

NUFFIC NESO INDONESIA: INDONESIAN SCHOLARSHIPS 2021

Brief for Dutch Higher Education Institutions

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Supporting Human Capital Development is a priority for the Indonesian Government. This includes measures to support student mobility and the internationalization of Indonesian Higher Education. The number and variety of scholarships is increasing. This document provides an overview of Indonesian scholarship programs (Degree and Non-Degree) offered by the Indonesian government at central level for the period of the academic year 2021 – 2022. The briefing has been prepared by Nuffic Neso Indonesia to inform Dutch Higher Education Institutions and the Dutch knowledge sector.

1. Indonesia Endowment Fund for Education (LPDP)

Founded in 2011, the Indonesia Endowment Fund for Education (LPDP) administers scholarship for Master's, PhD, and Research programs for excellent Indonesian students or researchers with demonstrable leadership capacities. LPDP has provided scholarships to more than 17,000 Indonesians students, around 50% of which studied abroad. The Netherlands has been among the top 3 most popular study destinations chosen by LPDP scholarships awardees.

1.1. Types of Scholarships

After an interruption in 2020 because of Covid-19, this year LPDP has returned to open up some of its scholarship programs, which consists of three classifications with eight different types (sub-classification) of LPDP scholarships.

Classification	Sub-Classification	Description
Public	Regular Scholarship	Master's and PhD scholarship for all Indonesian citizens.
	World's Top Universities Scholarship	Master's and PhD scholarship for all Indonesian citizens with unconditional Admission Letter from top 15 universities in the world (based on QS, THE, and ARWU ranking)
	Co-Funding Scholarship	Scholarship that gives chances for applicant to partially cover education fee.
Targeted Group	Scholarship for Civil Servant, Personnel of National Army, Navy, Air Force, and Police	Master's and PhD scholarship for Civil Servant, Personnel of National Army, Navy, Air Force, and Police in Indonesia.

	Scholarship for Entrepreneurs	Master's scholarship for Indonesian citizens who are active in the field of entrepreneurship.
Affirmation	Scholarship for the disabled	Master's and PhD scholarship for disabled Indonesian citizens.
	Underdeveloped Region Scholarship	Master's and PhD scholarship for Indonesian citizens from underdeveloped regions (96 specified regencies) in Indonesia.
	Underprivileged Achiever Scholarship	Master's scholarship for Indonesian citizens from underprivileged families.

1.2. Registration and Selection Timeline

The scholarship selection schedule consists of 2 phases for both studying within the country and abroad as follows:

Phase	Activities	Phase I (holders of unconditional LoA)	Phase II (non-holders of unconditional LoA)
I	Opening of General Scholarship Registration	4 May 2021	
	Opening of Affirmation and Targeted Scholarship Registration	8 May 2021	
	Closing of General Scholarship Applications	1 June 2021	
	Closing of Affirmation and Targeted Scholarship Registration	4 June 2021	
	Administrative selection	2 – 10 June 2021	
	Announcement of Administrative Selection Results	11 June 2021	
	Academic Substance Selection and Nationality	16 – 19 June 2021	
	Announcement of Selection Results for Academic Substances and Nationality	24 June 2021	
	Interview	5 – 16 July 2021	23 July – 25 August 2021
	Announcement of Interview Selection Results	22 July 2021	30 August 2021
	Registration Opens	1 August 2021	
	Registration Closes	8 September 2021	
	Administrative Selection	9 – 23 September 2021	

II	Announcement of Administrative Selection Results	24 September 2021
	Academic Substance Selection and Nationality	4 - 8 October 2021
	Announcement of Selection Results for Academic Substances and Nationality	13 October 2021
	Interview	25 October - 26 November 2021
	Announcement of Interview Selection Results	3 December 2021

Note:

Phase I of Scholarship Selection

- Applicants who submit an Unconditional LoA can start their academic study as early as **September 2021** for studying abroad.
- Applicants who have not submitted an Unconditional LoA may start their academic study as early as **January 2022**.

Phase II of Scholarship Selection

- LPDP awardees may start their academic study as early as **February 2022**.

