

Faculty Scholarships

The **Faculty of Technology, Design and Environment** awards a limited number of scholarships for its taught postgraduate programmes which are awarded on a competitive basis to UK, EU and international postgraduates each year.

- **Full-time UK/EU Faculty Scholarship (x11)**

This scholarship contributes a value of up to £1,000 towards a full-time Master's degree tuition fees for a period of one year for UK/EU applicants.

- **Part-time UK/EU Faculty Scholarship (x1)**

This scholarship contributes a value of up to £500 per year towards a part-time or distance learning Master's degree tuition fees for a period of up to two years for UK/EU applicants.

Please note: The scholarships listed above are designed to offer a funding award set against the cost of tuition fees for a Master's degree within the Faculty, and do not include a contribution towards living costs, travel, textbooks, or other ancillary items.

All applicants for the following degree programmes may apply for a scholarship, and all scholarships are tenable on any of the programmes listed, as offered by the Faculty of Technology, Design and Environment:

- Master of Architecture (M Arch)
- MA Development and Emergency Practice (DEP)
- MA Humanitarian Action and Peacebuilding (HAP)
- MA International Architectural Regeneration and Development (IARD)
- MSc Sustainable Architecture: Evaluation & Design (SAED)
- MSc Building Information Modelling and Management
- MSc Environmental Assessment and Management
- MSc Historic Conservation
- MSc Project Management in the Built Environment
- MSc Construction Project Management
- MSc Real Estate
- MSc Spatial Planning
- MA Urban Design
- MSc Infrastructure and Sustainable Development
- MSc Data Analytics
- MSc Software Engineering
- MSc Computer Science for Cyber Security
- MSc Advanced Computer Science
- MSc Computing Science
- MSc Motorsport Engineering
- MSc Automotive Engineering with Electric Vehicles
- MSc Racing Engine Systems
- MSc Mechanical Engineering
- MA Music
- MSc Digital Media Production
- MA Film Studies: Popular Cinema
- MA Publishing Media
- MA Digital Publishing
- MA Sound Arts
- Master of Fine Art in Fine Art

N.B. RIBA Part 2 M Arch D applicants are not eligible to apply for these scholarships.

Eligibility

- All applicants must fulfil the academic entry requirements for postgraduate study in the University and Faculty of Technology, Design and Environment. All applicants must have been offered either a conditional or unconditional place on one of the degree programmes listed above by the deadline of **29 May 2020**.
- All Faculty scholarships are available for one year full-time or two years part-time (or open/distance learning programmes), as appropriate, leading to a Master's degree within the Faculty of Technology, Design and Environment at Oxford Brookes University. All scholarship applicants must start their degree studies in September 2020 for the 2020-21 academic year.
- The scholarships are open to all applicants from the UK, EU and international locations, as stated.
- All scholarships are awarded on a competitive basis, and therefore applicants must have, or expect to obtain, a good honours degree (First Class or 2.1 equivalent) from a recognised institution of higher education, or have experience which demonstrates appropriate knowledge and skills at honours degree standard.
- Scholarship applicants who are final year undergraduates must expect to be notified of the result of their degree before 31 July 2020 in order to be considered for a scholarship. International students must meet the English language requirements for their programme.
- Scholarship applicants receiving a partial award of funding from other sources may be awarded a "top-up" scholarship. However, applicants receiving one or more awards from other funding sources that contribute to all of their Master's degree tuition fees will not be eligible for these scholarships. Eligibility will not be affected by funding towards maintenance or for fees over and above the scholarship amount.
- Scholarship applicants who receive financial awards from other sources of funding which cover all their tuition fees will not be eligible for these scholarships. Eligibility will not be affected if a candidate is receiving funding towards living costs, travel, text books, or other ancillary items or for tuition fees over and above the amount of the Faculty's actual scholarship award.

Scholarship for Development and Emergency Practice applicants only

Wilkinson Scholarship in Development and Emergency Practice x2

This scholarship contributes a value of £10,500 each towards the two full-time MA Development and Emergency Practice degree tuition fees. It is open for competition for international applicants from developing countries in Asia, Africa, Middle East and Latin America only.

Scholarships for Postgraduate Publishing applicants only

FLTRP Scholarship 2020

The Foreign Language Teaching and Research Press (FLTRP) is offering a fee-waiver bursary of £3,000 to a full-time or part-time student at the Oxford International Centre for Publishing on the MA in Publishing Media or MA in Digital Publishing.

The Publishing Scholarship, open to all students, will be awarded on the basis of a considered explanation of what the master's course will contribute to the student's learning and career development.

Applicants must already have accepted, by the time of application, a conditional or unconditional offer of a place to start the course in September 2020. Applicants for the Scholarship must submit by email a cv and a 500-word rationale for their application for the Scholarship. Applicants are also asked to detail any further funding sources they are applying for, and to indicate how they intend to pay for the remainder of their fees and maintenance costs. The application must be made on the appropriate application form available by 29 May 2020. Applicants will be informed by email of the Faculty Scholarship Committee's decision by 29 June 2020.

Students may apply for this scholarship alongside other sources of funding (including other scholarships offered through Oxford Brookes University), but these must be detailed on the application. The Scholarship will not include a maintenance grant. Applicants who are successful in receiving awards from other sources of funding which cover their tuition fees will not be eligible for the Scholarship, and must inform the Programme Administrator. Eligibility will not be affected by funding covering maintenance costs. The Scholarship cannot be transferred to maintenance costs.

