

## **List of scholarships available to Bulgarian citizens applying to Oxford University**

### **1. Dulverton and Michael Wills Scholarships (Central/Eastern Europe)**

These awards, funded by the Dulverton Trust, are offered to students from Central/Eastern Europe who otherwise would not be able to afford to come to Oxford. The Dulverton Trust is an independent charitable grant-making organisation established by Deed in 1949 by the 1st Lord Dulverton. The Dulverton & Michael Wills Scholarship is the largest grant that the Dulverton Trust awards. For further information please visit the Trust website at <http://www.dulverton.org/>

A small number of full or partial awards, funded by the Dulverton Trust, will be made. Full scholarships will cover University and college fees and maintenance for the length of the proposed course of study. Full course duration, all subjects.

Scholarships will be awarded on the basis of outstanding academic merit and financial need. Awards available to residents of the following countries or regions: Albania, Armenia, Azerbaijan, Belarus, Bosnia, **Bulgaria**, Croatia, Czech Republic, Estonia, Georgia, Hungary, Latvia, Lithuania, the Former Yugoslav Republic of Macedonia, Moldova, Montenegro, Poland, Romania, Serbia, Slovakia, Slovenia and Ukraine

#### **Application procedure:**

<http://www.admin.ox.ac.uk/io/funding/dulverton.shtml>

### **2. Commonwealth Scholarship and Fellowship Plan**

Scholarships for study in the UK are available for Commonwealth citizens and British protected persons permanently resident in any Commonwealth country other than the UK.

The awards are intended primarily for postgraduate study or research and are available for the duration of the approved programme of study. Under a new arrangement with the Commission the University will be contributing towards the cost of up to six awards for which priority will be given to doctoral students. Awards cover fees, travel to the UK and a personal maintenance allowance. In some cases other allowances may be payable.

#### **Application procedure:**

Further details are available from the Commonwealth Scholarships Agency in the country in which the candidate is permanently resident (usually Ministry of Education), from [www.acu.ac.uk](http://www.acu.ac.uk) or <http://www.csfonline.org/news/>.

### 3. The Weidenfeld Scholarships and Leadership Programme

Launched in 2007, the programme aims to cultivate the leaders of tomorrow primarily from Eastern Europe, Central Asia, Russia, the Middle East and North Africa by providing outstanding university graduates and young professionals with the opportunity to pursue graduate studies at the University of Oxford. Scholars also participate in a comprehensive programme of leadership-skills development, long-term mentoring and networking (including work-placements, pro-bono projects and involvement in a high-level speaker and seminar series). The programme is managed by the Institute for Strategic Dialogue (ISD), a London-based policy organisation (for contact details, see below). The scholarship is tenable only at the University of Oxford for **graduate degrees - all subjects**, full course duration.

In 2008/09, there will be 34 Weidenfeld scholars at Oxford - selected from Albania, Azerbaijan, Bosnia and Herzegovina, Bulgaria, Czech Republic, Croatia, Egypt, Estonia, Israel, Jordan, Kyrgyzstan, Lebanon, Macedonia, Moldova, Romania, Russia, Slovakia, Slovenia, Syria, Tajikistan, Turkey, Ukraine and the United States.

Applicants must be able to demonstrate that they aspire through their professional work to contribute to the public good, in their country or region, or on a global basis. Applicants must be able to demonstrate a connection between their subject of study and their longer-term career objectives. Other considerations being equal, preference will be given to applicants who have professional experience in the governmental, inter-governmental, NGO or media sectors and who have not studied extensively outside of their home countries.

**Application procedure:** <http://www.admin.ox.ac.uk/io/funding/weidenfeld.shtml>

### 4. Sir Walter Raleigh Postgraduate Scholarship at Oriel College

The Sir Walter Raleigh Scholarship is an award of £4,000 and is tenable in Oriel College by one student reading for the degree of Master of Science in Environmental Change and Management at the Environmental Change Institute (ECI) in the University of Oxford. The Scholarship is usually awarded annually.

For more information: <http://www.eci.ox.ac.uk/teaching/msc/downloads/waltraleigh-scholarship.doc>

**Application procedure:**

Environmental Change Institute  
Oxford University Centre for the Environment  
South Parks Road  
Oxford, OX1 3 QY England, UK

Phone: +44 01865 275-848  
Fax: +44 01865 275-850  
E-mail:  
[enquiries@eci.ox.ac.uk](mailto:enquiries@eci.ox.ac.uk)  
<http://www.eci.ox.ac.uk/>

## 5. Joan Doll Scholarship at Green College

The purpose of the scholarship is to **train a new generation of environmental professionals**, push environmental science beyond traditional research and educational frameworks, undertake integrated and collaborative research, create dynamic partnerships with Government, Business, NGO's and the public, inform public and corporate policy and the wider community and make research insights accessible to all.

