



FORUM FOR AFRICAN WOMEN EDUCATIONALISTS FAWE GHANA CHAPTER

FAWE Ghana Chapter Guidelines For Commonwealth Scholarships tenable in the United Kingdom - 2023

We are pleased to inform you that FAWE will once again be a nominating Agency for the Commonwealth Scholarship Commission (CSC) in the United Kingdom. FAWE will be partnering with the CSC in nominating female candidates for **Master's study** for the scholarships tenable from September/October 2023.

Field(s) of study:

All subject areas are eligible for consideration, although the CSC's selection criteria gives priority to those applications that demonstrates strong relevance to development.

Target Group:

- The scholarship is targeted at **Ghanaian women** who have successfully completed their first degree and seeking to pursue further studies in any field of their choice for **Master's study**
- Past FAWE beneficiaries / FAWE scholarship alumni
- Candidates who have contributed to the promotion of girl's education, gender equity and equality in education in their current or previous engagements.
- Candidates with first degree in Science, Technology, Engineering and Mathematics are highly encouraged to apply

Eligibility

In addition to the eligibility requirements outline in the Commonwealth Scholarship Prospectus,

Full eligibility requirements for Master's candidates are available at:

<https://cscuk.fcdo.gov.uk/scholarships/commonwealth-masters-scholarships/>

All applicants are to note the following;

1. Tuesday 18 October 2022 (16:00 GMT) closing of online applications
2. Tuesday 18 October 2022 (4:00pm) closing of submission of all documents to FAWE Ghana Chapter via faweghana@gmail.com for consideration for nomination:

You must submit the following documents (**soft copies**) to FAWE Ghana via email (faweghana@gmail.com)

- **All academic certificates**
- **Transcripts**

- Offer letter/s
- Current CV
- Completed CSC online application form
- Official letter for consideration for nomination
- Committed letter to volunteer, mentor and support the vision and mission of FAWE Ghana Chapter after completion of studies
- Bio section of passport
- English Proficiency

3. Please note that the **deadline** for candidates to submit their applications through the **Commonwealth Scholarship Electronic Application System (EAS)** is **Tuesday 18 October 2022**. Candidates' nomination application must also reach **FAWE Ghana Chapter Officer** on the same day **Tuesday 18th October 2022 (4:00PM)**. All supporting documentation must have been submitted to the **online application system** by **Tuesday 8 November 2022 at 16:00 (GMT)**.

Supporting Documents

For an application to be eligible for consideration, applicants must include the following supporting documents.

- Proof of citizenship or refugee status – **uploaded to the online application system**
- Full transcripts detailing all your higher education qualifications including to date transcripts for any qualifications you are currently studying (with certified translations if not in English) -**upload to the online application system**
- References from at least two individuals – **Submitted directly by the referees to the online application system (referees will be sent an email request)**

It is the candidate's responsibility to ensure that her referees are able to complete the references by the deadline and that they receive the reference requests

The CSC will not accept supporting documentation submitted by nominating agencies or outside the online application system.

Application Instructions:

All applicants will be expected to have completed the CSC application form online by Tuesday 18 October 2022 (16.00GMT). information on how to use the EAS, including detailed guides, is available at

<https://cscuk.fcdo.gov.uk/scholarships/commonwealth-masters-scholarships/>

All nomination applications who are Ghanaians must be made through FAWE Ghana Chapter before or by Tuesday 18 October 2022 (4:00pm) via faweghana@gmail.com

Important information

- Please note that when applying online, applicants should select FAWE as nominating Agency. Last year some applicants did not follow these instructions and therefore could not be considered as FAWE applicants. Please let us know if you need support in any way.

- Deadline for applications is Tuesday 8 November 2022 at 16:00 (GMT). The CSC will not accept any applications which are not submitted via the electronic Application System (EAS) to the nominating agency in the candidate's home country. All applications must be made through a nominating agency; CSC does not accept direct applications from the candidates.
- All applicants must submit the required supporting documentation directly CSC

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