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Scholarships and Financial Aid



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Swinburne University of Technology
Sarawak Campus



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Entrance Scholarship

Foundation program

Eligibility

- ▶ **SPM:**
 - Level 1: 6As – 8As/ 6A+
 - Level 2: 9As/ 7A+
 - Level 3: 11As/ 9A+
 - Based on actual results
- ▶ **GCE 'O' Level:**
 - Level 1:
 - Score of 'A' in 60% - 74% of total no of subjects
 - Level 2:
 - Score of 'A' in 75% - 84% of total no of subjects
 - Level 3:
 - Score of 'A' in 85% and above
 - Based on actual results

Value of Award

- Level 1: 15% off on annual fee
- Level 2: 25% off on annual fee
- Level 3: 35% off on annual fee
- ▶ Half of award to be given as rebate in current and following semester
- ▶ Valid for one year only

Degree program

Eligibility

- ▶ **STPM:**
 - Level 1: 1A 2Bs
 - Level 2: 2As
 - Level 3: 3As and above
 - Based on actual results
- ▶ **UEC:**
 - Level 1: 6As and above
 - Level 2: 8As and above
 - Level 3: 10As and above
 - Based on actual results
- ▶ **GCE 'A' Level:**
 - Level 1: 1A 2Bs
 - Level 2: 2As
 - Level 3: 3As and above
 - Based on actual results

Value of Award

- Level 1: 15% off on 1st semester fee
- Level 2: 25% off on 1st semester fee
- Level 3: 35% off on 1st semester fee
- ▶ Half of award to be given as rebate in current semester
- ▶ Valid for one semester only

Merit Scholarship

Within Foundation program

Eligibility

- ▶ Achieve High Distinction in subject for one semester
- ▶ Must have taken full subject load in the semester

Value of Award

- ▶ RM1,500
- ▶ To be given as rebate in the current semester
- ▶ Valid for one semester only

Within Diploma program

Eligibility

- ▶ Achieve High Distinction in subject for one semester
- ▶ Must have taken full subject load in the semester

Value of Award

- ▶ RM1,500
- ▶ To be given as rebate in the current semester
- ▶ Valid for one semester only

Within Degree program

Eligibility

- ▶ Achieve High Distinction and/or Distinction in subjects for one semester
- ▶ Must have taken full subject load in the semester

Value of Award

- ▶ All HDs: RM3,000
- ▶ Minimum 2 HDs and 2 Ds: RM1,500
- ▶ To be given as rebate in the current semester
- ▶ Valid for one semester only

Leadership Scholarship

Eligibility

- ▶ Secondary school leavers
- ▶ Excel academically and/or in co-curricular activities, upon letter of recommendation from school principal
- ▶ Based on actual results
- ▶ Subject to the discretion of Swinburne Sarawak Campus Scholarship Committee

Value of Award

- ▶ Up to maximum RM4,000 each

Other Scholarship

JPA Federal scholarship

Eligibility

- ▶ For Malaysian students in Foundation programs
- ▶ Obtain 9As and above in SPM

Application Procedures

- ▶ Eligible students need to apply online via JPA website, www.jpa.gov.my or <http://esilav2.jpa.gov.my> and complete all the required fields

Tunku Abdul Rahman scholarship

Eligibility

- ▶ For Malaysian only (Priority are given to Sarawakian)
- ▶ Full-time students undertaking degree, masters or doctorate program
- ▶ Grade B in each subject in STPM or CGPA of 3.00 and above for Foundation students enrolled in degree program and students within the degree program
- ▶ Excellent academic results and actively involved in co-curricular activities
- ▶ Short-listed candidates will be called for interview
- ▶ Must not have been offered other scholarships

Forms Availability/Address

- ▶ Forms are available from the Student Information Centre or downloaded from www.yayasansarawak.org.my
- ▶ Students may send the application form to the address below, or through the Student Information Centre:

Yayasan Biasiswa Sarawak
Tunku Abdul Rahman
D/A Pusat Pembangunan
Pendidikan Yayasan Sarawak
Jalan Sultan Tengah
Samariang, 93050 Kuching
Sarawak
Tel: +60 82 441 686

Offer/Closing Dates/Remarks

- ▶ The Tunku Abdul Rahman Scholarship usually advertised in local newspapers each year in March until 31st July
- ▶ Application forms must reach Yayasan Sarawak by 31st July



