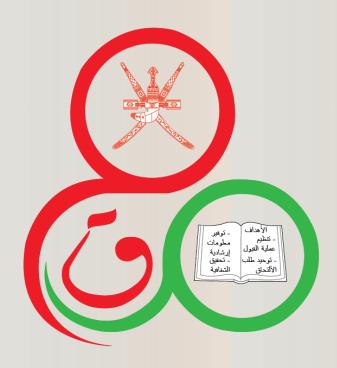
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Introduction

Dear Grade 12/Year 13 Student,

This Student Handbook is designed to assist you, the student holding (GCE, IB) qualifications, to submit your online application to the higher education admissions center (HEAC) in order to competitively apply for seats, scholarships and grants for entry to higher education. In order to competitively apply, you will need to at least register as an applicant and obtain a username and password by visiting the HEAC website (www.heac.gov.om) before 01/06/19.

Before you register, we advise you to first read carefully the content outlined in this handbook that contains an overview of the registration procedures with which you are expected to be familiar. Also included are guidelines about how to select your program preferences and an overview of the minimum requirements for the programs listed for the academic year 2019/20.

The period of April and May comprises of the so-called *registration phase* which takes place prior to you sitting for the second-term final school examinations. The purpose of this phase is to provide you with an opportunity to carefully select programs, while you may want to consult others during this period to help you select suitable programs and start ranking them in order of personal preference. During the registration phase, you will need to at least register and obtain a username and password while you are advised to already select as many programs as you can by filling out the online application form.

Don't worry – as long as you registered as an applicant before the 1st of June 2019, you will be provided with another opportunity to make changes in your list of programs (e.g. add or delete programs) and to make changes in how you ranked your programs preferences during the so-called *re-application period* in July after the second term final examinations are announced. We strongly advise you to read the timetable in this handbook as you need to be aware of the important deadlines and able to *timely* submit your online application.

While every effort has been made to ensure that this book is accurate and up to date, it may include typographical or other errors. Any changes made to this publication will be incorporated in the online editions on the HEAC website.

We wish you the best of luck,

Higher Education Admissions Center (HEAC)

The Higher Education Admission Center

The Higher Education Admission Center (HEAC) is one of the Directorates of the Ministry of Higher Education, in charge of in coordinating with the concerned authorities to enroll eligible applicants who have obtained the General Education Diploma (GED) or its equivalent certificates, to higher education institutions (HEIs). It also receives, reviews, and registers all student applications through an electronic system that can be used online and/or with the support of an SMS service and smart phone application (ELTAHIQ).

HEAC Admission System:

The HEAC's electronic system which is designed to receive, review, and register all student applications to higher education programs, external and internal scholarships and grants for undergraduate level and competitively select students who meet the admission criteria.

Application form:

The online application submitted by the student, including his/her program preferences and is available in the Admission System at HEAC website.

Who can apply to HEAC Admission System for Undergraduate Level?

The following categories of students are eligible to apply and compete for scholarships, seats or grants through the HEAC system:

- Omani students who are sitting for the <u>Omani General Education Diploma</u> <u>Examination</u> in the school year 2018/2019.
- 2. Omani Students who obtain qualifications that are equivalent to General Education Diploma in the 2018/2019 school year. This category includes, for example, students of the Royal Oman Guard Technical College, Islamic Institutes, Private Bilingual Schools, Community Schools and Private Schools offering international certificate programs within the Sultanate of Oman.
- 3. Omani students studying <u>outside Oman</u> who are sitting for school examinations which are considered to be <u>equivalent to the Omani General Education</u>

 <u>Diploma Examination</u> in the school year 2018/2019.

4. Students entitled to acquire Omani nationality or those exempted, who have completed General Education Diploma or equivalent in the school year 2018/2019.

Registration Requirements

A student must meet all of the following conditions to be eligible to apply to government funded scholarships, seats or grants:

- 1. Student must be an Omani national.
- 2. Student must pass the General Education Diploma examination or its equivalent in the current school year (recent graduate).
- 3. Student should not be older than 25 years old or younger than 16 years by the 1st of October in the current school year (born after 1/10/1994).
- 4. Student should fulfill the program requirements mentioned in the program section in the Student Guidebook.
- 5. Students who registered in (Adult Education System) and are employees in the (public or private) sector must provide the institution with no objection certificate from their employer to be registered as full-time students.

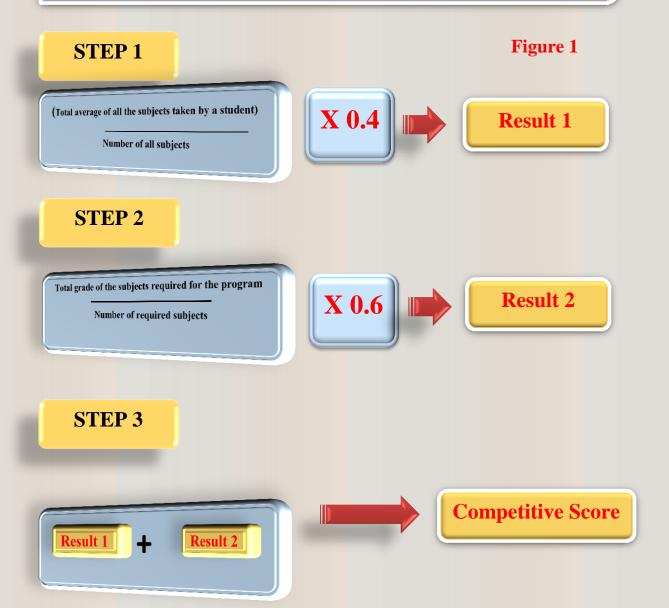
Competitive Score

It is the criterion that defines an applicant position in the list of eligible candidates, based on (his/her) scored marks (grades) in the General Education Diploma exam, it may vary for the same student from one program to another based on his/her marks in the subjects required for the program (specialization).

The arithmetic formula to calculate competitive score is as follows:

Competitive score= (total marks of subjects required for a specialization) x60% or "0.06"+ (total marks of subjects taken by the student) x 40% or 0.04

How to Calculate the Competitive Score?



GED Students Re-sit Final Examinations

- Students shall apply for programs and register through the system during the indicated registration period, regardless of the exam results. Students who re-sit final examinations, and who do not register or make changes in their choice of programs after the release of final GED results, will not be able to do so afterwards.
- Any student who fails in one subject or more in the first term exams has to choose and change his/ her choices of programs at the given dates, in order to avoid losing his /her right to compete with other students if he/she passes the second round exams.
- Students shall choose academic programs according to their wishes and their predicted results that reflect their real levels in school.
- Students who re-sit final examinations will not be able to apply to programs requiring personal interviews, admission tests, or medical checks because deadlines of the mentioned admission procedures end before the release of re-sit examinations results.
- HEAC will determine such student's entitlement for a program after the release of second round results based on the last Competitive Score of the programs arranged by him/her.
- Student have the right to claim a program he/she is entitled to the next academic year, if all program's seats have been occupied and there are no vacant after the first allocation for that specific program or 1st semester has started, or the institution does not accept new student after a certain date.

Students with Disabilities

- Students with disabilities shall select programs that are convenient to their type of disability.
- For example: a student with a physical disability should not apply for programs that require physical fitness, because it contradicts with the program requirements.
- The types of disabilities are categorized by the Ministry of Social Development as follows:

Visual	Physical	Dawn's Syndrome
Hearing	Mental	Autism

In case the student registered in the Admission Electronic System, he/she shall specify the type of his/her disability from the above mentioned, and the system will generate the eligible programs that accept his/her type of disability.

Students Holding Certificates Equivalent to GED or International Qualifications

- The following students should enter their personal details through the registration screen in HEAC online system: Omani students who obtain certificates equivalent to GED from outside Oman, Omani students who obtain international qualifications from outside Oman, and Omani students who obtain certificates equivalent to GED from the communities' schools inside Oman. Failure to upload the details accurately would deprive students of getting their entitled seats. Moreover, those students will not be eligible to compete for the offered scholarships, seats or grants or their registration will be cancelled unless they upload a copy of their final transcripts, civil card, and equivalency letter (when required) to the specified link at HEAC system.
- Students holding certificates equivalent to GED, international qualifications, vocational certificates or specialized secondary school certificates should register and select programs during the specified period regardless of the their results in the first semester <u>if available</u> and they will not able to register or change their choices of programs after the release of their final exam results.
- HEAC will allocate students with International Qualifications and certificates
 equivalent to GED, whose results are announced after the first allocation round,
 according to their arrangement of program preferences, provided that their
 competitive scores are higher than the last competitive score allocated in that
 program.
- A (technical team) will be assigned to sort and verify the certificates equivalent to GED. Upon this committee's decisions, the application will be processed. There is a student guidebook for international qualification holders available in both Arabic and English.
- Students holding certificates equivalent to GED and international qualifications from inside and outside Oman should upload the following documents into HEAC system through the specified link:
 - 1. Copy of the final certificate or transcript (immediately after the release of final results)
 - 2. Copy of the civil card (front and back photocopy), or passport. (valid)
 - 3. Equivalence certificate from the Ministry of Education (if needed). Note that certificates awarded by public schools at GCC countries, or private schools which apply the public education system in the GCC countries do not require an equivalence certificate from the Omani Ministry of Education except for certificates issued in the Kingdom of Saudi Arabia.
- In case a student has obtained a temporary Equivalence Certificate from the Ministry of Education, he/she will be followed up by HEAC concerning his/her final examinations results. If the student's certificate is proved to not fulfill the equivalency conditions, his/her seat will be terminated.

- Students who study foreign qualifications and their scores are issued in letter grades, shall attach the (grading system/ grading scale) from the certificate's issuing authorities mentioned in their grade transcript (usually at the back side of the transcript) or any relevant document from the issuing authority. Otherwise, their results will be converted according to Omani GED grading system by calculating the average of each score.
- HEAC coordinates with the HEIs in order to consider the applications of Vocational and Specialized Secondary School Certificates' holders who are not able to select programs at HEAC system because of their different study nature.
 HEAC will not consider any application unless the student is already registered in the system (has a username and password number) in due time.

Saudi Arabia Secondary School Certificate holders

Omani students holding secondary school certificate form Kingdom of Saudi Arabia shall provide an equivalence certificate issued by the Omani Ministry of Education (MoE), which requires student to set for the National Center for Assessment tests (General Aptitude Test GAT) and (Summative Assessment Test SAT) and inform HEAC with the tests results to be eligible to compete on higher education institutions' programs, internal and external scholarships and grants.

- GAT and SAT results will be considered while calculating the competitive score.
- Students shall upload photocopies of the following documents in the specified link:
 - 1. Final certificate or transcript
 - 2. GAT results
 - 3. SAT results
 - 4. Equivalence certificate from (MoE)
 - 5. Civil card of passport (front and back sides)
- The method for calculating the competitive score of this category of students:

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(Total average of all the subjects taken by a student)

Total grade of the subjects required for the program

x 40% +

Number of all subjects

Number of required subjects
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- **STEP 1** (result 1) x 30% = (result 2)
- STEP 2: GAT results x 30% = (result 3)
- STEP 3: SAT results x 40% = (result 4)

Competitive Score = Result 2 + Result 3 + Result 4

Student can upload the required documents as illustrated in the following steps provided that documents are uploaded in PDF form only and the size should not exceed 512 KB. The link of uploading documents will be available starting from the 1st of July 2017.

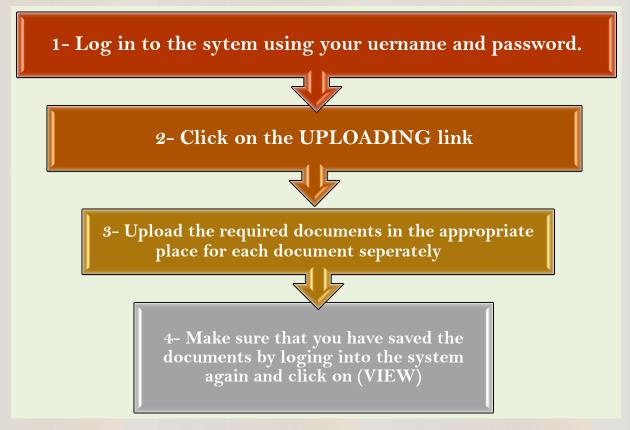


Figure 2

Admission System General Procedures

- You must read this Guidebook carefully since it contains all information a student needs to know, whereas HEAC website contains frequently asked questions with their answers.
- You may try to call the center, but we do not recommend this because a lot of people, undoubtedly, will be trying to contact us, and you would have difficulty reaching us due to busy telephone lines, so the best way to contact us is through e-mails (public.services@mohe.gov.om), or social media websites (Facebook Twitter), through which we can receive as many messages as possible at the same time and answer them.
- HEAC will obtain necessary personal details of students sitting for GED exams
 directly from the Ministry of Education, including student's name, address,
 national civil number, date of birth, gender, name of school and any other
 information that HEAC may require. On the other hand, Omani students

- studying outside Oman are required to enter their personal details by themselves in the electronic system.
- You can log in to (www.heac.gov.om) in order to get a username and a password.
 In case you found a difficulty logging into HEAC website, may use HEAC
 SMS service or HEAC mobile application (ELTAHIQ) for this purpose.
- Students of non-Omani fathers who acquired Oman nationality, or those of Omani mother and non-Omani father should provide HEAC with evidence from the Ministry of Interior, proving their eligibility to apply for the public higher education seats in Oman.
- Admission applications for the Academic Year (2019/2020) will be treated in accordance with the procedures and timetables described in this Guidebook. Students will be notified of any subsequent changes through the HEAC website, as well as, the various media. It is, therefore, your responsibility to be absolutely aware of these updates. It is also your responsibility to check your eligibility (=whether you meet the minimum requirements) to competitively apply for any program you choose.
- HEAC website (<u>www.heac.gov.om</u>) includes more details about application procedures to HE seats along with any changes that may occur later.
- The various HEAC procedures are designed specifically to ensure that all applicants are treated fairly. However, bear in mind the following:
- Fairness means treating all applicants equally; it does not mean making special arrangements for some applicants who have ignored the rules and instructions. You must realize that your actions may also have an impact on other applicants who have equal rights.
- You must react reasonably and carefully, without expecting any special treatment in terms of applying system procedures, because this may not be fair to others.
- If you have followed the procedures correctly, you will not be deprived of any place to which you are entitled.
- You will be informed of any program seat have been offered either through HEAC website or through SMS message, and HEAC mobile application (ELTAHIQ) which will be sent to the mobile telephone number which you have registered in the system. You should, therefore, frequently login to HEAC admission system to check whether there are any updates and keep your mobile phone switched on at all times. HEAC will not be responsible if your mobile phone was switched off or you were travelling.
- Travelling abroad is not an excuse for students who did not take actions required by HEAC before the relevant deadlines, HEAC will not be responsible for any offer you miss.
- The HEAC admission system does not allow accepted students to request transferring to another HEI, or change to another program in the same HEI, unless he/she received another offer from HEAC. Student may require to transfer to another HEI after the end of all allocation processes by referring to the same HEI and not to HEAC, as per laws and systems applied in that HEI.

