

NELSON MANDELA
UNIVERSITY



BURSARIES & FINANCIAL AID FOR UNDERGRADUATE STUDIES

VISION

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

MISSION

To offer a diverse range of life-changing education experiences for a better world

VALUES

Excellence

Respect for Diversity

Ubuntu

Social justice and equality

Integrity

Sustainable stewardship



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HOW TO CONTACT US:

Financial Aid

PO Box 77000

Nelson Mandela University Gqeberha

6031

T 041 504 1111

W finaid.mandela.ac.za

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 contact details supplied by the sponsors.



Introduction

Nelson Mandela University

This booklet has been compiled by Nelson Mandela University'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 we strive to assist as many students as possible with accessing financial assistance to ease the burden on students and their families.

Nelson Mandela University offers various forms of bursaries, 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. To have the best chance of receiving assistance, we recommend that students apply for as many sources of funding for which they qualify to. Students are also urged to watch the University

noticeboards 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 Nelson Mandela University studies.

The electronic version of this booklet is available at: finaid.mandela.ac.za

Application forms may also be downloaded.

Official provisions and conditions for bursaries

Bursaries are awarded following an application made by the student, and not automatically. Contact details of donors or administrators of bursary funds are provided in this booklet to assist students with enquiries about 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 Nelson Mandela University.

No incomplete or late forms will be accepted.

Students who cancel their studies could forfeit bursaries awarded to them. The University may claim reimbursement of the amount paid out to the student. Before applying, students should ensure that they meet the criteria set by the relevant funder.

Closing dates

Applications should be made in the year prior to the studies for which the bursary is required, and by the closing date supplied.



National Student Financial Aid Scheme (NSFAS)

NSFAS is a government entity under the Department of Higher Education and Training established according to the NSFAS Act (Act 56 of 1999) to provide financial support to disadvantaged students who wish to further their studies at public universities or TVET colleges.

NSFAS Applications

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

Students are advised to retain their reference number as proof of application submission 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 funding are exempted from paying the initial tuition 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. Should NSFAS for any reason withdraw a bursary after the university has allocated funds, the funds will be reversed to the student's account and liability of the debt will be for the student.

Nelson Mandela University 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 institution, 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. The marks for the award will not be altered after a remark was requested.

No application form is required as the University identifies these students based on the final matric results of students accepted by the institution, 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 two years preceding registration at Nelson Mandela University.
- Prospective students must be enrolling for the first time at an university. Only South African citizens qualify.

Calculation Of Scholar Merit Awards

Calculation of merit points is the total of the

points allocated per subject to a maximum of seven subjects. Please consult our website (mandela.ac.za) for more information.

Leadership Awards

Leadership Awards are granted to Head Prefects, Head Boy/Head Girl and Learner Representative Council Presidents (in cases of no Head Prefects). The value of the Leadership Award is R4200.00. Documentary proof of Grade 12 results including letter from the school verifying Leadership must be submitted to the Financial Aid office at North Campus. The last day for submission is 31 March.

Student Merit Bursaries

Nelson Mandela University 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 first-time registered modules
- been registered for a minimum relative course weight of at least 800 (or 96 credit)
- have attained a weighted average mark of at least 70% (Faculties of Science, Health Science, EBEIT and Law) and 75% (Faculties of Arts, Education and Business Economics) respectively.

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.
- 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. Students funded by NSFAS do not qualify for scholar- and student merit awards.

Sport Bursaries

The Nelson Mandela University 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: 30 September

Bursary application forms can be obtained from the Sport Bureau:

E-mail krish.williamson@mandela.ac.za



Nelson Mandela University Administered Bursaries

Recipients of Nelson Mandela University bursaries are excluded 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 allocations and the student will be liable for the entire account balance. Refunding of credit balances is subject to confirmation by fund administrators.

Please see Finance Student Guide regarding the applicable refund conditions.

Disclaimer: Kindly note that the information contained in this booklet is subject to change.



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 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.

- A personal letter of motivation as to why you are applying.
- A recent CV.
- Two recent letters of reference.
- Copies of ID, matric certificate and university academic record.
- Details of leadership roles in the community, at school and university.
- Certified copy of the students Department of Health Vaccination Certificate.
- Copy of valid South African passport.

Only one award is made per institution.

Closing date: 29 May.

Apply to: Nelson Mandela University Financial Aid Office

Further information: www.abebailey.org

Bursaries awarded by sponsors

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. record, under cover of an introductory letter.

