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ကျန်းမာရေးလူ့စွမ်းအားအရင်းအမြစ်စီးဌာန

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ရက်စွဲ။ ၂၀၁၉ခုနှစ်၊ မတ်လ ( ၁၃ )ရက်။

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၁။ ညွှန်ကြားရေးမှူးချုပ်၊ ဦးစီးဌာနအားလုံး။

၂။ ပါမောက္ခချုပ်၊ တက္ကသိုလ်များအားလုံး။

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သြစတြေးလျနိုင်ငံတွင် ဖွင့်လှစ်မည့် Australia Awards Scholarships 2020  
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(၁) 2019 New Zeland Scholarships

(၂) Australia Awards Scholarships 2020 Intake

ညွှန်ကြားရေးမှူးချုပ်(ကိုယ်စား)  
(ဒေါက်တာတင်ထွန်း၊ ဒုတိယညွှန်ကြားရေးမှူးချုပ်)

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- ဌာနတွင်းသို့ဖြန့်ဝေနိုင်ရေးအတွက်  
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**အရည်အချင်းသတ်မှတ်ချက်များ**

- (၁) မိဘနှစ်ဦးစလုံးအပြင် ဇနီး/ခင်ပွန်းအားလုံးနိုင်ငံသားဖြစ်ရပါမည်။ (ဧည့်နိုင်ငံသားနှင့် ပြုနိုင်ငံသားများကိုလည်းလျှောက်ထားခွင့်ပြုသည်။)
- (၂) လျှောက်ထားသူသည် ကျန်းမာရေးနှင့်အားကစားဝန်ကြီးဌာနလက်အောက်တွင် အမြဲတမ်း ဝန်ထမ်းအဖြစ် တာဝန်ထမ်းဆောင်နေသူဖြစ်ပြီး လျှောက်လွှာပိတ်သည့်နေ့တွင် အနည်းဆုံး အမှန်တကယ်အမှုထမ်းသက်(၂)နှစ်ရှိသူဖြစ်ရပါမည်။
- (၃) အသက်ကန့်သတ်ချက်မှာ ပညာသင်ဆုကမ်းလှမ်းသည့်အဖွဲ့အစည်း၏ သတ်မှတ်ချက် အတိုင်းဖြစ်ပြီး၊ သတ်မှတ်ချက်မရှိပါက မဟာသိပ္ပံဘွဲ့သင်တန်းအတွက် အသက်(၅၀)နှစ် အောက်ရှိသူဖြစ်ပြီး၊ ပါရဂူဘွဲ့သင်တန်းအတွက် အသက်(၄၅)နှစ်အောက်ရှိသူဖြစ်ရပါမည်။
- (၄) နိုင်ငံခြားတွင် (၆)လနှင့်အထက် သင်တန်းတက်ရောက်ခဲ့သူဖြစ်ပါက မြန်မာနိုင်ငံသို့ပြန် ရောက်ပြီး အနည်းဆုံး(၃)လ တာဝန်ထမ်းဆောင်ပြီးသူဖြစ်ရပါမည်။
- (၅) သင်တန်းမှပြန်လည်ရောက်ရှိပါက Master သင်တန်းအတွက် နိုင်ငံဝန်ထမ်းအဖြစ် (၄)နှစ်နှင့် Ph.D သင်တန်းအတွက် နိုင်ငံဝန်ထမ်းအဖြစ် (၇)နှစ် ပြန်လည်တာဝန်ထမ်းဆောင်နိုင်သူ ဖြစ်ရပါမည်။

(မှတ်ချက်။ ။လျှောက်ထားသူများစာရင်းအား ကျန်းမာရေးနှင့်အားကစားဝန်ကြီးဌာနသို့ တင်ပြ နိုင်ရေးအတွက် ကျန်းမာရေးလူ့စွမ်းအားအရင်းအမြစ်ဦးစီးဌာနသို့ ကြိုတင်ပေးပို့ နိုင်ပါရန်နှင့် Acceptance Letter ရရှိပြီးမှ တင်ပြလာပါက ဆက်လက်ဆောင်ရွက် ပေးမည်မဟုတ်ပါ။)

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NOTE NUMBER: 010/2019

The New Zealand Embassy presents its compliments to the Foreign Economic Relations Department of the Ministry of Investment and Foreign Economic Relations, the Republic of the Union of Myanmar, and has the honour to seek the latter's assistance in transmitting the enclosed information on the 2019 New Zealand Scholarships to all relevant Government ministries.