Converting Scores of International Certificates Holders for the

*This table is subject to alteration due to changes occurring in the curricula of the International Certificates.

	IB	(
High Level	Standard Level	A Level	AS level	Proposed Scores
7		A		100
6	7	В	A	97
				94
5	6	C	В	91
				88
4	5			85
			С	82
3	4	D		79
				76
2	3			73
		E	D	70
1	2			67
				64
	1		E	61

- Higher Education Institutions have the right to set the admission conditions and requirements in their programs which they find appropriate for the International Qualification holders.
- (A- AS Level) students whose results are released after the first allocation will be treated as those students who re-sit GED examinations (second round students) in case there are no seats available in the list of programs they are eligible for, they will be offered another program selected by them, or wait until the next year to be offered the same program to which they are entitled.
- Student shall obtain an equivalence certificate from the Ministry of Higher Education to compete on the programs of HEIs.
- Additional grades will be scored with the competitive score as follows:
 - 1. Score A* for A-Level students.
 - 2. The subject (TOK) for IB students.

^{*}Student shall upload (final results certificate and transcript + equivalence certificate + photocopy of civil card) to the HEAC system after release of results in order to compete in the first allocation stage.

Registration and Admission procedures

Stage	Procedure	Deadline				
Registration	Registration (applying through the HEAC electronic system)	1st of April to 1st of June 2019				
Trial Allocation	Announcement of Trial Allocation Results	25 th of May every year				
Re- applications*	Change of Course or Program Preferences	Applicants will be given an opportunity to make changes in their program preferences for a specified period after examination results have been announced. The exact closing date will be announced on HEAC website.				
Admission	Announcement of candidates to set for admission tests, interviews and medical checks	After one week of the end of (Making changes in progra preferences) period				
interviews/ tests	Carrying out interviews and medical checks	Interviews appointments will be announced for each HEI. The exact schedule will be announced on the HEAC website.				
First allocation	Program offers: Announcement of the results of first allocation round	After finishing all interviews and medical checks.				
	Accepting offers** Registration at the HEIs	For a period of maximum one week following the announcement of the results of the first allocation round				
	Announcement of new and vacant programs (if available)	One week after the first allocation process ends				
	Applying for new and/or vacant programs	One week after the announcement of new and vacant programs				
Second allocation round	Announcement of second allocation results	One week after the deadline of applying to new and vacant programs				
	Deadline (to accept an offer) for the second allocation and complete the registration procedures	During a week after the results of second allocation round are announced				

First: Registration Phase from 1st of April to 1st June

^{*}All students who wish to make changes in their courses or program preferences must do so during the period (after the examination results of the General Education Diploma are released in Oman). This date shall also apply to those who will be re-sitting their examinations, and student of International Certificates. Such students will NOT be allowed to make changes to their choices after the results of the re-sit examinations are announced.

^{**}Students who do not accept offers and complete registration procedures before the due deadline will lose their offers after 2:00 pm in the deadline day because their offers will immediately be given to applicants on the waiting list.

The first registration period will take place from the 1st of April until the 1st of June 2019. You can make changes in your program preferences after the announcement of final examination results. You are, therefore, advised to include your program choices in the form included in this handbook and keep it so you can remember your choices of selected programs.

Registration procedures:

- 1. Carefully read through the student guidebook guidelines, procedures, program requirements and decide which programs of study you wish to select.
- 2. Watch presentations on "How to register using the HEAC electronic admission system" available on the HEAC website.
- 3. You can submit your application (register) through HEAC website, SMS or mobile application (ELTAHIQ) through online application form with no less than 12 programs preferences you are eligible for. Your choices may include different programs in public and private HEIs, and external and internal scholarships and grants in the HEIs inside and outside the Sultanate.
- 4. All students must register and choose programs during the specified period and they have to meet the registration deadline regardless of the outcome of the first semester term exams. There will be no opportunity for students who re-sit the GED examinations to register or change their program preferences after the release of the second round examination results.
- 5. Students should verify their personal details (name, date of birth, gender, national civil number, etc.) In case of any incorrect information, they should contact the Directorate General of Educational Assessment at the Ministry of Education on the following numbers: (24127001 24127105 24127091 24127087 24127043 24127090 24127100- 24127144 -24127123 24127089 24127020 24127077- 24127130 -24127101)
- 6. Social security students should verify their details as provided by the Ministry of Social Development and indicates the department or center from which they have obtained their Social Security Card. In case of discrepancy, they should contact the following number: (24694552) and inform HEAC accordingly before the 30th of July 2019. To contact the Social Development Offices in the governorates they may access HEAC website to obtain their phone numbers.
- 7. All Social Security cases should be verified by the Ministry of Social Development to be eligible to compete on Social Security seats.
- 8. Complete the required details and make sure that you provide your phone numbers and e-mail which would enable HEAC to contact you for seat offering. It is,

therefore, necessary to provide us with your correct mobile phone number and email address so that you can receive important messages from HEAC such as an offer of a seat, scholarship, grant or a change in the admission requirements, etc. It is always preferred that the mobile phone should be your own and is not used by any other person in order not to miss important messages from HEAC such as a program offer SMS, or a change of program requirement which may affect your future. If you are using another person's mobile phone, then you should have full confidence that the person concerned will provide you with the exact information received in the mobile phone in due time.

- 9. The system will send a short text message to your mobile phone to inform you of any change or update in your personal data, for example: "phone number".
- 10. Higher education institutions and the Ministry of Higher Education specify the minimum admission requirements for each program. You should, therefore, carefully read these requirements before applying for a specific program. Hence, when you competitively apply for any program you should ensure that you satisfy the minimum entry requirements for that program, and your grades in each required subjects. For example, if Biology is a part of the requirements of a particular program, you should use your common sense and refrain from applying to such program unless Biology was one of the subjects you took at school. Otherwise, you will lose one of your choices of the programs since you do not satisfy one of the competitive conditions for that program.
- 11. You should rank your programs in order of preference. HEAC system aims to competitively select you for one of your preferred programs provided you meet the requirements and depending on the competition (other candidates) and available seats. Avoid selecting programs based on your expected exam results only. Also, avoid guessing and assumption and do not pay attention to rumors. Our advice to you is to keep in touch with the Career Guidance Specialist at your school or region or contact the HEAC if you have any doubt or query.
- 12. You are advised to apply for the maximum number of preferred programs for which you are eligible to, and not just for programs with high requirements in order to have more chances of receiving a seat offer.

Note that all applicants will be allowed to arrange unlimited number of program preferences they are eligible for, but not less than 12 programs. Only those who are not eligible for more than 12 programs, can apply less than this number.

- 13. Some programs require the applicant to have an (IELTS) especially for those who wish to competitively apply for the external scholarship programs, so make sure that you read carefully all the requirements of your selected programs.
- 14. You can competitively apply for the program you prefer the most, even if other students score better than you during the final exam. You do not have to worry in such a situation because the system is flexible; meaning that even if you cannot be competitively selected for your preferred program, then you will automatically compete for your next preferred option (based on your list of ranked preferences) provided you meet the minimum requirements.

- 15. The Higher Education Institutes may require additional conditions for a particular program. For example, the region where student resides could be one of the additional conditions when applying for Health Sciences programs. Therefore, the eligibility will be only for students from the region or governorate stated by the institute. Similarly, programs related to Fine Art or Physical Education will require additional tests carried out by the institute, and the results of these tests will determine the student eligibility to compete for the seats.
- 16. We advise you to select your programs based on your preference and nor on your speculation of what might happen. There is a common mistake whereby many students rank their preferences based on their expected final examination results. For example, "some students may hope to study Medicine, but feel they would not qualify. They might, therefore, put Medicine as their fifth preference and another subject as their first. However, you may get the grades required to study Medicine, but by then, it would be too late to do anything because you will have already been offered a scholarship, seat or grant in one of your first 4 preferences, and you will not be offered a lower preference (which in this case would be Medicine)".

Steps You Must Follow before Registration at HEAC system

Read this Guidebook carefully

2 Look for additional information about the programs you choose

You can watch a video about registration on the link

"Admission and Bosistantian Broadwas" of UEAC melaite

Arrange your programs in order of preference and consult your

parents and career guidance specialist at you school

10. You may log in again into the system before the end of registration phase to make sure that your application is correct.



9. Remove all program preferences you are not eligible for, then click on SAVE



8- The not eligible programs in regards of grades and subject will be marked in red color



7. Make sure you rank your choices in order of preference, then click on SAVE



6. Log in to your page by username and password. Enter your program preferences in the application form

5. Keep your password", in case you missed the password, refer to student guidebook page number ()



Figure 3

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Steps you must follow during registration in the electronic admission system

1. Register in HEAC admission system during the period from 1st of April until 1st of June



2- Click on New Register in the "Undergraduate Level" Section.



3- Select what applies to you whether you are one of the students studying inside or overseas.



4. Make sure your personal information are correct and if there is an error, please contact the "Directorate General for Educational Assessment" of the Ministry of Education. If you are studying outside Oman, you should enter your personal information, school subjects, and grades, then complete the rest required data.

HEAC Mobile Application (Eltahiq)

- Services provided through Eltahiq:

Through HEAC mobile application, Omani students - who obtained General Education Diploma or any equivalent certificate, from Oman or abroad- will be able to apply to public higher education (HEIs) institutions, internal and external scholarships and grants, and complete all required procedures of such seats, such as:

1- Register at HEAC electronic system, set a username and get a password, retrieve password in case you missed or forgot.

2- Enter your personal details / modify

if needed (telephone number - type of income - type of

Disability if applicable)

- 3- Enter your school subject grades, and (upload copies of the required documents in case you are holding an International qualification)
- 4- Find out your eligible programs.
- 5- Select your program preferences from the available public

HEIs' programs, internal and external scholarships and grants

in Oman or abroad.

- 6- Add / delete program preferences during registration periods.
- 7- View program seat offer after the release of first allocation round.
- 8- Accept / reject program seat offer.
- 9- View important registration dates and deadlines.
- 10- Access to HEAC website and social media pages.

- Target group:

Students – who have obtained General Education Diploma or equivalent from Oman or abroad, who are willing to enroll at public HEIs, internal and external scholarships and grants.





Main Menu

- 1- HEAC social media accounts.
- 2- Contact us.
- 3- HEAC services.
- 4- News (news, announcements, notifications).
- 5- About HEAC, HEAC mobile application, the aim of the application.



Registration / Login Page

If you are not Registered please REGISTER Here 1

🖹 Login

× * Username
× * Password

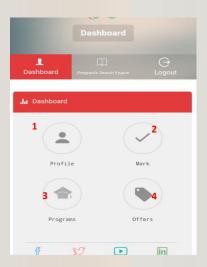
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Forgot Password?

1- Click on (Register Here) to register at HEAC electronic system and get a password.
2- If you have already registered at HEAC electronic system, you can login to your page using your username and password.
3- Back to previous screen.

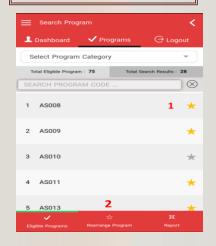
Registration Page

- 1- Select study place.
- 2- Select type of qualification; fill in the required personal information.
- 3- Back to previous screen.



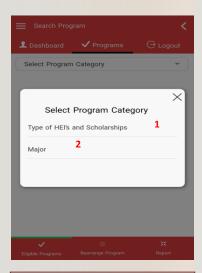
Dashboard

- 1- Make sure required information are all completed.
- 2- Check out your school subject grades.
- 3- Arrange your program preferences.
- 4- View seat offer.
- · Students studying abroad shall login through specified link/page.



Eligible programs

- 1- You may select your program preferences by clicking (*).
- 2- You may arrange your program preferences through clicking on (Rearrange program preferences).



Arranging program preferences

- · You may view programs according to:
- 1- Type of seat (public seat/ internal scholarship/ external scholarship/ internal grant/ external grant).
- 2- Program area of study.



Rearrange Program Preferences

- · You may rearrange your program preferences by:
- 1- Ascending or descending order using (\uparrow) or (\downarrow) .
- 2- Program numbers table.
- 3- Clicking on program preferences and moving them up or down.
- 4- After you finish arranging your program preferences, click on (SEND).
- 5- Arranged program preference report.

Ordering Your Program Preferences

• In what order do you arrange your program preferences?