Apply to: The HR Manager, Bursaries, Adams & Adams, PO Box 1014, Pretoria, 0001.

E articles@adamsadams.co.za

Afrox

Who can apply?

- **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 records (including school and university, study disciplines and results)

Closing date: 31 July

Apply to: Bursary.afrox@afrox.linde.com

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: 31 January

Apply: Online at www.angloplatinum.com>careers or

E-mail: E-mail: bursaries@angloplat.com or Addressed to HR

P O Box 450, Kroondal, 0350

Tel: 014 596 0190 / 0333

Bursaries awarded by sponsors

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: 18 February

Apply to: The Secretary, Athlone Institute Bursary Project Fund, PO Box 846, Huguenot, Paarl, 7645.
Tel: 072 360 3710,
E-mail: admin@athlonebursary.co.za

Legal Practitioners 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: Bursary Co Ordinator, legal practitioners fidelity fund , PO Box 3062, Cape Town, 8000.
Tel: 021 424 4608
E-mail: shawn@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.

Closing date: 31 July

Apply to: Aurecon SA (Pty) Ltd, PO Box 905, Pretoria, 0001
Tel: 021 427 2000
E-mail: tshwane@.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.

Closing date: 30 December

Apply to: The Bursary Officer, BKS(Pty) Ltd Bursary Fund, PO Box 3171, Pretoria, 0001
Web Address : <http://bkswb.co.za>

Bursaries awarded by sponsors

BOE bursaries

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 an active communicant and a recognised member of a church belonging to the Anglican Communion, under 25 years of age, be predominantly of 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 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

FOR THE ABOVE BURSARIES

Apply to: Charitable Trusts, BOE Trust Ltd, P O Box 86, Cape Town, 8000. Tel: 021 416 6000

Bursaries awarded by sponsors

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.

Closing date: 31 October

Apply to: General Manager, Cape Wools SA Bursary Fund, PO Box 2191, North End, PE, 6056.

Tel: 041 484 4301

Email : bursaries@capewools.co.za

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 a limited number of bursaries in the following disciplines:

(Degree, Diploma and Adv Diplomas)

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.

Closing date: 28 March

Apply to:

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.

Tel: 011 265 5934

E-mail: ElmineB@fpmseta.org.za
KGOMOTSOM@CETA.co.za ROSES@CETA.co.za

Bursaries awarded by sponsors

Charteris & 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.

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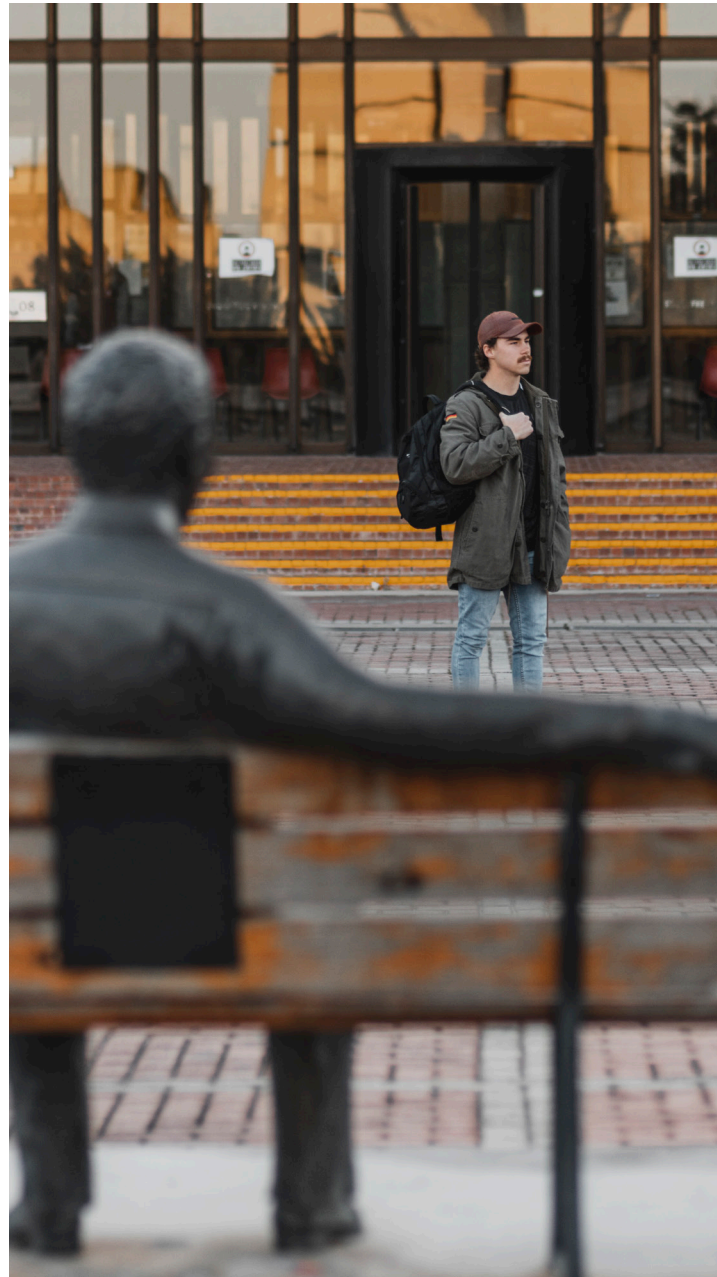
SA universities whose degree programme is accredited by SAICA.

