

ICT SCHOLARSHIP NOTICE

The Universal Service Fund in collaboration with the
University of the West Indies, Mona Campus

UNIVERSAL SERVICE FUND POST GRADUATE ICT SCHOLARSHIP

The Universal Service Fund post graduate ICT scholarship is founded on an agreement between the Universal Service Fund and the University of the West Indies, Mona Campus with a quest to advance knowledge in the Information and Communication Technology discipline by providing funding for a high performing student to pursue post graduate studies commencing in autumn of 2014.

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| Number of Awards | One |
| Value | \$500,000 per annum for two years |
| Discipline | Information and Communications Technology |
| Programmes | MSc Computer Science MSc Computer Based Management Information System MBA Management Information System |
| Tenable at | The University of the West Indies, Mona Campus, Kgn. Ja. |
| Nationality | Jamaican nationals residing in Jamaica, only |
| Age | Between the ages of 25 to 35 as at the application deadline date |

The award will be based on:

- *Strong academic performance (at least a GPA of 3.5)*
- *At least an Upper Second Class Honors*
- *Demonstrable financial need*
- *Verifiable involvement in co-curricular/community involvement;*
- *Demonstrated leadership qualities and volunteerism*
- *Candidates must have already been accepted for the 2014/2015 year*

Application Form may be downloaded from the
University of the West Indies website at:

<http://myspot.mona.uwi.edu/postgrad/scholarship>

Completed application forms must be submitted to the Office of Graduate Studies and Research, University of the West Indies, Mona Campus, Kingston, by November 10, 2014.



An Agency of the Ministry of Science, Technology, Energy and Mining

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**UNIVERSITY OF THE WEST INDIES
UNIVERSAL SERVICE FUND ICT SCHOLARSHIP**

*(Open to Jamaican nationals. Tenable at the Mona Campus to pursue
post graduate studies in Information and Communications Technology)*

APPLICANTS MUST COMPLETE ALL SECTIONS

Student Registration/ID #:

SECTION I

| | | | | |
|--|---|-------------------|---|------------|
| (1) NAME | <i>Surname</i> | <i>First Name</i> | <i>Middle Name/s</i> | |
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| (2) ADDRESS | | | | |
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| | e-mail address: | | | |
| (3) PHONE | <i>Home</i> | <i>Work</i> | <i>Mobile</i> | <i>Fax</i> |
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| (4) DATE OF BIRTH <i>year / month / day</i> | (5) COUNTRY OF BIRTH | | (6) NATIONALITY | |
| (7) GENDER Male <input type="checkbox"/> Female <input type="checkbox"/> | (8) MARITAL STATUS Single <input type="checkbox"/> Separated <input type="checkbox"/> Married <input type="checkbox"/> Divorced <input type="checkbox"/> | | (9) DEPENDENTS Number: _____ Ages: _____ | |
| (10) Post Graduate Programme in which you have been accepted for Academic year 2014/15: _____ | | | | |
| (11) Have you been awarded a Scholarship or Bursary tenable at the U.W.I. Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/> If yes, state the name of Scholarship/Bursary: _____ _____ | | | | |

| (12) Academic Qualifications | | | | |
|-------------------------------------|----------|---------------------------|------|-------|
| Examining Body: | Subjects | Advanced or Ordinary/G.P. | YEAR | GRADE |

| Cambridge/London/ CXC/CSEC/CAPE | | Level Taken | Level Obtained | | |
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(13) Other Qualifications: [Degrees, Diplomas or Certificates]

(14) Please state below the Post Graduate programme you have been accepted to pursue and your proposed area of specialization:

SECTION II

(15) School/University Record

| Years | School/University | Activities |
|-------|-------------------|------------|
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(16) State your other interest and activities:

(17) Any Other Information

SECTION III

(18) References

| Name | Address |
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SECTION IV

(19) Projected Income and Expenses for Academic Year

A. Employment of Applicant: _____

B. If not employed, please state you sources of financial support e.g. Mother and/or Father, Guardian, Spouse, Loan etc.

(20) If source is Mother and/or Father, Guardian, Spouse, please state:

Name: _____

No. of Dependents: _____

Age of Dependents: _____

Place of Employment: _____

Post Held: _____

Annual Salary: _____

(21) Net Income for Academic Year: *(Please complete relevant column)*

| Parent(s)/Guardian(s) | | Applicant and/or Spouse | |
|-----------------------|----|-------------------------|----|
| Mother | \$ | Applicant | \$ |
| Father | \$ | Spouse | \$ |
| Other | \$ | Other | \$ |
| | | | |
| Total | \$ | Total | \$ |

(22) Expenses for Academic Year: Parent(s)/guardian(s)

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|-----------------------------------|----|
| Mortgage | \$ |
| Rent | \$ |
| Dependents=School/University Fees | \$ |
| Other Major Expenses | \$ |
| <i>(Please itemize)</i> | \$ |
| | \$ |
| | \$ |
| | \$ |
| | \$ |
| Total | \$ |

(23) Expenses for Academic Year: Applicant and/or Spouse

| | |
|-----------------------------------|----|
| Mortgage | \$ |
| Rent | \$ |
| Dependents=School/University Fees | \$ |
| Other Major Expenses | \$ |

IMPORTANT NOTE

1. Any other information

Full details should be given of any involvement in Community life and/or service, and should be certifiable from records. Include memberships of Clubs, etc.