Khalid has accepted this program offer

Khalid was excluded from these programs as he got a better Programs of study should be placed based on the order of your preferences, the highest preference first and so on. The HEAC system is designed to give you the best of the program preferences for which you are eligible.

For example: Khalid wishes to be an architecture engineer in future. While he arranges his program preferences, he focuses on engineering programs in different HEIs in Oman, besides the external scholarships and grants in engineering.

The following table is an illustrative example. It contains the first ten options of programs entered by 'Khalid' and are arranged in order of preference, and the programs for which he is eligible. The data mentioned in the table is hypothetical.

	Choice	Program Code	Area	Program Type	Number of seats	Minimum "competitive score " accepted for the program	Khalid's score in his the required subjects	Khalid's status in each program
	1	LA020	Engineering	External Scholarships (Country 1)	50	99.6*	96.3	**Not accepted
>	2	YG004	Engineering	External Scholarships (Country 2)	100	94.6	95.4	Accepted
	3	RC105	Engineering	External Scholarships (Country 3)	80	97.2	92.3	-
	4	ML067	Engineering	Public program (1)	80	98.3	96.3	-
	5	TF125	Engineering	Public program (2)	50	93.2	93.9	-
	6	CL019	Engineering	Internal scholarship (1)	40	87.6	95.2	-
	7	RT032	Engineering	Internal scholarship (2)	30	89.8	96.3	-
	8	ND002	Science	External Scholarships (Country 1)	30	83.4	96.3	-
	9	KC602	Science	Public program (1)	50	77.5	96.3	-
	10	CD193	Science	Internal scholarship (1)	50	97.4	94.0	-
	(Table	1)						

^{*} The minimum competitive average score accepted was for student number (50) in the list of students who are eligible for this program.

- ** Not accepted: means that Khalid's competitive average score "96.3" is lower than the score "99.6" of the last applicant offered a seat in this program, therefore, Khalid will be in the waiting list for this program.
- From the above table, it is obvious that there are (100) seats available for the second program (YG004) and (50) seats for the fifth program (TF125) and so on.

The question here is: What programs should be offered to Khalid?

- The program (YG004) comes in the second place in Khalid list of programs preferences; he will be offered this program (YG004). All the programs that were ranked lower than his second choice will be deleted as the system has given him the best option he is entitled to in his list of programs preferences. It is not expected from Khalid to demand a program that is lower in his list of program preferences (TF125). Khalid's "competitive average" in his first choice (LA020) is lower than the last student accepted in this program; therefore, Khalid will be in the waiting list for this program. In case of vacancy in this program latter on and Khalid is on the top of the waiting list, he will be offered this program (LA020) in the second allocation.

Khalid is in the waiting list for this program	ption	Program code	Specialization	Type of	specific	The lowest competitive score" was accepted into the	Score	Order
	1	LA020	Engineering	External Scholarships (Country 1)	50	99.6*	96.3	5

(Table 2)

In the case of the withdrawal of (5) students from this program (LA020) Khalid will be within students who will be offered (LA020) in the second allocation, and if we assume that he has already accepted program (YG004), it is up to him, now to stay in this program or to accept the second offer and in latter case, someone else on the waiting list of the program (YG004) will be offered the seat.

Order of Merit (Seat Allocation)

As an illustrative example, the following tables (3) and (4) show how the electronic admission system compares between applicants. It contains a list of five programs for 4 students (Nasser, Fatima, Ahmed, and Aliaa). Each has different preference of programs. Nasser has (LA001) as a first choice in his list because his dream is to study this discipline. Fatima has the same program (LA001) as third choice, because she wishes to study (ML067) most and if she is not offered this program, her second best preference is (YG004) and if she is not offered this either, then she prefers (LA001) as a third best. It is the same case with Ahmed and Aliaa, the programs are arranged in the order of preference.

(Data contained in the hypothetical tables for illustrative purposes only):

(Table 3)

	N	asser	F	atima	Ah	med	Aliaa		
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NO. CHOICE	Program	Competitive score of student	Progra m	Competitive score of student	Program	Competitive score of student	Program	Competitive score of student	
1	LA001	85	ML067	87	RC105	92	RC105	87	
2	YG004	97	YG004	99	LA001	90	ML067	83	
3	RC105	90	LA001	80	TF125	81	YG004	90	
4	ML067	88	TF125	82	ML067	85	LA001	78	
5	TF125	80	RC105	95	YG004	98	TF125	90	
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Table (4) illustrates the applicants order in "order of merit" according to the highest competitive score, and the number of available seats in each program listed.

(Table 4)

Order of prog	student	~	Order of students in the program ML067			Order of students in the program YG004		Order of students in the program TF125			Order of students in the program RC105			
Number o	of seats a (2)	vailable		oer of se ilable (1		Number of seats available (4)			Number of seats available (5)			Number of seats available (1)		
Student name	Competitive score of student	No. of a program in student list of choice	Student name	Competitive score of student	No. of a program in student list of choice	Student name	Competitive score of student	No. of a program in student list of choice	Student name	Competitive score of student	No. of a program in student list of choice	Student name	Competitive score of student	No. of a program in student list of choice
Ahmed*	90	2	Nasser*	88	4	Fatima*	99	2	Aliaa*	92	5	Fatima*	95	5
Nasser*	85	1	Fatima	87	1	Ahmed*	98	5	Fatima*	82	4	Ahmed	92	1
Fatima	80	3	Ahmed	85	4	Nasser*	97	2	Ahmed*	81	3	Nasser	90	3
Aliaa	78	4	Aliaa	83	2	Aliaa*	90	3	Nasser*	80	5	Aliaa	87	1

^{*}Students who may be accepted in the program according to number of seats.

Since the system gives the student the best option, after arranging all applicants in the "order of merit", the result of allocation will be as follows:

Allocation of program: LA001 - available seats (2)

Seat (1):

Ahmed will be offered the first seat in (LA001) because he scored the highest competitive average. Since this program is his second choice, he will be in the waiting list of his first choice (RC105) and the programs ranked lower than his first or second choice (LA001) will be deleted (ML067, YG004, TF125) (table 3).

Seat (2):

-Nasser will be offered the second seat in the same program (LA001) because he is the student who follows Ahmed in the "competitive average" for this program. Since Nasser got his first choice, (Table 4) all the programs following his first choice will be cancelled: (ML067, YG004, TF125, RC105). This means that Nasser will not be in any waiting list of any other program in other allocations because he got his first and best choice.

Allocation of program: ML067 - seats available (1): Seat (1): Due to the availability of only one seat in the program (ML067) and Nasser has been cancelled from its waiting list since he got his first choice, so this seat will be offered to the next student in the list of "order of merit".

Therefore, Fatima will be offered the seat in this program (ML067) which is her first choice (table 4), and consequently, she will be cancelled in the list of "order of merit" in all programs ranked lower than that (LA001, YG004, TF125, RC105). In other words, Fatima will not be in any waiting list as she got her first choice.

Allocation of program: (YG004)-available seats (4), and the program (TF125) - available seats (5)

-Due to the availability of four seats in the program (YG004), and five seats in the program (TF125), (Nasser, Fatima, and Ahmed) have been cancelled from their "order of merit lists" because they have been offered programs of a higher preference in their programs list. Aliaa will be offered her third choice (YG004), and since there is no student in the list of "order of merit" for the program (TF125), seats will remain vacant and will be announced to students in the next allocation.

Allocation of program: (RC105)-available seats (1)

Seat (1):

- -Due to the availability of one seat only in the program (RC105) and Fatima has been cancelled from the "list of merit" in this program because she was offered her first choice, this program will be offered to the next student in the "list of merit".
- -Ahmed is still in the waiting list of this program. As this program is his first choice; the system will offer Ahmed the program (RC105) in the second allocation, to replace his previous offer (LA001), Ahmed will not be in the waiting list of any other programs in the next allocations because he has been already offered his best preference. (See allocation of program LA001)
- -If Ahmed accepts the new offer (RC105), he will be immediately withdrawn from program (LA001) and the seat will be offered to the first student in the waiting list for this program.
- Aliaa will remain in the waiting lists of the programs (RC105) and (ML067), which are her first and second choices.

Tie Breaker:

It is the criteria as provided by the HEIs and/or the Ministry of Higher Education to 'break the tie' between students who have equal competitive scores. For example, if the last 5 students who have competitively applied for the Engineering program have equal competitive scores; and there is one vacant seat left, then the Tie Breaker in this program is the one with the highest grade in Mathematics, followed by the highest grade in English Language. Therefore, the student who scores the highest grade in Mathematics will be accepted. In case two students scored equal high grades in Mathematics, the result of the English Language will be the tie breaker.

Second: Trial Allocation

After the end of registration phase, HEAC runs a trial allocation at the end of June, based on programs students have arranged, and their results in the first semester. This procedure aims at informing students of the academic program they will be probably offered according to their arrangement of program preferences. It may also contribute to raising awareness regarding the importance of ordering programs they wish, with a guardian consultancy, because HEAC system is designed to allocate applicants to their preference choices.

It is expected that if a student and his/her guardian would know the result of the trial allocation earlier before final results, this will help decrease many cases of students not selecting the appropriate programs, and consequently requesting HEAC to allow them rearrange their program preferences, which is not possible because the system is offline.

The result of the trial allocation is not necessarily the final results; it depends on some factors such as:

- Scoring an equal/ or a better grade comparing in the second semester examinations.
- Remaining the same order of the program preferences entered during registration phase.
- Student's score compared to other applicants of the same program.
- Student will be given an opportunity to change program preferences after the release of GED final examination results.

Student shall realize the following facts:

- If student did not receive his/her first program preference as an offer in the trial allocation, this does not mean that he/she will be able to compete on this choice in the final allocation. Therefore, student is advised to prevent deleting his/her top program preferences in the next phase especially if they are the best preferences for him/her.
- Student shall use the trial allocation results in double checking his/her program choices as per his/her real preferences and GED or equivalent results.

Third: Making Changes in Program Preferences:

- In July, after the release of final examination results, students will be given a chance to make changes in their program preferences selected during the first registration period (from 01/04 until 01/06/2019). This will be the final chance for students to make any changes in their preferred programs before the first allocation round (final application).
- Students who re-sit the GED examinations, and those students whose final results are announced later than July must make changes in their program preferences, if they wish to do so, in this period (July) because they will not be able to change preferences later after the announcement of GED resit examinations results.
- Students must follow up with any updates and changes that may occur in programs through HEAC website.
- In case you forget or lose your password number, you can retrieve it by sending an (SMS) from your mobile number to (90190) by typing (R) followed by your Civil Number. You will receive an SMS message from HEAC providing you with your password.
- Students must validate their personal data, study subjects and exam results by entering the system using their usernames and passwords.
- Students can see their eligible programs through "the eligible programs link".
- In case there are some programs that appear in red and you do not delete them, you will not be able to save any changes. Therefore, delete programs which appear in red and after that save the changes.
- You may be offered a seat that represents your top preference and which you
 are entitled to, according to seat allocation, so make sure to arrange your
 choices carefully.
- When you are offered one of the programs you have listed in your program preferences, the rest of programs listed below the offered program seat (whether you confirmed the offer or not) will be automatically deleted from the list.
- Students holding certificates equivalent to General Education Diploma from outside Oman who do not upload the required documents: (copy of the transcript, civil card, and (equivalence letter—if required—from the Ministry of Education) before deadline, will not be able to compete on seats and their registration will be considered invalid.

10 Steps Must Be Followed During the Re-Applications Phase



Programs requiring interviews and admission tests

- After receiving the final application of all applicants, students who applied to programs requiring admission tests/ interviews or medical checks will be nominated. Tests/ interviews/ medical checks timetable schedule will be published for them on HEAC website.
- Receiving an offer to set for an admission interview/test in a certain program
 does not mean that you are accepted in that program, because admission to
 any program is based on the following factors:
 - 1. Passing/failing the test/interview/ medical check
 - 2. Number of seats/vacancies.
 - 3. Your order in the list of merit for that program.

Fourth: Offer of Seats Phase (First Allocation):

- After all HEIs finish interviews/ tests and medical checks for their candidates,
 HEAC will allocate all programs in your program list.
- Seats are offered to students according to the "order of merit list", eligible students will be offered the highest choice entitled to according to their exam results, admission requirements and the number of available seats assigned to that particular programs of study.
- Students offered a seat will receive an SMS to the mobile number (registered at HEAC system) at the day of announcing results. The messages will show the students' (Civil ID number) and the code of the program for which they have been offered. Please note that SMS is a supporting service and the HEAC is not responsible in case the student does not receive the message. Student has to access the HEAC website to check the program he/she has been accepted.
- You will be given a period of time to accept or decline the offer (you have to accept or register during the specified time). If the HEAC system does not receive your reply before 02.00 pm (local timing) on the last day based on the relevant deadline, you will lose your offered seat, scholarship or grant and it will automatically go to another student on the waiting list and you will have no right to claim the seat at any later time.

- If you do not timely confirm your acceptance of the scholarship, seat or grant (by submitting the required documents to the HEIs or the concerned MoHE department) the offer will go automatically to another eligible student on the waiting list.
- Make sure that you are aware of all the deadlines specified for completing procedures, if you fail to timely comply, you may lose the seat, scholarship or grant offered to you, and it will be transferred to another entitled and eligible student.
- After you complete all the admission and registration procedures, you will
 receive an SMS informing you that you completed the procedures. Please do not
 leave the HEIs until you receive the confirmation SMS or check your status in
 the admission system.
- If the student submitted all the required documents to the institution or concerned MoHE department before the given deadline, but the institution or department did not timely complete his or her online registration procedures, it will be responsible of paying the student fees as per the offered seat features.