Closing date: 31 July annually

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



Bursaries awarded by sponsors

Disability Bursaries / NSFAS

Bursaries are available for disabled students. For further information please contact the Nelson Mandela University Disability Officer , Athenkosi Nqikashe 041 5043751.

Application is made on the NSFAS website. www.nsfas.org.za

Department of Water Affairs & Sanitation

Candidates to apply for diploma/degree bursaries to pursue full-time studies in the mentioned occupational classes at the Nelson Mandela 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 residence.

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 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 Wisane Mavase on 0760 561 8935

Contact: 021 336 7149

Email: Mtikitiki@dws.gov.za

Closing date: 30 November

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

Contact Page: <http://www.dyis.co.za/contact-us/>

Department of Agriculture, Forestry, Fisheries & the Environment

Who can apply?

Grade 12 learners with Maths and Science
Undergraduate students

Fields of Study:

Agricultural studies, Plant pathology, Viticulture, Pomology, Agricultural economics, Food science/technology, Bio-Technology, Forestry, B.Agric (Plant Pathology), BSc Bio-Resource Engineering (Agricultural Engineering), BSc Forest, ND: Food Technology, ND: Forestry

Closing date: 27 October

Apply to:

The Director, Department of Agriculture, Forestry & Fisheries (Education & Training) Directorate Education, Training and Extension Services, Private Bag X250, Pretoria, 0001.

Contact in Pretoria

Joshua Moepya: 012 399 8682

Busiswa Stemele: 021 399 8685

Mokholo Putu: 012 399 9018

Cape Town

Kgomotso Moela: 021 402 3329

Mooketsa Mabe: 021 402 3412

Neliswa Magwala: 021 81 8089



Department of Co-operative Governance & Traditional Affairs

The Department of Co-operative Governance and Traditional Affairs (DCoG) 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
- Disaster Risk Management
- Fire Service Technology
- Disaster Risk Studies

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.ShelterMuntswu@ndmc.gov.za
021 848 4623 , koketsom@ndcm.gov.za
021 848 4645

Link: <http://onlinebursary.ndmc.gov.za>

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.

Closing date: 5 December

Please submit your application on
<http://onlinebursary.ndmc.gov.za>

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%+.

Closing date: 30 September

Apply to: Director, Talent Management, National Treasury, Private Bag X115, Pretoria, 0001.

E-mail: gdp@treasury.gov.za or Tel: 012 395 6584.

Fundi in Partnership with Nelson Mandela University, Makes getting an education more affordable and accessible

We offer financing for all your tuition – including outstanding balances, registration fees, textbooks, accommodation, laptops, tablets and other relevant study equipment.

- No deposit required
- Based on our partnership with Nelson Mandela University we pay your fees, upfront and in full, on your behalf. No admin, no hassle

- Affordable monthly repayments – sometimes as much as 30%
- Cheaper than other credit providers
- No hidden costs
- Fixed monthly instalments, so no unexpected surprises if the interest rate changes

Attention – all students and government employees and their children: Change the course of your life and contact us about affordable study finance for you, your children and your loved ones.

