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Celebrating 25 years of Australia Awards Scholarships in Cambodia



Australia Awards Cambodia

Australia Awards Scholarships are a key and long-standing component of the Australian Government's bilateral relationship with Cambodia. The objective of Australia Awards in Cambodia is to enhance Cambodia's development by providing postgraduate education opportunities to talented Cambodians.

Australia Awards Scholarships are prestigious international awards offered by the Australian Government to the next generation of local, national and global leaders. Through study and research, scholarship recipients develop the skills and knowledge they need to become leaders who help build enduring people-to-people links with Australia on return.

Applicants for Australia Awards Scholarships are assessed for their professional and personal leadership qualities, their academic competence and most importantly, their potential to have an impact on development challenges in Cambodia.

Level of study

Australia Awards Scholarships are long-term awards that provide Cambodians with the opportunity to obtain a postgraduate qualification at an Australian tertiary education institution at:

- Masters level, by coursework or research;
- Doctoral level (PhD), in exceptional cases.

What can I study?

Applications are encouraged from **all fields of study** that will help individuals contribute to Cambodia's economic development and poverty reduction, on return. Applicants should select courses that align with their experience and qualifications or provide a strong justification for courses that represent a shift in career focus or direction.

Please note that scholarships are not available for general management degrees, such as a Master of Business Administration.

Candidates are advised to check the Australia Awards Cambodia website for further information:

www.australiaawardscambodia.org

Who can apply?

Cambodians from all walks of life are invited to apply for an Australia Awards Scholarship. The application process is open and competitive.

Australia Awards Scholarships are open to applicants from all sectors in Cambodia, including public sector agencies, academia and think tanks, civil society organisations, the media and the private sector.

Women, people with disability, and people living and working in provincial locations are strongly encouraged to apply. An equity support scheme is available to assist equal participation for these applicants.

Benefits of an Australia Awards Scholarship

Australia Awards 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 only)

Application dates for study commencing in Australia in 2021

Applications open: 1 February 2020 Applications close: 30 April 2020

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

Front cover: 25 Australia Awards Scholarship alumni from across the 25 years:
Sot Kimson, Ung Chanpisey, Ain Cheang Toing, Long Sarou, Chey Virak, Kheang Laline, Sann Socheata, Mok Somany,
Te Kolap, Khan Mouyleng, Lak Youssey, Khoun Lina, Heng Leng An, Mao Mouk, Keo Sam Oeun, Net Chenda, Por Neng,
Eng Leng Sea, Ngin Navirak, Ven Champamunny, Te Ayphalla, Sok Chanchamnab, Vith Sovan, Song Sothun, Lim Khy

Eligibility criteria

Applicants must meet all the global eligibility requirements detailed in the Australia Awards Scholarship Policy Handbook available at: http://dfat.gov.au/about-us/publications/Pages/australia-awards-scholarships-policy-handbook.aspx

Cambodia - specific conditions

In addition to these global eligibility requirements, applicants must also meet the following conditions:

- · be a citizen of Cambodia, with no dual or additional citizenship
- be a resident in Cambodia for a period of 24 months prior to 30 April 2020 (i.e. the day applications close) other than for short absences related to employment, professional development or holidays
- have at least 24 months full-time (or part-time equivalent) work experience as at 30 April 2020 (i.e. the day applications close)¹
- declare all previous study undertaken irrespective of whether it is complete or incomplete or undertaken within Cambodia or another country²
- provide all the required supporting documents see Table
 1: Supporting Documents

In addition, Masters (by Coursework) level applicants must:

- have an English language proficiency of at least the following (with preference given to applicants with higher English language skills) at the time of application:
 - an IELTS Academic result with an overall score of at least 5.5, with no band less than 5.0, or
 - an internet-based TOEFL score of at least 69, or
 - PTE Academic overall score of 42
- obtain an English language test result after 30 April 2019; and
- satisfy the admission requirements of the selected university:
 - in most cases, the applicant must hold a Bachelor degree, considered equivalent to an Australian Bachelor degree; or
 - in some exceptional circumstances, due to their extensive professional experience, an applicant may be able to satisfy admission requirements without a Bachelor degree. If this is the case, the applicant must provide a Letter of Offer (for study in 2021) for their first preferred course and university. This must be submitted as part of their Australia Awards Scholarship application.³
 - ¹ Irrespective of when work experience was attained. Paid internships are considered as work experience/employment. Work experience can be a combination of parttime and full-time experience/employment, so long as the full-time equivalency (of 24 months) can be readily calculated.
- ² Preference may be given to applicants who do not already have a Masters degree from another country (other than Cambodia).
- ³ Applicants holding a Bachelor degree are NOT required to provide a Letter of Offer.

