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2021 Commonwealth PhD Scholarships in the United Kingdom

The Commonwealth Scholarship Commission in the United Kingdom is offering **eighteen (18) full** scholarships for **PhD only** for Kenyan students, tenable from September/October 2021. The awards are tenable at any approved UK University or higher education institution with which the Commonwealth Scholarship Commission (CSC) has a part-funding agreement. The online Application to Commonwealth Scholarship Commission in UK are open as from **14th December 2020 to 18th January, 2021**.

Full details of the scholarships are available at: <u>http://cscuk.fcdo.gov.uk/about-us/scholarships</u>

Eligibility

- i. Master's Degree from a recognized university.
- ii. Should have proof of support from a prospective supervisor in at least one chosen institution in the United Kingdom.
- iii. Below 45 years of age.

Application procedure

All eligible candidates must read and adhere to the following guidelines strictly:

 Complete the online application to Commonwealth Scholarships Commission in UK. Details of how to apply for these programme are available on the CSC's website: cscuk.fcdo.gov.uk/aboutus/scholarships. Download and print the online application form before submitting it electronically to the Commonwealth Scholarship Commission (CSC).

- 2. Obtain <u>PRELIMINARY APPLICATION FORM</u> from the Ministry of Education, Directorate of University Education offices located at Teleposta Towers, 27th floor room **2702**. The application forms can also be downloaded from the Ministry's website: <u>http://www.education.go.ke/</u>.
- 3. Complete the preliminary application form. Attach the required certified supporting documents (certified photocopies of ID, academic/ professional certificates, transcripts, Birth Certificate, other testimonials), a proposal in the area of study and a copy of the online submitted CSC application form.
- Submit three (3) sets of the hard copy of Preliminary Application form from MOE and CSC application form with all the certified copies to the Directorate of University Education on the address: Director – University Education, Ministry of Education. P.O. Box 9583 – 00200,NAIROBI

OR

Deliver to Teleposta Towers, 27th floor, Room 2702 during working hours between 8.00 am to 5.00 pm. The same can be emailed through **directoruniversities2018@gmail.com**

5. Completed applications should reach the Ministry not later than **22nd** January, **2021 by 5pm**.

<u>NB:</u>

- 1. Only shortlisted applicants shall be contacted through e-mail or phone call from the following number: 0771842051
- 2. Nomination does not in any way guarantee selection or placement