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
- BCom Accounting: 1st year and 2nd year only
- BCom IT: honours level only
- BSc IT: 2nd and 3rd year only
- BScEng Metallurgy Engineering
- Bcom Supply Chain / Transport Economics

Essential requirements:

- Senior Certificate (Grade 12) with minimum Level 5 in relevant subjects
- Good academic results with a minimum 70% average (for applicants already at university)
- High achiever
- South African citizenship
- Preferably a previously disadvantaged background

Applications close: 04 April**Apply to:** Online.**E-mail:** mtwishab@sybaweb.co.za**Tel:** +27 21 403 4911**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: 24 July**Apply:** Online**Tel:** 086 003 7566 or**E-mail:**

recruitmentssf@eskom.co.za

Foundation for Pharmaceutical Education (FPE)**Who can apply?**

Pharmacy students from 2nd year onwards with 60% average.

Closing date: 31 June

Apply to: FPE, PO Box 75769, Lynwood Ridge, 0040. Application forms are available at www.pssa.org.za

Email: info@pssa.org.za**Fresenius 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

GROUP FIVE Bursary programme

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

Closing Date: Will be found on company website.

To apply: Send your CV, ID and statement of results to: bursary@groupfive.co.za

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.

Closing: 30 December

WJB Slater Postgraduate Scholarship In Performing 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: <http://www.foundation.org.za/index.php?pip=43>



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.

Closing Date: 29 February

Enquiries: Lydia Mathinya 011 556 9001

Email: gdeinfo@gauteng.gov.za

Online: <https://gcabursary.gauteng.gov.za/>

Human Settlements Scholarship

Applications are invited from well performing matriculants nationwide who wish to further their studies and pursue careers within the broader human settlements related fields with studies commencing in the 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
- Building Surveying
- Development Planning
- Land Surveying
- Landscape Architecture
- Environmental Studies

Application forms can be obtained from the Provincial Human

Settlements Offices or from the website: www.dhs.gov.za

Closing date: 18 October

All enquiries should be forwarded Human Settlements Scholarship Programme, Postal Address: Human Settlements Scholarship Programme, Department of Human Settlements, Private Bag x 644, Pretoria, 0001. Physical Address: 539 Church Street, Struktura Building, 1st floor, Arcadia, Pretoria for the attention of Ms Diana Lekoma.

Tel: 012 444 5021/5013/5022/5028

Toll free: 0800 1 468733/0800 1 HOUSE

Correspondence will be limited to successful candidates only.

HCI bursary

Bursary applies to all fields of undergraduate studies

Closing date: 30 September

Apply to: can be done online at www.hcifoundation.co.za

Highveld Steel**Who can apply?**

Engineering students (Mechanical, Chemical, BSC Metallurgy and Electrical).

Closing date: 15 March

Apply to: Applications are completed online: www.highveldsteel.co.za

Investec Merit bursary

Bursaries towards tuition will be awarded to Grade 12 learners with 70% in English and Math, 60% in all other subjects. Students will get full bursary.

Closing date: 30 September

Application forms/further information available from: Tel: 041 504 2904

KPMG bursary**Who can apply?**

Studying full time towards a SAICA accredited chartered accounting or CA.

Closing date: Applications are accepted all year round.

Value of bursary: Amount varies.

Apply online: www.kpmg.co.za/careers

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
- Software development and computer engineering
- BCom Finance 3rd year students majoring in financial accounting, management accounting, taxation and finance.

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

Closing date: 26 January.

How to apply:

- Online
- At the top of application quote reference number: BUR2016/17 and your field of study
- Ensure that your application is concise.
- Include certified copies of your:
 - Identity document
 - Latest Grade 12 results or tertiary qualification results
 - Proof of acceptance at chosen institution
- Email: Kayleigh-ann.pretorius@mercedesbenz.com

MERSETA

Bursaries are available to students studying Mechatronics, Electrical, Chemical materials, Industrial, Metallurgy.

Closing: 30 June for first semester/ 30 September for second semester

Apply to:

bursaries@merseta.org.za

Tel: 010 219 3000 **Fax:** 086 163 7738

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

Who can apply?

- 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 R 25 000

No applications forms available. Milde McWilliams to make their own selection of students.

Selection criteria: Applicants must be registered for the following fields of study:

- Accounting Degree (C2 & C3)
- Accounting Diploma, Applied & Management Accounting, Internal Auditing and Cost & Management Accounting
- Information Technology
- Architecture BAS (Including MArch)
- BSc Construction Economics (including QS Hon Year)
- Engineering
- Law
- Nursing

NESTLÉ Future Talent Bursary

Nestlé is offering bursaries to 1st year students who are pursuing a Bachelor of Technology in Engineering (Electrical, Mechanical or Mechatronics), Agriculture, Data Analyst, Human Resources, Finance, Digital eCommerce.