The Scholarships are prestigious awards that enable students from Myanmar to study in New Zealand at a post-graduate level. Preference is given to candidates who demonstrate strong academic ability, leadership qualities and a commitment to the development of Myanmar. Officials within the Myanmar Government who meet the appropriate criteria are strongly encouraged to apply.

The New Zealand Scholarships open for online application on Friday 1 February 2019-12:00am NZ time and close on Thursday 14 March 2019-12:00pm NZ time. Further details can be found in the enclosed information, from the New Zealand Scholarships Centre in Yangon, and at [NZSCHOLARSHIPS.GOV.NZ](http://NZSCHOLARSHIPS.GOV.NZ).

The Embassy is pleased to invite the interested officials to attend the Scholarships promotion seminar as follows:

Seminar	Date	Venue	Time
Kalay	27 Jan 2019	Theint Hall & Hotel	14:30-16:30
Yangon	02 Feb 2019	Summit Parkview Hotel	10:00-12:00
Naypyitaw	08 Feb 2019	Grand Amara Hotel @ Pinya Hall	14:00-16:00
Dawei	13 Feb 2019	Zayyar Htet San Hotel	10:00-12:00
Mandalay	17 Feb 2019	Swan Hotel	10:00-12:00
Myitkyina	18 Feb 2019	City Park Royal Hotel	09:30-11:30

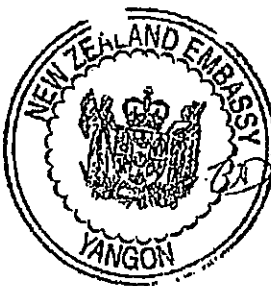
The New Zealand Embassy takes this opportunity to renew to the Foreign Economic Relations Department of the Ministry of Investment and Foreign Economic Relations, the Republic of the Union of Myanmar the assurances of its highest consideration.

New Zealand Embassy

Yangon, MYANMAR

25 January 2019

Cc: Ministry of Foreign Affairs



# New Zealand Scholarships 2020 selection round

Find more out at: [NZSCHOLARSHIPS.GOV.T.NZ](http://NZSCHOLARSHIPS.GOV.T.NZ)



BUILDING  
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Online application open on 1<sup>st</sup> February 2019  
Application Deadline 14<sup>th</sup> March 2019 - 12.00 pm NZ time

2<sup>nd</sup> February 2019, Saturday, 10 am @ Summit Parkview Hotel

Yangon Seminar

- Scholarship application Process
- Helpful tips
- Experience sharing from Alumni
- Q&A
- Scholarships Quiz
- Meet NZS alumni

Seating is limited, please confirm your participation to New Zealand Scholarship Centre by emailing [nzas.info@sagawaconsultancy.com](mailto:nzas.info@sagawaconsultancy.com) or call 09 779840318 by 28<sup>th</sup> January 2019

# New Zealand Scholarships 2020 selection round

Find more out at: [NZSCHOLARSHIPS.GOV.T.NZ](http://NZSCHOLARSHIPS.GOV.T.NZ)



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Online application open on 1<sup>st</sup> February 2019  
Application Deadline 14<sup>th</sup> March 2019 - 12.00 pm NZ time

8<sup>th</sup> February 2019, Friday, 2 pm @ Pinya Hall, Grand Amara Hotel

Nay Pyi Taw Seminar

- Scholarship application Process
- Helpful tips
- Experience sharing from Alumni
- Q&A
- Scholarships Quiz
- Meet NZS alumni

Seating is limited, please confirm your participation to New Zealand Scholarship Centre by emailing [nzas.info@sagawaconsultancy.com](mailto:nzas.info@sagawaconsultancy.com) or call 09 779840318 by 4<sup>th</sup> February 2019

# New Zealand Scholarships 2020 selection round

Find more out at: [NZSCHOLARSHIPS.GOV.NZ](http://NZSCHOLARSHIPS.GOV.NZ)



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Online application open on 1<sup>st</sup> February 2019  
Application Deadline 14<sup>th</sup> March 2019 - 12.00 pm NZ time

13<sup>th</sup> February 2019, Wednesday, 10 am @ Zayyar Htet San Hotel

Dawei Seminar

- Scholarship application Process
- Helpful tips
- Experience sharing from Alumni
- Q&A
- Scholarships Quiz
- Meet NZS alumni



