



Scholarships for International Students

2008-2009 Academic Year

Each year, International Affairs awards several competitive scholarships to current and prospective University of Oregon (UO) international students. A Scholarship Application and Financial Aid Worksheet are included in this packet. **Please use only one scholarship application and financial aid worksheet to apply for more than one scholarship.** To be given full

consideration for a scholarship award, applicants must submit all required documents to International Affairs by February 15, 2008. Incomplete applications will not be reviewed by the scholarship selection committee. For more information, contact International Affairs via email, intl@uoregon.edu or phone, 541-346-3206.

**Application Deadline:
February 15, 2008**

Eligibility Requirements:

1. You must be a current UO student in legal, non-immigrant status (F-1 or J-1), or a prospective student* with an application for admission to the UO on file on or before February 15, 2008. (See application procedure for prospective students below.)
2. Must demonstrate financial need
3. Must demonstrate academic merit and have a minimum 3.0 GPA

* Prospective students are eligible to apply for all scholarships except the Kenneth S. Ghent Scholarship and the UOAA Japan Chapter Scholarship.

Application Procedure for Current UO students:

Submit all of the following documents to International Affairs, 5209 University of Oregon, Eugene, OR 97403. Incomplete applications will not be considered.

- Scholarship Application and Financial Aid Worksheet (enclosed)
- Academic letter of recommendation from a UO faculty member
- UO unofficial transcript (if this is your first term at UO, provide transcript from a previous college or university or high school)
- Personal statement describing your academic objectives and financial need
- See additional application requirements for the Kenneth S. Ghent and UOAA Japan Chapter Scholarships on page 2.

Application Procedure for Prospective students:

Submit all of the following documents to International Affairs, 5209 University of Oregon, Eugene, OR 97403. Incomplete applications will not be considered.

- Scholarship Application and Financial Aid Worksheet (enclosed)
- Academic letter of recommendation from current or previous school
- Academic records or transcript from current or previous school
- Personal statement describing your academic objectives and financial need
- Application for admission to the University of Oregon must be submitted on or before February 15, 2008. Apply online: <http://admissions.uoregon.edu/international/index.html>

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**Scholarship opportunities for current and prospective UO international students:**

(1) Kenneth S. Ghent Scholarship: Honoring Dr. Kenneth S. Ghent, former director of International Affairs, three to four scholarships of approximately \$2,300 each may be awarded for the 2007-2008 academic year. One or two awards are for undergraduate students and one or two awards are for graduate students. Applicants must be in the last year of their degree program in 2008-2009 to be eligible.

Additional application requirement: Applicants must include a one-page summary of their plans for completing their degree program by August 2008. This scholarship is not available to prospective students.

(2) Pressman Family Scholarship: Honoring the Pressman family, one scholarship of approximately \$750 may be awarded for the 2008-2009 academic year. Current and prospective UO international students may apply.

(3) Pin Julaphongs Thai Student Scholarship: In memory of former UO student Pin Julaphong, one scholarship of approximately \$1,000 may be awarded to a Thai student for the 2008-2009 academic year. Current and prospective UO Thai students may apply.

(4) Sushil Jajodia Indian Student Scholarship: Established by UO alumnus Sushil Jajodia, one or two scholarships of approximately \$2,300 may be awarded to an Indian student/s for the 2008-2009 academic year. Current and prospective UO Indian students may apply.

(5) John Haines African Student Scholarship: Established by Dr. John Haines, a Eugene ophthalmologist with a keen interest in international students, two scholarships of approximately \$2,000 each may be awarded for the 2008-2009 academic year. Current and prospective UO African students may apply.

(6) Helen and Barney Wood Nepalese Student Scholarship: Established by Dr. Wood, a former UO professor of Education, one scholarship of approximately \$2,000 may be awarded for the 2008-2009 academic year. This is a supplemental award for a student who receives a tuition scholarship from another source, such as a Graduate Teaching Fellowship (GTF), the International Cultural Service Program (ICSP) or other UO tuition scholarship programs. The award is for current or prospective UO Nepalese students. This scholarship is renewable each year until graduation, provided the student maintains a minimum 3.0 GPA and can demonstrate financial need each year.

(7) Jim and Jean Tattersall International Student Scholarship: Honoring Jim and Jean Tattersall, one scholarship of approximately \$1,500 may be awarded for the 2008-2009 academic year. Current and prospective UO international students may apply.

(8) Alumni Association (UOAA) Japan Chapter Scholarship: The UOAA Japan Chapter will award one scholarship of approximately \$1000 to a current UO Japanese student. Applicants must have junior or senior standing in their degree programs by Fall 2008 to be eligible. Awards are based on extra-curricular activities, academic merit, and the applicant's essay. This scholarship is not available to prospective students.