Student can view his/her status in the allocation report through the link

"student allocation report" in the HEAC system. (An example is given below) 11 10 9 4 5 1 ŢŢ Rank Eligible Mark Higher Education Institute Name Royal Court Affairs Military Technological College Public Program Internal Scholarship Public - Full Yes SA063 Marine navigation (Deck Officer) International Maritime College Oman 54.59 74 21 2887 Public Program Public Royal Navy of Oman Military Technological College Public Program Military Technological College Public MT001 Office of COSSAF 54.29 Public Program BSC in Aviation Managemen Internal Scholarship Public - Full Public SA088 Modern College of Business and Science 54 59 Internal Scholarship Public - Full Yes Public SA064 Port, Shipping and Transport Management International Maritime College Oman 54.59 3010 Publi Royal Army of Oman Military Technological College Public Program Public English Language and Translation Internal Scholarship Public - Full Yes SA029 Sohar University 3302 SA279 Internal Scholarship Public - Full Yes 55.69 0526 Public Software Engineering Muscat College Public SA087 BSC in Airport Management Modern College of Business and Science Internal Scholarship Public - Full Yes 54.59 80 13 1356 Internal Scholarship Public - Full Yes Information Technology Public 13 SA089 BSC in Health and Safety Modern College of Business and Science Internal Scholarship Public - Full Yes 54 59 1341 Internal Scholarship Public - Full Yes English Literature Broadcasting Public Relations Advertising Writing Professional English Bayan College Internal Scholarship Public - Full Yes Bachelor of Psychology Public 15 SA128 Mazoon College 56 69 82 99 1356 Majan College Internal Scholarship Public - Full Yes Fees Bachelor of Graphic Design (Printing) 17 SA138 56.69 73.97 1003 Public Scientific College of Design SA023 Internal Scholarship Public - Full Yes Fees 56.69 1652 Internal Scholarship Public - Full Yes 55.69 1478 Public 19 SA024 Business Sohar University 76.33 SA028 Internal Scholarship Public - Full Yes 54.59

Figure 6 "student allocation report"

- 1. Type of program chosen.
- 2. Order of the program in your list of programs.

- 3. Allocation number (1, 2).
- 4. Program code.
- 5. Name of program
- 6. Name of the HEI offering this program.
- 7. Program finance type.
- 8. Eligibility (Yes or No).
- 9. Your "competitive score" in the program.
- 10. The "competitive score" of last student offered a seat in the program.
- 11. Your order in the waiting list.

4 Steps You Must Follow After the Announcement of Allocation Results

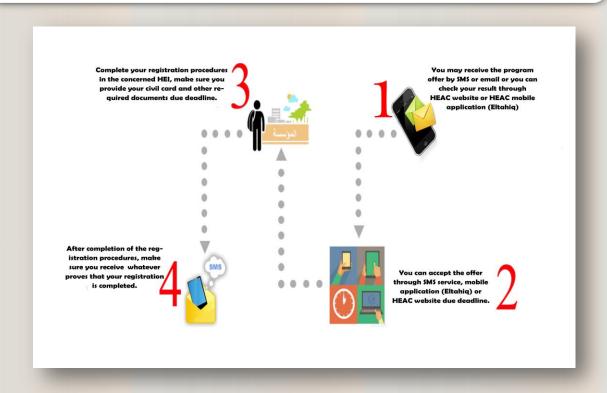


Figure 7

Accepting Offers and Completing Registration Procedures

If you wish to accept an offer of a seat, scholarship or grant, you should follow one of the following two steps:

- 1. You may accept an offer online through HEAC website www.heac.gov.om and after that login to the electronic admission system or via HEAC mobile Application (Eltahiq).
- 2. You may also accept an offer by sending an SMS message to (90190) containing the letter (A) followed by your HEAC number (password). You would then receive a text message, confirming that your acceptance has been recorded. That message would provide for the following: "your acceptance of the offer is successful". If you do not receive such message within half an hour, then you must access HEAC website to check if the admission offer is valid.

Notes:

- Travelling abroad is not an excuse for students who did not take actions required by HEAC before the relevant deadlines. HEAC is not responsible if you dismissed an offer.
- If you are a social security student and have obtained a full internal scholarship, you must register your bank account number through the link of (ACCEPT/ OR REJECT) in the electronic admission system.

Documents

It is recommended that student should have the following documents when registering at the higher education institutions:

- 1. General Education Diploma or its equivalent.
- 2. A copy of the civil card or passport.
- 3. Recent photographs.
- 4. Students who are accepted in Low Income Internal Scholarships should present a proof that they belong to this category and any other documents that may be required by the institution.

Documents confirming the status of the student as "low-income" should be submitted to the institute in which the student is accepted and not to HEAC.

^{*} Note: Higher Education Admission Centre does not receive any paper document required by the higher education institutions or the concerned MoHE department from students, such as the above mentioned documents

Where and How I Can Complete My Registration Procedures at the Public HEIs, Scholarships, and Grants

No	HEI / Authority	Where? / How? to complete registration procedures
1	External Scholarships and Grants	(Student Services) link at MoHE website: www.mohe.gov.om
2	Internal Scholarships (BS programs)	Students accepted shall: 1- Submit the required documents to the HEI. 2- Log in to (Student Services) link at MoHE website and register at MoHE system.
3	Internal Scholarships (SF-SP)	Students accepted shall: 1- Submit the required documents to the HEI the student
4	Internal Grants (PDO)	wishes to enroll at, according to the major and qualification he/she wants to obtain. 2- Log in to (Student Services) link at MoHE website and register at MoHE system.
5	Sultan Qaboos University (SQU)	Online portal (Milad) at SQU website: www.squ.edu.om
6	Military Technological College (MTC)	MTC building – Airport Heights Area
7	College of Al Sharia'a Sciences	The college building – Al Khuwair / Muscat
8	Colleges of Applied Sciences (CAS)	Online portal of (CAS) http://newstd.cas.edu.om
9	Colleges of Technology	Go to the nearest college to your home
10	Vocational Colleges and the Vocational College of Marine Sciences	Go to the nearest college to your home
11	Institutes of Health Sciences and Nursing	Go to the nearest institute to your home

Muscat Governorate	Foundation Year building at institutes complex / Muscat
	– Al Wutaiya
AlBatinah North Governorate	Sohar Nursing Institute
AlBatinah South Governorate	Al Rustaq Nursing Institute
AlSharqiya North Governorate	Ibraa Nursing Institute
AlSarqiya South Governorate	Sur Nursing Institute
AlDakhiliya Governorate	AlDakhiliya Nursing Institute
Dhofar Governorate	Salalah Nursing Institute
AlDahirah Governorate	AlDahirah Nursing Institute

Dear students! Bear in mind the following points:

Once you receive an offer of a program you listed in your list of preferences, you
will be excluded from the other choices below this program offer (whether you
confirm the offer or not). See the following example:

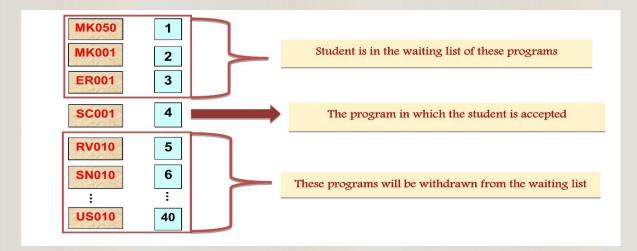


Figure 8

- In case there are some vacant seats, you might be entitled to a place in one of your programs which is higher in your list of preferences in the later allocation. However, it is important that you realize that you may not be considered for a place in any of your higher preferences. You must, therefore, look at any offer made to you as being the last chance that you may get.
- If you do not respond to the offer made to you properly and within the specified timeline, you may lose the offer. You are, therefore, advised to follow up announcements and latest updates on HEAC website during July and August this year which is the period when admission offers are usually announced.
- When re-sit students and holders of international qualifications and other certificates enter into competition, the order of the previous students on the waiting list <u>may change</u> based on the results of those students.
- If you received a new offer in the next allocation (due vacancy occur because some applicants do not accept a particular offer), you may accept it successively. However, acceptance of any offer will immediately and automatically cancel any preceding program acceptance and only one acceptance eventually remains.

Fifth: Vacancies and New Programs (Second Allocation)

After offers have been sent to all eligible applicants for a particular program, some seats may remain unfilled because some offers were not accepted or the number of available seats exceeds the number of eligible applicants. Also, new programs may subsequently arise, in these cases, such vacancies will be advertised on the website www.heac.gov.om and through SMS messages that these seats are available to all students to apply for.

You may apply for vacant seats through the electronic admission system, whether you have registered in the system before or not. If you have not registered before, you can now register through HEAC.

If you are one of those students who <u>have already registered in the admission system</u>, please follow the following steps:

- 1. To edit your choices, you can add more programs to the first list of choices.
- 2. Choose from vacant, and new programs which you are eligible. Note that the system will not allow you to rearrange your previous choices.
- 3. To enter your new choices of programs, you must press on (Insert) button where you want to insert the program in order of preference.
- 4. Save your choices by pressing the button (save).
- 5. Make sure you do not ignore any program code marked in red, you must be aware of the error and fix it, because the system will not be able to save changes you have made in case you do not delete it.
- 6. Print your current page.

See (figure 10) below illustrates the screen of interring program preferences:

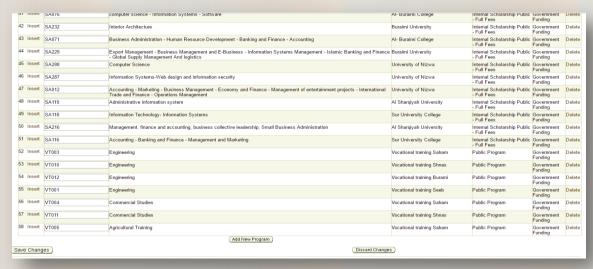


Figure 9

- If you are a student who had never apply before, follow these procedures:
- 1. Register at the Higher Education Admission System (Undergraduate Level).
- 2. Select the programs to which you are eligible and you wish to study in the order of preference in your registration form.

Sixth: The Release of (Second Allocation) Results

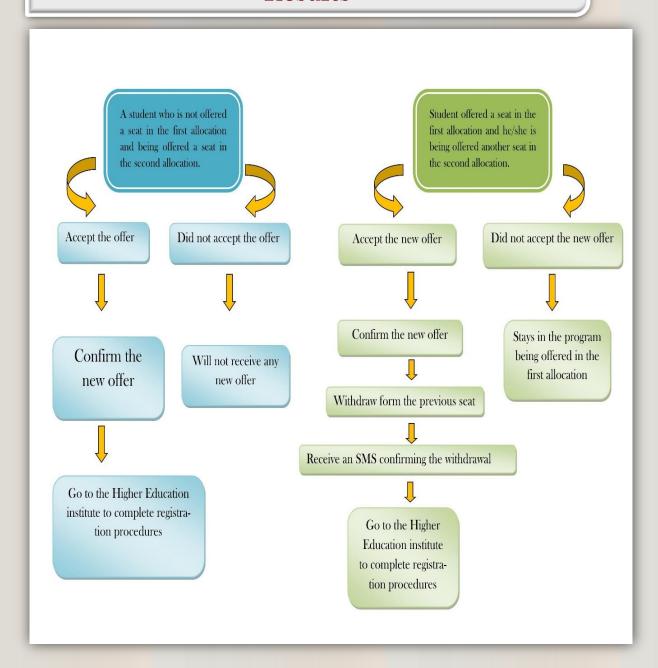


Figure 10

Notes

- 1- Students who have received offers in the first allocation are entitled to compete in the second allocation.
- 2- A student who has obtained and accepted a new offer in the second allocation in another institution und has to withdraw his/her documents from the first institution or department and shall complete the registration procedures with the second institution or department.
- 3- Student being offered a new program during the second allocation round in the same institution as in the first round; shall go to the admission and registration department in that institution or department and inform them about the new offer in order to complete the registration procedures for the new program.
- 4- Student who wishes to move to another HEI, or transfer from his allocated program to another one <u>after finishing the first semester</u>, he/she shall contact the institution or department concerned without referring to HEAC.

Admission Support Services

1) Appeal Request Service

The appeal requests are submitted to Appeal Board, which consists of specialists from outside the Ministry of Higher Education who are assigned by a Ministerial Decree to consider objections filed by applicants who claim that HEAC has treated them unfairly or who believe that their complaints have not been settled by HEAC.

Appeal submission deadlines are as follows:

	Type of Appeal	Submission Period
1	Appeal in regard to registration in the HEAC system	Within five (5) days after the end of registration period
2	Appeal concerning change in the program choices	Within five (5) days after the end of change of program preferences period
3	Appeal concerning admission offers of the first allocation round	Within five (5) days after the announcement of the first allocation round results
4	Appeal concerning admission offers of the second allocation round	Within five (5) days after the announcement of the second allocation round results

In case of any appeal, you shall put in consideration:

- Online appeal should be submitted through the electronic form available on HEAC website, verbal or written appeals will not be considered.
- Adhere to submission deadlines.

2) Unsatisfactory Arrangement Of Program Preferences Request

All applicants who have received seat offers through HEAC System, whether they accepted these offers or not, or even withdrew from – expect applicants who have completed their registration procedures in external scholarship programs who have received travel receivables – from applying an Unsatisfactory Arrangement Of Program Preferences Request which will be available after the end of completing registration procedures of the first allocation round period, and it continues until the announcement of second allocation round results.

Application requirements:

- An applicant should have received a program offer through HEAC system
- He/she have to apply to a program which is already arranged among his/her program preferences list (provided that it is one of the programs located below the offered seat).
- Should have scored a higher / or an equal competitive score compared to competitive score of the last student in the merit list.
- Vacant seats should be available in that program.
- After the second allocation round, HEAC will contact applicants to confirm their requests, and further they may examine these requests and inform the applicants about the results and the deadlines for completing registration procedures in case they were allocated to new seat offers.

