretical Physics, Canada
9. Full Tuition Fee Scholarships for Female Students from Developing Countries, Swansea University, UK
10. Full Tuition + Allowance Undergraduate Scholarships, Korea Advanced Institute of Science and Technology (KAIST), South Korea
11. Fully Funded Scholarships, Kochi University of Technology, Japan
12. MA Scholarships in Refugee Protection and Forced Migration Studies, University of London, UK
13. Fully Funded PhD Scholarships in Economics, CERGE-EI, Czech Republic
14. Fully Funded PhD Scholarships, Nanyang Technological University, Singapore
15. Full Tuition Fee + Grant, MSc in Engineering Scholarships, University of Southern Denmark
16. Business School Master Scholarships, University of Leeds, UK
17. Master Scholarships for International Students, Örebro University, Sweden
1. Masters in Business Analytics and Decision Sciences International Excellence Scholarship, University of Leeds, UK
2. Masters in Management International Excellence Scholarship, University of Leeds, UK
3. Masters in Accounting and Finance International Excellence Scholarship, University of Leeds, UK
4. SOAS International Postgraduate Excellence Scholarship, University of London, UK
5. Socon Foundation Scholarship, School of Oriental and African Studies, University of London, UK
6. Sasakawa Postgraduate Studentship, SOAS, University of London, UK
7. Postgraduate SOAS Global Impact Award, University of London, UK
8. Paul Webley Alphawood Scholarships, SOAS, University of London, UK
9. Kamran Djam Scholarships, School of Oriental and African Studies, University of London, UK
10. Dean’s International Excellence Scholarship, University of Leeds, UK
11. H.E. Dr Issa Ghanim Jassim Al-Kawari Scholarship, SOAS, University of London, UK
12. CSJR Postgraduate Student Bursary, SOAS, University of London, UK
13. MSc Young Leader Scholarship, HHL Europe, Germany
14. MBA Young Leader Scholarship, HHL Europe, Germany
15. MBA Future Entrepreneur Scholarship, HHL Europe, Germany
16. MBA Women in Business Scholarship, HHL Europe, Germany
17. Bachelor in International Business Scholarships, IÉSEG School of Management, France
18. International MBA Scholarships, IÉSEG School of Management, France
19. MSc Scholarships in Big Data Analytics for Business, IÉSEG School of Management, France
20. MSc in International Business Negotiation Scholarships, IÉSEG School of Management, France
21. MSc in Investment Banking & Capital Markets Scholarships, IÉSEG School of Management, France
22. Master of Science in Finance Scholarships, IÉSEG School of Management, France
23. Executive Dean’s Scholarship, Faculty of Science & Technology, Bournemouth University, UK
24. MSc in International Accounting, Audit & Control Scholarships, IÉSEG School of Management, France
25. MSc in Business Analysis and Consulting Scholarships, IÉSEG School of Management, France
26. MSc in Digital Marketing & CRM Scholarships, IÉSEG School of Management, France
27. MSc Scholarships in Fashion Management, IÉSEG School of Management, France
28. MSc Scholarships in International Business, IÉSEG School of Management, France
29. Radboud Faculty of Arts Study Funds, Radboud University, Netherlands
30. Faculty of Science Scholarships, University of Sheffield, UK
31. Executive Dean’s Scholarship, Department of Tourism and Hospitality, Bournemouth University, UK
32. Executive Dean’s Scholarship, Faculty of Media & Communication, Bournemouth University, UK
33. Executive Dean’s Scholarship, Faculty of Management, Bournemouth University, UK
34. Executive Dean’s Scholarship, Faculty of Health & Social Sciences, Bournemouth University, UK
35. Master of Public Health Scholarship, Glasgow Caledonian University, UK
36. Beasiswa Paragon - Institut Pertanian Bogor (IPB)
37. Cinematography Scholarships, Griffith University, Australia
38. MBA Scholarships, University of Glasgow, UK
39. International Fellowships, ADA University, Azerbaijan
40. International Masters Scholarship, Edith Cowan University, Australia
41. International Fashion Academy Scholarships, Paris
42. International Postgraduate Taught Scholarship, University of Sheffield, UK
43. International Baccalaureate Undergraduate Merit Scholarship, University of Sheffield, UK
44. International Postgraduate Taught Merit Scholarship, University of Sheffield, UK