Additional application requirement: Applicants must submit 1) a resume showing extra-curricular activities and leadership experience, outstanding achievements (honors and awards), volunteer service and work experience; 2) a one-page essay on the UO's motto, *Mens agit molem*, or "Minds Move Mountains" answering this question: "what mountains do you want to move and how will you use your UO education to do so?"



SCHOLARSHIP APPLICATION 2008-2009

DEADLINE: February 15, 2008

Please return to:

International Affairs
330 Oregon Hall, University of Oregon
Eugene, OR 97403-5209, U.S.A.
Tel: (541) 346-3206, Fax: (541) 346-1232
E-mail: intl@uoregon.edu

Online Application: <http://international.uoregon.edu/iss>

Please check ALL scholarship(s) for which you are eligible:

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|--|---|
| <input type="checkbox"/> Haines (Africa) | <input type="checkbox"/> Ghent (last year) |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Wood (Nepal) | <input type="checkbox"/> Pressman (general) |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Julaphongs (Thailand) | <input type="checkbox"/> Tattersall (general) |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Jajodia (India) | <input type="checkbox"/> UOAA Japan (Japan) |

Mr. ()

1. Name: Ms.() _____ UO ID Number _____
Last First Middle

2. Current Mailing Address _____

3. Home Country Address _____

4. E-mail address _____

5. Local Telephone Number _____ Date of Birth _____
Month Day Year

6. Citizenship _____ Type of Visa _____

7. Father's Name _____ Age _____ Occupation _____

8. Mother's Name _____ Age _____ Occupation _____

9. Are you married? _____ Yes _____ No Name of Spouse _____
Is your spouse in the U.S.? _____ Yes _____ No If your spouse is a student, name of school attending _____
Is your spouse a U.S. Citizen? _____ Yes _____ No _____

9. Number of dependent children with you _____ Ages of children _____

10. Major field of study _____ Level of study _____

11. Anticipated graduation date for current degree _____ Current GPA _____

12. What do you plan to do upon completion of your UO studies? _____

13. List U.S. schools and colleges previously attended:

Name & Location	Dates Attended	Credits Earned
_____	_____	_____
_____	_____	_____

14. Do you own a car in the US? ___ Yes ___ No In whose name is it registered? _____ Is it insured? ___ Yes ___ No
Make _____ Year _____ Date of Purchase _____ Purchase Price \$ _____ Balanced Owed \$ _____

15. Total annual income of parents (salaries, business or farm income, rental income, retirement) US \$ _____
Number of persons dependent on parents' income: _____ Relationship/s: _____ Ages: _____

16. Does your country have any restrictions on sending money abroad for educational expenses? _____ Yes _____ No
If yes, please explain: _____

17. Do you have any friends or relatives in the U.S. who will give you financial assistance? _____ Yes _____ No
If yes, please explain: _____

18. How will you finance any return trips home? _____

19. Complete the budget worksheet below indicating your resources and expenses for the **2008-09 academic year**.

FINANCIAL AID WORKSHEET

Column A: Resources, 2008-09 academic year

Column B: Expenses, 2008-09 academic year

Cash or savings US\$ _____

Personal financial support from parents, relatives or friends US\$ _____

Anticipated earnings during academic period US\$ _____

Anticipated summer earnings US\$ _____

Income of your spouse (if you are married) US\$ _____

Amount of financial support expected from your government US\$ _____

Other sources of assistance (e.g. scholarships, GTFs) US\$ _____
Please list below:

TOTAL RESOURCES: US\$ _____

Tuition & Fees * (if you have a GTF or tuition waiver, please see box below) US\$ _____

Health insurance US\$ _____

Room & Board (on-campus) or Rent (off campus) US\$ _____

Food (off campus) US\$ _____
Utilities (off campus) US\$ _____

Clothing US\$ _____

Books & Supplies US\$ _____

Recreation US\$ _____

Transportation (gas, car insurance, maintenance) US\$ _____

Other expenses (please explain) US\$ _____

TOTAL EXPENSES: US\$ _____

Subtract Column B from Column A: This is your TOTAL FINANCIAL NEED: US \$ _____

20. Have you taken out any loans to support your studies at the UO? Yes No
If yes, type of loan _____
Amount of loan \$ _____

21. Can you provide the amount of money listed above in Total Resources (Column A) for each academic year you plan to study at the University of Oregon? Yes No. If no, please explain your financial need in your Personal Statement.

Please note: We reserve the right to confirm information contained in this application and to cancel financial aid if information is found to be incorrect.

Signature _____ **Date** _____

*** If you have a GTF, a partial or full tuition waiver, deduct the value of the tuition waiver and use only the remaining amount on the line for Tuition & Fees. Contact International Affairs or your department for this year's value of the GTF tuition waiver.**