



The Duchy of Lancaster Scholarship Application 2016/17

Who can apply?

The Duchy of Lancaster Scholarship is open to all **2nd year BSc** students studying **All Agriculture Related Courses, Agri-business BSc (Hons)** or **Agri-food Marketing with Business Studies BSc (Hons)** at Harper Adams University.

The Scholarship

The Duchy will award **one** scholarship of £2,500 for one academic year only. The award will be payable in two equal parts, half to be paid in February 2017 and the remaining balance in May 2017.

In the event that the scholarship panel finds there are two candidates of exactly equal merit, one of whom is a tenant or child/spouse of a tenant of the Duchy of Lancaster, preference shall be given to the latter candidate.

Payment is conditional on the scholar remaining registered as a full-time student at Harper Adams. They must pass all modules of study during the continuation of the scholarship and submit at least one written report to the Development Trust prior to the receipt of their second payment.

This is a competitive award which will be evaluated on the merit of the submitted application, along with academic achievements to date and interview. The decision of The Duchy of Lancaster Scholarship Panel is **FINAL** and they reserve the right to withdraw their award at any time should they feel this action is required.

Shortlisted applicants will be invited for interview at Harper Adams on **Thursday 10 November 2016.**Please note that an alternative interview date <u>cannot</u> be arranged.

Application Process

On A4 paper (no more than 2 pages), single-sided sheets, (<u>font NO smaller than Arial 11</u>) please explain why you would be interested in receiving The Duchy of Lancaster Scholarship.

Please include the following information:

- **1.** Why you have selected to study your chosen course.
- 2. What you hope to achieve from your studies.
- 3. Why you believe you should be considered for The Duchy of Lancaster Scholarship.
- 4. A brief CV maximum of 2 pages, single sided, Arial 11. Please do not staple your application.

In the event that **The Duchy of Lancaster Scholarship Panel** requests UCAS and/or academic information to assess your application, your authorisation and signature are required. In addition, this allows HAU and the sponsor to publicise your scholarship. Please indicate your consent below.

I authorise HAU to use my information in accordance with the above:

Full Name	 Student ID
Course Title	 Signature

Please return this form along with your completed application and CV to: Renée Gallina-Morris, The Development Trust, M48, Harper Adams University, Newport, Shropshire, TF10 8NB.

Deadline for Submission of Application: 9am on Tuesday 01 November 2016

Please note you MUST submit a hard copy of your application to the DT office

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