NCI POSTGRADUATE SCHOLARSHIP

National College *of* Ireland

NCI is delighted to announce 30 postgraduate scholarships for full-time taught masters programmes for 2019/20.

30 postgraduate scholarships are available; 15 will be awarded to School of Business students and 15 will be awarded to School of Computing students.

WHAT IS THE VALUE OF THE SCHOLARSHIP?
The maximum amount covered by SUSI is €6,270; if the student is awarded this amount, the student scholarship will cover the remaining outstanding fee i.e. *the total course fee minus the maximum possible amount funded by SUSI.* Please see examples below;

MSC in Web Technologies**	
Total Course Fees Due	€8,950
Total SUSI Grant	€6,270
Total value of Postgraduate Scholarship awarded	€2,680
TOTAL FEES FUNDED	€8,950
Outstanding fee to be paid by student	€0

MA in Human Resource Management**	
Total Course Fees Due	€7,900
Total SUSI Grant	€6,270
Total value of Postgraduate Scholarship awarded	€1,630
TOTAL FEES FUNDED	€7,900
Outstanding fee to be paid by student	€0

In some cases the amount of the SUSI grant awarded is less than €6,270. If the student is awarded less than the maximum amount for the postgraduate grant or they are not awarded any funds they must undertake to pay the outstanding course fees themselves.

The value of the scholarship will always be "total course fees due - €6270 (maximum amount that can be awarded by SUSI)". Please see example below;

MSc in Web Technologies**	
Total Course Fees Due	€8,950
Total SUSI Grant	€2,000
Total Postgraduate Scholarship (Total course fees due minus €6,270)	€2,680
TOTAL FEES FUNDED	€4,680
Outstanding fee to be paid by student	€4,270

MA in Human Resource Management**	
Total Course Fees Due	€7900
Total SUSI Grant	€0
Total Postgraduate Scholarship (Total course fees due minus €6,270)	€1,630
TOTAL FEES FUNDED	€1630
Outstanding fee to be paid by student	€6270

The above is used for illustrative purposes only, fees for each programme vary and are reviewed on an annual basis. Full details of the fees can be found on **www.ncirl.ie.**

- The student must provide confirmation that they were in receipt of a SUSI Grant for their undergraduate degree within the past two academic years.

- Meet the academic entry requirements for their chosen postgraduate programme.

- If there is excess demand for the scholarship, applicants who have met the entry requirements will be ranked according to their final year results and will be notified in writing as to the success of their application and the amount of the scholarship after the 25th June 2019.

HOW TO APPLY

1. All applicants must fill out a Postgraduate Scholarship Form and submit before 4pm on the 31st May 2019.

WHAT COURSES ARE ELIGIBLE?

The Postgraduate Scholarship applies to the full-time version of the following courses and are subject to eligibility;

- MSc in Finance
- MA in Human Resource Management
- MSc in Management
- MSc in Marketing
- MSc in International Business
- MSc in Entrepreneurship
- MSc in Web Technologies
- MSc in Cloud Computing
- MSc in Data Analytics
- MSc in Fintech
- MSc in Cybersecurity

- MSc in Mobile Technologies
- MA in Learning and Teaching
- MA in Personal Leadership and Pastoral Care
- MSc in Non-profit Management

I HAVE ALREADY APPLIED FOR A COURSE CAN I STILL APPLY FOR THE SCHOLARSHIP?

- If you have already applied for a full time taught masters programme you can fill in the Postgraduate Scholarship form attached which is to be submitted by 4pm Friday 24th May 2019.

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1 This form will be taken as an application therefore there is no need to fill out a separate application form for course choices

· Students who have previously undertaken a postgraduate programme will not be eligible for this scholarship.

· No applications for the Postgraduate Scholarship will be accepted after the 31st May 2019.

· Students must be in financial and academic good standing with National College of Ireland by 25th June 2019 in order to be deemed eligible for the scholarship.

· External applicants must provide NCI with transcripts of their final year results before 26th June 2019 in order to confirm their eligibility.

· External applicants must also provide documentation to confirm they were in receipt of a SUSI Grant in their final year of their undergraduate degree.

· Only students who meet the entry requirements for the course will be eligible for the Postgraduate Scholarship.

· All courses are run subject to numbers. If a course is not eligible to run, NCI will make an offer for an alternative postgraduate taught master's programme in a cognate field where possible. If the student deems this alternative course unsuitable or no alternative can be offered, NCI will rescind the awarding of the scholarship.

· The Postgraduate Scholarship may not be deferred.

· Students who are granted the Postgraduate Scholarship and subsequently cease study will be ineligible to apply again.

· Students who are awarded the Postgraduate Scholarship will have the amount credited against their student fees.

· The onus is on the student to apply to SUSI (Student Universal Support Ireland – the online student grant application system) for a postgraduate grant.

· Students who don't pay outstanding balances of their fees will not be allowed to graduate.

· Payment plans for the outstanding fees are available and can be requested from the Fees Office located in Student Services.

· NCI students who are eligible for the Postgraduate Scholarship cannot avail of the €1,000 discount.

POSTGRADUATE SCHOLARSHIP FORM

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APPLICANT DETAILS

Name:

Student No.:

I am a current student of NCI: Yes ☐ No ☐ (please tick)

Undergraduate course title:

(Please state the name of undergraduate award above)

Institution:

(Please state the name of the third level institution where undergraduate award was studied)

Postgraduate Course:

(Please state the name of the full time taught masters programme that you wish to apply for with National College of Ireland)

STUDENT GRANT SCHEME

Years Grant Received From: to

Amount Received:

I confirm that the above information is correct. I also confirm that I have read and understood the Terms and Conditions associated with the Postgraduate Scholarship.

Signature: **Date:**