TONGA STUDY AWARDS

CALL FOR APPLICATIONS FOR 2014 INTAKE

The 2014 Tonga Study Awards Programme (TSA) is jointly sponsored by the Governments of Tonga, New Zealand and Australia. Under the TSA Programme, scholarships are available for study either in the region, New Zealand or Australia, depending on where a particular course is offered.

Successful applicants awarded a TSA scholarship must return to Tonga upon completion of their study programmes and apply their enhanced knowledge and skills towards the development of Tonga. Undergraduate and postgraduate study (up to Masters/Doctoral level) are included. This year's priority fields of study include:

- MA Economics with Stats
- MBA
- MA Economics/Econometrics
- Master of Professional Accounting
- MCom Accounting (Taxation)
- Master of Industrial Relations
- Master of Emergency Management
- Master of Public Policy
- Master of Laws (Constitutional Law)
- Postgrad.Dip. Meteorology
- BA LLB
- BA Economics
- B Human resource or Management
- Bachelor in Official Stats
- BA-Human Res.or Mgmt.
- BCom-Acct/Info Tech
- BCom-specialized in
- procurement
- Bachelor of Aviation Management
- BCom Information System
- B Business/Info. System Bachelor of Surveying
- BSc Geology
- BA-Public Administration
- BE Civil Engineering
- BE Naval Architecture
- BE Electronic Engineering
- BA Agri-Sci (Bio-security/Quarantine)
- Bachelor of Science (Environmental Science)
- MA-Economics and Tourism Management
- Bachelor in Sports Development
- Bachelor of Business and Information
- BA Info. Technology
- BA Sociology/Dev.studies
- BSc-Computer/Stats
- MBBS
- B Nursing
- Dip in public health (NCD)
- B Health info. mngmnt
- B Radiology
- BS-Dental Surgery
- B in Laboratory
- BSc-Pharmacy
- BA or BS-Open
- BA Inclusive/Special Educ.

TEACHING

- BEd/GCED English
- BEd/GCED Design Tech/Indus. Arts
- BSc/GCED Computer Hardware/Maintenance
- BSc/GCED Physics
- BEd/GCED Geo/History
- BEd/GCED Inclusive/Special Educ.
- BEd/GCED Maths/Science
- BEd/GCED Physics/Maths
- BEd/GCED Eng/History
- BEd/GCED Primary Educ.
- PhD Education
- MEd Assessment
- MEd Literacy & Numeracy
- BSc/GCED Maths/Physics
- BA/GCED Tongan/Pacific Culture
- Up-skilling teachers from Diploma to Bachelors Degree

TVET

- Marine Engineer Program (Class 2)
- Bachelor in Naval Architect
- MA Marine Engineer Program (Class4)

There are a limited number of scholarships available. Selection will be based on merit taking into account the relevance of proposed study to Tonga's development needs, academic achievement, work experience, and in accordance with eligibility criteria agreed between the Governments of Tonga, Australia and New Zealand. Please ensure you meet the criteria before applying. Current Form 6 students are not eligible. Current Form 7 students, school leavers and those with strong leadership abilities and work experience are encouraged to apply.

Application forms are available from the Scholarship Unit at the Community Development and Training Centre, Pahu, Vava'u High School, Ha'apai High School, 'Eua High School, Niuatoputapu High School and Niuafo'ou High School. Application forms can also be downloaded from the Australian High Commission website (www.tonga.embassy.gov.au) or New Zealand High Commission website (www.nzembassy.com/tonga) or the Government of Tonga website (www.tongaeducation.gov.to). The application forms must be completed in full with certified true copies of all requested documents. True copies can be certified by Ms Pelenaise Telefoni, the Government of Tonga Scholarships Officer, located in Pahu. Application packets (whether hand-delivered or by post) must be received by **4.00 PM, Monday, 15 July 2013**, at:

Government of Tonga Scholarships Office

Pahu

OR postal address: PO Box 61, Nuku'alofa

Late applications will NOT be considered.

Envelopes containing submissions must be clearly marked "**Scholarship Application".**

Please be advised that only successful applicants will be notified.

Scholarship applications may be deemed ineligible if the application package is not completed correctly (Forms 1-5)

For further enquiries, please contact **Ms Pelenaise Telefoni or Ms Senolita Fonokalafi** at **22287** or by email at **scholars@tihe.org**