

Margaret McNamara Education Grants

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The Margaret McNamara Education Grant supports women from developing countries in their pursuit of higher education. Our organization draws inspiration from Margaret McNamara, and her vision of education and gender equality. Margaret used her influence as wife of Robert McNamara, the World Bank's fifth President, to advocate for the recognition and inclusion of these critical elements of development programs. Before her death, she was awarded the highest civilian distinction in the United States, the Medal of Honor, in recognition of her important contributions.

Award Name: Margaret McNamara Education Grants

Eligible Fields of Study: any

Type(s) of Program: B.A.; M.A.; PhD

Further Criteria:

- Be at least 25 years old at time of application deadline
- Be a national of a country listed on the MMEG Country Eligibility List
- Female student who is already enrolled as a full time student, with relevant student visa in national passport, and plan to continue studying full time in the following academic year
- Not hold US citizenship or permanent residency (green card) or Canadian citizenship or Canadian landed immigrant status
- Be enrolled (not just accepted) at an accredited academic institution when submitting application; and plan to be enrolled for a full academic term after award of the grant by the Board
- Not be related to a World Bank Group, International Monetary Fund or Inter-American Development Bank staff member or spouse

Requirements:

1. Identification (ID) card with photo
2. Most recent proof of official registration from university (not their acceptance letter)
3. Most recent official university transcripts and/or reports
4. Visa page or study permit page with current passport
5. Second passport page with clear photo (in case of dual citizenship)
6. Brief paragraphs of your personal story, and a description of how your studies, experiences and future plans are linked to your commitment to women and children in developing countries
7. An estimate of your financial situation for the coming academic year, and planned strategies to cover funding needs

8. A summary of your thesis (if applicable), including its objective, methodology and findings, and relationship to career goals
9. Two reference letters

Value: up to US \$15,000

Application Deadline: January 15th, 2018

For further information, please contact <http://www.mmeg.org/apply/#application>