3) Retrieve Seat Service

HEAC may, after the results of the second allocation, examine the online requests of retrieving a seat which was withdrawn from the applicant because he/she did not accept the offer, or failed to complete the registration procedures in the institution due deadline. HEAC will contact these students who lost their seats (only) through SMS. The request will be studied if all of the following conditions are satisfied:

- Availability of vacant seats in that program, and the approval of the HEI to retrieve
 the seat for the student.
- There are no students in the "waiting list" of that program, or there is "a waiting

- list", but the institution decided to accept students who retrieve their seats.
- The student should not be enrolled at any public or private institution, or withdrawn from that seat.
- In case the HEI agreed to retrieve a seat for the student, and he/she did not complete registration procedures at the specified timeline, he/she will not be able in any circumstances- to claim it again.

HEAC SMS SERVICE

- Send SMS message with one of these services from your mobile phone to this number (90190)

*Important Note:

When you write SMS messages you should leave one space between each code or details as they are in the above table.

The student will receive a message back for each message he/she sends if it's correct or not after few minutes, If he doesn't receive any message then this means that the system didn't get his message and he should try again. **It costs 75 Baisa per one message.

#	THE MESSAGE	CODE	MESS	SAGE DESCRIPTION
1	Н	Н	Help	This service will give list of SMS services which are available in the
2	I	I	Information	This service will give the information about Higher Education
3	Civil No set No GSM No GH xxxxxx xxxx xxxxx	GH	Get HEAC Number	This service to get HEAC number
4	HEAC No PI xxxxxxxxx	PI	Personal Information	The student will get his personal information (Name, Date,
5	HEAC No Social No AS xxxxxxx xxxxx	AS	Add Social security number	Student can add Social security number
6	HEAC No S xxxxxxxxxxxx	S	View Social Sec	This service will make the student view the social security number which he/she added
7	HEAC No DS xxxxxxxxxxxx	DS	Delete Social Sec	This service will be used to delete the social security number
8	HEAC No AL xxxxxxxxxxx	AL	Add Low income	This service to add the low income data
9	HEAC No VL xxxxxxxxxxx	VL	View Low income	In this service student can view his/her low income status
10	HEAC No DL xxxxxxxxxxxx	DL	Delete Low income	To delete the low income data
11	Civil No HEAC No GSM No CG xxxxxx xxxxxxx	CG	Change GSM number	To change the GSM (Mobile phone) number with
12	HEAC No Prg Co RP xxxxxxx, xxxxx,xxxxx,	RP	Register Programs	To enter program choices
13	HEAC No Prg Co Prg order IP xxxxxxx xxxxx #2	IP	Insert Programs	This Service to insert programs to the list, so the student will text code (IP) with HEAC number followed by program code and then (#) and the order of program and send to 90190

#	THE MESSAGE	СО		MESSAGE DESCRIPTION
14	HEAC No Delete Prg Co DP xxxxxxx xxxxxxx	DP	Delete Programs	This service to delete program from registered list so the student will text code (DP) with HEAC number and the code of program
15	HEAC No Old prg New prg CP xxxxxx xxxx xxxxx	СР	Change Programs	Service fifteen is to change the programs in the registered programs list, the student will type a message having code (CP) with HEAC number and the old program code, after it the new program code
16	Civil No R xxxxxxxxxxx	R	Registration number	This service is to provide the student with Higher Education Admission Center number (HEAC number), the code (R) with ID number to 90190. The system will send HEAC number to GSM number which is available in the Admission Center database
17	HEAC No P xxxxxxxxxxx	P	Programs	This service will give the programs list which student had chosen, the student should send code (P) with HEAC number
18	HEAC No VS xxxxxxxxxxx	vs	Social security status	The student can through this service to know about his Social Security situation. He/she should send the code (VS) with HEAC number
19	HEAC No G xxxxxxxxxxx	G	Grades	The student will inquire about his grades list which is obtained from Ministry Of Education. He/she should sendcode (G) with HEAC number
20	HEAC No O xxxxxxxxxxx	О	Offered program	The student can know the result of offer through SMS by sending code (O) with HEAC number
21	HEAC No A xxxxxxxxxxx	A	Accept offer	In this service the student will send message which included code (A) with HEAC number to confirm the acceptance of offer
22	Prg Co C xxxxxxxxxxx	C	Criteria	To inquire about the criteria of any program is possible through this service, that the student will send code (C) with the code of program
23	HEAC No EP xxxxxxxxxxx	EP	Find Eligible Program	To inquire about eligible programs

Public Higher Education Institutions, Internal and **External** Scholarships and **Grants**

External Scholarships

> an external scholarship enables a competitively selected and academically qualified recipient to pursue one of the qualifying *undergraduate* degree studies abroad at one of the *recommended* higher education institution;

- There may be a difference among the broader areas of study used in this application handbook (which are aligned with the framework developed by the Oman Academic Accreditation Authority or OAAA), the topics or subject names comprising the scholarships and the exact names of the programmes and degree titles. The exact name of the programme and even content may vary from one overseas institution to another;
- The Ministry of Higher Education continuously strives to further improve the scholarship application procedures and reserves the right to periodically review the eligibility criteria of its scholarship programmes and to adjust these requirements should this be deemed necessary to ensure academic progress and/or facilitate flexibility and promote equality of opportunity for all applicants;
- The external scholarship requirements are (research and consensus)-based on the requirements set by a selected number of overseas higher education institutions that have all been **recommended** for the external undergraduate scholarship programme (please note that when a higher education institution has been *recognized* by the Oman Ministry of Higher Education, it does **NOT** necessarily mean it has also been recommended for any of the scholarship schemes).
- The external scholarship requirements are minimum requirements for competitively applying for a scholarship, this means that specific undergraduate degree programs/higher education institutions may have further entry requirements and therefore the Ministry of Higher Education cannot guarantee securing admission for scholarship recipients to a particular program of preference and/or the preferred University. Hence, the Ministry cannot guarantee you will study your most preferred programme and/or at the University of your (first) choice; The Ministry of Higher Education, through its overseas representatives, reserves the right to select a suitable institution for each scholarship recipient based on, inter alia, the capabilities of the student, the strength/reputation of the institution in a particular subject area, the location of the institution and the university-specific requirements, while in view of some of the scholarship programmes only a limited number of places are offered on the programmes;
- The content pertaining to external scholarship has been researched and put together by a team from the Directorate-General of Scholarships and in cooperation with overseas representatives and higher education institutions. While every effort has been made to ensure that the content of the external scholarship section of the student handbook is accurate and up-to-date, changes might be periodically made as this handbook is published at an early stage in view of the AY 2018/19. These changes will be incorporated in the online edition and will be announced in the media and uploaded to the Higher Education Admission Centre website.
- All sponsored students under the Ministry of Higher Education Scholarship programme are governed by the general scholarship law and are expected to observe the rules and regulations of the Ministry of Higher Education (please refer to www.mohe.gov.om for more details);

- Their scholarship is subject to satisfactory academic performance and their personal conduct while studying abroad. The Ministry reserves the right to monitor and review the academic progress of scholarship students at any given time; the external scholarship only covers the normal duration of the *undergraduate* degree programme of study and the student is expected to complete his/her studies within the time frame specified by the higher education institution;
- All teaching at overseas higher education institution is carried out in English (with the exception of Germany and France) and institutions will expect to demonstrate that you have sufficient fluency in English to cope with your course from the start;
- All external scholarship applicants are advised to take the International English language test system (IELTS) for UK Visa & Immigration (UKVI) Academic Test in April or May 2019 to avoid a future deferral (delay) of admission;
- Scholarship recipients, who do not yet meet the minimum English proficiency requirements of the foundation or undergraduate degree programme, will be provided with an opportunity to take an English pre-sessional course and will have to complete this course within one calendar year (12 months). Only students who met the English language requirements of the course (at least foundation entry level) that comprises their scholarship can pursue their studies abroad in the AY 2019/20. Students who achieved an IELTS score that requires them to pursue an English language course, shall pursue a language course in the Sultanate.
- Should the scholarship recipient fail **meet the required English language** requirements within one calendar year and is therefore NOT able to progress to the foundation or first year of the undergraduate degree program, the Ministry of Higher Education reserves the right to convert the scholarship into an internal scholarship more details will be provided in due course.
- In case the scholarship recipient fails to successfully complete a so-called foundation programme within one (academic) year, the Ministry of Higher Education reserves the right to suspend (=put on hold) the scholarship until the student is able to progress to first year of the undergraduate degree programme; once they have accepted a scholarship offer during the so-called first allocation round and already received their allowances and/or already travelled, they will **no** longer be allowed to competitively apply for another scholarship during the following allocation rounds; scholarship fund in advance (for the whole normal duration of their studies) provided the programme (course or major) and country match the scholarship awarded by the HEAC electronic system.
- The health insurance in Australia does not cover pre-existing or chronic diseases and students suffering from such a condition may be allowed to pursue his/her studies in another study destination depending on his/her competitive overall score;
- > Students applying for a scholarship to study in Poland, should have graduated from a school in the Sultanate of Oman;

- > Students who want to apply for a SSSD scholarship to study in Canada, should take into account that they will start in Jan/Feb due to visa procedures;
- The Ministry of Higher Education is not obliged to assist students in seeking admission to universities prior to the period during which the scholarships are (competitively) awarded nor will the Ministry reimburse any administrative fees associated with seeking admission to universities during this period
- the scholarship will cover the annual tuition fees; a monthly allowance to cover the basic living expenses; some additional allowances as per the scholarship law; and one annual return ticket (Sultanate of Oman study destination) per academic year;
- Once scholarship recipients have accepted a scholarship in a particular area of study in one of the concerned study destinations, under NO normal circumstances will they be allowed to change to a course or major within another broader area of specialization or to move to another study destination.
- ➤ In addition, some scholarships do not allow students change their course or major under any circumstances even if the other major belongs to the same broader area of study please refer to the overview comprising the scholarships listed by codes.
- In case a student who has been accepted by a higher education institution that charges tuition fees that exceed the annual scholarship fund per student, the student shall pay the Ministry of Higher Education the difference between the tuition fees and scholarship fund in advance (for the whole normal duration of their studies) provided the programme (course or major) and country match the scholarship awarded by the HEAC electronic system.
- ➤ The health insurance in Australia does not cover pre-existing or chronic diseases and students suffering from such a condition may be allowed to pursue his/her studies in another study destination depending on his/her competitive overall score;
- Students applying for a scholarship to study in Poland, should have graduated from a school in the Sultanate of Oman;
- > Students who want to apply for a SSSD scholarship to study in Canada, should take into account that they will start in Jan/Feb due to visa procedures;
- The Ministry of Higher Education is not obliged to assist students in seeking admission to universities prior to the period during which the scholarships are (competitively) awarded nor will the Ministry reimburse any administrative fees associated with seeking admission to universities during this period.

UNIVERSITY OF OMAN

- The University of Oman external scholarship program aims to build academic, technical and administrative capabilities to meet the workforce requirements for the future University of Oman;
- The University of Oman scholarships enable academically qualified scholars to pursue their higher undergraduate studies in specific programs at well-reputed and recommended Universities abroad (for more information about the Universities approved for the University of Oman scholarship scheme, please refer to the HEAC website and the April edition of the Your Decision, Your Future magazine);
- It should be noted that the program does **not** guarantee employment of the respective graduates but they will be eligible to apply for job vacancy at the future University of Oman, provided that they meet the eligibility requirements for the position(s);
- Applicants shortlisted for a University of Oman scholarship through the Higher Education Admissions Center (HEAC) electronic system will have to take a skills assessment test in the first week of August 2019 as part of their scholarship application. Applicants may also be shortlisted for an additional interview;
- Applicants should be aware that competition for the scholarship scheme may be high; however, this should not deter students from competitively applying for a University of Oman scholarship. Applicants who do **not** pass the skills assessment test and/or interview will still be able to *compete* for other types of scholarships they applied for;
- Those who will be competitively awarded a scholarship that comprises more than one major or subject, will have to list the specific programs that fall under their scholarship in order of preference during a meeting organized by the external scholarship department and that will take place early August prior to the registration deadline:
- ➤ A list of Universities and specific undergraduate degree programs approved for the University of Oman Scholarship Scheme will be available on the Higher Education Admissions Center (HEAC) website and in the April edition of the Your Decision, Your Future magazine. The list of approved Universities entails the most selective universities internationally. The list of Universities and programs may be modified at any time and as deemed fit in line with development of more selective and competitive programs in the specializations required by the University. Applicants are urged to refer back to the HEAC website on a regular basis in view of important updates;

- > University of Oman scholars are required to secure an admission in one of the listed programs at one of the approved universities within one (academic) year of the scholarship award;
- Students competitively selected for a scholarship (scholarship recipients) are allowed to submit a letter of acceptance from one the approved Universities. Such acceptance letters from Universities will be subject to approval by the University of Oman Project management and the External Scholarship Department as the offer has to match the scholarship;
- Scholarship recipients who did not yet apply to one of the recommended Universities, will be provided with guidance by the Ministry of Higher Education based on their individual situation;
- All candidates should be medically fit to travel and study abroad and must be able to provide a letter of consent, signed by (at least one of the) parents or a legal guardian, allowing them to independently pursue their undergraduate studies abroad.