1.3. Foreign University List and Subject Choice

This year's list of universities eligible for LPDP scholarships was collected based on the Top 200 of THE and QS university rankings. Based on this, 15 Dutch Higher Education Institutions (DHEIs) have been included. Please note that DHEIs may not be on all lists for each scholarship. The different lists of DHEIs included in the LPDP Scholarship programs can be seen below:

1.3.1. LPDP Regular List

Master's and PhD scholarship for all Indonesian citizens.

No.	Name of Institution	Study Program
1	University of Amsterdam	All Subject
2	Utrecht University	All Subject
3	TU Delft	All Subject
4	Leiden University	All Subject
5	University of Groningen	All Subject
6	Wageningen University & Research	All Subject
7	Erasmus University Rotterdam	All Subject
8	Radboud University	All Subject
9	Design Academy Eindhoven	Art & Design
10	University of Twente	Remote Sensing
11	Hotel School the Hague	Hospitality

1.3.2. LPDP Targeted and Affirmation List (with an exception Scholarship for Entrepreneurs)

(Please see the scholarship type table for further details on the scholarship)

No.	Name of Institution	Study Program
1	University of Amsterdam	All Subject
2	Utrecht University	All Subject
3	TU Delft	All Subject
4	Leiden University	All Subject
5	University of Groningen	All Subject
6	Wageningen University & Research	All Subject
7	Erasmus University Rotterdam	All Subject
8	Radboud University	All Subject
9	VU Amsterdam	All Subject
10	Maastricht University	All Subject
11	TU Eindhoven	All Subject
12	University of Twente	All Subject
13	Design Academy Eindhoven	Art & Design
14	Hotel School the Hague	Hospitality

1.3.3. LPDP Targeted List – Scholarship for Entrepreneurs

Master's scholarship for Indonesian citizens who are active in the field of entrepreneurship.

No.	Name of Institution	Study Program
1	Rotterdam School of Management, Erasmus University Rotterdam	Entrepreneurship

2. DIKTI-LPDP-STUNED Joint Scholarship Program

This new program is offered by Nuffic Neso Indonesia, the Indonesia Endowment Fund for Education (LPDP) and the Directorate General of Higher Education – Indonesian Ministry of Education and Culture / Research and Technology (Ditjen DIKTI) as a joint scholarship program. Nuffic Neso Indonesia participates in this collaboration through its StuNed (*Studeren in Nederland*) Scholarship program.

This joint program aims at optimizing the resources that the organizations have by focusing on some specific areas that are mutually relevant and important to Indonesia's development priorities, the development of key expertise in the Dutch knowledge sector, and the bilateral cooperation agenda of the two countries.

2.1. Target Group

This scholarship targets young Indonesian potentials with excellent profile to pursue their master's degree in participating DHEIs in courses that are related to the following fields:

- Water Management and Technology;
- Entrepreneurship, Sustainable and Circular Economy focusing on Fisheries and Marine;
- Fisheries and Maritime Sciences and Technology

2.2. DIKTI-LPDP-STUNED Joint Scholarship Program Timeline

Activities	Date
Opening of application for DIKTI-LPDP-STUNED Joint Scholarship Programme	8 May 2021
Deadline for the submission of DIKTI-LPDP-STUNED Joint Scholarship Programme	25 May 2021
Administrative selection and document-based assessment (1st round selection)	25 May – 2 June 2021
Announcement of administrative selection and document-based assessment	3 June 2021
Substantive assessment (2nd round selection)	16 – 19 June 2021
Interview	June/July 2021
Final announcement of the result to selected applicants	July 2021 (not later than 22 July)

2.3. Participating DHEIs in DIKTI-LPDP-STUNED Joint Scholarship Program

Eight Dutch Institutions are participating as the destination universities for the DIKTI-LPDP-STUNED Joint Scholarship program.