Seating is limited, please confirm your participation to New Zealand Scholarship Centre by emailing [nzas.info@sagawaconsultancy.com](mailto:nzas.info@sagawaconsultancy.com) or call 09 779840318 by 8<sup>th</sup> February 2019

# New Zealand Scholarships 2020 selection round

Find more out at: [NZSCHOLARSHIPS.GOV.NZ](http://NZSCHOLARSHIPS.GOV.NZ)



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Online application open on 1<sup>st</sup> February 2019  
Application Deadline 14<sup>th</sup> March 2019 - 12.00 pm NZ time

17<sup>th</sup> February 2019, Sunday, 10 am @ Swan Hotel

Mandalay Seminar

- Scholarship application Process
- Helpful tips
- Experience sharing from Alumni
- Q&A
- Scholarships Quiz
- Meet NZS alumni

Seating is limited, please confirm your participation to New Zealand Scholarship Centre by emailing [nzas.info@sagawaconsultancy.com](mailto:nzas.info@sagawaconsultancy.com) or call 09 779840318 by 13<sup>th</sup> February 2019

# New Zealand Scholarships 2020 selection round

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LEADERS  
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Online application open on 1<sup>st</sup> February 2019  
Application Deadline 14<sup>th</sup> March 2019 - 12.00 pm NZ time

18<sup>th</sup> February 2019, Monday, 9:30 am @ City Park Royal Hotel

Myitkya Seminar

- Scholarship application Process
- Helpful tips
- Experience sharing from Alumni
- Q&A
- Scholarships Quiz
- Meet NZS alumni

Seating is limited, please confirm your participation to New Zealand Scholarship Centre by emailing [nzas.info@sagawaconsultancy.com](mailto:nzas.info@sagawaconsultancy.com) or call 09 779840318 by 14<sup>th</sup> February 2019





Note No. 040/2019

The Australian Embassy presents its compliments to the Ministry of Foreign Affairs of the Republic of the Union of Myanmar. We have the pleasure to update the Ministry on the process for the **Australia Awards Scholarship program 2020 intake** which is managed by the Department of Foreign Affairs and Trade (DFAT) of the Australian Government.

The Foreign and Economic Relations Department (FERD) at the Ministry of Investment and Foreign Economic Relations (MIFER) plays an important coordination role in informing Ministries of scholarship opportunities. We appreciate the Government of the Union of Myanmar's support in this process.

The purpose of this Third Person Note is to provide information on the Australia Awards scholarship program objectives, priority sectors, eligibility requirements and application process.

The primary objective of Australia Awards is to enhance leadership, knowledge and technical skills of Myanmar people, and to drive sustainable development. While the program remains open to all Myanmar citizens, DFAT has a strong focus on supporting the Government of the Union of Myanmar in its reform and development agenda. In recent years, Government officials have been well represented, with up to half of the long term Australia Award Scholarships being awarded to Government officials in recent intakes. It is our aim for this trend to continue.

In the 2019 selection process (for the 2020 intake), DFAT is seeking applications from Government officials for the areas of study listed below. Applications from all government of Myanmar ministries and institutions are encouraged. There are no limitations on the number of applicants from any individual ministry or department.

#### **Australia Awards Scholarships Priority Areas of Study**

In line with the Australian Government's aid program objectives to promote prosperity, reduce poverty and enhance stability in Myanmar, the priority fields of study are as follows:

- Human development with an emphasis on quality education
- Peace, governance and humanitarian assistance

- Inclusive economic growth, private sector development, government management and agriculture
- Promotion of gender equality and social inclusion.

The attached Country Profile document expands further on the preferred fields of study. Study in other areas that are important for the development of Myanmar, and that support Myanmar's reform priorities and DFAT's Aid Investment Plan, will also be considered on a merit basis.

## **The Application Process**

All nominees need to meet the eligibility requirements to be considered for an Australia Award Scholarship. This year, applicants should be 25 years or older at 30 April 2019 and have at least two years of work experience. Applications for an Australia Award Scholarship should be submitted to DFAT. Applicants are encouraged to apply online at: <https://oasis.dfat.gov.au>

Alternatively applicants can submit applications via email to: [australiaawards.myanmar@dfat.gov.au](mailto:australiaawards.myanmar@dfat.gov.au).

Hardcopy applications are also accepted at the Australian Embassy Yangon or at our office located at the M Gallery Hotel (Lake Garden Hotel) in Nay Pyi Taw.

Eligible applications will progress to a merit-based selection process comprising application assessment and interview.