Open to students of any nationality who have been accepted on the course. GBP 1,500

For more information: <http://www.admin.ox.ac.uk/postgraduate/colleges/gree.shtml>

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E-mail: [enquiries@eci.ox.ac.uk](mailto:enquiries@eci.ox.ac.uk)

<http://www.eci.ox.ac.uk/>

## 6. Coca Cola Water Sustainability Scholarships

A scholarship is available for a qualified graduate student from any country to pursue a one-year taught MSc courses in **Environmental Change & Management, Water Science Policy & Management, Nature, Society & Environmental Policy or Biodiversity, Conservation & Management**.

At the time of taking up the Scholarship, the Scholar must have been admitted as a postgraduate student by the relevant Faculty of the University, and must be, or become, a member of the College. Application form is available on the website. Full University and College fees plus GBP 3,183 maintenance.

### **Application procedure:**

College Secretary

Linacre College

Oxford OX1 3JA

UK

Phone: +44 1865 271-650

Fax: +44 1865 271-668

E-mail: [enquiries@eci.ox.ac.uk](mailto:enquiries@eci.ox.ac.uk)

<http://www.linacre.ox.ac.uk/>

## 7. Climate Care Scholarship

Climate Care is a carbon offset company based in the UK ([www.climatecare.org](http://www.climatecare.org)). The company is awarding a scholarship to train a new generation of **environmental professionals**, push environmental science beyond traditional research and educational frameworks, undertake integrated and collaborative research, create dynamic partnerships with Government, Business, NGO's and the public, inform public and corporate policy and the wider community and make research insights accessible to all.

Open to students from any country and of any nationality. The successful applicant is encouraged to undertake his or her dissertation in a relevant area of climate change research upon accepting the scholarship. The scholarship is tenable at any college. Contact the above address for application and other details. Value: GBP 5,000

No separate application form available.

### **Application procedure:**

Environmental Change Institute  
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Fax: +44 01865 275-850  
E-mail: [enquiries@eci.ox.ac.uk](mailto:enquiries@eci.ox.ac.uk)  
<http://www.eci.ox.ac.uk/>

## 8. EPA Cephalosporin Junior Research Fellowships

Open to men and women graduates of any university who are engaged in research in **the medical, biological, or chemical sciences** in the University. No restriction in age and gender.

Deadline: 25 January

### **Application procedure:**

The Senior Tutor  
Linacre College  
University of Oxford  
Oxford OX1 3JA  
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Phone: +44 18 6527 4311  
Fax: +44 18 6551 1069  
<http://www.linacre.ox.ac.uk>

## 9. Shell Centenary Scholarships

Open to nationals of and resident in any country other than Australia, Austria, Belgium, Canada, Denmark, Finland, France, Germany, Greece, Iceland, Ireland, Italy, Japan, Luxembourg, The Netherlands, New Zealand, Norway, Portugal, Spain, Sweden, Switzerland, United Kingdom and United States and intending to return and take up permanent residence there after completion of the proposed programme of study.

Applicants must aged 35 or under; must intend to study a subject that will be of significant value in aiding **the sustainable development** of their home country; should have a sufficiently outstanding academic ability in the UK to have obtained a degree equivalent to a first class honours degree; must be fluent in spoken and written English and must neither a current nor former employee of the Company. Please visit the website for more detailed information and application forms.

### **Application procedure:**

The Shell Centenary Scholarship Fund

c/o PXP

Shell Centre

London, SE1 7NA

United Kingdom

**E-mail:** [info@shellscholar.org](mailto:info@shellscholar.org)

<http://www.shellscholar.org/>

## 10. Bellagio Forum Fellowship

This fellowship, based at Oxford University in the UK, provides an opportunity for broad-based research into the factors surrounding environmental and **sustainable development** issues, and ways of overcoming obstacles to implementing positive policies and good practice in these fields.

Open to journalists from any country in the world who specialise in environmental issues, and who work full-time for a newspaper, news agency, magazine, radio or television, may apply. The selection panel will look for applicants who can use experience and knowledge gained during the fellowship to influence and extend debate and information on these issues when they return to their workplace. Applicants must have at least five years' professional journalism experience; in addition, applicants are required to submit work samples, a study proposal and other documents (contact Jo Weir for details).

Value: The fellowship runs for three months, and all travel costs, living expenses and university fees are covered.

**Application procedure:**

Reuters Foundation

85 Fleet Street

London EC4P 4AJ

United Kingdom

**Phone:** +44-20-7542-7015

**Fax:** +44-20-7542-8599

**E-mail:** [reuters.institute@politics.ox.ac.uk](mailto:reuters.institute@politics.ox.ac.uk)

<http://reutersinstitute.politics.ox.ac.uk/>

### **11. The Andrew W. Mellon Foundation East Central European Research Fellows Program**

Open to scholars who have a Ph.D. or equivalent experience, pursuing research in **any field of the humanities or social sciences** that relates to the Near East. Applicants must be citizens of **Bulgaria**, the Czech Republic, Estonia, Hungary, Latvia, Lithuania, Poland, Romania, or Slovakia.

The award provides \$11,500, which includes \$2,400 for room and board at ACOR and \$9,100 for travel and stipend.

