



UOPEOPLE FINANCIAL AID

UoPeople currently offers a number of options to assist students in need of financial aid. We encourage you to familiarize yourself with the scholarships available and the financial aid process prior to selecting the scholarship to which you would like to apply. You may only apply for one scholarship at a time.

In order to maximize the number of students that will be able to study, and as a part of our mission to open access to higher education for as many people as possible, the UoPeople Scholarship Committee may offer you a different scholarship than the one to which you have applied. In such a case, you will be provided with the alternate scholarship information prior to indicating your acceptance.

University of the People is dedicated to opening access to higher education around the world for all qualified individuals and strives to provide equal educational access to all. Its financial aid process is nonetheless competitive and we cannot guarantee that you will be awarded financial aid. Your application will be assessed by the Scholarship Committee which will consider the information contained in your application form. The Scholarship Committee will consider information such as, your reasons for applying for financial aid, your financial situation and employment details, your previous education, as well as your personal statement, which may include information such as your achievements, volunteer work, community service, and other special circumstances.*

Moreover, UoPeople scholarships are only available to help fund students studying towards an associate's degree, while some exceptions may apply. If you chose to enroll in a bachelor's degree program, we encourage you to switch to an associate's degree program first before continuing on to complete a bachelor's degree program.**

As part of the consideration of your application for a scholarship, your personal information may be provided to the scholarship fund sponsor. This information may include your academic transcripts, personal statements and further details contained in your application for admission to the University, as well as any information contained in your scholarship application. Information that is shared will be for the sole purpose of administering the scholarship fund.

Please note that students are expected to contribute towards their exam processing fees to the best of their capabilities. Students who are required to repeat courses will incur an additional Exam Processing Fee for each additional course taken and may not have sufficient funds remaining in your scholarship for completion of their degree.

University of the People is committed to its mission of democratizing education worldwide and believes that its students should take an active role in their education. As such, we encourage students to commit to their education both academically and financially, asking each student to pledge whatever amount they are able to towards their examination processing fees.

**Please note that UoPeople does not award scholarships to admitted applicants or students who have previously earned a degree from a post-secondary institution.*

***An associate's degree program is a 60-credit program that takes approximately two years of full-time study to complete. Students who wish to enroll in the 120-credit bachelor's degree program are encouraged to first earn an associate's degree to improve academic success and employment potential, after which they will only be required to earn the remaining number of credits towards a bachelor's degree.*



The following scholarships are currently available:

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Dedicated Scholarships

Emergency Refugee Assistance Scholarship Fund

Eligibility	Available to refugees and asylum seekers.
Funding	The scholarship will cover up to 10 Exam Processing Fees.
Other	A student who receives this scholarship may reapply for further funding (from this scholarship) when his/her funding expires.
Further Information	http://www.uopeople.edu/tuition-free/our-scholarships/syrian-refugee-scholarship/
Terms & Conditions	http://uopeople.edu/files/Scholarship/refugee_scholarship_terms.pdf
Application Form with Terms & Conditions	Emergency Refugee Assistance Scholarship Application Form – click here!

Fondation Hoffmann Scholarship

Eligibility	Available to Degree Seeking students who were previously awarded a Fondation Hoffmann Scholarship.
Funding	The scholarship is available for associate's degree students only. The scholarship will cover up to 10 Exam Processing Fees.
Other	A student who receives this scholarship may reapply for further funding (from this scholarship) when his/her funding expires.
Further information	http://uopeople.edu/groups/partners/fondation_hoffmann
Terms & Conditions	http://uopeople.edu/files/Scholarship/fondation_hoffmann_scholarship.pdf
Application Form with Terms & Conditions	Fondation Hoffmann Scholarship Application Form – click here!



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Gabriel and Marci Hawawini Scholarship Fund

Eligibility	Available to Degree Seeking students who were previously awarded a Hawawini Scholarship.
Funding	The scholarship will cover up to 10 Exam Processing Fees.
Other	A student who receives this scholarship may reapply for further funding (from this scholarship) when his/her funding expires.
Further information	http://uopeople.edu/groups/partners/hawawini
Terms & Conditions	http://uopeople.edu/files/Scholarship/hawawini_scholarship_terms.pdf
Application Form with Terms & Conditions	Gabriel and Marci Hawawini Scholarship Application Form - click here!

Gutwirth Foundation Scholarship Fund 2015

Eligibility	Available to Degree Seeking and Foundation students born or living in Israel or Palestine.
Funding	The scholarship is available for associate's degree students only. The scholarship will provide funding for up to the 20 Exam Processing Fees required for an associate's degree.*
Other	A student who receives this scholarship may reapply for further funding (from this scholarship) when his/her funding expires. Graduates of an associate's degree may apply for further funding from this scholarship fund to study towards a bachelor's degree.
Further information	http://uopeople.edu/groups/partners/Gutwirth
Terms & Conditions	http://uopeople.edu/files/Scholarship/gutwirth_foundation_scholarship.pdf
Application Form with Terms & Conditions	Gutwirth Scholarship Application Form - click here!

*Students who are required to repeat courses will incur an additional Exam Processing Fee for each additional course taken and may not have sufficient funds remaining in their scholarship for completion of their degree.



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Intel Haiti Women Scholarship Fund

Eligibility	Available to female Degree Seeking and Foundation Students currently residing in Haiti.
Funding	This scholarship will cover up to 10 Exam Processing Fees.
Other	None
Further information	http://uopeople.edu/groups/partners/intel
Terms & Conditions	http://uopeople.edu/files/Scholarship/intel_scholarship_terms.pdf
Application Form with Terms & Conditions	Intel Haiti Women Scholarship Application Form - click here!

Kruger Myanmar Scholarship Program 2015

Eligibility	Available to Degree Seeking students born or living in Myanmar.
Funding	The scholarship is available for bachelor's degree students only. The scholarship will cover up to 10 Exam Processing Fees.
Other	A student who receives this scholarship may reapply for further funding (from this scholarship) when his/her funding expires.
Further information	http://uopeople.edu/groups/partners/Kruger_Myanmar
Terms & Conditions	http://uopeople.edu/files/Scholarship/kruger_myanmar_terms.pdf
Application Form with Terms & Conditions	Kruger Myanmar Scholarship Application Form - click here!



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Small Giants Scholarship Fund for Refugees 2015

Eligibility	Available to Degree Seeking students who are refugees or asylum seekers currently residing in Israel.
Funding	The scholarship is available for associate's degree students only. The Scholarship will provide funding for up to the 20 Exam Processing Fees required for an associate's degree.*
Other	Graduates of an associate's degree may apply for further funding from this scholarship fund to study towards a bachelor's degree.
Further information	http://uopeople.edu/groups/partners/small_giants
Terms & Conditions	http://uopeople.edu/files/Scholarship/small_giants_terms.pdf
Application Form with Terms & Conditions	Small Giants Scholarship Fund for Refugees Application Form - click here!

UoPeople General Scholarship Fund

Eligibility	Available to Degree Seeking students studying towards an associate's degree who are not eligible for or awarded a dedicated scholarship.
Funding	The scholarship will provide funding for up to 10 Exam Processing Fees.
Other	This funding was generously provided by donations from the Steve and Roberta Denning Scholarship Fund.
Further information	http://uopeople.edu/groups/dedicated_scholarships
Terms & Conditions	http://uopeople.edu/files/Pdf/general_university_terms_and_conditions.pdf
Application Form & Terms & Conditions	UoPeople Scholarship Application Form - click here!

For further information regarding scholarships at UoPeople, please contact:
financial.aid@uopeople.edu or [click here](#) to visit Our Scholarships page on our website.