Applications close 30 April 2019 at 8:29pm Yangon time (11:59pm AEST). Late applications will not be considered.

## **Type and Level of Awards**

Australia Award Scholarships are offered at the Masters Level of study, commencing in 2020.

## **English Language Requirements**

Australian Universities require a high level of English language proficiency for admission to most courses. A good standard of English is required at the time of application. DFAT can provide assistance to access English language training to help successful candidates reach the required English levels. Successful applicants must obtain an IELTS or equivalent score of overall 6.5 (with no bands lower than 6.0) prior to mobilisation and be available to commence study in 2020.

Proof of English proficiency (IELTS or TOEFL) is not required to apply for a scholarship, however, applicants shortlisted for interview will be required to have, or undertake English screening provided by the DFAT's arrangement.

## Australia Awards Scholarships Information Sessions

The Australia Awards Scholarships Information Session will be held in Nay Pyi Taw as per the following schedule.

**Date:** Friday, 15 February 2019

**Venue:** M Gallery Hotel (Lake Garden Hotel), Nay Pyi Taw

**Time:** 9:00am-12:00pm (Scholarships application process)

This session will provide more specific information on how Government officials can access the Australia Awards Scholarships and convey detailed information on program objectives, the application process and eligibility requirements (no registration necessary).

Other sessions will also be held according to the following schedule and Government staff in these areas are welcome to attend:

- Mandalay: Saturday 9 February 2019 from 1:30-3:30pm at Hotel Mandalay
- Taunggyi: Sunday 10 February 2019 from 2-4pm at Royal Taunggyi Hotel
- Yangon: Tuesday 12 February 2019 from 2-4pm at Sule Shangri-La Hotel
- Mawlamyaing: Sunday 17 February 2019 from 10am-12pm at Royal Hin Thar Hotel

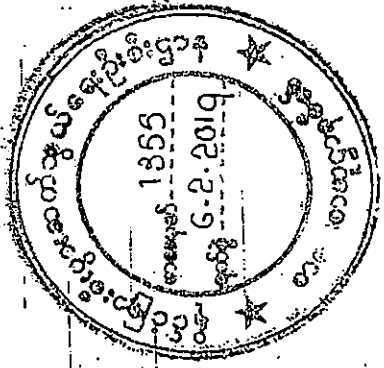
The Australia Awards Scholarship Myanmar country profile is attached for further information. More details including eligibility criteria can be found at <http://australiaawards.gov.au>

The Australian Embassy avails itself of this opportunity to renew to the Ministry of Foreign Affairs of the Republic of the Union of Myanmar the assurance of its highest consideration.



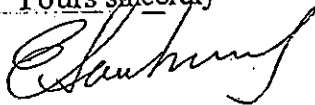
YANGON  
5 February 2019

Cc: Foreign Economic Relations Department, Ministry of Investment and Foreign Economic Relations



scholarships sections and training divisions from all the Ministries and Central Offices to attend these important information sessions.

Yours sincerely



Esther Sainsbury  
First Secretary  
Australian Embassy Yangon

Cc to: Ministry of Foreign Affairs



**Australian Embassy**  
**Myanmar**

5<sup>th</sup> February 2019

Director General  
Foreign Economic Relation Department  
Ministry of Investment and Foreign Economic Relations  
Nay Pyi Taw

Dear Sir,

**Re: Australia Awards Scholarships – 2020 intake Information sessions**

The Australian Government is pleased to provide Australia Awards Scholarships to Myanmar citizens offering the next generation of leaders an opportunity to undertake study in Australia.

In 2018 we awarded 40 long-term Australia Awards Scholarships for Master level studies in Australia. Our aim is to continue to attract strong Government representation in future intakes.

To improve understanding about the requirements of Australia Awards Scholarships, we will be conducting series of information sessions in the month of February as below schedule:

9 February 2019, 1:30pm – 3:30pm  
Hotel Mandalay, Mandalay

10 February 2019, 2:00pm – 4:00pm  
Royal Taunggyi Hotel, Taunggyi, Southern Shan State

12 February 2019, 2:00pm – 4:00pm  
Sule Shangri-La Hotel, Yangon

15 February 2019, 9:00am – 12:00pm  
MGallery Hotel (The Lake Garden Hotel), Nay Pyi Taw

17 February 2019, 10:00am – 12pm  
Royal Hin Thar Hotel, Mawlamyaing

We would like to request your assistance to dispatch the attached Third Person Note (no. 040/2019) and invite interested applicants as well as the responsible persons from



Australia Awards

# Myanmar

## Applying for an Australia Award Scholarship – 2020 Intake

### Australia Award Scholarships in Myanmar

Australia's international development assistance in Myanmar aims to support Myanmar's process of political, social and economic reform. The priorities of the Australian aid program in Myanmar are outlined in the Aid Investment Plan (2015-2020). The objectives of the AIP are to: enhance human development by improving the quality of education; promote peace and stability; address the needs of conflict and disaster affected people; and promote inclusive economic growth and government management.

