

BBM Travel Scholarships

Application Form

Please refer to the criteria below for eligibility requirements.

Please type or print legibly and ensure all fields are completed in full - incomplete applications will not be considered.

If you have any questions about the application process, please email BBM Youth Support: info@bbm.asn.au or call (02) 9233 4005.

Scholarship criteria:

The following basic selection guidelines are applicable:

- You should be less than 24 years old at the time of your planned travel to the UK.
- You can demonstrate that you have reached a standard of excellence in your chosen field (age appropriate) and that you are likely to enhance your career prospects by the UK experience.
- You can confirm that you would not be in a position to finance the project without BBM assistance.
- You are recommended by an approved institution in Australia related to your specialty.
- You can make satisfactory arrangements in Britain to pursue your objectives, including obtaining any visas you may require.
- You have not visited the UK in the last 5 years. (Limited prior travel for personal reasons may be acceptable).
- You are committed to be a good ambassador for Australia.
- Upon your return from the UK, you are prepared to provide a detailed written report on your experiences.
- You agree to assist BBM Youth Support in the future to whatever extent you can.

Application Process:

The applicant **must** submit the following items:

- A letter of application including details of your progress to date, how you would benefit from a BBM travel scholarship to the UK, details of any community activities you are involved in and any other information you feel is relevant to your application.
- Completed application form (if handwritten, please print legibly).
- At least one written character reference from a person who has known you for a minimum of 5 years and is not a family member.
- At least one written reference of your ability in your chosen field from a recognised expert.
- A high resolution photograph of you (either head shot or performance shot).
- Final ratification of all scholarships is at the discretion of BBM Youth Support.
- **Return all documentation to: Mr Bill Kinsey, Deputy Principal, Toccal College, NSW Department of Primary Industries, Paterson, NSW, 2421.**

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1. Name (in full):

2. Home Address:

Street:

Suburb: Postcode: Phone No:

Mobile: Email:

Address for correspondence (if different to home address)

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3. Date of birth: Nationality:

Length of residence in Australia if not Australian: years

4. Particulars of training and standard reached in your chosen discipline: (Copies of supporting documents, academic records, awards, performances etc. may be attached)

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5. Outline of your proposed itinerary should your application be successful:
(Please attach details of education institutions, tutors etc. if applicable)

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6. Have you visited the UK in the past five years? YES/NO

If YES, please state the purpose, date and length of the stay:

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7. Have you received or will you be receiving an award/scholarship which will enable you to visit the UK, apart from a BBM award? YES/NO

If YES, please give details

8. I affirm that:

(a) I would be unable to meet the cost of my proposed itinerary unless I received a BBM Award.

(b) I agree to leave for the UK before 30 June 2014 and that my stay in Britain will be not less than one month.

(c) I will be a good ambassador for Australia.

(d) Upon my return to Australia I will furnish a written report to BBM of my experience in Britain.

(e) I will endeavour to assist BBM Youth Support in the future to whatever extent I can.

SIGNED DATE

Checklist:

- Letter of application
- Application form completed legibly and in full with any applicable attachments
- At least one personal reference
- At least one professional reference
- A photograph

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