

## Karlstad University Global scholarship application

Scholarship applications will be accepted from 1 December 2016 to 1 February 2017. Please fill in the application form electronically, print it, sign it and send together with supporting documents to:

Karlstad University Helena Pallin 651 88 Karlstad Sweden

Please submit your application at www.universityadmissions.se before applying for a scholarship.

Have you made an application at www.universityadmissions.se for studies at Karlstad University?				
First name (as written in your passport):				
Last name (as written in your passport):				
Address:				
Postal code:				
City:				
Country:				
Citizenship:				
Application number from your application at www.universityadmissions.se:				
Gender:		Female		Male
Date of birth	Year:		Month:	Day:
Phone (incl. country code):				
Mobile phone (incl. country code):				
E-mail address:				

Name (in English) of the university where you have, or are currently completing your bachelor's degree:		
Which Master's programme or free-standing courses are you applying to at Karlstad University?		
Are you applying for any Swedish Institute (SI) scholarships (as funded by the Swedish Government)?		
Are you applying for any other scholarships?	Yes	No
If yes, which one/ones? (This is for our information only and will not affect your chances of being awarded a scholarship)		
Have you previously been studying in Sweden or are you currently studying in Sweden?	Yes	No
If yes, at which university?		
Karlstad University has the possibility to provide scholarships covering 100%, 75%, 50% or 25% of the tuition fee.  Which levels of scholarship are you interested in?  (Please mark the levels you are applying for)	100% 75% 50% 25%	

#### **Supporting documents**

- Curriculum vitae (CV), maximum 2 page
- Your curriculum vitae (CV) must include personal data and your education background. Please also include relevant employment history and extracurricular activities.
- Personal motivation letter, maximum 500 words

#### Your personal motivation letter should answer following questions:

- What is your reason for applying for studies at Karlstad University?
- What made you choose your field of study?
- What goals do you have with your studies and how do you want to use your knowledge in the future?
- Academic Reference
   (Should contain contact information to signed
   professor/academic advisor) Must be completed
   by a university-level professor or academic advisor
   from the university where you have, or are currently
   completing your bachelor's degree.
- Copy of passport

### **Scholarship conditions**

Scholarships cover 25%, 50%, 75% or 100% of the tuition fees. The value of the scholarship is stated in the notification of scholarship for each scholarship holder. The scholarship value is deducted from the tuition fees of the programme or free-standing course for which one are awarded a scholarship.

Karlstad University Global Scholarships do not cover living costs. (To be able to finance your stay in Sweden and get a residence permit for studies you need to show that you have funds for the total study period the time you apply for a residence permit. For further information contact the Swedish Migration Board www. migrationsverket.se)

The scholarship is only awarded for programs starting in a fall semester. The scholarships are usually granted for one academic year, i.e. for two semesters at a time. The scholarship for the second semester (spring semester) is granted on the condition that the scholarship holder has passed at least 15 credits during autumn semester. Only course results registered on 15 January during the first academic year will be considered in this assessment. The 15 passed credits needs to be within the programme for which the student was granted the scholarship.

Scholarship holders must pass at least 75% of their courses during the first academic year in order to be able to reapply for a scholarship the following academic year. An offer of a scholarship is only valid for the year and the programme stipulated in the scholarship notification. If a student who has been awarded a scholarship changes programmes, the student will risk losing the scholarship as scholarships are programme-specific.

This scholarship application will only be valid if the printed and signed scholarship application form, together with supporting documents are sent to Karlstad University, Helena Pallin, 651 88 Karlstad, Sweden. The application needs to be received 1 February 2017 the latest. Late applications will not be considered. The names of students rewarded with a scholarship will be published on Karlstad University's website. A list of chosen scholarship holders will be announced at the website by the beginning of april 2017.

I herby confirm that I have read, understood and agree I also confirm that all information given in this scholar	ed on the conditions for Karlstad University Global Scholarship.
Signature	Place and date

# Who is eligible for Karlstad University Global scholarship?

This scholarship is intended students from countries outside the European Union/European Economic Area (and Switzerland) who are required to pay tuition fees for studies commencing after June 2011. The scholarship programme is not open for students from the following 12 countries: Bangladesh, Bolivia, Burkina Faso, Cambodia, Ethiopia, Kenya, Mali, Mozambique, Rwanda, Tanzania, Uganda and Zambia.

You are not eligible for this scholarship if any of the following is true:

- You have already lived in Sweden for two years or more when the scholarship period is due to begin.
- You have a Swedish permanent residence permit or a work permit.
- You hold a scholarship for studies from Swedish Institute or from a Swedish university/university college.
- You already hold a master's degree from a Swedish university/university college.