No.	Name of University	Study Program	Specialization
1	Erasmus University Rotterdam	MSc in Maritime Economics and Logistics (MEL)	N/A
2	IHE Delft Institute for Water Education	MSc Environmental Science	Environmental Planning and Management
			Environmental Science & Technology
			Applied Aquatic Ecology for Sustainability
		MSc Urban Water and Sanitation	Sanitary Engineering
		MSc Water Management	Water Supply Engineering
			Water Management and Governance

		MSc Water Science and Engineering	Hydro informatics - Modelling and Information Systems for Water Management
			Irrigation Engineering and Management for Food Security
			Hydrology and Water Resources
			Hydraulic Engineering and River Basin Development
			Coastal Engineering and Port Development
		MSc Sanitation	Sanitation
3	International Institute of Social Studies, Erasmus University Rotterdam (ISS)	MA in Development Studies	N/A
4	University of Groningen	MSc Marine Biology	N/A
		MSc in Environmental and Infrastructure Planning	
5	Wageningen University and Research	MSc Aquaculture and Marine Resource Management	N/A
		MSc Earth and Environment	
		MSc Environmental Sciences	
		MSc International Land and Water Management	
		MSc Water Technology	
6	Institute for Housing and Urban Development Studies, Erasmus University Rotterdam (IHS)	MSc Urban Economic Development: Innovation and Entrepreneurship - Innovative and Entrepreneurial Cities in the Global Economy	N/A
		MSc Land Management: Law, Finance, Real Estate and Natural Resources - Bridging Land, Water and Natural Resources	
		MSc Strategic Urban Planning & Policies -Managing Socio-Spatial Dynamics for Sustainable Cities	

		MSc Infrastructure and Green Cities - Managing Sustainable Water, Transport, Energy, Waste and Drainage Services	
7	University of Twente	MSc Geo-Information Science and Earth Observation (with Specialization on: Water Resources and Environmental Management)	N/A
8	Radboud University	Water & Environment	N/A
		Spatial Planning- Cities, Water and Climate Change	
		Science, Management & Innovation	
		Adaptive Organisms	

3. Scholarships for Undergraduate Level (S1/D4)

This year, Indonesian citizens have the opportunity to pursue a bachelor's degree at overseas universities through the Indonesian Ministry of Education and Culture / Research and Technology scholarships programs.

3.1. Types of Scholarship

Classification	Sub-Classification		Description
Bachelor's Scholarship	Domestic	Scholarship for Prospective Vocational School (SMK) Teachers	Bachelor's scholarship for Indonesian citizens who would like to be vocational school (SMK) teachers by pursuing bachelor's degree at Indonesian Higher Education Institutions.
		Scholarship for Cultural Actors	Bachelor's scholarship for Indonesian citizens who are active in the field of culture.
	Domestic & Abroad	Talent Achievement Scholarship	Bachelor's scholarship for Indonesian citizens with outstanding achievements.
	Abroad	Academic Achievement Scholarship	Bachelor's scholarship for Indonesian citizens with academic achievements.

3.2. Bachelor's Talent and Academic Achievement Scholarship List

The Talent and Academic Achievement Scholarship for bachelor's degree is eligible for:

- Students with achievements at national and international levels in the fields of science, research and technology; Arts, culture and literacy, vocational and entrepreneurial fields; as well as sports and physical fitness.
- Pre-prosperous students with academic achievements (non-competition winners) who have been successfully accepted into 15 World Top Universities designated by the LPDP.

The following list of Dutch HEI is selected based on the top 400 institutions in the world (QS World Rankings).

No.	Name of University
1	University of Amsterdam
2	Utrecht University
3	TU Delft
4	Leiden University
5	University of Groningen
6	Wageningen University & Research
7	Erasmus University Rotterdam
8	Radboud University
9	VU Amsterdam
10	Maastricht University
11	TU Eindhoven
12	University of Twente
13	Tilburg University

4. Master's, PhD, Joint and Dual Degrees Scholarships for (Prospective) Lecturers

The Master's, PhD, Joint and Dual Degrees Scholarships are specifically intended for Indonesian (prospective) lecturers offered by the Indonesian Ministry of Education and Culture / Research and Technology.