In addition, Masters by Research and PhD level applicants must:

- · have an English language proficiency of at least:
 - an IELTS Academic result with an overall score of at least 6.5, with no band less than 6.0, or
 - an internet-based TOEFL score of at least 79, with a minimum of 19 in all subtests, or
 - a PTE Academic overall score of 58 with no communicative skill score less than 50
- obtain an English language test result after 30 April 2019; and
- provide an Unconditional Letter of Offer from the intended University and two academic referee reports (refer to requirements under the supporting documents section).

Before you apply

Researching university courses

Go to the Commonwealth Register of Institutions and Courses for Overseas Students (CRICOS) to find comprehensive information about all Australian universities and the courses available to international students.

Applicants are advised to use the CRICOS website http://cricos.education.gov.au/ and individual university websites, to undertake research about proposed courses of study and clarify:

- · if a course is available to international students
- · the details of the course content and topics covered
- the English language requirements for selected courses.



Australia Awards Scholarship Intake 2021 Ambassador - Kong Chhomkeovoleak, recently returned to Cambodia after studying a Master of Professional Accounting

How to apply

Online applications must be submitted through OASIS, the Australian Government's Online Australia Awards Scholarships Information System.

Four steps to apply online



Step 1: Check your eligibility

Detailed eligibility criteria are listed in the section Eligibility Criteria. These must be met in order to be eligible to apply.

Please check these carefully before you proceed to the next step.



Step 2: Create a login to access OASIS

All online applications must be submitted at: https://oasis.dfat.gov.au

An OASIS Applicant User Guide can be downloaded at the OASIS home page.



Step 3: Complete all the data entry requirements and upload your supporting documents

When responding to the questions in the application form, make sure that you take time to really think about your answer.

Applicants are expected to-have clear ideas about how they will contribute to development in Cambodia upon their return. Applicants are encouraged to consider the relationship between their academic and professional goals and their country's economic growth and poverty reduction needs.

When applying online, you must upload all supporting documents to meet the specific requirements for Cambodia. Refer to the following Table: Supporting Documents for the list of all documents that you must upload based on your selected course.

The maximum document size (per'document) for uploading is 2 MB.

Assistance is available on request for people with disability who require help to upload their application and/or supporting documents.



Step 4: Check and submit your application before the closing date

Before you submit, go back and double check that you have filled in all fields in the application, and uploaded all required supporting documents.

Applicants are strongly advised to complete and submit their online application well before the closing date. The online application facility (OASIS) experiences peak usage in the days leading up to the closing date and applicants may experience delays.

Supporting documents

Table 1 (below) lists the documents that **must** be uploaded in OASIS with your application to ensure your application is eligible.

Document	Document type
ALL APPLICANTS MUST PROVIDE:	
All official university degree certificate(s), with English translations	Degree certificate/s
All official university transcripts of results for complete and incomplete courses of study, with English translations	Academic transcript/s
Evidence of personal identification and date of birth, with English translations (e.g. passport personal information pages, national ID card, birth certificate)	Proof of citizenship
Evidence or statements from past and/or current employers confirming	Employer/Ministry Statement/s
position held, duration of employment and full-time or part-time status. Statements must be dated and signed by the employer. This evidence must be sufficient to satisfy the 24-month employment eligibility requirement	(a template is available on the Australia Awards Cambodia website that outlines details required)
Curriculum Vitae. Applicants must use the CV template which is available on the Australia Awards Cambodia website	CV
IN ADDITION, MASTERS BY COURSEW MUST PROVIDE	ORK APPLICANTS
Evidence at the time of application of a minimum English language proficiency level of:	Formal test result
 an IELTS Academic result with an overall score of at least 5.5, with no band less than 5.0, or 	
an internet-based TOEFL score of at least 69, or	
PTE Academic overall score of 42	
A test result must have been obtained after 30 April 2019	

Document	Document type	
IN ADDITION, MASTERS BY RESEARCH AND PHD APPLICANTS MUST PROVIDE:		
Minimum of two academic referee reports	Referee Reports (the Referee Report template is available on the Australia Awards Cambodia website)	
An Unconditional Letter of Offer from the intended university	Unconditional letter	
Evidence at the time of application of a minimum English language proficiency level of:	Formal test result	
an IELTS Academic result with an overall score of at least 6.5, with no band less than 6.0, or		
 an internet-based TOEFL score of at least 79, with a minimum of 19 in all subtests, or 		
PTE Academic overall score of 58 with no communicative skill score less than 50		
A test result must have been obtained after 30 April 2019		

Note that documents presented in Khmer or any other language must be translated to English. Translations do not have to be certified and translations by the applicant are acceptable.

If any of the relevant supporting documents are not provided as specified, then the application will be deemed ineligible.