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

Duration: Four years, renewable annually.

Eligibility:

- Completed matric.
- South African citizens
- 17 to 25 years of age
- 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 payback period

Closing date: 22 November

Send CV, National Senior Certificate and proof of registration to:

Email: Bursary.opportunities@za.nestle.com

Nelson Mandela University Honours Bursaries

Nelson Mandela University and NRF bursaries are available for honours students on application. Further information can be obtained from the Office of Research Development South Campus Nelson Mandela University.

Closing date: 1 November

NRF Bursaries

Bursaries are available for Honours. Further information can be obtained from the Office of Research Development South Campus Nelson Mandela University.

Closing date: 1 November

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 BusSc in Finance

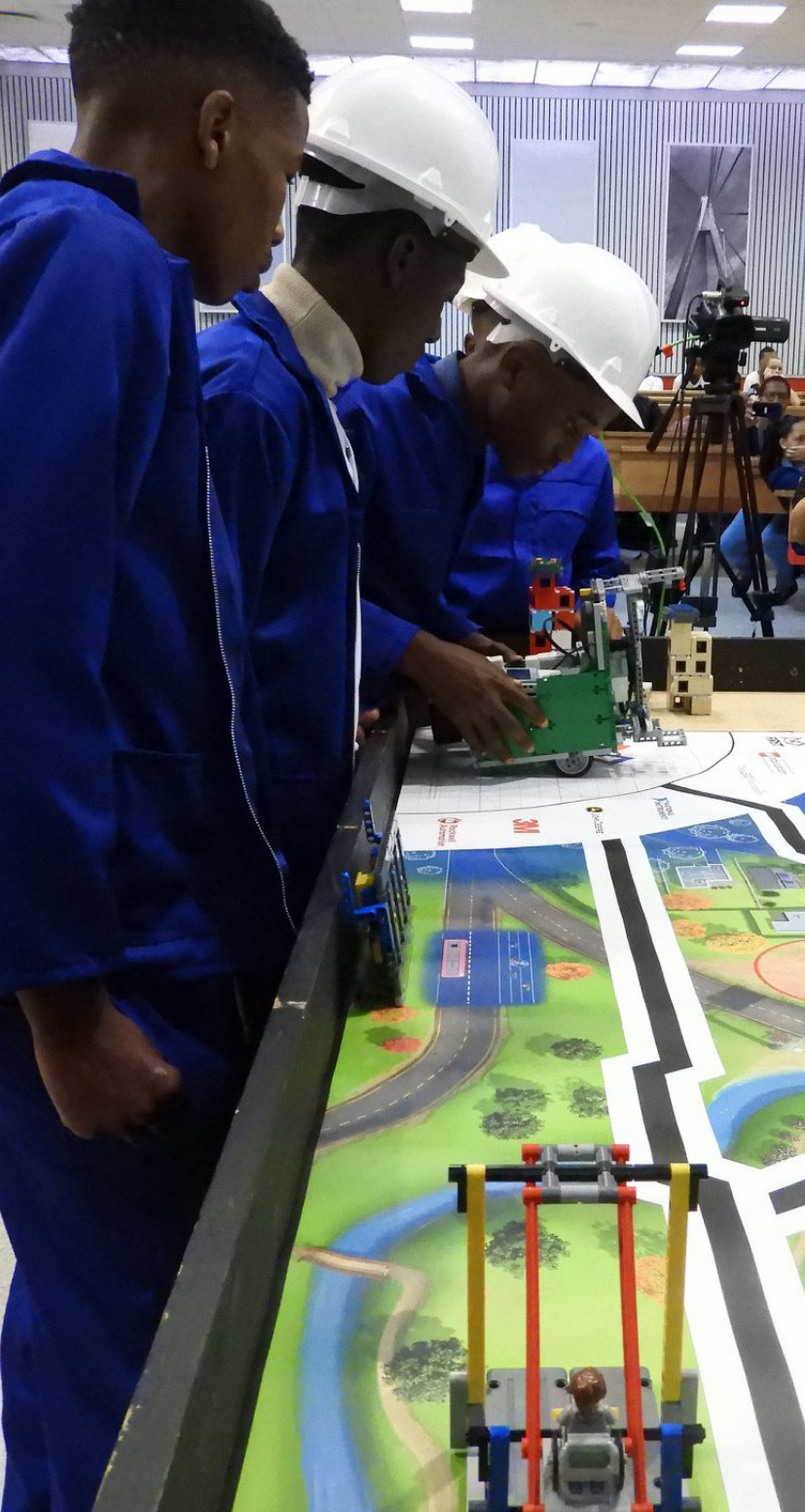
Applications are invited from matriculants with Mathematics, Science or Accounting subjects. First, second and third-year students in any of the above engineering disciplines are welcome to apply.

