

Scholarship and Funding

We want you to be completely aware of your financial commitment before becoming a student at Birmingham. This page provides you with information on gaining financial support and other costs involved in MBA study so that you can plan your finances from day one.



The award winners can expect to receive the following support during their MBA:

- Support from the Deputy Director as your personal tutor throughout the MBA
- Careers support and guidance from our MBA-dedicated team
- Networking opportunities through sector groups
- An assessment centre workshop

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Home/EU Scholarships

- The scholarship will be allocated on the basis of academic ability, relevant experience and clarity of future plans as determined by the selection committee.
- There are up to three scholarships available, worth up to £10,000 each, to be used towards the Birmingham MBA tuition fee.
- Please contact Victoria Harold, MBA Recruitment and Admissions Officer, for more details (v.i.harold@bham.ac.uk).

GREAT Scholarships



- The scholarship holder will be from India.
- The scholarship will be allocated on the basis of academic ability, relevant experience and clarity of future plans as determined by the selection committee.
- There are up to four scholarships available, worth up to £10,000 each, part funded by GREAT and part funded by the University. The award is to be used towards the Birmingham MBA tuition fee.
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Rosgen Family Scholarship

- The scholarship holder will be in financial need as determined by the University.
- The scholarship holder will be from Central or South America.
- The scholarship will be allocated on the basis of intellectual excellence, relevant experience and evidence of a commitment to the economic development of Central or South America.
- The Rosgen Family Scholarship is a full fees scholarship (2015/16 fee £21,510), part funded by a private donor with a commitment to this region, and part by the University.
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African MBA Scholarship

- The scholarship holder will be in financial need as determined by the University.
- The scholarship holder will be from the continent of Africa.
- The scholarship will be allocated on the basis of intellectual excellence, relevant experience and evidence of a commitment to the economic development of Africa.
- The African MBA Scholarship is a full fees scholarship (2015/16 fee £21,510), part funded by a private donor with a commitment to Africa and part by the University.
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Previous recipients of the African MBA Scholarship

- [2011/12 - Maureen Kwangwanya, MBA Global Banking and Finance](/schools/business/alumni/alumni-profiles/mba/maureen-african-mba-scholarship.aspx)
- [2010/11 - John Paul Ssenyondo, MBA International Business](/schools/business/alumni/alumni-profiles/mba/ssenyondo-john-paul.aspx)

Women's Scholarships

- The female scholarship holder will be in financial need as determined by the University.
- The scholarship holder will be an eligible Home/EU or Overseas student.
- The scholarship will be allocated on the basis of intellectual ability, evidence of a personal and professional desire to advance women in business and evidence of personal hardship or marginalisation as determined by the selection committee.
- There is one scholarship available, worth up to £10,000, to be used towards the Birmingham MBA tuition fee.
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International Business Scholarship

- The scholarship holder will be an eligible Home/EU or Overseas student.
- The scholarship holder will have demonstrable experience of undertaking business internationally, with evidence of having undertaken managerial roles in at least two non-native countries. They will also have clear plans of how they intend to use their MBA to further develop their engagement with business in different countries.

- The scholarship will be allocated on the basis of academic ability, relevant experience and clarity of future plans as determined by the selection committee.
- There are up to two scholarships available, worth up to £10,000 each, to be used towards the Birmingham MBA tuition fee.
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Global Banking and Finance MBA Scholarship

- The scholarship holder will be an eligible Home/EU or Overseas student.
- The scholarship holder will have demonstrable experience of working in banking or finance with an international dimension to managing or delivering these services. They will also have a clear view as to how the MBA in Global Banking and Finance will further their career in this area.
- The scholarship will be allocated on the basis of academic ability, relevant experience and clarity of future plans as determined by the selection committee.
- There are up to two scholarships available, worth up to £10,000 each, to be used towards the Birmingham MBA tuition fee.
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Developing Countries MBA Scholarship

- The scholarship holder will be in financial need as determined by the University.
- The scholarship holder will be from a developing country.
- The scholarship will be allocated on the basis of academic ability, relevant experience and clarity of future plans as determined by the selection committee.
- There are up to two scholarships available, worth up to £10,000 each, to be used towards the Birmingham MBA tuition fee.

Scholarships apply to one-year, full-time MBA programmes only.

Scholarships will be allocated on a first come, first served basis.

Assessment will be made based on a candidate's MBA application, CV, and Personal Statement. Candidates must state which scholarship they wish to be considered for in their application/Personal Statement.

A rolling assessment process will be in place throughout the application cycle, with the expectation that all scholarships will be allocated by April 2015.

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UK students

University Scholarships

The University has a number of scholarships available to postgraduate students. These cover both research and taught programmes, and assist with the cost of tuition fees. For more information visit [www.postgraduate.bham.ac.uk/finance/scholarships.shtml \(http://www.postgraduate.bham.ac.uk/finance/scholarships.shtml\)](http://www.postgraduate.bham.ac.uk/finance/scholarships.shtml)

The Grants Register

Most large public libraries will have a copy of the Grants Register and possibly other publications, which list various grant-awarding and charitable bodies which may be willing to assist postgraduate students in certain circumstances.

International Students

The British Council

The largest provider of assistance to international students is the [British Council \(http://www.britishcouncil.org\)](http://www.britishcouncil.org). As well as distributing British Government awards, it also acts as an agent for other funding bodies. For further information, contact the nearest British Council office to your home or, if in doubt or there is not one near you, the Educational Attache at the British Embassy or High Commission in your capital city.

University Scholarships

The University offers a number of scholarships for international students to reward outstanding academic achievement. [International Scholarships \(http://www.birmingham.ac.uk/international/students/finance/index.aspx\)](http://www.birmingham.ac.uk/international/students/finance/index.aspx)

Fullbright Awards

American citizens with a minimum 3.5 GPA in their Bachelors degree may apply for Fulbright awards specifically for MBA students. Details and application forms are available on; [www.iie.org/fulbright \(http://www.iie.org/fulbright\)](http://www.iie.org/fulbright) or from:

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Closing date for applications is October of the preceding year of study. Information is also available on; [www.fulbright.co.uk \(http://www.fulbright.co.uk/\)](http://www.fulbright.co.uk)