Daiken scholarship

Eligibility

- ▶ For Sarawakians only (either parent must be a Sarawakian)
- ▶ For students enrolled in Diploma of Electronic Engineering only
- ▶ Maintenance of CGPA 2.7 and above in every semester
- ▶ Subject to terms and conditions of Daiken Scholarship

Value of Award

- ▶ RM11,000 per annum

Sarawak Timber Association (STA) scholarship

Eligibility

- ▶ For Sarawakian Bumiputra only
- ▶ For students enrolled in Diploma of Electronic Engineering only
- ▶ Subject to terms and conditions of STA Scholarship

Value of Award

- ▶ RM11,000 per annum

Tabung Amanah Bakun scholarship

Eligibility

- ▶ Parents of applicant must be (either father or mother) from Belaga only
- ▶ For students enrolled in Foundation, Diploma, Degree and Double Degree programs
- ▶ Valid for one year only
- ▶ Students are also advised to apply for study loans

Value of Award

- ▶ Only applicable in Malaysia
- ▶ RM3,000

Swinburne Sarawak - Star Education Fund

(Only applicable for courses advertised. For more details see <http://thestar.com.my/edufund>)

Eligibility

- ▶ STPM (3As)
- ▶ GCE A level (3As)
- ▶ TER (90 and above)
- ▶ ICPU (90% - 6 subjects and above)
- ▶ UEC (8A1s – 11As)

Value of award

- ▶ Covers tuition fee for the duration of the course.

Other conditions

- ▶ Must be Malaysian citizen below 25 years of age as of 1st January of the year.
- ▶ Excelled in extra-curricular activities or sports.
- ▶ Must not be bonded to or in receipt of any financial aid or awards from other educational organizations or financial institutions.
- ▶ Obtained a letter of offer to the program eligible for the scholarship.
- ▶ Scholarship recipients shall maintain academic results of at least 70% each semester to be entitled to scholarship for the next semester.
- ▶ Scholarship recipients shall contribute to Swinburne Sarawak's marketing and recruitment activities during their period of study at the University

Application procedure

- ▶ Download the scholarship application form from <http://thestar.com.my/edufund>
- ▶ Submit a stamped (40 cents) self-addressed envelope (25x30cm) to:

Manager
The Star Education Fund
Star Publications (M) Berhad
Menara Star
15, Jalan 16/11, Section 16
46350 Petaling Jaya
Selangor D.E

Terms & condition for Swinburne scholarship application

General Terms

- The scholarship application form must be completed, signed and attached with the required documents as stated in Section F of the scholarship form. Any incomplete application may result in the application being rejected.
- Students who are eligible but fail to apply for the scholarship before the closing date will not be entertained.
- The closing date for scholarship application falls on the **Third Monday** after commencement of the semester.
- Scholarships will be awarded to qualified students one month after the closing date.
- Student is only entitled to one scholarship from any organisation.
- Student must be enrolled with Swinburne University of Technology Sarawak Campus.
- The University shall not be responsible for application forms that are misplaced, lost or that do not reach the designated department of the university.
- All scholarship awards are to be given as course fee rebates only and cannot be exchanged for cash.
- Scholarship will be forfeited if the student withdraws from the course or transfers to Swinburne, Australia.
- The scholarship is non-transferable.
- The scholarship will be forfeited and given to the next most eligible applicant if a student violate any of the conditions or obtain academic results by means which contravenes the exam rules and regulations.
- The decision of the Scholarship Committee is final. No appeals will be considered.
- To be effective for the current year.

Entrance/Leadership Scholarship

- Students applying for Entrance or Leadership scholarship must submit the application form direct to the Business Development & Communications Department at Room A003, Building A.
- The scholarship award is based on official academic results and from a single attempt at the examination.

Merit Scholarship

- Student applying for Merit Scholarship must submit the application form direct to Student Information Center.
- The scholarship award is based on official academic results and the results must be from that same semester.
- Student is only entitled to one scholarship from any organisation
- The scholarship cannot be exchange for cash
- The decision of the Scholarship Committee is final and no appeal will be entertained.
- Where eligible applications are more than the quota, GPA will be used to determine the award.