4.1. Types of Scholarships

Classification	Sub-Classification	Description
Master's and PhD / Doctoral Scholarship	Domestic and Abroad	Academic Higher Education Scholarships for Lecturer's Education (Beasiswa Master's and PhD / Doctoral scholarships for Indonesian citizens with bachelor's degree (S1/D4) who are highly committed to becoming lecturers of Academic Higher Education / for permanent lecturers at Academic

		Pendidikan Dosen (PTA)	Institution under the Indonesian Ministry of Education and Culture. Applicants may apply for Single/Joint degree/Dual degree.
		Scholarship for (Prospective) Lecturer of Vocational Higher Education (Beasiswa Pendidikan Dosen PTPPV)	Master's and PhD / Doctoral scholarships for (prospective) lecturers at Vocational Higher Education Institutions under the Indonesian MoEC. Applicants may apply for Single/Joint degree/Dual degree.
PhD / Doctoral Scholarship	Abroad	Scholarship for Lecturers	PhD / Doctoral scholarship (Single degree) for permanent lecturers at Academic Institution under the Indonesian MoEC and the Ministry of Religion.

4.2. Dutch Higher Education Institutions List

Master's & PhD / Doctoral Scholarships aimed for lecturers of Academic Higher Education (Beasiswa Pendidikan Dosen PTA) and (prospective) lecturers of Vocational Higher Education (Beasiswa Pendidikan Dosen PTPPV).

No.	Name of University	Study Program
1	University of Amsterdam	Anthropology
		Communication
		Development Studies
		Geography
		Library & Information Management
		Linguistics
		Mechanical Engineering
		Psychology
		Sociology
2	Utrecht University	Geology
		Geophysics
		Medical Technology
		Oceanography
3	TU Delft	Aerospace Engineering
		Architecture & Built Environment
		Chemical Engineering
		Civil Engineering
		Electrical Engineering
		Engineering - Petroleum

		Environmental Sciences
		Marine/Ocean Engineering
		Material Sciences
		Mechanical Engineering
		Mineral & Mining Engineering
		Water Resources
		Transportation Science & Technology
4	Leiden University	Archaeology
		Classics & Ancient History
		History
		Pharmacy
5	University of Groningen	Automation & Control
6	Wageningen University & Research	Agriculture & Forestry
		Biotechnology
		Development Studies
		Ecology
		Environmental Sciences
		Food Science & Technology
		Water Resources
7	Erasmus University Rotterdam	Business & Management
		Public Health
8	Radboud University	Medical Technology
9	VU Amsterdam	–
10	Maastricht University	–
11	TU Eindhoven	–
12	University of Twente	Remote Sensing
13	Tilburg University	–
14	Design Academy Eindhoven	Art & Design
15	Hotel School the Hague	Hospitality

5. Master’s and PhD Scholarships (non-lecturer)

The Master's and PhD Scholarship Programs for non-lecturer are intended especially for Teachers and Education Personnel (GTK), Cultural Actors, and Talent Achievers.

5.1. Types of Scholarship

Classification	Sub-Classification		Description
Master's and PhD Scholarship	Domestic and Abroad	Scholarship for Cultural Actors	Master's and PhD scholarship for Indonesian citizens in the fields of Art;

			Social Sciences, Humanities, and Science; Cultural Studies.
Master's Scholarship	Domestic and Abroad	Talent Achievement Scholarship	Master's and PhD scholarship for Indonesian citizens with outstanding achievements at the national and international levels in the fields of science, research and technology; arts, culture and literacy, vocational and entrepreneurial fields; as well as sports and physical fitness.
	Domestic (offline) and Abroad (online)	Scholarship for Teachers (Beasiswa Guru)	Master's scholarship for Teachers, Principals, and School Supervisors with permanent employee status in PAUD (Early Childhood Education), Elementary, Junior and High School education units within the Indonesian MoEC.
PhD Scholarship	Domestic	Scholarship for Teachers and Education Personnel (Beasiswa GTK)	PhD scholarship for Teachers, Principals, and School Supervisors with permanent employee status in PAUD (Early Childhood Education), Elementary, Junior and High School education units within the Indonesian MoEC.