Australia Awards Scholarships are prestigious international awards offered by the Australian Government to the next generation of global leaders for development. Through study and research, recipients develop the skills and knowledge to drive change and help build enduring people-to-people links with Australia.

In Myanmar, Australia Award Scholarships are available for Masters level study only.

Applicants are assessed on their professional and personal qualities, academic readiness and, most importantly, their potential to assume leadership roles upon their return to Myanmar and make significant impact on development challenges.

Applications are strongly encouraged from women, people with disability, people from ethnic minority groups and people who have not previously received a long-term international scholarship.

### Priority fields of study

Priority areas of study for Myanmar are linked to the priorities of the Australian aid program and those of the Government of Myanmar. Specifically, this includes areas of study that focus on:

- Enhancing Human Development
- Promoting Peace and Stability
- Supporting Inclusive Economic Growth and Government Management
- Promoting Gender Equality and Social Inclusion

Selection of the 2020 intake will give preference to candidates that are pursuing studies in the following fields:

- **Education** (education policy, quality assurance and statistics, student learning assessment, education economics, curriculum studies, technical and vocational education and training (TVET))
- **Human resource development** (public administration, human resource management, organisational management, labour market economics, information management)
- **Trade and private sector development** (economics, international business, trade policy, public policy, tax, energy and mining)
- **Social inclusion** (gender and women's studies, disability studies, community and international development)
- **Regional stability and human rights** (international human rights law, international relations and diplomacy, peace and conflict studies)
- **Environment, agriculture and natural resources** (water resources management, water quality and supply systems, agribusiness management, agricultural economics, rural development, environmental science, sustainability, climate change and disaster risk management, conservation studies)

The governments of Australia and Myanmar regularly review these areas of study and adjust the emphasis of the program. Studies in other fields will be considered on the basis of merit.

### Application dates

For study commencing in Australia in 2020

Opening date: 1 February 2019  
Closing date: 30 April 2019 (11:59pm AEST / 8:29pm Yangon time)

Applications and/or supporting documents received after the closing date may not be considered.

## Australia Award Benefits

Australia Award Scholarships are offered for the minimum period necessary for the individual to complete the academic program specified by the Australian education institution, including any preparatory training.

Scholarship recipients will receive the following:

- return air travel
- a one-off establishment allowance on arrival
- full tuition fees
- contribution to living expenses
- introductory academic program
- overseas student health cover for the duration of the scholarship
- supplementary academic support
- fieldwork allowance for research students and masters by coursework which has a compulsory fieldwork component.

## Eligibility Criteria

Australia Award applicants must meet all eligibility requirements detailed in the *Australia Awards Scholarships Policy Handbook*.

The Policy Handbook is available at:

[dfat.gov.au/about-us/publications/Pages/australia-awards-scholarships-policy-handbook.aspx](http://dfat.gov.au/about-us/publications/Pages/australia-awards-scholarships-policy-handbook.aspx)

As per the Handbook, current serving military personnel are unable to apply for an Australia Award.

In addition to the eligibility requirements outlined in the Policy Handbook, applicants from Myanmar must meet the following conditions:

- be a Myanmar citizen currently residing in Myanmar
- be at least 25 years of age at 30 April 2019
- have at least two (2) years of work experience

*(preference will be given to candidates whom are pursuing study that builds on work experience)*

*Any application which shows evidence of plagiarism (copying from other applicants) will be deemed ineligible. This constitutes fraud which is contrary to Australian values and will not be tolerated.*

## English Language Requirements

Australian universities require a high level of English language proficiency for admission. Successful applicants must obtain an IELTS or equivalent score of overall 6.5 (with no bands lower than 6.0) prior to mobilisation – and be available to commence study in 2020.

**At the time of application an IELTS or TOEFL score is not required – however an IELTS or equivalent score of 6.5 (with no bands lower than 6.0) will need to be obtained by May 2020.**

DFAT will offer support for English language training to successful applicants on a case by case basis through to May 2020. Those eligible to receive the support will be notified post-interview.