Financial Aid

Yayasan Sarawak Study Loan

Eligibility

- For Sarawakians only
- Applicable for Foundation, Diploma, Degree and Master programs
- Have received an Offer Letter from Swinburne University Sarawak Campus
- Have not been offered any other study loan
- Subject to terms and conditions of *Yayasan Sarawak*

Value of award

- Covers total course fees
- Living allowance RM2000 per annum

Forms and submission

- Forms are available from the Student Information Centre or downloaded from www.yayasansarawak.org.my
- Students may submit the form to the address below, or do so through the University

Pusat Pembangunan Pendidikan
Yayasan Sarawak
Jalan Sultan Tengah
Semariang
93050 Petra Jaya
Kuching
Tel: +60 82 441 686

Further enquiries

- Please refer to the Student Information Centre

Yayasan Sarawak Scholarship Loan (50% Scholarship)

Eligibility

- For Bumiputeras only
- For Swinburne Foundation Studies (Engineering) only
- Have received an offer letter from Swinburne University of Technology Sarawak Campus

Value of award

- Subject to terms and conditions of *Yayasan Sarawak*
- Covers total course fees
- Living allowance RM2000 per annum

MARA Study Loan

Eligibility

- For Malaysian Bumiputeras only (either father or mother)
- Bachelor degree level: in SPM, student must have obtained a credit in Bahasa Melayu and 3 principals (inclusive of General Paper) or 2 principals (inclusive of General Paper) plus 2 subsidiary or other equivalent qualifications in STPM
- Foundation level: SPM or its equivalent with 5 credits – Bahasa Melayu, Mathematics plus 3 other subjects (inclusive of English and 2 other subjects approved by the University)
- Student must achieve and maintain a minimum CGPA of 2.0 in each semester throughout the course of study
- Eligible students need to apply online via MARA website, <http://edulloan.mara.gov.my> & complete all required fields
- Supporting documents to be submitted by 31st July through university
- Each year, application opens on 1st July, while the closing date is 31st Julyst

Financial Aid

Perbadanan Tabung Pendidikan Tinggi Nasional (PTPTN)

Eligibility

- ▶ For Malaysians only
- ▶ Applicable for diploma and degree programs
- ▶ Have received an offer letter from Swinburne Sarawak Campus
- ▶ Subject to terms and conditions of *PTPTN*
- ▶ Must be a full-time student of Swinburne University of Technology Sarawak Campus
- ▶ Must have SPM result

Application Procedures

- ▶ The student needs to buy a PIN number from Bank Simpanan Nasional (BSN). The PIN number will cost RM5.00 each and is valid for six months from the date of purchase
- ▶ With the PIN number, the student can register for the online application and fill in all the required fields required by *PTPTN*
- ▶ Certified supporting documents is to be submitted only after the application has been successful

Value of Award

- ▶ Maximum RM16,000 per annum for degree and diploma in Business/IT and Multimedia programs
- ▶ Maximum RM16,500 per annum for a degree and diploma in Engineering programs

Application Date and Announcement of Result

- ▶ For Semester 1, there are two dates for students to apply, before 15th February and 15th March
- ▶ For Semester 2, there are two dates for students to apply, before 15th September and 15th October
- ▶ Students can check the result of their application about five days after the closing date

Sarawak Higher Education Fund (Hi-Ed)

Eligibility

- ▶ For Sarawakian only
- ▶ Applicable for Foundation, Diploma and Degree Engineering students of Swinburne Sarawak
- ▶ Have received an offer letter from Swinburne
- ▶ Have not been offered any other loans
- ▶ Must complete the program in the university applied for

Forms Availability

- ▶ Forms can be downloaded from www.yayasansarawak.org.my

Further enquiries

- ▶ Please refer to the Student Information Centre

EPF Withdrawal Scheme

Eligibility

- ▶ *EPF* members and/or *EPF* members' children
- ▶ Applicable for Diploma and Degree programmes
- ▶ Applicants to liaise directly with the nearest *EPF* office

Forms Availability/Address

- ▶ Please enquire the nearest *EPF* Office in your area for application forms

Value of award

- ▶ Up to the total tuition fees, or the entire balance in Account II, whichever is lower
- ▶ Members may apply for withdrawal in each academic year provided there are sufficient funds in Account II

Offer/Closing Date/Remarks

- ▶ For certification/confirmation and relevant documents required by *EPF*, please refer to Student Information Centre



ANY QUESTIONS?

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