45. University of Adelaide Global Academic Excellence Scholarship, Australia
46. International Excellence Scholarships, University of Reading, UK
47. International Undergraduate Merit Scholarship, University of Sheffield, UK
48. International Undergraduate Scholarship, University of Sheffield, UK
49. Global Undergraduate Exchange Program, American Indonesian Exchange Foundation, USA
50. Orange Tulip Scholarship (OTS), University of Twente, Netherlands
51. Orange Tulip Scholarships, Tio University of Applied Sciences, Netherlands
52. Orange Tulip Scholarships, Wittenborg University of Applied Sciences, Netherlands
53. Orange Tulip Scholarships, Tilburg University, Netherlands
54. Undergraduate Scholarships, Korea Advanced Institute of Science and Technology (KAIST)
55. Orange Tulip Scholarships, TIAS School for Business and Society, Netherlands
56. Orange Tulip Scholarships, The Hague University of Applied Sciences, Netherlands
57. Deakin Vice-Chancellor’s International Scholarship, Deakin University, Australia
58. Orange Tulip Scholarships, Saxion University of Applied Sciences, Netherlands
59. Orange Tulip Scholarships, NHL Stenden University of Applied Sciences, Netherlands
60. Orange Tulip Scholarship Indonesia, Maastricht University, Netherlands
61. Orange Tulip Scholarships, Institute of Social Studies, Erasmus University Rotterdam, Netherlands
62. Orange Tulip Scholarships, Institute for Housing and Urban Development Studies, Erasmus University Rotterdam, Netherlands
63. Orange Tulip Scholarships, Hanze University of Applied Sciences, Netherlands
64. MBA Scholarships, Brunel University, UK
65. Orange Tulip Scholarships, HAN University of Applied Sciences, Netherlands
66. Orange Tulip Scholarships, Breda University of Applied Sciences, Netherlands
67. Orange Tulip Scholarships, DAS Theatre, Amsterdam University of the Arts, Netherlands
68. Orange Tulip Scholarships, Rotterdam School of Management, Erasmus University, Netherlands
69. Orange Tulip Scholarships, Radboud University, Netherlands
70. Orange Tulip Scholarships, Vrije Universiteit Amsterdam, Netherlands
71. Orange Tulip Scholarships, Eindhoven University of Technology, Netherlands
72. Orange Tulip Scholarships, University of Amsterdam, Netherlands
73. PhD Studentship in Light-Matter Interactions, University of Southampton, UK
74. Western Sydney International Bursary, Western Sydney University, Australia
75. University of Adelaide Global Leaders Scholarships, Australia
76. Global KU Study Abroad Scholarship, Korea University, South Korea
77. MS/PhD Fellowships, King Abdullah University of Science and Technology (KAUST), Saudi Arabia
78. LLM Scholarships, Queen Mary University of London, UK
79. International Doctoral Scholarships in Engineering, Kochi University of Technology, Japan
80. The Sadako Ogata Scholarship, University of London, UK
81. International Postgraduate Coursework Full Tuition Scholarship, University of Technology Sydney, Australia
82. Scholarship for International Baccalaureate (IB) Graduates, University of Technology Sydney, Australia
83. International Undergraduate Full Tuition Scholarship, University of Technology Sydney, Australia
84. QuTech Scholarship, Delft University of Technology, Netherlands
85. TU Delft Excellence Scholarships, Netherlands
86. Brunel International Scholarship, Brunel University London, UK
87. Social Sciences Graduate School Research PhD Studentships, University of East Anglia, UK
88. PhD Scholarships in Economics, CERGE-EI, Czech Republic
89. Master Scholarships, Chulabhorn Graduate Institute & ASEAN Foundation, Thailand
90. Future of Humanity Institute Scholarships, University of Oxford, UK
91. Winton Scholarships, University of Cambridge, UK
92. Alan Musgrave Scholarship in Philosophy, University of Otago, New Zealand
93. Eiffel Scholarships for Master & PhD, France
94. Indonesia Global Leaders Scholarship, University of Queensland, Australia
95. Nieman-Berkman Klein Fellowship in Journalism Innovation, Harvard University, USA
96. School of Philosophy, Psychology and Language Sciences PhD Scholarships, University of Edinburgh, UK
97. MBA Academic Performance Scholarship, Coventry University, UK
98. Vice-Chancellor’s Awards & Cambridge International Scholarships, University of Cambridge, UK