Australia Awards Scholarships are administered by the Australian Department of Foreign Affairs and Trade (DFAT), which has zero tolerance of fraudulent activity or behaviour. DFAT defines fraud as dishonestly obtaining a benefit, or causing a loss, by deception or other means. For example, providing false or misleading information or not providing relevant information could be considered as fraud. This may include failing to declare previous study undertaken, irrespective of whether it is **complete** or **incomplete**.

Where fraud is detected, the application will be deemed ineligible and the applicant will be barred from applying for an Australia Awards Scholarship in future rounds.

The selection process

At the close of applications, all eligible applications will be assessed and shortlisted. The selection process is based on the principles of merit and equity and includes an interview. Applicants are assessed against the following criteria:

- academic competence
- potential outcome, including contribution to development outcomes in Cambodia
- professional and personal leadership attributes.

How will I know if I am selected?

At each stage of the selection process, applicants will be informed if their application is not proceeding further.

Applicants who are interviewed will be notified of the outcome shortly after the selection process concludes.

Special conditions that apply to Australia Awards Scholarships

Please note that Australia Awards Scholarships are provisional until the following requirements are met:

- the applicant attains minimum English language proficiency level of:
 - an IELTS Academic result with an overall score of at least 6.5, with no band less than 6.0, or
 - an internet-based TOEFL score of at least 79, with a minimum of 19 in all subtests, or
 - PTE Academic overall score of 58 with no communicative skill score less than 50
- irrespective of any lesser English language requirements
 of their chosen university. A failure to achieve a prescribed
 English language test result, after six months of pre-departure
 English language training will result in the provisional Australia
 Awards Scholarships being withdrawn and the applicant will
 not progress to undertake their study in Australia
- · the applicant is placed at an Australian university; and
- the applicant is issued with the relevant visa by the Australian Government Department of Home Affairs.

Successful applicants are required to sign a contract with the Commonwealth of Australia accepting the scholarship conditions. One of the conditions of Australia Awards Scholarships is that recipients leave Australia for a period of two years following completion of their course of study. It is expected that recipients will return to Cambodia to apply the skills and knowledge gained through their scholarship.

A full list of the scholarship conditions are contained in the Australia Awards Scholarship Policy Handbook available at http://dfat.gov.au/about-us/publications/Pages/australia-awards-scholarships-policy-handbook.aspx

The Australian Government does not provide any financial or other support for the dependents of Australia Awards Scholarship recipients who accompany them to Australia. The Australia Awards Scholarship recipient is responsible for the financial and material support of family members while in Australia.

Pre-Departure Training

Prior to departure to Australia, provisional Australia Awards Scholarship recipients are required to undertake full-time predeparture training.

- Masters provisional awardees yet to attain a minimum English language proficiency level of:
 - an IELTS Academic result with an overall score of at least 6.5, with no band less than 6.0, or
 - an internet-based TOEFL score of at least 79, with a minimum of 19 in all subtests, or
 - PTE Academic overall score of 58 with no communicative skill score less than 50

Must undertake up to six months pre-departure English language training.

- Masters and PhD level recipients holding the minimum IELTS score of 6.5 overall with no band less than 6.0 are required to attend a full-time 6-week academic preparation course before departure to Australia.
- During the period of pre-departure training, provisional Australia Awards Scholarship recipients are not permitted to undertake employment. Short absences from the training may be considered on a case by case basis.
- During the pre-departure training period, a monthly stipend is paid: USD200 per month for Phnom Penh based recipients and USD240 per month for those outside of Phnom Penh.
- Applicants should carefully consider the financial implications of the compulsory pre-departure training and the stipend payable, when applying for a scholarship.

Selection process: Key dates

Information Session/s in Phnom Penh and Provinces Please keep watching our website and follow us on Facebook for details.	December 2019 to March 2020
Applications open	1 February 2020
Applications close	30 April 2020
Visits by Australia Awards staff to targeted workplaces	February - March 2020
Advise applicants shortlisted for interview	May 2020
Interviews for shortlisted applicants	June 2020
Advise successful applicants (provisional awardees)	July 2020
Pre-departure training (PDT) Induction	August 2020

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Further information

Information about Australia Awards Cambodia can be found at www.australiaawardscambodia.org

More general information about Australia Awards, Australia's aid program and studying in Australia can be found through the following links:

- http://dfat.gov.au/people-to-people/australia-awards/ Pages/australia-awards.aspx
- studyinaustralia.gov.au

Information about visa and Australia Awards Scholarship entitlements and conditions can be found in the *Australia Awards Scholarships Policy Handbook:*

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



Australia Awards Scholarship Intake 2021 Ambassador - Lak Youssey, recently returned to Cambodia after studying a Master of Global Food and Agricultural Business

