

Funding for postgraduates at the University of Essex



This table details some of the funding opportunities available for the 2011 entry, so can be used as a reference guide. For the most up-to-date information, please visit our website at: www.essex.ac.uk.

Funding source and details	Available to	About the award (for reference, 2010 information shown)	Further information and application details
AHRC* Block Grant Partnership Doctoral Award (full-time and part-time) Available through a five-yearly allocation	Students applying for a one-year Masters and then three-year PhD in our Faculty of Humanities and Comparative Studies	£13,290 (full-time) and £7,970 (part-time)	www.essex.ac.uk/studentfinance/pg/government_support/ahrc.aspx
AHRC* Block Grant Partnership Professional Preparation Masters Award (full-time and part-time) Available through a five-yearly allocation	Students applying for a one-year Masters and then three-year PhD in our Faculty of Humanities and Comparative Studies	£8,650 (full-time) and £4,300 (part-time)	www.essex.ac.uk/studentfinance/pg/government_support/ahrc.aspx
AHRC* Block Grant Partnership Research Preparation Masters Award (full-time and part-time) Available through a five-yearly allocation	Students applying for a one-year Masters and then three-year PhD in our Faculty of Humanities and Comparative Studies	£9,280 (full-time) and £4,640 (part-time)	www.essex.ac.uk/studentfinance/pg/government_support/ahrc.aspx
Cardiac Rehabilitation Bursary Pays for training as a qualified phase four cardiac rehabilitation instructor	Students registering for MSc Cardiac Rehabilitation	Covers fees to train as a qualified phase four cardiac rehabilitation instructor, including travel and subsistence. Also partly covers course fees.	www.essex.ac.uk/bs/prospective_students/pg_taught/funding/msc_cardiac_rehabilitation.aspx
Commonwealth Shared Scholarship To support postgraduates from a Commonwealth developing country	Students applying for one of a selection of one-year taught Masters	Two available covering tuition fees, monthly stipend and return airfare	www.cscuk.org.uk/apply/shareschol.asp
Drake-Lewis Graduate Scholarships For students otherwise unable to study at Essex	New MA students in art history	Several available offering around £5,000	www.essex.ac.uk/arhistory/current_students/postgraduates/funding_prizes.aspx
EBS PhD Scholarship Supports Essex Business School postgraduates	PhD applications for accounting, entrepreneurship and innovation, finance or management	Tuition fees	www.essex.ac.uk/ebs/current/phd/scholarships.aspx



Environmental Science Scholarships Helps with costs of study	Students registering for MSc Environmental Governance: Natural World, Science and Society, MSc Environmental Resource Management or MSc Natural Environment and Society	£1,000	www.essex.ac.uk/bs/prospective_students/pg_taught/funding/masters.aspx
Essex Society for Family History Award Funded by the Essex Society for Family History	Postgraduate (Masters or PhD) working on an Essex-related subject in local or family history	One available offering around £500	www.essex.ac.uk/history/prospective_students/postgraduates/funding.aspx
Friends of Historic Essex Fellowship Award Funded by The Friends of Historic Essex	Postgraduates (Masters or PhD) working on Essex sources	One or two available offering around £750	www.essex.ac.uk/history/prospective_students/postgraduates/funding.aspx
Giulia Mereu Scholarship Established by family and friends of Giulia Mereu	Postgraduate applying to study human rights	One available of the equivalent of HEU tuition fees and a modest allowance to enable a one-month internship	www.essex.ac.uk/law/pgstudy/scholarships/LLM_Scholarships.shtm
Marine Biology Scholarships Helps with costs of study	Students registering for MSc Marine Biology	£1,000	www.essex.ac.uk/bs/prospective_students/pg_taught/funding/marine_biology.aspx
Molecular Medicine Scholarships Helps with costs of study	Students registering for MSc Molecular Medicine	£1,000	www.essex.ac.uk/bs/prospective_students/pg_taught/funding/molecular_medicine.aspx
Maths Postgraduate Scholarships (PGR and PGT) For students otherwise unable to study at Essex	Postgraduates (Masters and PhD) applying to the Department	Up to £2,000	www.essex.ac.uk/maths/prospective_students/postgraduates/funding.aspx
Modern Law Review Scholarship Supports research students	Students doing doctoral research at a UK university on a subject broadly in publishing interests of <i>The Modern Law Review</i>	From £5,000 to £10,000	www.essex.ac.uk/law/pgstudy/scholarships/PhD_Scholarships.shtm
NERC* Scholarships For students otherwise unable to study at Essex	Students undertaking research in the sciences of the environment	£12,500 and tuition fees paid	www.nerc.ac.uk
OSI Scholarship Provides opportunities for postgraduate study in our Human Rights Centre	Students applying for MA Theory and Practice of Human Rights, MA Human Rights and Cultural Diversity, LLM International Human Rights Law and LLM International Human Rights and Humanitarian Law	Tuition fees, examination fees, a monthly stipend for living expenses sufficient for a single student, and other agreed allowances including one return economy air fare	www.fco.gov.uk/en/about-us/what-we-do/scholarships
Peter and Michael Hiller Scholarships Funded by The Peter and Michael Hiller Charitable Trust	Student applying for MA/PhD Refugee Care	£6,500	www.essex.ac.uk/centres/psycho/current/funding_pg.aspx#hiller

