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Events

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- *9 March 2012* NRF Call for proposals deadline: South Africa-Germany Year of Science celebrations 2012/2013
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This week's newsletter offers undergraduate and postgraduate students alike an array of scholarship and internship opportunities abroad. Remember to consult our [website](#) for the latest news and events or if you would like to obtain more information about our various offerings.

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Antwerp Management School 2012 - 2013 AMS Fund

Application deadline: 1 July 2012

For 2012-2013, the Antwerp Management School is looking for candidates with a university degree; it should encompass four years of full-time study at university level, resulting in a Master degree or an equivalent Bachelor degree (4 years full-time, excluding orientation or preparatory years). The program is in English and candidates are expected to participate actively in class discussions. A good and active knowledge of the English language is crucial for successful participation. Candidates whose native language is not English have to submit a score on the TOEFL or IELTS test. All candidates whose application file is accepted will be interviewed by a UAMS-representative.

The scholarship is for a 1 year full-time master program including coaching to prepare the candidate to start a business in his / her native country after successful completion of the program. It is the intention to arrange a follow-up once they are back in their country.

Selected students will enroll in the Master of Management; Innovation and Entrepreneurship.

The Master program Innovation and Entrepreneurship has a double objective:

- to supply you with state-of-the-art methodology to generate breakthrough new product ideas and knowledge for managing the product development process;
- to familiarize you with best practices to successfully valorize innovative product ideas in sustainable growth. The program will enhance your abilities in both creating and processing added value through new products.

Download the scholarship programme [here](#).

South Africa-Germany Year of Science celebrations 2012 / 2013

Application deadline: Friday, 9 March 2012

The bilateral agreement on science and technology (S&T) cooperation between South

Africa and Germany was signed in 1996. Since then, the two countries have successfully launched calls for proposals in the fields of environmental research and sustainability such as water, biodiversity as well as on technological development, and have jointly initiated numerous other cooperation activities.

The countries have now agreed to celebrate this partnership through a “Year of Science” (YoS) programme that will run for a year from April 2012 until March 2013. Where possible, existing initiatives will be woven into the programme, but the parties also wish to solicit suggestions on new initiatives especially conceptualised around the YoS.

The South African-German YoS offers an excellent framework for increasing the visibility of successful existing bilateral activities of the Ministries and the research and intermediary organisations. At the same time, it offers an opportunity to bring important political ideas into motion with stakeholders working in the areas of science, research and innovation in both countries, with the aim of developing the partnership in a sustainable way and taking full advantage of the potential of South African-German Research and Development (R&D).

This call for proposal invites interested research and development institutions from both the public and private sectors to submit proposals in support of the YoS to the National Research Foundation (NRF), for

- (a) possible inclusion in the official YoS programme, and/or
- (b) consideration for financial support from the DST.

For more information and to download guidelines and application forms, visit the NRF YoS website [here](#).

Xiamen University Scholarships 2012

Application deadline: please consult the website of Xiamen university (see below)

Applications are invited for scholarships to undertake postgraduate (M and PhD students)

studies at the prestigious Xiamen University in China. While a number of the programmes are taught in Chinese, the University also makes provision for English students through several English courses.

Visit the website to apply now! Click [here](#).

For more information, contact Ms. [Tanya Fouche](#).

Doctoral bursaries for Francophone students through "Agence universitaire de la Francophonie" 2012

Date de delai: 7 mars 2012

Le nouvel appel international à candidatures aux mobilités pour l'année universitaire 2012/2013 est désormais ouvert. Cet appel concerne les bourses de doctorat.

Les mobilités de doctorat s'effectuent au sein du réseau des établissements membres de l'AUF. Elles conduisent les étudiants et/ou enseignants-chercheurs francophones à l'extérieur de leur pays et leur permettent de préparer une thèse de doctorat. Ces mobilités doivent :

- être utiles au développement des universités et des pays du Sud,
- faire l'objet, chaque année, de recherches menées alternativement dans le pays de l'établissement d'accueil et dans le pays de l'établissement d'origine.
- la co-tutelle ou la co-direction seront favorisées.

Le dossier de candidature doit obligatoirement et **UNIQUEMENT** être complété et validé via le lien ci-dessous (ouvert jusqu'au **7 mars 2012**). Aucune candidature ne sera prise en compte passé ce délai de rigueur.

Les résultats de la sélection par le Conseil scientifique de l'AUF seront rendus publics via le portail de l'AUF et par les bureaux régionaux.

