



Kemitraan Negara Berkembang (KNB) Scholarship

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The Tenth Conference of Heads of States of Non-Aligned Movement (NAM) countries commenced in Bandung from 1st - 6th September 1992 concluded, among others, the idea of scholarships provided by the Ministry of Education and Culture of the Republic of Indonesia for the student coming from the NAM member countries. Following that mandate, in 1993 the Government of the Republic of Indonesia started offering postgraduate (master degree) scholarships to students from the NAM member countries. Since 2002, due to the substantial change in the international political constellation, the use of the term "NAM" in this program was considered irrelevant. The program name then changed to Kemitraan Negara Berkembang (Developing Countries Partnership) Scholarship or KNB Scholarship. Consequently, the program have been widely offered to students, not only to the NAM member countries, but also to other developing countries such as Thailand, Fiji, Gambia, Senegal, Nigeria, Madagascar, Suriname, Pakistan, Guyana, Myanmar, Laos, Vietnam, and Vanuatu.

The KNB scholarship opens the opportunity to get experience in diverse nation and cultures in the world while studying and earning a master degree. This program offers to potential students from developing countries at one of 15 prominent universities in Indonesia. In fact, this program has attracted more applicants as by 2017, 992 students from 71 countries had been awarded this scholarship.

The Program Objectives:

- To contribute in the human resource development in the developing countries;
- To promote deeper cultural understanding among developing countries;
- To strengthen the relationship and cooperation among developing countries.

Requirements:

- 1. Having maximum age of 35 years-old;
- Applicant must hold a bachelor degree (master degree holder is not eligible to apply);
- Having a TOEFL/ IELTS/ other English Proficiency Certificate scores of 500 or equivalent;
- 4. Completing the on-line application form;
- Prior to the departure to Indonesia, the successful candidates must sign the Statement Letter and Scholarship Agreement prepared by the KNB Scholarship management.

Required Documents:

- 1. Recommendation letter from the Indonesian Embassy in the respective country;
- Nomination letter from the respective government official (Ministry of Education, other related Government Agency – should the applicant works for the Government Agency, or Embassy of the Applicant's Country of Origin in Indonesia);

- 3. Two Academic Recommendation letters;
- 4. Scanned passport (personal data page only) or birth certificate;
- 5. Scanned bachelor certificate and academic transcript (in English);
- Scanned TOEFL score certificate (or other English Proficiency Tests) obtained within the last 2 Years;
- 7. Scanned Official Medical Statement (Official Diagnose) prepared by a certified physician.

Procedures:

- 1. Download the Invitation Letter (Available in the KNB Scholarship website);
- 2. Submit the Invitation letter, Passport, Academic Certificates and Academic Transcripts to the Indonesian Embassy to acquire the recommendation letter;
- 3. Complete the online application process;
- 4. Selection process;
- Selection Results Announcement. The Selection Results will be announced online
 via the KNB Scholarship Website and officially announced through the Indonesian
 Embassy publication network.

Scholarship Coverage:

- 1. A settlement Allowance of IDR 1,000,000 will be given to new students upon their arrival in Indonesia;
- 2. While taking the Indonesian language course (BIPA) and preparatory programs, the new students will only receive a Living Allowance of IDR 2,550,000 per month;
- 3. During the Master Program, the KNB students will receive a scheme of monthly allowance as detailed below:

No.	Allowances	Amount
1)	LivingAllowance	IDR 2,550,000
2)	Research Allowance	IDR 400,000
3)	Books Allowance	IDR 350,000

- 4. A health insurance with a maximum of IDR 200,000 monthly premium (In case of the cost of medical services exceeded to those covered by the health insurance, the difference should be borne by the student);
- A round-trip international airfare (economy class) from the international airport of the student's home countries to Indonesia, including local transport to the host university;
- 6. The scholarship will be provided for a maximum of 36 months or will be terminated due the completion of study;
- 7. Please be advised that the scholarship scheme will only sufficient to cover one person to living properly in most cities where the universities are located.

Note: Other expenses beside above mentioned items will be considered as personal expenses and will be borne by the students.

Schedule:

- The online application process must be completed no later than end of April each year;
- 2. Selection process will be conducted on the first week of May;
- 3. The selection result will be announce on the second week of June;
- 4. The students are expected to arrive in Jakarta by the end of August;
- 5. Orientation will be organized in September;
- 6. The Indonesian language course (BIPA) will commence in early September at host university.

KNB in UNIVERSITAS ATMA JAYA YOGYAKARTA (UAJY)

UAJY provides KNB Program for Master Degree only:

No. Program

- 1. Master of Business Administration
- 2. Master of Civil Engineering
- 3. Master of Law
- 4. Master of Informatics
- Master of Architecture (Digital)
- 6. Master of Communication

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