SCHOLARSHIPS BY AREA OF STUDY AND DESTINATION

An external scholarship 'code' within this category may consist of a number of related subjects. In this case the student has to select a preferred subject before the registration deadline in August 2019. The Ministry of Higher Education cannot guarantee securing admission to the program of highest personal preference though as there may be a limited number of places available (this depends on the specific program and may differ per study destination) and/or the University may have set further requirements (e.g. specific subjects or successful completion of a foundation program) while the Ministry cannot guarantee that students will be able to complete all the further requirements for a particular program;

Scholarship recipients are expected to pursue their undergraduate degree studies at one of the recommended Higher Education Institutions (HEIs) in one of the following study destinations (listed in alphabetical order): Australia, Germany, France, Ireland, Malta, Malaysia, New Zealand, Poland, the Netherlands, the United Kingdom (the UK) or the United States Of America (the USA); in Malta or Poland). Candidates who will be competitively selected for a scholarship to the USA or the UK and a few other study destinations, will be provided with an opportunity to indicate at which Higher Education Institution they *prefer* to pursue their undergraduate degree studies by selecting a number of preferred Universities out of all the Universities recommended for group B. The Ministry reserves the right to select a University on behalf of the scholarship recipient and **cannot** guarantee admission to (one of) the preferred Universities. The list of recommended higher education institutions in all study destinations will be announced in due course and may be subject to change.

The exact names and content of the programmes as offered by the recommended institutions may be slightly different (from the name of the subject) and vary from

one institution to another, this may especially apply to scholarships that are not allocated by one particular institution in this handbook, which usually means that more than one institution offer programmes related to the subjects. For example, one institution may offer 'Software Engineering' while another offers 'Computer Science with Software Engineering' etc etc.

- ➤ Please bear in mind that the degree title on your future qualification usually relates to the broader area of study according to the broad discipline area to which the programme belongs. For example, someone who pursued Software Engineering may be awarded a Bachelor of Science and not a Bachelor of Engineering this depends on the content of the programme and the higher education institution.
- The names of the recommended Higher Education Institutions which are selected for these scholarship recipients are **not** mentioned in this handbook, unless it concerns only one particular higher education institution offering a particular program (e.g.

GCC GRANTS

UNITED ARAB EMIRATES

- **Higher Education Institution:** University of United Arab Emirates
- Study will start on the second semester (2019/2020)
- University requires IELTS Score (5) OR TOEFEL (500) for admission.
- University provides accommodation, food, internal transportation, book, and tuition fees, while the rest of expenses will be the guardian's responsibility.(Partial Grant)
- Student will be given a monthly allowance of (1302) Emirati Dirham from the Ministry of Higher Education Oman.

GCC GRANTS

KUWAIT

- **Higher Education Institution:** Kuwait University, the Public Authority for Applied Education and Training.
- Bachelor degree is awarded for grant recipients.
- University provides accommodation, living expenses, pocket money, travel round trip ticket (Full Grant)
- Student can select the college only, admitted students will be distributed to disciplines by university. (Student is not allowed to change the college enrolled in).
- Student should meet any additional conditions required by the college.
- Colleges of Engineering, Management Sciences require aptitude (Skills) test.
- In case a student failed to achieve the minimum required scores in the aptitude (Skills) test, he/she will be transferred to another college based on vacancies.
- Student should bring his certificates of grades 10,11, and 12 and they should be issued from one country. (Student should have studied these 3 grades in the same country).
- Certificates issued in Oman will be compared and calculate according to Kuwait grading system and school subjects, this process may decrease some grades.
- Students with high school certificate from Kingdom of Saudi Arabia cannot compete on these grants.
- Candidates will set for admission tests of the university, and will be then distributed to disciplines.
- In case of increasing vacancies in a college/ discipline, students may be transferred to that college/ discipline at the same university according to vacancies and procedures.
- Based on registration deadline in Kuwait University, the start of study will be announced (first of second semester).
- To explore more about disciplines at Kuwait University colleges, visit the university website: (http://www.kuniv.edu/ku).
- Grant recipient enrolled to Kuwait University will be given a monthly allowance of (30) Kuwaiti Dinar from the Ministry of Higher Education Oman.
- Grant recipient enrolled to Public Authority for Applied Education and Training will be given a monthly allowance of (30) Kuwaiti Dinar from the Ministry of Higher Education Oman.

GCC GRANTS

KINGDOM OF BAHRAIN

- Higher Education Institution: Arabian Gulf University
- Medium of Study: English Language
- The University will provide tuition fees, accommodation, medical care, internal transportation, while student guardian will be responsible of the costs of books, living expenses, and travelling tickets. (Partial grant).
- Student must pass the interview and aptitude (skills) test/ interview held in the university building and shall pay (50 BD) for the interview and aptitude (Skills).
- Grant recipient enrolled to Bahrain Universities will be given a monthly allowance of (134) Bahraini Dinar from the Ministry of Higher Education Oman.

SULTAN QABOOS UNIVERSITY

Important Notes for SQU New Students:

- The Foundation Program has a mandatory constituent input to the study in all colleges of Sultan Qaboos University in order to qualify the student by achieving the prescribed learning outcomes in English Language, Mathematics, Information Technology (IT) and General Study Skills, in order to pave the way for Academic Study. (for more information about the Foundation Program, kindly check our website; www.squ.edu.om/fpar.
- The maximum time allowed for students to complete all FP requirements is two consecutive academic years.
- All students admitted to the university have to sit for placement tests in English Language and Mathematics and IT.
- In order to meet the requirements of the FPEL (Foundation Program English Language), the student has to;
 - ✓ Obtain at least a score of 500 in Paper-based TOEFL or at least a score of 61 in Internet-based TOEFL (IBT), or
 - ✓ Obtain IELTS 5.0 (with a minimum band of 4.5 in each of the four areas of (writing, speaking, listening and reading), or
 - ✓ Pass the Placement & Exit Test administered at the University, or
 - ✓ Enroll in the courses of the area and pass them.
- FP students are allowed to repeat English Language Area three times; only one time for each course.
- The minimum English requirement for the Mathematics Exit Test offered in English is Level 4 (i.e. student should have passed FPEL0301 as a pre-requisite for Mathematics ET).
- In order to meet the requirements of FPMT (Foundation Program Mathematics), the student has to pass the Placement & Exit Test administered at the University, or enroll in the courses of the area and pass them.
- FP students are allowed to repeat each Mathematics course\level only one time.
- In order to meet the requirements of the FPCS (Foundation Program Computer Science), the student has to;
 - ✓ Pass the Placement & Exit Test administered at the University, or
 - ✓ Obtain an equivalent recognized qualification ICDL (International Computer Driving License), or
 - ✓ Enroll in the courses of the area and pass them.

- FP Students are allowed to repeat the IT Course\Area only once.
- English medium program require students to complete (6) credit hours in Arabic course as a mandatory University requirement.
- Students who fail to come out of Academic probation will be asked to withdraw by the University as per Academic regulations.

COLLEGES OF APPLIED SCIENCES & RUSTAQ EDUCATION COLLEGE

- Student should be physically and mentally fit for the offered programs.
- The language of study is English in the Applied Sciences programs and Bachelor of English Education program and in Arabic for Bachelor of Educational Programs "Science and Math" in Math, chemistry, physics and Biology Programs.
- All accepted students should enter (English language, IT& Maths) Placement Test that will be held during the Orientation Week with the beginning of the first semester.
- All accepted students will be enrolled in the founding program, which is mandatory for students to study the major. Students will be distributed to levels according to their scores on the placement test referred to in item (2) above. In case of failure to complete the foundation program in the specified period, the student loses his seat in the college. (Student can skip the foundation program if he achieves the required level and passes the challenge tests in the all components of the foundation program).
- Not all majors are necessarily offered in the colleges that offer the program. Based on student's grade and vacant seats in the major, transfer to the colleges that offer the major will be considered during the last two years.
- Based on availability, On-Campus Housing is provided in CAS-Ibri, CAS-Rustaq & CAS-Sur for female students who live more than 50km away from the colleges they are accepted in. Those who accept offers of colleges without on-campus housing shall deal with the consequences of their decisions.
- According to Academic Regulations, student who failed in completing the foundation program within two academic years shall be required to withdraw from the college.

COLLEGES OF TECHNOLOGY

- The Colleges of Technology have endeavored to deliver the knowledge and skills related to production, labor and technology used in different fields which are required by the labor market. The Colleges of Technology offer different academic programs and levels that accord with the requirements of the labor market and provide the basics for other educational paths.
- There are 7 Colleges of Technology; namely The Higher College of Technology in Muscat, The Colleges of Technology in Salalah, Musanah, Nizwa, Ibra, Ibri and Shinas. The regional Colleges offer Diploma and Advanced Diploma Levels; whereas the Higher College of Technology offers Diploma, Advanced Diploma and B-tech.
- All Colleges of Technology offer programs in Engineering, Information Technology and Business Studies; whereas the Higher College of Technology offers the previous mentioned programs in addition to Applied Sciences, Assistant Pharmacist, Photography and Fashion Design programs.
- Student should be medically fit.

- The Students are distributed to the colleges according to the capacity of each college.
- The student should join Foundation Program.
- Upon successful completion of this program, the students will be enrolled in the specialization programs to which they have been previously accepted.
- The qualifications which are awarded in these specializations are Diploma, Advanced Diploma and Bachelor, depending on the program and the student results.

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- These grants are specified to enroll at the private HEIs in Oman.
- Students are admitted to foundation year, upon successful completion of this year, they can pursue to Diploma level.
- Pursuance to Bachelor degree level requires successful completion of Diploma degree level.

Concession areas:

- ✓ Wilayat Bahla: Al Naheedha Al Seeh Al Shabkah Al Shwaihiya Ghabat Al Omairi Al Widyian Maseeh Mutabqat Ras Qalilah Saih AlArad Um Fatrah Wadi Al Suqtan Qasabiyah Al Araf Auaifiya
- ✓ Wilayat Haima: Abu Madhabi Anzooz Al Sahma- Wadi Al Ghubrah
- ✓ Wilayat Ibri: Abu Dhufairah Al Khuwair Falaj Harran Fateehah –Wadi Al Araf Wadi Al Omairi Wadi Al Tawyah Wadi Sal Hamraa Al Duruu
- ✓ Wilayat Maqshan: Khadrat Qatbeet Masfer –Ramlat Maqshan Maqshan
- ✓ Wilayat Adam: Abu Tuhal Al Ghubar –Al Haqaf Kawthar Al Asheesh Al Zahiyah Al Raki Barakat Buthaila Burhan Fakhar –Fishigha Jafar –Habeeba Qateena Raas Al Jabal Qarat Al Milh Auaifiya Wadi Nahida Qarn Alam
- ✓ Wilayat Al Jazer: Al Ghubairah Al Ghubrah Al Shamaliya Al Ghubrah Al Janubiya
- ✓ Wilayat Shleem: Shleem Joa' Al Salam Kobot Niyabat Dmeet Wadi Arah Mahwees Fatkheet Wadi Hakkah Rehab Zakhar Ajareet Joa' Washam.
- ✓ Wilayat Thamreet: Thamreet Khathbat Sadhan (Qatbeet Sadhoon) Rabkoot –
 Barbazoom Brasas Thahboon

Internal Scholarships in Higher Private Institutions in Oman

- The Internal Scholarships are divided into TWO categories:
 - I. Bachelor Programs (BS) for all students:

It is an internal scholarship for Bachelor Degree covering the cost of the tuition fees ONLY. The transportation and accommodation will be covered by the parent (If necessary). It is for ALL students. Social Security students are eligible to apply for this scholarship -while retaining their monthly allowance-.

II. Diploma Programs for (Low Income Students & Social Security Students):

It is an internal scholarship for Diploma Degree covering the cost of the tuition fees ONLY. It is allocated to:

- ➤ Low Income Omani Students whose parent monthly income doesn't exceed (600 OMR). Parent will be responsible for transport and accommodation (If necessary).
- > Only Social Security Students will be provided monthly allowance.
- Students can select the institution where they like to join; based on the program they are accepted in.
- The study duration for the Foundation Program (Language) is one year ONLY. If the student doesn't meet the required lever at that year, his/her scholarship will be frozen for no more than one year. During that period, the student has to develop his /her language to reach the required level in the institution, in order to join the academic program or to get a direct entry in the academic program from any educational institution at the same field. If the student does not do so at that period, his/her scholarship will be withdrawn.

- Accommodation will be provided by the Private Educational Institutions, taking into a consideration that the cost of the accommodation will be covered by the students. (Muscat University and Modern College of Business and Science are not included).
- Students are advised to check the tables from page 48 to 54 for more information about the academic programs for the Diploma degree and the offered educational institution.
- All students who received the internal scholarships from HEAC are advised to provide their needed documents to complete their registration procedures in the institutions where they are accepted during the allocated period.
- Social Security Students who receive the scholarships are advised to insert their bank accounts in the personal data link in HEAC electronic system.
- Low Income Students who apply in diploma programs, in case they do not present the required documents that show that their parent income does no excessed (600 OMR) from the Wali or parent workplace at the allocated period)Period of registration procedures), they will rejected automatically from the program where they are accepted in.
- In case a student faces any technical issue, he/she should contact the Technical Support Team on the following hotlines:

24340364 -24340365

General Foundation Programs

Graduates of the General Education Diploma or equivalent enroll in higher education institutions (HEIs) and select programs of study through HEAC. Statistics indicate that most of these students will take a GFP upon enrollment in these HEIs.