99. MSc in Engineering Scholarships, University of Southern Denmark
100. The Karolinska Institutet Global Master’s Scholarships, Sweden
101. Mathematics Global Scholarships, University of Waterloo, Canada
102. Postgraduate Research Studentships in Social Sciences, University of East Anglia, UK
103. Robin & Nadine Wells Scholarship, St Cross College, University of Oxford, UK
104. St Cross Worldwide Scholarships, St Cross College, University of Oxford, UK
105. MPhil Scholarship in Humanities and Social Sciences, St Cross College, University of Oxford, UK
106. Hélène La Rue Scholarship in Music, University of Oxford, UK
107. Graduate Scholarship in Archaeology, St Cross College, University of Oxford, UK
108. ANU Sport and Recreation Association Scholarship, Australian National University, Australia
109. Honours Scholarship, Australian National University, Australia
110. PBSA ANU Partnership - Spotless Scholarship, Australian National University, Australia
111. Tall Foundation Scholarship in Classics, Australian National University, Australia
112. Research School of Economics Neil Vousden Memorial Scholarship, Australian National University, Australia
113. ANU College of Arts and Social Sciences Academic Excellence Scholarship, Australian National University, Australia
114. Australian National University Excellence Scholarship
115. Adlerbert Study Scholarships, Chalmers University of Technology, Sweden
116. IPOET Scholarships, Chalmers University of Technology, Sweden
117. Avancez Scholarship, Chalmers University of Technology, Sweden
118. MBA Scholarships, New York University, USA
119. Excellence Scholarship & Opportunity Programme (ESOP), ETH Zurich, Switzerland
120. RMIT International Excellence Scholarship, RMIT University, Australia
121. Faculty of Health and Applied Sciences Dean’s Scholarships, University of the West of England, UK
122. Faculty of Health and Applied Sciences MSc Scholarships, University of the West of England, UK
123. International Undergraduate Excellence Scholarship, Bond University, Australia
124. Bond University Postgraduate Research Scholarship (BUPRS), Australia
125. Research Training Program (RTP) Stipend Scholarship, Bond University, Australia
126. Hong Kong PhD Fellowship Scheme (HKPFS), University of Hong Kong
127. Environmental Health Sciences PhD Scholarships (QAEHS), University of Queensland, Australia
128. Justus & Louise van Effen Excellence Scholarships, Delft University of Technology, Netherlands
129. Holland Scholarship, Delft University of Technology, Netherlands
130. Durham Doctoral Studentships, Durham University, UK
131. President’s PhD Scholarships, Imperial College London, UK
132. Quentin Bryce Law Doctoral Scholarship, University of Technology Sydney, Australia
133. General Academic Scholarships, University of Bridgeport, USA
134. Master Scholarships for International Students, Örebro University, Sweden
135. Departmental Taught Masters Scholarships, University of York, UK
136. Söderberg Scholarship, Lund University, Sweden
137. Adelaide Scholarships International (ASI), University of Adelaide, Australia
138. University of Reading International Research Studentships, UK
139. Chancellor’s International Scholarships, University of Warwick, UK
140. Dean’s Scholarship for Women and Management, Melbourne Business School, Australia
141. Dean’s International Management Scholarship, Melbourne Business School, Australia
142. Master Scholarships, Malmö University, Sweden
143. Utrecht Excellence Scholarships, Utrecht University, Netherlands
144. UQ Graduate School Scholarships (UQGSS), University of Queensland, Australia
145. Holland Scholarship, Utrecht University, Netherlands
146. Uppsala University President’s Club Scholarship, Sweden
147. Uppsala University IPK Scholarships, Sweden
148. Newcastle University Overseas Research Scholarship (NUORS), UK
149. Vice-Chancellor’s Excellence Scholarships Postgraduate, Newcastle University, UK
150. Vice Chancellor’s International Scholarships, Newcastle University, UK
151. David Goldman PhD Scholarship, Newcastle University, UK
152. Master Scholarships, Perimeter Institute for Theoretical Physics, Canada
153. Radboud University Medical Center Study Fund, Netherlands
154. Space Studies Scholarships, International Space University, France
