

Linda and Gordon Bonnyman Scholarships

Post Graduate Study in the U.S.A.



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The Linda and Gordon Bonnyman Scholarships have been established to support former pupils of Jordanhill School who are seeking to undertake a programme of post-graduate study at one of the elite universities in the United States. From 2017 the scholarships have been awarded and managed by the Jordanhill School Educational Amenities Trust Fund.

Eligibility

- To be eligible you must have completed a minimum of **4 years of secondary education** at Jordanhill School including S5.
- The university you are applying to must be recognized by the Trustees as an elite institution. The institutions shown here are not exhaustive.
- Your intended course of study must be a full Masters or Doctorate programme. Summer schools, visiting scholarships or similar programmes will not be eligible.
- You are likely to have some work and life experience which is then reflected in your intended course of study. The application process to the USA would normally preclude you from progressing directly from your first degree in the UK. Doctorate programmes are an exception to this.

Scholarships do not fund the full costs of spending a year (or more) in the USA. With the exception of some highly academic programmes, your work experience and personal financial contribution will be considered in assessing your application.

How to Apply

Send a short letter of application to the Rector of Jordanhill School together with a copy of the university application at the time of application. See further details below.

The Trust would prefer to receive applications in electronic format. Please e-mail info@jordanhill.glasgow.sch.uk and head it Bonnyman Trust.

If you wish clarification of the suitability of your proposed programme of study or the institution you are applying to, then please e-mail the Rector at the above address.

Further Details

The process of application to the elite universities in the USA is extensive. For entry in the following September, the deadline is typically in December of the previous year. Applicants may also have to complete online tests or submit other evidence in advance of this.

Your application to the Trust should consist of a full copy of your application to the university. This should include all references or evaluations submitted on your behalf, a copy of any Financial Statement required by the university and the outcomes of any tests or assessments undertaken. Please also submit a breakdown of costs. (See sample below.)

If a reference or evaluation is submitted in confidence, then you should ask the person completing it to send a copy to the Rector of Jordanhill School.

The Trust will not meet any of the costs of your application or associated tests.

Award of Grants

Grants are awarded solely at the discretion of the trustees and are conditional upon you being offered a place at a suitable institution and thereafter on you continuing to meet the academic and other requirements of the institution.

Tuition fees and other fixed fees levied by institutions will be paid directly to the institution by the Trust. Any remaining grant to cover living costs will be paid to the recipient.

Recipients shall provide such reports as required by the Trustees during or at the end of the period of the award.

Financial Statement

You will be required to submit a Financial Statement as part of your university application. It is acceptable to mention the Bonnyman Scholarship from the Educational Amenities Trust as a **potential** source of finance. Quote the Trust's Charity number SCO 05743.

You should not accept a place or make a binding commitment without a formal offer of funding from the Trust.

The Trust will typically pay for tuition and other fixed fees levied by institutions along with pre-agreed, documented living costs (principally housing). Travel and other incidental expenses will not normally be met.

Depending on your proposed programme of study you may well have to find additional funding from other sources such as internships or part-time work.

Recognised Institutions

Brown
Columbia
Cornell
Dartmouth
Harvard
Princeton
University of Pennsylvania
Yale
Duke
Stanford
University of Chicago
MIT
California Institute of Technology
John Hopkins
Georgetown
George Washington
University of Virginia
University of California at Berkeley
University of California at LA
New York University
The University of Michigan Law School
American University Washington College of Law
Tulane University Law School
Northwestern University Law School
Northeastern University Law School

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Sample Costs

Please submit an outline costing for your intended programme similar to the example below. You should be able to find all costs on the institution web site.

If your intended programme offers employment opportunities (e.g. PhD), then please indicate separately the income levels that might result.

MA Human Rights

Charge	Unit charge	Units	Total	Running Total
Tuition deposit	\$750	1	\$750	
Pay per point	\$1,426	30	\$42,780	
Health insurance	\$442	2	\$884	\$43,664
Insurance	\$2,580	1	\$2,580	\$46,244
Facilities fee	\$474	1	\$474	
Activity fee	\$25	1	\$25	
International service charge	\$100	1	\$100	\$46,843
Housing	\$18,252	1	\$18,252	\$65,095