- A generic program of study designed to prepare students and equip them with the necessary skills for entry into higher education
- Four core areas of learning: English, Maths, Computing Skills, and Study Skills
 - Some HEIs may also require that additional standards are met
 - It does not earn the student any credit points or credit hours, but it is assessed and subject to the pass/fail policies of each HEI

OAAA's Role in the Quality Assurance of GFPs:

- Developing and reviewing GFP Standards
 - Auditing GFPs
 - Accrediting GFPs
- Providing training to HEIs to assist in capacity building in development of internal quality assurance systems in cooperation with other stakeholders

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Section 1

Public Higher Education Programs and Their Requirements for the Academic Year 2019/2020

This section contains the public higher education programs, internal scholarships and grants in the private HEIs in Oman, external scholarships and grants overseas, and their program requirements. The programs are sorted according to majors (main field) as issued by Oman Academic Accreditation Authority (OAAA). The program menus in this Guidebook are valid until it was published. HEAC will announce any additions, cancellations, or amendments that may occur later on at HEAC website www.heac.gov.om

MAIN STUDY FEILDS				
Health				
Multiple Areas External Scholarships (Group A)				
Natural & Physical Sciences				
Agriculture & Environment and Related Sciences				
Engineering & Related Technologies				
Architecture and Construction				
Information Technology				
Education				
Management & Business				
Society & Culture				
Creative Arts				
Programs for Students with Disabilities				

HEALTH

Are you a people person? Do you like helping others and taking care of them? Are you someone who is deeply interested in how to prevent, diagnose and treat diseases that may affect others? Are you ready to go deep into sciences?

If your answer is yes, then **HEALTH** is the right choice for you. Bear in mind that a doctor is not the only healthcare professional. Nurses and pharmacists play equally important roles. So you can opt for Nursing or pharmacy.

You can also translate your passion for four-legged creatures into a vocation. Want to help animals find a voice? Become a Veterinarian.

If you prefer to stay behind the scenes and help doctors do their jobs better, then why not become a Biomedical Scientist.

You can also choose your area of expertise. For example: If you want to specialise in matters of the foot, then podiatry is your calling. Interested in matters of mouth or teeth, then you can train to be a dentist.

Explore all your options including the very important Allied Health Programs, which may vary from Dental Hygiene, Diagnostic Radiography, Speech & Language Therapy, and Physiotherapy. Not to mention the HEALTH related management programs such as Health Information Management.

External Scholarships Group

- All external undergraduate scholarship applicants are advised to take the IELTS for UKVI ACADEMIC TEST in April or May 2019 to avoid a future deferral (=delay) of admission;
- The names of the Bachelor degree programmes are published in English only because these are the official names used by the recommended higher education institutions, including in destinations where English is not the official language; Please read the intro and terms & conditions for more info.

CODE	COURSE(S) AND DESTINATION	SCHOLARSHIP REQUIREMENTS	TIE BREAKERS
SE008	MEDICINE at University College Dublin in IRELAND Students who completed the IB and A-level curricula will have to submit an offer of undergraduate admission from the University by the first week of August in order to compete for this scholarship in	Chemistry + 2 of Biology, Mathematics, Physics A-Levels: minimum 3 A-level passes, including all three subjects at minimum grade A (A level ONLY) IBD: 40 points, including a minimum	Chemistry,
SE017	Medicine MEDICINE at Trinity College Dublin in IRELAND Students who completed the IB and A-level curricula will have to submit an offer of undergraduate admission from the University by the first week of August in order to compete for this scholarship in Medicine	score of 5 (HL only) in all three subjects These requirements are based on direct entry to the UG degree as these universities cannot accept IB and A level students for foundation – please refer to the condition mentioned underneath the name of the course and University.	followed by Mathematics
SE021	MEDICINE at National University of Ireland Galway in IRELAND	Chemistry + Biology + 1 of Mathematics or Physics A-Levels: minimum 3 A-level passes, including all three subjects at minimum grade B (A level ONLY) IBD: 31 points, including a minimum score of 5 (HL ONLY) in all three subjects	Chemistry, followed by Biology
SE005	MEDICINE at the Royal College of Surgeons in IRELAND	Chemistry + 2 of Biology, Mathematics, Physics* A-Levels: minimum 3 A-level passes, including all three subjects at minimum grade B (A level ONLY) IBD: 31 points, including a minimum score of 5 (HL ONLY) in all three subjects	Chemistry, followed by Mathematics

	External Scholarships			
SE006	MEDICINE at the Royal College of Surgeons in Ireland (RCSI) - Bahrain (Campus) in BAHRAIN This programme is taught in English	Chemistry + 2 of Biology Mathematics, Mathematical Studies or Physics* A-Levels: minimum 3 A-level passes, including Chemistry at grade B (A level ONLY) AND 2 of Biology, Mathematics or Physics at grade C (A-level ONLY) IBD: 29 points, including Chemistry at a minimum score of 5 (HL ONLY) PLUS 2 of Biology. Mathematics, Mathematical Studies OR Physics at a minimum score of 4 (HL) or 5 (SL)	Chemistry or Biology	
SE003	MEDICINE at the Arabian Gulf University in BAHRAIN This programme is taught in English	Chemistry + 2 from Biology, Mathematics or Physics* A-Levels: minimum 3 A-level passes, including all three subjects at min grade A (AS-level) or B (A level) IBD: 31 points, including a min score of 6 (SL) or 5 (HL) in all three subjects	Chemistry	
SE010	MEDICINE at the University of Nicosia in CYPRUS This programme is taught in English	Biology + 2 of Chemistry, Mathematics, Physics* A-Levels: minimum 3 A-level passes, including Biology at minimum grade A* (A Level ONLY) PLUS grade B (A level ONLY) in 2 of Chemistry, Mathematics or Physics IBD: 32 points, including a minimum score of 7 in Biology (HL ONLY) PLUS a score of 6 (HL ONLY) in 2 of Chemistry, Mathematics, Physics	Biology, followed by Chemistry	

External Scholarships			
CODE	COURSE(S) AND DESTINATION	SCHOLARSHIP REQUIREMENTS	TIE BREAKERS (preferential subjects)
SE012	MEDICINE at the University of Glasgow in THE UNITED KINGDOM (Scotland)	Chemistry + Biology + 1 from Mathematics or Physics A-Levels: minimum 3 A-level passes, including Chemistry at minimum grade B (A level ONLY) AND grade A (AS-level) or B (A-level) in Biology PLUS in 1 of Math or Physics IBD: 34 points, including a minimum score of 6 (HL ONLY) in Chemistry AND a score of 5 (HL ONLY) in Biology PLUS a score of 6 (SL) or 5 (HL) in 1 of Math or Physics	Chemistry, followed by Biology
SE007	MEDICINE at the University of Aberdeen in THE UNITED KINGDOM (Scotland)	Chemistry + 2 from Biology, Mathematics, Physics A-Levels: minimum 2 A-level passes, including Chemistry at minimum grade B (A level ONLY) AND grade A (AS-level) or B (A-level) in 2 from Biology, Math, Physics IBD: 32 points, including a minimum score of 5 (HL ONLY) in all three subjects	Chemistry, followed by Mathematics
SE009	MEDICINE at the University of St Andrews in THE UNITED KINGDOM (Scotland) Students who completed the IB and A-level curricula will have to submit an offer of undergraduate admission from the University by the first week of August in order to compete for this scholarship in Medicine****	Chemistry + 1 of Biology, Mathematics or Physics* A-Levels: minimum 3 A-level passes, including Chemistry at a minimum grade A (A level ONLY) AND either Biology, Mathematics or Physics at minimum grade B (A level ONLY) IBD: 36 points, including a minimum score of 6 (HL ONLY) in Chemistry AND a minimum score of 5 (HL ONLY) in either Biology, Mathematics or Physics This University will NOT accept A-level or IB students* for a (pre-Med) foundation because, according to the university's rules and regulations, these school curricula should qualify students for direct entry (to the UG degree) while the Ministry cannot reserve places on highly competitive Bachelor of Medicine courses, only on pre-Medicine foundation programmes	Chemistry

	External Scholarships			
CODE	COURSE(S) AND DESTINATION	SCHOLARSHIP REQUIREMENTS*	TIE BREAKERS (preferential subjects)	
SE004	MEDICINE at the University of Auckland in NEW ZEALAND a university interview is part of the scholarship selection process	Chemistry + Biology + 1 of Mathematics or Physics A-Levels: minimum 3 A-level passes, including all three subjects at minimum grade A (AS level) or grade B (A level) IBD: 33 points, including a minimum score of 5 (SL) or 4 (HL) in all three subjects	Chemistry, followed by Biology	
SE002	MEDICINE at the University of Malta in MALTA a university interview is part of the scholarship selection process This programme is taught in English *scholarship applicants will require an IELTS score of 4.5 with no band scores lower than 4.0 in reading and writing Students will need to submit the IELTS test report form on a soon to be announced date in August 2019	Chemistry + Biology A-levels: minimum 3 A-level passes, including both subjects at minimum grade B (A level ONLY) IBD: 31 points, including both subjects at minimum score of 6 (SL) or 5 (HL)	Chemistry	
SE041	(Pharmacy MPharm) in THE UNITED KINGDOM *scholarship recipients will NOT be able to change their major to Medicine, Dentistry or Veterinary Medicine	Chemistry + 1 of Biology, Mathematics or Physics* A-Levels: minimum 3 A-level passes, including Chemistry at a minimum grade B (A level ONLY) AND either Biology, Mathematics or Physics at minimum grade B (A level ONLY) IBD: 32 points, including a minimum score of 5 (HL ONLY) in Chemistry AND a minimum score of 5 (HL ONLY) in either Biology, Mathematics or Physics	Chemistry	

External Scholarships			
CODE	COURSE(S) AND DESTINATION	SCHOLARSHIP REQUIREMENTS*	TIE BREAKERS (preferential subjects)
SE011	DENTISTRY at the University of Otago in NEW ZEALAND a university interview is part of the scholarship selection process*	Chemistry + Biology + 1 from Mathematics or Physics A-Levels: minimum 3 A level passes, including a minimum grade A (AS Level) or B (A level) in Chemistry AND grade B (AS Level) or C (A level) in Biology AND in 1 of Mathematics or Physics IBD: 36 points, including a minimum score of 6 (SL) or 5 (HL) in Chemistry AND a score of 5 (SL) or 4 (HL) in Biology AND in 1 of Mathematics or Physics	
SE013	DENTISTRY at the University of Malta in MALTA a university interview is part of the scholarship selection process This programme is taught in English *scholarship applicants will require an IELTS score of 4.5 with no band scores lower than 4.0 in reading and writing. They will need to submit the IELTS test report form on a soon to be announced date in August 2019	Chemistry + Biology + Physics A-levels: minimum 3 A-level passes, including all required subjects at minimum grade B (AS level) or C (A level) IBD: 31 points, including all required subjects at a minimum score of 5 (SL) or 4 (HL)	Chemistry, followed by Biology
SE014	DENTISTRY at the University of Glasgow in THE UNITED KINGDOM (Scotland)	Chemistry + Biology + 1 from Mathematics or Physics A-Levels: minimum 3 A-level passes, including Chemistry at minimum grade B (A level ONLY) AND Biology at grade A (AS-level) or B (A-level) PLUS 1 of Math or Physics at grade A (AS-level) or B (A-level) IBD: 34 points, including a minimum score of 6 (HL ONLY) in Chemistry AND a score of 5 (HL ONLY) in Biology PLUS 6 (SL) or 5 (HL) in 1 of Math or Physics	

External Scholarships			
CODE	COURSE(S) AND DESTINATION	SCHOLARSHIP REQUIREMENTS*	TIE BREAKERS (preferential subjects)
SE064	MEDICAL PHYSICS or PHYSICS WITH MEDICAL PHYSICS* in THE UNITED KINGDOM *scholarship recipients will NOT be able to change their major to Medicine, Dentistry or Veterinary Medicine	Mathematics + Physics* A-levels: minimum 3 A-level passes, including both subjects at grade B (A-level ONLY) IBD: 32 points, including a minimum score of 5 (HL ONLY) in both subjects	Physics
SE032	VETERINARY MEDICINE & SURGERY at the University of Glasgow in THE UNITED KINGDOM (Scotland)	Chemistry + Biology + 1 from Mathematics or Physics A-Levels: minimum 3 A-level passes, including Chemistry at minimum grade B (A level ONLY) AND Biology at grade A (AS-level) or B (A-level) PLUS 1 of Math or Physics at grade A (AS-level) or B (A-level) IBD: 34 points, including a minimum score of 6 (HL ONLY) in Chemistry AND a score of 5 (HL ONLY) in Biology PLUS 6 (SL) or 5 (HL) in 1 of Math or Physics	Chemistry, followed by Biology

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- Not all of the listed undergraduate courses/majors are available in all study destinations. A list of approved courses/majors by country will be uploaded to the HEAC website and other publications in April 2019;
- All external scholarship applicants are advised to take the IELTS for UKVI ACADEMIC TEST in April or May 2019 to avoid a future deferral (delay) of admission;
- The names of the subject areas are published in English only because these are the official names used by the recommended higher education institutions, including in countries where the official language is not English;
- Please read the intro and terms & conditions for more info.