Students who currently hold any other bursary are not eligible. No bursary will be awarded for a field of study not listed above.

Closing date: 31 August

Apply to: 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





PPS Chairman's Fund

Scholarship Fund

- One award per annum, based on academic merit.
- Students that qualify are funded from first year through to Honours level.
- Students must be South African.

Value: Tuition and books, accommodation and allowance.

Closing date: 15 January

Apply to: Online

E-mail: infoppsfoundation@pps.co.za

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.

Apply to: Online

Closing: 28 January 29

Tel: 031 480 1911

Email: learnership@sapref.com

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

CATHSETA – Arts, Culture, Tourism, Hospitality and Sport Education and Training Authority

- www.cathseta.org.za
- Tel: 0860 100 221 or (011) 803 6010

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

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- 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 & 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

TETA – Transport Education and Training Authority

- www.teta.co.za
- Tel: (011) 781 1280



Southern African Clothing & Textile Workers Union (SACTWU)

Who can apply?

SACTWU members, their children, spouses and legal dependents.

Covers only 75% of fees to a maximum of R35 000 per year and remaining costs may be paid to student.

Closing date: 28 February first semester, 11 August second semester.

Email: bursaries@sactwu.org.za

Tel: 031 015 5510



South African Radio Astronomy Observatory

SARAO will consider applications from South African citizens and permanent residents who achieved a minimum of 70% in Mathematics in Grade 12, or a minimum grade-point average of 65% at undergraduate.

Applications Forms Available at <https://nrfconnect.nrf.ac.za>

Application queries may be directed to: Mr. Mkhululi Jodwana

Email: mjodwana@sarao.ac.za

Telephone: 011 268-3412

South African Institute of Race Relations

Who can apply?

South African citizens studying for a first degree in Science, Engineering, Commerce, Information Technology and Agriculture.

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

Closing date: 31 August

Apply to: SA Institute of Race Relations, Private Bag X13, Marshalltown, 2107.

Tel: 011 492 0600

www.sairr.org.za

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 R8 000 full time students and R4 000 part time students.

Requirements

- Bursary applicants must be a South African citizen.
- Bursary applicants must be blind or partially sighted OR a child of a parent who is blind or partially sighted and the parent must be a member in good standing of a Member Organisation affiliated to Blind SA
- Applicants must have completed Grade 12 or an equivalent qualification.
- You must have passed with a minimum overall average of 60% in Matric or equivalent qualification (if this is your first application)
- You must be enrolled or studying at a recognised and accredited tertiary institution in South Africa

Closing date: 31 January and 31 July

Apply to: Complete applications together with required documents must be submitted to the Blind SA Head Office, in either of the following ways:

Email Address: lindre@blindsa.org.za

Post: Blind SA, Private Bag X9005, Crown Mines, 2025

Contact: Lindre Playandi

Email: lindre@blindsa.org.za

Tel: 011 839 1793 / 011 839 179

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 engineering. To qualify for this bursary you need to meet the following requirements:

- Should not be a recipient of any other bursary or financial assistance.
- Must be registered to study at a recognised tertiary institution.
- Must be a South African citizen.
- If in Grade 12, candidates should receive a minimum of 70% in Mathematics, Physical Science and English

Consideration will be given to SA students in second, third or fourth year 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:

Closing Date: 30 September

Apply to: SANRAL Corporate Services Executive, PO Box 415, Pretoria, 0001, Attention: Ms Heide Harper.

Tel: 012 844 8000,

E-mail: <https://www.nra.co.za>

Stinglingh Memorial Bursary

Eligibility:

Public servants and/or members and their dependent 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 second year).

Value of the bursary is R3 000 maximum R10 000 and is revised annually.

Closing date: 15 October

Apply to: Proof of membership of the PSA must accompany your letter of application to the Financial Aid Office, North Campus, Nelson Mandela University.