5.2. Master's and PhD Cultural Actors Scholarship – Subject Choice and DHEIs List

5.2.1. Subject Choice for Foreign University

Degree	Field of Study	Study Program
Master's and PhD program	Art	Art Studies
		Arts Management
		Film Studies
	Social Sciences, Humanities, and Science	Cultural Heritage Management
		Museology
		Digital Humanities and New Media
Cultural Studies which lead to the writing of a thesis/dissertation on the tracks of Spices and Repatriation of Cultural Heritage Objects	N/A	

5.2.2. Dutch Higher Education Institutions List

No.	Name of University
1	TU Delft
2	University of Amsterdam
3	Wageningen University & Research
4	Utrecht University
5	Leiden University
6	University of Groningen
7	Erasmus University Rotterdam
8	University of Twente
9	Radboud University
10	Maastricht University
11	VU Amsterdam
12	Tilburg University
13	TU Eindhoven

5.3. Master's and PhD Talent Achievement Scholarship List

No.	Name of University
1	University of Amsterdam
2	Utrecht University
3	TU Delft
4	Leiden University
5	University of Groningen
6	Wageningen University & Research
7	Erasmus University Rotterdam
8	Radboud University
9	VU Amsterdam
10	Maastricht University
11	TU Eindhoven
12	University of Twente
13	Tilburg University

6. Non-Degree Scholarships

The Non-Degree Scholarships are divided into three classifications based on the organizing institutions from the Indonesian Ministry of Education and Culture / Research and Technology.

6.1. Types of Scholarship

Classification	Sub-Classification		Description
Directorate General of Higher Education (Ditjen DIKTI) Non-Degree Scholarship	Domestic	Wirausaha Merdeka (Entrepreneurial Factory)	The program focuses on increasing the capacity and competence of Indonesian students in the field of entrepreneurship.
	Domestic & Abroad	Merdeka Student Exchange Program	Exchange Student Program for Indonesian citizens at undergraduate level (non-vocational).
	Domestic & Abroad	Internship Acceleration & Ecosystem Development Grant	Through this program the Indonesian MoEC invites world-class organizations to become strategic partners, especially companies or organizations that are still growing and have high attention to the quality of their human capital.
	Domestic	Kampus Mengajar	A teaching program intended for bachelor's students to support Indonesian elementary schools in their learning process in 3T (underdeveloped region) areas.
Directorate General of Teachers and Education Personnel (Ditjen GTK) Non-Degree Scholarship	Abroad (online)	Micro credential Scholarship Program	Non-degree scholarship for Permanent Teachers in education units within the Indonesian MoEC, both organized by the local government and by the community, in formal education at the PAUD (Early Childhood Education), Elementary, Junior and High School levels. This program is implemented online at selected higher education institutions.
Directorate General of Vocational Education (Ditjen Diksi)	Domestic and Abroad	Kampus Merdeka Vocation Program	Scholarships for vocational students (D4/D3/D2) to undertake Kampus Merdeka Certified Internship / Kampus Merdeka Certified Independent Study / Entrepreneurial Factory.

Non-Degree Scholarship	Apprenticeship Program for Lecturers and Education Personnel at Higher Education Institutions Providing Vocational Education (PTPPV)	The program is intended for Indonesian citizens who work as permanent lecturers at Higher Education Institutions Providing Vocational Education (PTPPV) with a minimum master's degree / work as an education personnel at PTPPV, who has an Educational Staff Identification Number (NITK).
	Professional Certification Program for Lecturers and Educational Personnel at Higher Education Institutions Providing Vocational Education	The program is intended for Indonesian citizens who work as permanent lecturers at Higher Education Institutions Providing Vocational Education (PTPPV) with a minimum master's degree / work as an education personnel at PTPPV, who has an Educational Staff Identification Number (NITK).
	Project Based Learning Program / Certified Fieldwork Practice (PKL) for Vocational School Students	The program is aimed at PKL in the fields of business and industry with the target of Vocational High School (SMK) students with certain requirements.
	Project Based Learning / Vocational School Teachers' Certified Apprenticeship Program	The program is aimed at PKL in the fields of business and industry with the target of Vocational High School (SMK) teachers with certain requirements.

7. Bridging Course Program

Bridging Course is a capacity building program for English Language and Supporting Academic Skills aiming to bridge prospective students who receive scholarships from the Indonesian Ministry of Education and Culture / Research and Technology through LPDP funding in order to meet the requirements for admission to a higher level of education at an overseas university.