About FLTRP

FLTRP is the largest foreign language and university press in China, ranking third in sales turnover among all the publishing houses in China. FLTRP started as a language education publisher and has expanded into more subjects and areas. Alongside print and digital publishing, FLTRP also provides offline and online training services for both teachers and students, and organizes many conferences and competitions. With a special strength in languages and a deep understanding of Chinese and other cultures, FLTRP is well positioned to tell stories about China to the world. FLTRP publishes in nearly 80 languages, and has over 600 international partners.

Oxford Brookes University is home to the first Confucius Institute co-established by a university and a publishing company (FLTRP), and a key aim is to foster Sino-British co-operation in the publishing, educational and creative industries.

<https://www.brookes.ac.uk/confucius>

Scholarships for Postgraduate Publishing international applicants only

Oxford International Centre for Publishing Scholarship 2020

The Oxford International Centre for Publishing is offering a fee-waiver bursary of £2,500 to a full-time or part-time International student on the MA in Publishing or MA in Digital Publishing for the academic year commencing September 2020.

The scholarship will be awarded on the basis of a considered explanation of what the master's course will contribute to the student's learning and career development. Consideration will also be given to the background of the applicant so applicants should provide a short statement about their family or financial circumstances so we may better understand your need for support.

Applicants must already have accepted, by the time of application, a conditional or unconditional offer of a place to start the course in September 2020. Applicants for the Scholarship must submit by email a cv and a 500-word rationale for their application for the Scholarship. Applicants are asked to detail any further funding sources they are applying for, and to indicate how they intend to pay for the remainder of their fees and maintenance costs. The application must be made on the appropriate application form available by 29 May 2020. Applicants will be informed by email of the Faculty Scholarship Committee's decision by 29 June 2020

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Oxford International Centre for Publishing

The Oxford International Centre for Publishing is one of the leading institutes for media education in the world, with a reputation for innovation and excellence in teaching and research. The Centre's programmes are ranked consistently high in the university league tables and they offer high rates of employability in the industry.

Application Procedure for:

- Full-time UK/EU Faculty Scholarship
- Part-time UK/EU Faculty Scholarship
- Wilkinson Scholarship in Development and Emergency Practice
- FLTRP Scholarship 2020
- Oxford International Centre for Publishing Scholarship 2020

Applicants must apply for a scholarship at the same time as, or subsequent to, applying for one of the named Master's degrees listed in this leaflet:

- Applicants must complete the appropriate Scholarship Application Form (**Google Form Link on Scholarship Page.**) Applicants should complete the application form once only, indicating all scholarships they wish to apply for – applicants must however check their eligibility and required criteria for each.
 - a) Scholarship applications must be accompanied by a personal statement in the section provided which must clearly identify why the applicant believes they are deserving of the scholarship
 - b) The deadline for receipt of a scholarship application is **11.59pm (23:59 GMT) on Friday 29 May 2020** for entry to the programme in September 2020.
- The Faculty's postgraduate scholarships are awards made towards tuition fees only. It is therefore important that applicants clearly identify how they intend to raise the additional funding necessary to cover living costs, travel, textbooks, other ancillary costs and any additional fees, should the tuition fees be higher than the amount of scholarship available.
- **Applicants failing to comply with these procedures will not be considered for the scholarship.**
- Candidates should be notified if they have been successful by 29 June 2020.

Selection Criteria

The scholarships will be awarded on a competitive basis of academic merit and applications are assessed in relation to:

- academic merit
- how the applicant's chosen degree programme relates to their career ambitions
- personal development explaining why the applicant believes they are deserving of the scholarship

Selection Process

1. The Scholarship Committee of the Faculty of Technology, Design and Environment will be responsible for the allocation of the scholarships identified in this leaflet. The decision of the Committee in awarding the scholarships is final and the Committee will not enter into discussion regarding decisions.
2. When allocating awards, the Scholarship Committee will take account of:
 - applicant's performance in examinations and other formal assessments at first degree level. (In the case of final year undergraduates, the Committee will take into consideration the applicant's expected results, as indicated by their referees. (Conditional offers of scholarships will only be confirmed if applicants achieve satisfactory results.);
 - work experience and professional qualifications, if appropriate;
 - applicant's personal statements about their intended programme of study and their reasons and purposes for undertaking it. This is an important part of the application, and the Committee will pay particular attention to what applicants write in their personal statements.

- references supporting the applicant's programme applications;
 - supporting statements from programme tutors to which the applicant has applied, where applicable.
3. A reserve list may be drawn up in case any of the selected applicants do not take up the offer of a scholarship. The Committee will also monitor student progress, in the case of part-time scholarships awarded for two years.

Deadlines

The Faculty must receive all completed scholarship applications by **11.59pm (23:59 GMT) on Friday 29 May 2020**. Applications must be made through the appropriate google form. Successful applicants will be informed by email of the Committee's decision by 26 June 2020 (TBC). Applicants who are offered a scholarship must indicate by 3 July 2020 whether they wish to accept the offer of a scholarship. **Applicants failing to notify the Faculty of their intention to take up the offer of a scholarship by the deadline of 3 July 2020 will forfeit the scholarship. Scholarship offers not accepted by the deadline will be withdrawn and re-allocated to the next applicant on the scholarship reserve list.**

No late applications will be accepted.

Further Information

Postgraduate programme information is available on the Faculty's web site on www.brookes.ac.uk/about/faculties/tde

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