

FAQ's

Snowdon Masters Scholarships – Investing in inspirational disabled leaders

Who should apply?

Disabled students who have secured a place, or applied for Master courses beginning in September 2019.

When do applications close?

Snowdon Masters Scholarship programme will close on the 30th April 2019. All applications must be submitted before midday on the 30th April 2019. The selection process will take place after this date.

What subjects does the scholarship cover?

All Masters courses are open to funding. Applications are encouraged in all subject areas.

I live outside the UK, can I apply?

Yes, applicants based outside the UK are encouraged to apply. All international applicants must have secured the required visas prior to scholarship application.

Can I get funding for a Masters in another country?

No, Snowdon Masters Scholarships are only available for UK Masters courses.

What is the purpose of the scholarship?

To provide opportunities for the next generation of disabled leaders, creating the influencers of the future.

What impairments are supported by the scholarship?

Each application will be assessed against the qualifying criteria. The fund is focused on those with a physical or sensory impairment.

What do you mean by exceptional leaders?

We're looking for individuals with the ability to create change and influence others. This could include excellence within a chosen field of study, or the ability to demonstrate leadership through work place or extracurricular activities.

What if I don't meet all of the criteria?

If you are living with an impairment and have a proven drive for success, we would encourage you to apply. We know that genuine leaders often take unique career paths.

How do I know if I have the potential to be a role-model or influencer?

Are you passionate about disability issues? Are you willing to become a disabled spokesperson? Are you aiming to become a leader in your field? If so, we think you have the potential to become a role-model.

What is the network of high achieving disabled influencers?

Successful candidates will become part of a network of alumni, working to support each other and influence a new generation of disabled leaders.

What do you mean by excellence within a field of study?

We're looking for people that are truly passionate about their chosen subject. Excellence could be measured by grades, or subject related experience. Projects, extracurricular and workplace experience all count towards subject related experience.

How much is the scholarship?

Available for one or two year Masters courses, up to £15,000 p.a. per student. Success students will receive a stipend of £15,000 p.a. whilst studying.

Does the scholarship cover impairment related costs?

No. If a student incurs additional impairment-related costs (that are not provided by their institution or through statutory funding) they can apply for a separate Snowdon grant.

Can I study part time?

Yes. For part-time students the scholarship funding will be pro-rata.

I'm yet to secure my Masters place, can I still apply?

Students can simultaneously apply for the scholarship and their Master course, but you must have received an offer from your chosen university by the cut-off date of May 10th 2019. Applicants without a course offer will be removed from the selection process.

How do I apply for the scholarship?

Please complete the online application form. For a paper form, or to complete your application via video, people contact the Global Disability Innovation Hub on 020 3108 9916 or email hello@disabilityinnovation.com