

Sultanate of Oman

Ministry of Higher Education

Directorate General of Scholarships

Oman Programme for Cultural and Scientific Cooperation Academic year 2019/2020

Country: Philippines

Number of scholarships residents of Oman only:1

OMAN SCHOLARSHIPS PROGRAMME FOR CULTURAL AND SCIENTIFIC COOPERATION WITH COUNTRIES THAT HAVE CLOSE TIES WITH THE SULTANATE OF OMAN

Scholarships for International Students (who are residents of the Sultanate of Oman)

The Ministry of Higher Education offers Scholarships to international students who are already residents of the Sultanate of Oman (at the time of the application). A grant would enable a scholarship holder to study at one of the Colleges of Applied Sciences that are supervised by the Ministry of Higher Education.

Application Timeline for the Academic Year 2019/2020

START DATE & DEADLINE	STAGE	IMPORTANT REMARKS
2 June – 31 July, 2019	Receive all scholarship applications for the first semester	The first semester at Government higher education institutions starts between 25 August and 1 September, 2019
8 August, 2019	Completion of the screening of applications and placement decisions	
11 August – 30 August, 2019	Completion of the visa and travel procedures	
1 September – 31 October, 2019	Receive all scholarship applications for the second semester	The second semester at Government higher
14 November, 2019	Completion of the screening of applications and placement decisions	education institutions during the period from 6 January and 23 January
17 November – 31 December, 2019	Completion of the visa and travel procedures	

Omani Programme for Cultural and Scientific Cooperation with countries that have close ties with the Sultanate

(Grants for international students residing in the Sultanate of Oman allowing them to study at one of the Colleges of Applied Sciences):

1) Scholarship Eligibility Requirements

To be eligible for a scholarship, an applicant

- Must be a resident of the Sultanate
- > Submit a medical certificate as proof of a good health and to confirm that the student is not suffering from any chronic and infectious diseases;
- > The overall school grade should be (the equivalent of) 75% or above;
- Should have completed the general education diploma (GED) or an equivalent school curriculum not more than 2 years ago as per the requirements set by the higher education institutions;
- ➤ Where applicable, submit evidence that an international qualification issued by a school in the Sultanate has been recognised by the Ministry of Education in the Sultanate.

2) Required documents:

A scholarship applicant must submit the following documents:

- > A copy of the secondary school certificate;
- ➤ A copy of the equivalency & recognition certificate issued by the Ministry of Education;
- > Evidence that he/she is residing in the Sultanate of Oman with his/her family in the Sultanate (he/she must submit a copy of the resident card);
- > Submit a medical certificate as proof of a good health and to confirm that the student is not suffering from any chronic and infectious diseases.

3) Additional Information:

- > The student can (only) pursue his/her undergraduate studies at one of the Colleges of Applied Sciences (www.cas.edu.om);
- > A dormitory for girls is available at the Colleges of Applied Sciences in Ibri and Sur;
- Medical treatment at public hospitals is free of charge in the Sultanate, except for medical or hospital treatment as a result of traffic accidents that have been caused by negligence (e.g. unsafe driving or driving without a license);

- > This scholarship does not cover any allowances or flight tickets for students who are already residing in the Sultanate;
- > Scholarship programmes do not include programmes in the area of Education
- > The Ministry makes placement decisions while the demand for seats can be quite competitive and for this reason, the Ministry cannot guarantee that students will be placed at their first choice institution;
- ➤ If the student does not accept the scholarship within 5 days after the announcement of the results, the scholarship will be awarded to another student from the same country (if applicable);
- > A scholarship recipient cannot be replaced by another student after the scholarship has been competitively awarded;
- ➤ A student who holds a scholarship may not transfer to another higher educational institution and/or degree (programme) other than the one covered by his/her scholarship;
- > The duration of studies is stipulated by the higher education institution The student must abide by the rules and regulations of the Ministry and the higher education institution;
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4) Application Procedures

- > The student should submit their scholarship application to the Embassy of his or her country. The Embassy will send the applications of eligible candidates to the Oman Ministry of Foreign Affairs (MoFA) and the number of applications can be exceeded by two in addition to the number of seats allocated to the country;
- > The Ministry of Higher Education reviews the applications and informs the involved Embassies through the MoFA of the results of the admissions process;
- > The Embassy and/or the student must confirm the acceptance of the scholarship within 5 days after the date on which students are awarded a scholarship;
- > The student will visit the nearest College of Applied Sciences to complete his registration;
- > The student will open an account in the system of the Ministry of Higher Education online.



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> Student Photo

Grant Application Form within the program of the Omani cultural and scientific cooperation (Resident Student) (4 phots)

Student Personal information		
Student Name:	-	- Mobile: - Email: - Passport number:
Suardian information		
The name of the guardian:		- Phone in an emergency:
Student Study		
Specialization required:	â	() International Business Administration. () Biotechnology.
	()Mass Communication. ()Engineering.	ng.
The institution where they interest to attend:	() College of Applied Sciences, nizwa. () College of Applied Sciences, sur () College of Applied Sciences, Ibri. () College of Applied Sciences, salalah.	() College of Applied Sciences, nizwa. () College of Applied Sciences, sur. () College of Applied Sciences, sohar. () College of Applied Sciences, lbri. () College of Applied Sciences, salalah.