155. Nanyang President’s Graduate Scholarships (NPGS), Nanyang Technological University (NTU), Singapore
156. UC College of Engineering International Scholarship, University of Canterbury, New Zealand
157. Kent Business School Hardship Bursary, University of Kent, UK
158. Merit International Postgraduate Scholarship, Edith Cowan University, Australia
159. Amandus H Lundqvist Scholarship Program, Eindhoven University of Technology, Netherlands
160. Postgraduate Global Excellence Scholarships, University of Exeter, UK
161. Fully-Funded Doctoral Studentships in Computer Science, University of Oxford, UK
162. International Master in Security, Intelligence and Strategic Studies (IMSISS), Europe
163. Full Fee Scholarships, University of Adelaide, Australia
164. UTS Science International Undergraduate Scholarship for Excellence, University of Technology Sydney, Australia
165. Civil and Structural Engineering PhD Scholarship, Curtin University, Australia
166. International Excellence Scholarship, Anglia Ruskin University, UK
167. University of Adelaide Matching Scholarships, Australia
168. Musical Soloing Scholarship, Musicians Institute, USA
169. Joe Bonamassa Blues Guitar Scholarship, Musicians Institute, USA
170. 2019 DJ Program Scholarship, Musicians Institute, USA
171. Evans Drum Scholarship, Musicians Institute, USA
172. Graduate Research Scholarships, University of Melbourne, Australia
173. MBS International Student Study Award, Massey University, New Zealand
174. University of Adelaide Global Citizens Scholarship, Australia
175. DAAD Scholarships in Fine Art, Design, Visual Communication and Film, Germany
176. University of Saskatchewan International Excellence Awards, Canada
177. College of Humanities and Social Sciences International Excellence Scholarship, Massey University, New Zealand
178. Tourism Development & Culture (Erasmus Mundus Joint Masters) Scholarships, Europe
179. Holland Scholarship, University of Twente, Netherlands
180. Postgraduate Research Studentships, Queen Mary University of London, UK
181. University of Twente Scholarship (UTS), Netherlands
182. Eira Francis Davies Scholarship, Swansea University, UK
183. ASEAN Graduate Scholarship, Nanyang Technological University, Singapore
184. Fulbrights Grants for Indonesian Lecturers - MA, American Indonesian Exchange Foundation, USA
185. Fulbrights Grants for Indonesian Lecturers - PhD, American Indonesian Exchange Foundation, USA
186. Undergraduate Postgraduate Bursary, Western Sydney University, Australia
187. Postgraduate Scholarships, Western Sydney University, Australia
188. Undergraduate Scholarships, Western Sydney University, Australia
189. Fulbright Distinguished Awards in Teaching Program for International Teachers (Fulbright DAI), USA
190. Vice-Chancellor’s International Scholarship, Macquarie University, Australia
191. Fulbright PhD Scholarships, American Indonesian Exchange Foundation (AMINEF), USA
192. Fulbright Master Scholarships, American Indonesian Exchange Foundation (AMINEF), USA
193. ANU College of Engineering & Computer Science International Postgraduate Excellence Scholarship, Australia
194. Masters in Marketing International Excellence Scholarships, University of Leeds, UK
195. Masters in International Business International Excellence Scholarships, University of Leeds, UK
196. Masters in Human Resource Management International Excellence Scholarships, University of Leeds, UK
197. Masters in Management Consulting International Excellence Scholarship, University of Leeds, UK
198. Masters in Organizational Psychology / Business Psychology International Excellence Scholarship, University of Leeds, UK
199. Masters in Information Systems and Information Management International Excellence Scholarship, University of Leeds, UK
200. Masters in Global Supply Chain Management International Excellence Scholarship, University of Leeds, UK
201. Masters in Global Strategy and Innovation Management International Excellence Scholarship, University of Leeds, UK
202. Masters in Enterprise and Entrepreneurship International Excellence Scholarship, University of Leeds, UK
203. Community College Initiative Program, American Indonesian Exchange Foundation, USA
204. Academic Excellence Scholarship, Bournemouth University, UK

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