**Application procedure:**

American Center of Oriental Research (ACOR) Fellowship Committee

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Boston, MA 02215-2010

USA

Phone: +1 617 353-6571

Fax: +1 617 353-6575

E-mail: [acor@bu.edu](mailto:acor@bu.edu)

<http://www.bu.edu/acor>

### **12. Culture Programme**

This programme runs from 2007 up to 2013, and aims at enhancing the cultural area common to Europeans through the development of cultural cooperation between the creators, cultural players and cultural institutions of the countries taking part in the programme, with a view to encouraging the emergence of European citizenship. Other specific objectives include: to promote the transnational mobility of people working in the cultural sector; to encourage the transnational circulation of works and cultural and artistic products; to encourage intercultural dialogue.

Applicants need to focus on **any cultural area** - there are now no separate strands for different cultural areas - proposals can cover any cultural area, or can link together different cultural areas to generate unique and innovative projects.

They must have something uniquely European about them (i.e. not just a tour of a UK performance or exhibition) They must be developed and implemented by at least 3 partner organisations from 3 different eligible countries (currently the 25 Member States, plus Norway, Iceland, Liechtenstein, Bulgaria and Romania - and also new "candidate countries" including Croatia and Turkey). They can last either for 1-2 years or, in exceptional cases, for 3-5 years. EUR100 to EUR 400,000 (1 year projects).

**Application procedure:**

Education, Audiovisual and Culture Executive Agency

Rue Colonel Bourg 139

B-1140 Brussels

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Phone: + 32-2-233 01 11

Fax: + 32-2-233 01 50

E-mail: [eac-culture@ec.europa.eu](mailto:eac-culture@ec.europa.eu)

<http://ec.europa.eu/>

### 13. Socrates/Erasmus Grant

Grant for undergraduate, postgraduate and postdoctoral students, open to student who are enrolled in a formal programme of study at higher education level leading to a degree or a diploma (including doctoral level) in one of the participating countries.

Applicant must be citizen of one the participating countries (or are recognised as having an official status of refugee or stateless person or permanent resident); and have successfully completed at least the first year of your university studies. Successful candidates can study at an institution in one of the participating countries: Austria, Belgium, Cyprus, Czech Republic, Denmark, Estonia, Finland, France, Germany, Greece, Hungary, Ireland, Italy, Latvia, Lithuania, Luxembourg, Malta, Netherlands, Poland, Portugal, Slovak Republic, Slovenia, Spain, Sweden, United Kingdom, Iceland, Liechtenstein, Norway, Bulgaria, Romania and Turkey.

Note: The application procedure varies from country to country. Please visit the website for further important information.

**Application procedure:**

c/o UK Socrates-Erasmus Council

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Canterbury, Kent

CT2 7LR

United Kingdom

Phone: +00 800 6 7 8 9 10 11

Fax: +44 (0)1227 762711

E-mail: [eac-info@cec.eu.int](mailto:eac-info@cec.eu.int)

<http://www.europa.eu.int/>

## 14. The Oxford Trust

Grants for a study, application and **communication of science, technology and engineering**. Provide networking and mentoring, premises for start-ups, research and feedback to local, national and European innovation policy for bioscience companies. Promotion and development of scientific, medical and technological research and education. Open to an individual, a company or a school.

### **Application procedure:**

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<http://www.oxtrust.org.uk/>

## 15. Ph.D. Fellowship Programme

Aims at providing young scientists with an opportunity to expand their intellectual vision beyond the single scientific field that they may be engaged in. Open to Ph.D. candidates from educational institutions around the world. Applicants must be at the dissertation writing stage of their Ph.D. with a research proposal accepted by the candidate's university and able to make use of the Institute's facilities in Yokohama to carry out their research. Research topics should relate clearly to one of the following current research areas of Biodiplomacy, **sustainable development** Governance, Science Policy for Sustainable Development, Ecosystems & People, and Education for Sustainable Development.

Applicants should be competent in scientific research methodologies and computer-based analysis. Language proficiency in English is essential. Students from developing countries ? particularly from developing country institutions ? are especially encouraged to apply. Value: JPY260,000 per month

### **Application procedure:**

United Nations University Institute of Advanced Studies

6F, International Organizations Center, Pacifico-Yokohama

1-1-1 Minato Mirai, Nishi-ku, Yokohama 220-8502

Japan

Fax: +81-45-221-2303

E-mail: [fellowships@ias.unu.edu](mailto:fellowships@ias.unu.edu)

<http://www.ias.unu.edu/>

## 16. PhD Studentship at The Advanced Processor Technologies Group

Open to EU students, although applicants from other nationalities will also be considered. Candidates for the studentship should have at least an upper second-class honours degree (or equivalent) in **Computer Science, Electronic Engineering** or a related subject. Contact the above address for application and other details. Value: GBP 12,000

### **Application procedure:**

The Postgraduate Admissions Secretary

School of Computer Science

The University of Manchester

Oxford Road

Manchester, M13 9PL

United Kingdom

Phone: +44 0161 275-6181

Fax: +44 0161 275-6204

E-mail: [pg-admissions@manchester.ac.uk](mailto:pg-admissions@manchester.ac.uk)

<http://www.cs.manchester.ac.uk/>

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