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The Minister of State, Minister of Higher Education announces to the general public and prospective applicants that the Commonwealth Scholarship Commission (CSC) in the United Kingdom is offering 12 PhD scholarships under the Commonwealth Scholarship and Fellowship Plan in the United Kingdom tenable from October 2021.

The scholarships are offered under six (06) themes (domains):

- Science and technology for development;
- Strengthening health systems and capacity;
- Promoting global prosperity;
- Strengthening global peace, security and governance;
- Strengthening resilience and response to crises;
- Access, inclusion and opportunity.

The award is only open for a three-year PhD programme.

Eligibility:

- Be a citizen of or have been granted refugee status by an eligible Commonwealth country, or be a British protected person;
- Be permanently resident in an eligible commonwealth country;
- Must hold a second class degree and a relevant postgraduate qualification (Master's degree);
- Applicants must provide a supporting statement from a named supervisor from at least one of the UK institutions to which they are applying;
- Be available to start your academic studies in the UK by September/October 2021;
- Must NOT be registered for a PhD, or an MPhil leading to a PhD, at a UK University before September/October 2021;

- Must NOT have commenced and be currently registered for a PhD, or an MPhil leading to a PhD, in your home country or elsewhere;
- Must have provided all supporting documents in the required format;
- Be unable to afford to study in the UK without this scholarship;
- Must have secured admission in a UK University which has a part funding agreement with the CSC. For a list of these universities, visit the **CSC website on UK-universities.**

Requirements:

- A stamped handwritten application addressed to the Minister of State, Minister of Higher Education;
- A copy of the Online Application Form;
- A medical certificate of fitness;
- A certified copy of birth certificate;
- Copies of University Degrees Certified by your Institutions;
- At least two admission letters from any eligible UK Universities;
- A certificate of Nationality, photocopy of passport and National Identity Card;
- Copy of University transcripts (with certified translations if not in English);
- References from at least two individuals-**submitted directly by the referees to the Online Application System;**
- 1 supporting statement from a named supervisor from at least one UK institution **submitted directly by your proposed supervisor to the Online Application System.**

Note:

- Except the first four requirements above, all other requirements must also be uploaded during the Online Application.
- All Candidates must submit their applications using the Online Application System (OAS) on or before **18 January 2021.**
- Supporting documents submitted through the OAS must be in one of the following formats: PDF, .doc, .docx, .odt, .jpg, jpeg not more than 5MB and must be on or before **1 February 2021.**
- Information on how to use the online application system is on the **CSC website;**
- Candidates must have a mastery of the English language since studies are carried out in English.

A complete application file should be deposited at the Ministry of Higher Education, Room 1504 on or before **Friday 5 February 2021 at 3:30pm** prompt:

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- CAB/MINESUP
- SG/MINESUP
- All Departments
- CELCOM /MINESUP
- All State Universities



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