- Règlement des bourses de doctorat (.pdf) [Télécharger ici](#).

- Accès au formulaire de candidature à [cette adresse](#).

Masters scholarships through the Worldbank

Application deadline: 31 March 2012

Scholarships enable individuals from World Bank member countries to undertake master's study in a country other than their own. Scholarships cover:

- economy return air travel at the start and end of the scholarship, with a travel allowance of \$500 per trip;
- tuition fees;
- basic medical and accident insurance;
- a monthly subsistence allowance.

More information can be found on the website of the [WorldBank](#).

Fulbright scholarship for South Africans to undertake postgraduate studies in America

Application deadline: 20 April 2012

The Fulbright South Africa Post-Graduate Studies Program will be accepting applications for the 2013-14 U.S. academic year until April 20, 2012.

This program provides South Africans the opportunity to pursue Master's or Ph.D. degrees at U.S. academic institutions. South African Ph.D. students can also use this program for a one-year non-degree program to conduct research and/or take courses at a U.S. academic institution.

The program is open to South African residents and permanent residents who have a Bachelor degree and/or Honours for the Master's program or a Master's degree for the Doctoral program.

The study grants are competitive and awarded for a period of two years. For more information, please contact [Mareka Chabedi](#).

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Internships and bursaries available in Singapore through A*STAR

*Application deadline: **consult the downloadable document below.***

The Agency for Science, Technology and Research (A*STAR) offers scholarship opportunities in Singapore: internships and full degrees.

An array of scholarships are available and can be viewed by downloading [this document](#).

Contact [Tanya Fouche](#) for more information.

13 Indonesian Universities invite applications for Master degree studies 2012-2013

*Application deadline: **20 April 2012***

The Government of the Republic of Indonesia provides the opportunity for the Lecturers/ Teachers, Prospective Teachers and Civil Servants of South Africa, to pursue higher education by studying for their Master's Degree in prestigious Indonesian universities, through the Developing Countries Partnership Scholarship (DCPS) Program of the Republic of Indonesia for the academic year 2012-2013.

The Scholarship program will start in September 2012, however, the applicants should complete the on – line application forms to get an invitation letter from the Committee in Indonesia. The on-line application form and the Invitation letter, can be downloaded from the KNB Scholarship website starting from January 2012.

The Participants bring the Invitation Letter, Passport or Birth Certificate, Academic

Certificates and Academic Transcript to the Indonesian Embassy in Pretoria to get the Nomination Letter no later than 20 April 2012.

For further information, please contact the office of Information, Social and cultural Affairs of the Embassy of the Republic of Indonesia in Pretoria at telephone: 012 – 342 3350, fax : 012 – 342 3369 or e-mail : info@indonesia-pretoria.org.za. Visit the [website](#) for more information.

Scholarships for American students studying abroad: African Safari Consultants

Application deadline: 31 March 2012

African Safari Consultants has recently launched a small scholarship program whereby they will financially assist an American student studying abroad in Africa during the 2012-2013 Academic year. The student may be either an undergrad or graduate student; must be registered at an accredited American university or college; and must be pursuing a degree.

Full terms and conditions, and application form, can be found on their [website](#).

Erasmus Mundus: Europe's premier postgraduate scholarship

Two application deadlines: 12 March 2012 and 16 March 2012

The Postgraduate & International Office is proud to announce that Stellenbosch University will again be part of two Erasmus Mundus Action 2 programmes in 2012. These programmes offer South African students and staff the opportunity to do coursework, research, teaching or training at an array of European Universities.

The scholarship comprises of the following:

- 1 return airticket

- Insurance
- Monthly scholarship (Master's students: 1000 Euro per month, Phd students: 1500 Euro per month and staff: 2500 Euro per month – maximum of 3 months)

The two programmes are: [EUROSA](#) and [Ema2SA II](#). Detailed information on the availability of courses and research positions can be found on the websites of the two programmes.

Deadline: 12 March 2012 (EUROSA) and 16 March 2012 (Ema2SA II).

All enquiries can be directed to [Huba Boshoff](#).

Scholarship-Positions.com: array of scholarships for undergraduate and postgraduate students

Scholarship-Positions.com lists a myriad of scholarships and internship opportunities on their website. These scholarships are available for students and researchers at different levels (from undergraduate to post-doctoral researchers). Find out more [here](#).



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