Postgraduate Sports Bursary Provides structured support to teams and individuals	Athletes performing at national or international level at junior/senior level or who show evidence of having the potential to achieve these levels	Support based on needs analysis and performance status	www.essex.ac.uk/sport/bursaries/details.shtm
Poulter Studentships Available after a bequest from HW Poulter	Essex graduates with a first class degree applying for a Masters in Biological Sciences	Home tuition fees plus a bursary	www.essex.ac.uk/academic/docs/cal/stship.shtm#po
Santander Enterprise Scholarships For students otherwise unable to study at Essex	A student holding an offer for a Masters at Essex, residing in a Santander country and a graduate of a Santander university	£5,000	www.essex.ac.uk/studentfinance/pg/university_support/scholarships_santander.aspx
Santander Enterprise Scholarships For students otherwise unable to study at Essex	A student holding an offer for a Masters at Essex, residing in a Santander country and a graduate of a Santander university	£5,000	www.essex.ac.uk/studentfinance/pg/university_support/scholarships_santander.aspx
Santander Masters Scholarships For students otherwise unable to study at Essex	A student holding an offer for a Masters at Essex, residing in a Santander country and a graduate of a Santander university	Five available with £5,000 given	www.essex.ac.uk/studentfinance/pg/university_support/scholarships_santander.aspx
Santander Scholarships for PG For students otherwise unable to study at Essex	A postgraduate, Masters or PhD	£5,000 discount on tuition fees	www.essex.ac.uk/studentfinance/pg/university_support/scholarships_santander.aspx
Santander Travel Bursaries (full year or one semester - Latin America) For students otherwise unable to study at Essex	Students undertaking study abroad at selected universities in Argentina, Brazil, Chile, Columbia, Mexico, Puerto Rico, Uruguay or Venezuela	£1,500 for full year or £1,200 for one semester	www.essex.ac.uk/studyabroad/Santander%20students.shtml
The Artellus Scholarships Funded by Artellus Ltd	Student applying for MA/PhD Refugee Care	Up to £2,000 off set against tuition fees	www.essex.ac.uk/centres/psycho/current/funding_pg.aspx#Artellus
Tim Laughton Scholarship Funded by the family of a former professor in the Department	Student wishing to study Masters level history of art who has applied and been accepted in our Department	£5,000	www.essex.ac.uk/arhistory/current_students/postgraduates/funding_prizes.aspx
University of Essex PhD, Research or Masters Scholarships Supports talented postgraduates, particularly PhD, to study at Essex	New postgraduates (excluding MPhil, Doctor of Medicine, Masters by Dissertation, full-time Professional Doctorate and Postgraduate Diploma)	Amount available varies	www.essex.ac.uk/studentfinance/pg/university_support/scholarships.aspx
Winsten Scholarship For students otherwise unable to study at Essex	Postgraduates applying to our Department of Mathematical Sciences	Up to £4,000	www.essex.ac.uk/maths/prospective_students/postgraduates/funding.aspx

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Footnote

AHRC – Arts and Humanities Research Council
 EPSRC – Engineering and Physical Sciences Research Council
 ESRC – Economics and Social Research Council
 NERC – Natural Environment Research Council