

ANNEX 1 PROGRAMME DETAILS AND SCHOLARSHIP INFORMATION

For Academic year 2026, scholarships are offered to pursue below mentioned programs in Malaysia.

1. Bachelor's degree

Programme	Bachelor of Accounting (Hons) Pathway to Accounting and Auditing Organization for Islamic Financial Institutions (AOIFI) Certificate Proficiency
Institution	University Islam Selangor (UIS)
Country	Malaysia
Duration	3 Years (Full-time) + 6 months Internship

2. Master's Degree

Programme	LLM in Islamic Banking & Finance OR LLM in Business Law OR LLM in Administration of Islamic Law OR LLM in International Law
Institution	International Islamic University Malaysia (IIUM)
Country	Malaysia
Duration	1 Year (Full-time)

3. Master of Economics

Programme	Master of Economics
Institution	International Islamic University Malaysia (IIUM)
Country	Malaysia
Duration	2 Years
Mode of Study	Full-time

4. Doctor of Philosophy (PhD)

Programme	PhD in Islamic Finance (by Coursework and Dissertation) OR PhD in Islamic Finance (by Research) OR PhD in Applied Muamalat (Economics and Finance)
Institution	International Centre for Education in Islamic Finance (INCEIF) University
Country	Malaysia
Duration	3 Years (Full-time)

GENERAL SCHOLARSHIP CONDITIONS

1. Scholarships will be awarded based on merit and fulfilment of eligibility requirements.
2. Selected candidates shall comply with all rules and regulations of the host institution.
3. Scholarship recipients shall maintain satisfactory academic performance throughout the duration of the programme.
4. Recipients may be required to sign a scholarship agreement prior to commencement of studies.
5. Any withdrawal, suspension, or termination of the programme without approval may result in the recovery of scholarship funds.
6. Scholarship recipients are expected to return to the Maldives upon completion of studies and contribute to national development.
7. Scholarship recipients will be bonded to serve the Maldives for 5 years after completion of the course.

SELECTION CRITERIA

Selection of candidates is based on:

- Academic merit
- Relevance of educational background
- Professional experience (where applicable)
- Performance during the interview and assessment process



IMPORTANT NOTES

1. Applicants are advised to carefully review the admission requirements of the respective universities before applying.
2. Any false or misleading information will result in disqualification or termination of the scholarship.
3. MMA reserves the right to revise or withdraw the scholarship offer at any time based on policy requirements or non-compliance with guidelines
4. Final award of scholarships is subject to admission approval by the respective universities.
5. Applicants are kindly advised to obtain pre-approval from the Maldives Qualification Authority before commencing the programme.

CONTACT INFORMATION

For further information regarding the scholarships, applicants may contact:

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