7.1. Types of Scholarship Programs

Classification	Sub-Classification		Description
Master's and PhD Programs	Abroad	Bridging Course Program for DIKTI Students	The program is intended for prospective Regular LPDP recipients who will start their overseas study in January 2022.
		Vocational Bridging Course Program	The program is intended for Indonesian citizens who is a lecturer at Higher Education Institutions Organizing Vocational Programs (PTPPV) with Master's degree to pursue PhD program at overseas universities / non-lecturer with Bachelor's/Master's degree to pursue Master's/PhD program.
PhD Program		Bridging Course Program for Lecturers of Academic Higher Education (Bridging Course Dosen PTA)	Non-degree scholarship program for permanent lecturers at Academic Colleges to attend pre-doctoral training at overseas universities.

8. Indonesian International Student Mobility Awards (IISMA) for Undergraduate Level

Indonesian International Student Mobility Awards (IISMA) is a fully funded scholarship scheme offered and managed by Directorate General of Higher Education (Ditjen DIKTI) – Ministry of Education and Culture / Research and Technology to fund Indonesian students to undertake short-term mobility programs at top universities overseas. The student mobility program is open for undergraduate students from all Indonesian higher education institutions under DIKTI in which students could spend one semester at the overseas partner university.

In the academic year 2021-2022, IISMA will provide around 1.000 scholarships and it will be implemented starting in September 2021. In the following years, it is projected to provide around 10.000 students abroad with two intakes.

8.1. IISMA Partner University List – the Netherlands

The following DHEIs were selected based on the proposal's submission that the IISMA team received earlier in 2021. In the following academic year, other DHEIs are welcome to send their proposals in order to participate in the IISMA program. The program is intended to be expanded.

No.	Name of University	Courses
1	University of Twente	Geographic Information Systems
		Earth Observation
		Smart Cities - Multifunctional Flood Defences
		Safety and Risk in Deltas
		Smart ways to make smart cities smarter
		An introduction to Business Information Technology
		Software Development
		Finance for Engineers
		Electronics, Sensors & Actuators
		Electric Circuits
2	Maastricht University	A - Living in A Technological Culture: Introduction to Science and Technology Studies
		A - The Economics of Information
		A - Globalization and Inequality: Perspectives on Development
		A - The Social Study of Environmental Problems: Between Nature, Society, and Politics
		A - International Trade Law: Globalization, Trade, and Development
		B - Digital Media: Digitalization, Digital Cultures, and User Practices
		B - European Integration: History and Theory
		B - Economics and Society in Contemporary Asia
		B - The Digital Enterprise
		B - Entrepreneurship
3	VU Amsterdam	Development and Global Challenges 1 A
		Development and Global Challenges 2 B
		Development and Global Challenges 3 C
		Sustainability: Management and Innovation A
		Sustainability: Management and Innovation B
		Sustainability: Management and Innovation C
		Technology, Law, and Ethics A
		Technology, Law, and Ethics B
		Technology, Law, and Ethics C

9. MoRa Scholarship Program

9.1. 5000 Doctors Program

5000 Doctors Program is a flagship program of Islamic Education, Ministry of Religious Affairs (MoRA). Launched by President Joko Widodo in December 2014, the program is intended to improve the quality of lecturers and academic staffs within the Islamic Higher Education institutions managed under the responsibility of MORA through scholarships for both in Indonesia and overseas doctorate programs.

This scholarship is an aid provided by the Indonesian MoRA for educators (lecturers) and academic staff within institutions under the management of Islamic Higher Education (IHE). The candidates will pursue their doctorate study at reputable universities overseas. Through this scheme, it is expected that Islamic higher education institutions have more qualified human resources.

This scholarship does not determine nor limit the destination higher education institution in which the applicants are allowed to choose their own intended institution. Nevertheless, one Dutch Higher Education Institution that has become a partner with 5000 Doctors Program is Leiden University through its Centre for the Study of Islam and Society (LUCIS).

This year, the opening of 5000 Doctors Program application for the academic year of 2021-2022 has not been announced. However, for the time being the Project Management Unit (PMU) of the scholarship program is in the process of selection from the previous applications.