Tel: 041 504 2550/3096.

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.

Closing date: 1 October

Application forms are obtainable from:

FNB Trust services,

Tel: 087 736 2558 or 087 736 1297 or

E-mail: mbetts@fnb.co.za or jheathcote@fnb.co.za

The Hilary & Dorothy Champion Trust

Who can apply:

Students should be at least in their second year of study, in the following courses: Sciences, Geology, Technological courses and Teachers (Science and Mathematics), only South African citizens can apply.

Closing date: 31 October

Apply to: The Administrator, The Hilary & Dorothy Champion Trust.

E-mail: championtrust@petalon.co.za,

Tel: 021 782 6943, Fax: 086 566 7817

The Southern African Association for Energy Efficiency

The Southern African Association for Energy Efficiency (SAEE) hereby invites applications for scholarships of R15000 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.

Closing date: 30 September

Application forms are obtainable from the SAEE website www.sae.org.za.

Applications must be submitted by the students in their personal capacity.

Fax: 086 7267135 or **E-mail:** info@sae.org.za.

Enquiries may be directed to Danielle Badenhorst

Tel: (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: 30 December

Apply to: Nelson Mandela University Financial Aid Office,

Tel: 041 505 1132.

THUTHUKA bursaries

Who can apply:

The Thuthuka Bursary is a transformation initiative of the South African Institute of Chartered Accountants (SAICA) and provides full funding for academically and financially deserving Black African and Coloured students who are studying to become Chartered Accountants (CA(SA)) at selected SAICA accredited, Thuthuka partner universities. Only South African citizens can apply. The bursary programme is only offered at the South Campus in Gqeberha.

Admission Requirements

Prospective applicants must be accepted/provisionally accepted for the 3-year BCom Accounting degree at Nelson Mandela University (Qualification 40103). An Applicant Score (AS) of at least 410 and Mathematics of at least 60% are required.

Value of bursary

The bursary covers tuition and accommodation, and provides students with a monthly stipend, meals, textbooks and wrap-around support which is based on a holistic model proven to make them succeed and deliver good results.

Application link

www.thuthukabursaryfund.co.za (Applications are only done online – we do not use hard copy application forms anymore.)

Application Deadline

This is usually 31 August for the following academic year (but prospective applicants should always contact the Thuthuka office to confirm the deadline or can visit the SAICA website on: www.saica.org.za).

Contact details

Nelson Mandela University's Thuthuka Bursary

Office: thuthuka@mandela.ac.za

Tel: 041-504 2014

SAICA Office (for application queries):

TBF@saica.co.za

Transnet Bursary

Transnet is a focused 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
- Eletro-Mech
- Metallurgy
- Commerce

Closing date: 30 September

Applications forms obtainable:

Website: www.transnet.co.za/pages/home
Transnet Academy, Faculty of Leadership & Functional Development,
15 Girton Road, Inyanda,
3rd floor,
Parktown
2193.

Tel: (011) 584 1194

Fax: 086 582 7236

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
- Graphic Design
- Industrial Engineering (Bsc/BEng)
- Electrical Engineering (Bsc/BEng)
- BIS Multimedia
- Publishing

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.

Closing date: 31 August

How to apply:

Application forms can be accessed on www.trudon.co.za under CSI Fully completed applications forms together with certified copies of your final matric and tertiary results must be emailed to smithc@trudon.co.za. 041 503 9600



Volkswagen Community Trust

Who can apply?

- Fields of Study: Engineering, Computer Studies, Finance, Commerce, Science (not Health Sciences) and Business Studies, etc.
- SA Citizen.
- Completed matric.
- Studying within one of the mentioned study areas.
- Study in a recognized tertiary institution.
- Bursary covers tuition, books, accommodation and transport.

Closing date: 31 July

Apply: Online

Tel: 041 994 4399/4049/5178

Fax: 041 994 5587

WSP Consulting Engineers

Who can apply?

Engineering (Mechanical, Chemical, Environmental Science, Civil, Electrical from second year onwards). SA citizen. Overall average of 65% for your qualification. Passed all subjects. Preference will be given to previously disadvantaged candidates.

Closing date: 31 October

Apply: Online at WSP Bursary Application

PO Box 77000, Nelson Mandela University, Gqeberha, 6031.

T +27 41 504 1111 (Gqeberha) **T** +27 44 801 5111 (George)

E info@mandela.ac.za

