



Kingdom of the Netherlands



**The Netherlands Organization for
International cooperation in higher education**

Linking Knowledge Worldwide!

NUFFIC is an independent, non-profit organisation founded in 1952, based in The Hague, the Netherlands. Nuffic supports internationalisation in higher education, research and professional education in the Netherlands and abroad, and helps improve access to higher education worldwide.

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"Linking Knowledge Worldwide means bringing people together, because it is knowledge that makes us unique as people. Linking knowledge means linking people. What we love about knowledge is that you cannot give it away. You can only share it with others. This sharing often leads to the creation of new knowledge. And so we add to the wealth of knowledge on our planet by communicating with each other and by forming networks to share it in."

NUFFIC plays an important role in fostering international cooperation in higher education between the Netherlands and other countries.

⇒ **Scholarships administered by NUFFIC:**

Nuffic manages a number of scholarship programmes on behalf of various providers. One of them is Netherlands Fellowship Programmes (NFP), a scholarship programme of the Ministry of Foreign Affairs, funded from the Ministry's development cooperation budget. The aim of the programme is to help reduce the shortage of skilled workers.

The target group consists of professionals working in over 50 NFP countries. The successful completion of a study programme will help them to further develop and strengthen the organisations at which they work.

The demand for education and training must reflect the institutional development of the candidate's employer. Candidates must be nominated by their employers in order to qualify for participation.

Scholarships are available for:

- English-language master's programmes, varying in length from 9 to 24 months;
- short-term English and occasionally French courses, varying in length from 2 to 52 weeks;
- PhD programmes, to be partly completed in the participant's country of origin and partly in the Netherlands;

For more information on NFP programmes, please consult:

www.nuffic.nl/en/scholarship

<http://www.studyinholland.nl/scholarships/scholarships-administered-by-nuffic/netherlands-fellowship-programmes/nfp-sub-programmes>



NFP Deadlines and application procedures:

There are fellowships available for a selected number of master's degree programmes with duration of between 12 and 24 months. A master's degree programme leads to a Dutch master's degree.

In addition, there are fellowships available for a selected number of short courses in the Netherlands offered by Dutch institutions that provide professional training at post-secondary level. These courses have duration of between two weeks and twelve months. The courses lead to a Dutch certificate or diploma.

Check your eligibility at: <http://www.studyinholland.nl/scholarships/scholarships-administered-by-nuffic/netherlands-fellowship-programmes/for-whom>

Fellowship application deadline	SOL open for applications	Sub-programmes
4 February 2014 (3pm CET)	1 December 2013	Master's degree programmes Short courses
6 May 2014 (3pm CET)	1 March 2014	Master's degree programmes Short courses
7 October 2014 (3pm CET)	1 Augustus 2014	Short courses PhD

Note: Each programme or course has a **specific academic application deadline, set by the institution.**

How to apply:

- Obtain academic admission from selected University: You must apply for academic admission directly at the Dutch institution;
- You are only allowed to apply for one NFP fellowship per deadline;
- Prepare your application for an NFP fellowship according to requirements;
- After obtaining permission from Dutch University, visit and register **online at SOL for scholarship:**

www.studyinholland.nl/scholarships/scholarships-administered-by-nuffic/netherlands-fellowship-programmes/scholarships-online-sol

More on this at:

www.studyinholland.nl/scholarships/scholarships-administered-by-nuffic/netherlands-fellowship-programmes/how-to-apply