If successful applicants require an overall IELTS higher than 6.5 for admission they may also be eligible to receive support for English language training.

The offer of an Australia Award is conditional upon IELTS requirements being satisfied. If an applicant fails to achieve the required IELTS score by May 2020 the applicant's Australia Awards Scholarship offer will be withdrawn.

## Application Process

**Apply online at: [oasis.dfat.gov.au](http://oasis.dfat.gov.au)**

We strongly encourage applicants to apply online and complete their application as early as possible. The online application facility (OASIS) experiences peak usage in the days leading up to the closing date and applicants may experience delays.

*Please see the back page for document requirements. Applicants must submit all of the relevant supporting documents with their application.*

An electronic copy of the application form can be accessed on the Australian Embassy website

<http://myanmar.embassy.gov.au/>

Or by emailing [australiaawards.myanmar@dfat.gov.au](mailto:australiaawards.myanmar@dfat.gov.au)

Hard copy applications may be accepted in circumstances where an applicant faces significant difficulty applying electronically. Submit hard copy applications by 30 April 2019 during office hours (8am – 4pm) directly to:

**Australian Embassy, 623 Pyay Road (Vantage Tower), Kamaryut, Yangon.**

People living with a disability requiring support for the application process should contact the Scholarships team directly.

***Please do not submit more than one application.***





## Australia Awards

### Selection Process

The Australia Award Scholarships are highly competitive. Applicants will be informed at each stage in the selection process if their application is proceeding to the next stage.

Applicants will be assessed throughout the selection process against the following criteria:

- academic readiness (can demonstrate an ability to undertake critical thinking and student-led learning)
- professional and personal leadership attributes including relevant work experience.
- realistic plans for return to Myanmar that articulate what contribution the applicant will make to development outcomes

Applications are first checked against the eligibility criteria. Following an eligibility check and assessment of written application, applicants may be shortlisted for interview.

Interviews will take place in July/August 2019 and successful applicants will be notified of their award by October 2019.

### Preparatory training

All successful applicants will be required to attend a mandatory pre-departure briefing.

All Australia Award Scholarship students are required to attend an Introductory Academic Program on arrival in Australia. This is also mandatory.

### Outcomes

Please note that the offer of an Australia Award Scholarship is provisional until the following requirements are met:

- applicant meets the minimum IELTS score of 6.5 with no sub-band less than 6.0 (or equivalent)
- applicant is admitted to an eligible course at an Australian university; and
- applicant is issued with the relevant visa by the Australian Department of Home Affairs

### Australia Global Alumni

When Australia Award Scholars return to Myanmar at the completion of their study, they have the opportunity to join the Alumni network to build professional networks and stay connected with friends.

The Australian Embassy in Myanmar supports professional development opportunities and hosts regular networking events for Alumni. Please visit <https://globalalumni.gov.au> to find out more.

### Further information

Information about the Australia Awards in Myanmar and Australia's Aid Program in Myanmar:

- <http://myanmar.embassy.gov.au/>
- <http://myanmar.embassy.gov.au/rang/cooperation.html>
- [www.facebook.com/AustralianEmbassyMyanmar](https://www.facebook.com/AustralianEmbassyMyanmar)

General information about the Australia Awards, Australia's aid program, and study in Australia:

- [www.australiaawards.gov.au](http://www.australiaawards.gov.au)
- [www.dfat.gov.au](http://www.dfat.gov.au)
- [www.studyinaustralia.gov.au](http://www.studyinaustralia.gov.au)

Scholarships Policy Handbook:

- <http://dfat.gov.au/about-us/publications/Pages/australia-awards-scholarships-policy-handbook.aspx>

### Contact Details

Australian Embassy  
623 Pyay Road (Vantage Tower)  
Yangon, Myanmar

Telephone: 011-238-7410 (extension 116 or 233)

Email: [australiaaward@dfat.gov.au](mailto:australiaaward@dfat.gov.au)



## Application Tips

1. **Check the Instructions** carefully as soon as you receive your application form.

2. **Fill in the form** completely and legibly. Do not leave any spaces or blanks.

3. **Use a pen** to fill in the form. Do not use a pencil.

4. **Check the form** for errors before you submit it.

5. **Submit the form** to the appropriate authority.

6. **Keep a copy** of the form for your records.

7. **Do not** write anything on the form after you have submitted it.

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