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VICTORIA UNIVERSITY OF WELLINGTON • NEW ZEALAND

UNDERGRADUATE TUITION FEES SCHOLARSHIP – MALAYSIA



Victoria University invites applications for a Scholarship that covers the tuition fees for the first year of study for an undergraduate degree beginning in February 2012.

About Victoria University

One of New Zealand's oldest and most prestigious universities, Victoria University of Wellington has an established tradition of excellence in research-based teaching.

The University is located in New Zealand's capital city and has a strong representation of international students from more than 90 countries.

Malaysian students have considered Victoria University of Wellington a preferred study destination for over 45 years.

Who is eligible?

Applicants must be Malaysian citizens under the age of 22 on 31 December 2011, and should have completed or be completing their secondary schooling outside New Zealand.

Students enrolled in an 'A' levels or an equivalent programme at a Malaysian Tertiary College are also eligible. Applicants should be outstanding scholars with a record of high achievement in 'A' levels, STPM or equivalent study. Forecast results are acceptable. Other conditions are overleaf.

How to apply

An application form is attached. Applicants should include certified copies of supporting documents such as previous examination results, school reports and testimonials, at least two recent references and evidence of any other achievements including school and community participation.

Applications will be accepted during September and October 2011, and must be received by Victoria University by 31 October 2011.

For more information, contact

International Programmes Office
Email ip-team@vuw.ac.nz
Victoria International
Victoria University of Wellington
PO Box 600, Wellington, New Zealand
www.victoria-international.ac.nz



Your application for the International Undergraduate Tuition Fees Scholarship – Malaysia

Use this form to apply for the Scholarship only if you are a citizen of Malaysia.

Complete this form in English. Add additional pages if necessary.

Documents submitted in support of this application must be in English – either originals or a true copy of the original. Certification of true copies must be done by a recognised official or by the institution that issued the documents and must bear the official stamp and signature of the certifier.

Applicants should include certified copies of supporting documents such as previous examination results, school reports and testimonials, at least two recent written references and evidence of any other achievements including school and community participation.

Where results from 'A' level examinations (or their equivalent) are not completed or available, it is essential that an original signed set of forecast results are provided by the applicant's educational institution.

Return this completed form to reach the following address by 31 October 2011:

International Programmes Office
Victoria International
PO Box 600, Wellington, New Zealand
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NOTE | Please read the following notes before completing the application form

- To help strengthen ties between Victoria University of Wellington and Malaysia, the Council of Victoria University offers the International Undergraduate Tuition Fees Scholarship – Malaysia. The Scholarship will be awarded on merit to an outstanding candidate who meets the following criteria.
- Candidates for a scholarship must:
 - + be a citizen of Malaysia;
 - + be completing their secondary education outside of New Zealand;
 - + be under 22 years old on 31 December 2011;
 - + be intending to enrol full time for a first undergraduate degree at Victoria University of Wellington in 2012;
 - + be able to satisfy the New Zealand Government requirements for international student entry into New Zealand (health, character, etc);
 - + produce evidence of achievements or forecast achievements at one of the following levels or their equivalent:
 - + A minimum of 3 GCE 'A' Levels with all subjects Grade B.
 - + A minimum of 3 STPM passes with all subjects Grade B.Other recognised qualifications of similar standard will be acceptable;
- + not have lodged, personally or as dependants, a current application, for migration, or have been granted residence status in New Zealand.
- Upon receipt of applications, the Director, International Programmes, will draw up a short-list of candidates on the basis of outstanding academic merit. The final selection from short-listed candidates will be made after a personal interview and will take into account factors such as character, extra-curricular activities, international perspective and potential adaptability to a new country.
- The scholarship pays for the tuition fees for the first year of study for an undergraduate degree at Victoria University.
- The scholarship will begin in trimester 1, 2012.
- The Director, International Programmes, may recommend that the scholarship be suspended or terminated if, on receipt of a report to be provided by the relevant Dean or Head of School/Department, it considers that the scholar has not made satisfactory progress in their first trimester of study. Failure in two or more courses in a trimester will normally result in the automatic termination of the scholarship.
- During the time when the scholarship is paying for the student's tuition fees, any employment undertaken by the student must be approved by the Director, International Programmes.
- At the discretion of the Director, International Programmes, the terms of the International Undergraduate Tuition Fees Scholarship may be varied to take account of special circumstances relating to a scholar's course of study.
- Applications must be made on the official form and should be sent to International Programmes, Victoria University of Wellington.
- The closing date for applications is 31 October 2011.
No application fee is required.





INTERNATIONAL UNDERGRADUATE TUITION FEES SCHOLARSHIP – MALAYSIA

What is your English language proficiency?

Mark the following statements that apply to you, and attach official results where available:

- English is my first language.
- I have completed my secondary or tertiary studies in an institution in a native English-speaking country where English is the language used for instruction.
- I have sat TOEFL in the past two years and my score was: 550 or more; or 213 or more in the computer-based test; or 80 in the internet-based test.
- I have sat IELTS or British Council ELTS in the past two years and my score was 6.0 or more, with no subscore less than 5.5 in IELTS.
- I have sat and passed another internationally recognized English language proficiency test. Please specify below.

What sports or service groups have you participated in?

What hobbies do you have?

Give details of any leadership experience you have had:

Have you previously spent time in another country?

- NO YES ▶ Please provide details below

Please attach a separate page outlining why you would like to study at Victoria University of Wellington and why Wellington and/or New Zealand appeals to you as a study destination. Include any other reasons why this Scholarship would be important to you.

I have enclosed:

- Copies of academic results or forecasts including 'A' Levels, SPM or equivalent
- A copy of my English Language achievements
- A copy of my Birth Certificate
- Copies of recent school reports and testimonials
- At least two recent written references

Copies of documents must be certified and stamped by a recognised official or by the institution that issued them. Electronic copies will not be accepted.

How did you find out about this Scholarship?

- VUW website
- Seminar/Education Fair
- Friend/Family member
- Newspaper/Magazine advertisement (please specify which one)

- Other (please specify)

Declaration

I declare that to the best of my knowledge the information supplied above and enclosed in support of my application is correct and complete. I agree to abide by the conditions as determined by Victoria University of Wellington. I declare that I have not personally or as a dependant, applied for migration, nor been granted permanent residence status in New Zealand.

SIGNED

DATE

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