CODE	COURSE(S) AND DESTINATION	SCHOLARSHIP REQUIREMENTS	TIE BREAKER S (preferential subjects)
OE003	MEDICINE at Monash University in AUSTRALIA An assessment test is part of the scholarship selection process	Chemistry + 1 of Mathematics or Physics* A Levels: minimum 3 A-level passes, including Chemistry at a minimum grade A (A level ONLY) and 1 of Mathematics or Physics at minimum grade B (A level ONLY) IBD: 36 points, including a minimum score of 6 (HL ONLY) in Chemistry AND a minimum score of 5 (HL ONLY) in 1 of Mathematics or Physics	Chemistry
OE001	MEDICINE at the University of St Andrews in THE UNITED KINGDOM (Scotland) Students who completed the IB and A-level curricula will have to submit an offer of undergraduate admission from the University by the first week of August in order to compete for this scholarship in Medicine	Chemistry + 1 of Biology Mathematics or Physics A-Levels: minimum 3 A-level passes including Chemistry at a minimum grade A (A level ONLY) AND either Biology, Mathematics or Physics at minimum grade B (A level ONLY) IBD: 36 points, including a minimum score of 6 (HL ONLY) in Chemistry AND a minimum score of 5 (HL ONLY) in either Biology, Mathematics or Physics This University will NOT accept A-level or IB students for a (pre-Med) foundation because, according to the university's rules and regulations, these school curricula should qualify students for direct entry (to the UG degree) while the Ministry cannot reserve places on highly competitive Bachelor of Medicine courses, only on pre-Medicine foundation programmes	Chemistry

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CODE	COURSE(S) AND DESTINATION	SCHOLARSHIP REQUIREMENTS	TIE BREAKERS (preferential subjects)
OE002	(Pharmacy MPharm) in THE UNITED KINDGOM A university interview and assessment test are part of the scholarship selection process. Applicants allocated in this program will not be allowed to change to Medicine, Dentistry or Veterinary Medicine.	Chemistry + 1 of Biology, Mathematics or Physics A-Levels: minimum 3 A-level passes, including Chemistry at a minimum grade B (A level ONLY) AND either Biology, Mathematics or Physics at minimum grade B (A level ONLY) IBD: 32 points, including a minimum score of 5 (HL ONLY) in Chemistry AND a minimum score of 5 (HL ONLY) in either Biology, Mathematics or Physics	Chemistry
OE004	Public Health (Policy/Management), Environmental Health Sciences, Biostatistics IN THE UNITED KINGDOM, THE USA, CANADA, AUSTRALIA, NEW ZEALAND OR IN CERTAIN ASIAN AND EUROPEAN COUNTRIES An assessment test is part of the scholarship selection process	2 of Biology, Chemistry, Mathematics, Physics, Psychology A-Levels: minimum 3 A level passes, including a minimum grade A (AS Level) or B (A level) in both subjects IBD: 31 points, including a minimum score of 6 (SL) or 5 (HL) in both subjects	1 of Chemistry, Biology, Math, Physics or Psychology

EXTERNAL SCHOLARSHIPS BY SUBJECT AND STUDY DESTINATION

- > In case a scholarship comprises more than one undergraduate course or major, please consider that some Bachelor degree programmes may have further requirements and the Ministry of Higher Education (MoHE) cannot guarantee securing admission to the selected program and/or University of highest preference. The MoHE reserves the right to select a suitable institution for each scholarship recipient;
- All external scholarship applicants are advised to take the IELTS for UKVI ACADEMIC TEST in April or May 2019 to avoid a future deferral (delay) of admission;
- The names of the subject areas and/or majors listed within the external scholarship codes are published (only) in English (even in the Arabic version of the handbook) to ensure students receive accurate information as the (recommended) overseas higher education institutions communicate about their programmes in English. Please bear in mind though that some programmes are offered by more than one higher education institution (even in one particular destination) and the *exact* name of the program and/or undergraduate *degree title* might be different from one higher education institution to another;
- The course entries were accurate at the time of publication of this handbook and necessary changes might be periodically made due to circumstances outside the reasonable control of the MoHE;
- Please read the terms & conditions for more info.

CODE	COURSE(S) AND DESTINATION	SCHOLARSHIP REQUIREMENTS	TIE BREAKERS (preferential subjects)
SE409	Podiatry* at the University of Malta in MALTA This programme is taught in English A university interview is part of the scholarship selection process. scholarship applicants will require an IELTS score of 4.5 with no band scores lower than 4.0 in reading and writing. They will need to submit the IELTS test report form on a soon to be announced date.	Biology + 1 of Chemistry or Physics A-Levels: min 2 A-level passes, including both subjects at min grade C (A level ONLY) IBD: 28 points, including a minimum score of 5 (HL ONLY) in both subjects IBC: 30 points, including a score of 5 (HL ONLY) in both subjects	Biology
SE410	Occupational Therapy at the University of MALTA in MALTA A university interview is part of the scholarship selection process. This programme is taught in English *scholarship applicants will require an IELTS score of 4.5 with no band scores lower than 4.0 in reading and writing. Students will need to submit the IELTS test report form on a soon to be announced date.	Biology + 1 of Math, Physics, Chemistry, Math Studies, English, Sports Science, Psychology or Physical Ed A Levels: min 2 A-level passes, including a minimum grade A (AS Level) or B (A level) in Biology AND grade B (AS Level) or grade C (A level) in the other subject IBD: 27 points, including a minimum score of 6 (SL) or 5 (HL) in Biology AND 5 (SL) or 4 (HL) in the other subject IBC: 29 points, including a minimum score of 6 (SL) or 5 (HL) in Biology and 5 (SL) or 4 (HL) in 1 the other subject	Biology

EXTERNAL SCHOLARSHIPS BY SUBJECT AND STUDY DESTINATION			
CODE	COURSE(S) AND DESTINATION	SCHOLARSHIP REQUIREMENTS	TIE BREAKERS (preferential subjects)
SE408	Occupational Therapy* in THE UNITED KINGDOM *scholarship applicants will require an IELTS score of 5.5 with no band scores lower than 5.5. Students will need to submit the IELTS test report form on a soon to be announced date in August 2019.	3 from Biology, Mathematics, Physics, Chemistry, Mathematical Studies, Psychology, Health and Social Care or Sociology A Levels: min 2 A-level passes, including a minimum grade A (AS Level) or B (A level) in all three subjects IBD: 27 points, including a score of 6 (SL) or 5 (HL) in all three subjects IBC: 29 points, including a score of minimum 6 (SL) or 5 (HL) in all three subjects	Biology
SE415	Occupational Therapy at Auckland University of Technology in NEW ZEALAND	Biology + 1 from Chemistry, Psychology, Health and Social Care or Sociology A Levels: min 2 A-level passes, including a minimum grade B (AS level) or C (A level) in both subjects IBD: 24 points, including a score of 6 (SL) or 5 (HL) in both subjects IBC: 26 points, including a score of minimum 6 (SL) or 5 (HL) in both subjects	
SE044	Nursing at the University of Louisiana – Lafayette in THE UNITED STATES OF AMERICA	Mathematics or Mathematical Studies + English + 1 of Chemistry or Biology + Social Studies A Levels: minimum 3 A level passes, including min grade B (AS level) or C (A level) in Math PLUS grade A (AS Level) or B (A level) in English plus 1 of Chemistry or Biology and 75% in Social Studies IBD: 27 points, including a minimum score of 4 (SL) or 3 (HL) in Mathematics or Math Studies, PLUS a score of 5 (SL) or 4 (HL) in English plus 1 of Chemistry or Biology AND 75% in Social Studies IBC: 29 points, including a minimum score of 4 (SL) or 3 (HL) in Mathematics or Math Studies, PLUS a score of 5 (SL) or 4 (HL) in English plus 1 of Chemistry or Biology AND 75% in Social Studies	English, followed Mathematics

EXTERNAL SCHOLARSHIPS BY SUBJECT AND STUDY DESTINATION			
CODE	COURSE(S) AND DESTINATION	SCHOLARSHIP REQUIREMENTS	TIE BREAKERS (preferential subjects)
SE801	Nursing* at the University of Auckland in NEW ZEALAND A university interview is part of the scholarship selection process	2 of English, Mathematics, Physics, Chemistry, Biology, Psychology, Mathematical Studies, Sports Science A Levels: minimum 3 A level passes, including a minimum grade A (AS Level) or B (A level) in both subjects IBD: 31 points, including a minimum score of 5 (SL) or 4 (HL) in both subjects IBC: 33 points, including a minimum score of 5 (SL) or 4 (HL) in both subjects	English, followed by Mathematics or Math Studies
SE420	Diagnostic/Medical Imaging or Radiography in THE UNITED KINGDOM	Mathematics + 1 of Physics, Chemistry or Biology	
SE441	Radiation Therapy/Radiotherapy in THE UNITED KINGDOM	A Levels: min 2 A-level passes, including a min grade A (AS Level) or B (A level) in both subjects IBD: 28 points, including a minimum score of 6 (SL) or 5 (HL) in both subjects IBC: 30 points, including a minimum score of 6 (SL) or 5 (HL) in both subjects	Mathematics
SE425	Prosthetics & Orthotics in THE UNITED KINGDOM		
SE423	Physiotherapy at Otago University in NEW ZEALAND	Biology + 1 of Mathematics, Physics, Chemistry, Mathematical Studies, or Sports Science A Levels: min 2 A-level passes, including a minimum	
SE416	Sport Rehabilitation in THE UNITED KINGDOM	grade A (AS Level) or B (A level) in both subjects IBD: 27 points, including a minimum score of 6 (SL) or 5 (HL) in both subjects IBC: 29 points, including a minimum score of 6 (SL) or 5 (HL) in both subjects	Biology

EXTERNAL SCHOLARSHIPS BY SUBJECT AND STUDY DESTINATION

CODE	COURSE(S) AND DESTINATION	SCHOLARSHIP REQUIREMENTS	TIE BREAKERS (preferential subjects)
SE421	Dietetics* (NOT Nutrition) in THE UNITED KINGDOM *scholarship applicants will require an IELTS score of 5.5 with no band scores lower than 5.5. Students will need to submit the IELTS test report form on a soon to be announced date in August 2019.	Chemistry + Biology A-levels: min 2 A-level passes, including a minimum grade A (AS level) or B (A level) in both subjects IBD: 27 points, including a minimum score of 6 (SL) or 5 (HL) in both subjects IBC: 29 points, including a minimum score of 6 (SL) or 5 (HL) in both subjects	Biology
SE413	Oral Health at the University of Otago in NEW ZEALAND*	Biology + 1 from Chemistry, Physics or Mathematics A-levels: min 2 A-level passes, including a minimum grade A (AS level) or B (A level) in both subjects IBD: 27 points, including a minimum score of 6 (SL) or 5 (HL) in both subjects IBC: 29 points, including a minimum score of 6 (SL) or 5 (HL) in both subjects	Biology
SE451	Dental Technology** in THE UNITED KINGDOM (Does not include Dentistry and Dental Surgery)	2 from Mathematics, Physics, Chemistry, Biology A-Levels: min 2 A-level passes, including a minimum grade A (AS Level) or grade B (A level) in both	
SE419	Dental Technology at the University of Otago in NEW ZEALAND (Does not include Dentistry and Dental Surgery)	subjects IBD: 28 points, including a minimum score of 6 (SL) or 5 (HL) in both subjects IBC: 30 points, including a minimum score of 6 (SL) or 5 (HL) in both subjects	Mathematics
SE417	Audiology* in THE UNITED KINGDOM *scholarship applicants will require an IELTS score of 5.5 with no band scores lower than 5.5. Students will need to submit the IELTS test report form on a soon to be announced date in August 2019.	2 of Mathematics, Physics, Biology, Chemistry, Psychology A-Levels: min 2 A-level passes, including a min grade A (AS Level) or B (A level) in both subjects IBD: 28 points, including a minimum score of 6 (SL) or 5 (HL) in both subjects IBC: 30 points, including a minimum score of 6 (SL) or 5 (HL) in both subjects	Mathematics

EXTERNAL SCHOLARSHIPS BY SUBJECT AND STUDY DESTINATION			
CODE	COURSE(S) AND DESTINATION	SCHOLARSHIP REQUIREMENTS	TIE BREAKERS (preferential subjects)
SE063	Respiratory Care at the University of Kansas in THE UNITED STATES OF AMERICA	Mathematics or Mathematical Studies + English + 1 of Chemistry or Biology + Social Studies A Levels: minimum 3 A level passes, including min grade B (AS level) or C (A level) in Mathematics or Mathematical Studies PLUS grade B (AS Level) or C (A level) in English plus 1 of Chemistry or Biology and 75% in Social Studies IBD: 27 points, including a minimum score of 4 (SL) or 3 (HL) in Mathematics or Math Studies, PLUS a score of 5 (SL) or 4 (HL) in English, 1 of Chemistry or Biology AND 75% in Social Studies IBC: 29 points, including a minimum score of 4 (SL) or 3 (HL) in Mathematics or Math Studies, PLUS a score of 5 (SL) or 4 (HL) in English, 1 of Chemistry or Biology AND 75% in Social Studies	English, followed by Chemistry
SE062	Medical Laboratory Science at University of Otago in NEW ZEALAND	2 from Mathematics, Chemistry and Biology A Levels: minimum 3 A-level passes, including min grade A (AS Level) or B (A level) in both subjects IBD: 29 points, including a minimum score of 6 (SL) or 5 (HL) in both subjects IBC: 31 points, including a minimum score of 6 (SL) or 5 (HL) in both subjects	Mathematics

EXTERNAL SCHOLARSHIPS BY SUBJECT AND STUDY DESTINATION TIE **BREAKERS** CODE **COURSE(S) AND DESTINATION** SCHOLARSHIP REQUIREMENTS (preferential subjects) Paramedic Science in THE UNITED KINGDOM scholarship applicants will require an IELTS score of 5.5 with no band scores lower than 5.5. Students will require to take a SE426 driving test in the UK as a driver's license is required. Students will need to submit the IELTS test report form on a soon to be announced date in August 2019. Paramedicine at Auckland University of Technology in Biology + 1 of Mathematics, **NEW ZEALAND** Physics, Chemistry, Scholarship applicants will require Mathematical Studies, **SE402** an IELTS score of 5.5 with no band English, Sports Science, scores lower than 5.5. Students Psychology or Physical will need to submit the IELTS test Education report form on a soon to be A-Levels: min 2 A-level passes, announced date in August 2019 including a min grade A (AS Biology Paramedicine at Monash University Level) or in AUSTRALIA scholarship B (A level) in both subjects applicants will require an IELTS IBD: 27 points, including a score of 6.0 with no band scores minimum score of 6 (SL) or SE061 lower than 5.5. Students will need 5 (HL) in both subjects to submit the IELTS test report IBC: 29 points, including a form on a soon to be announced minimum score of 6 (SL) or date in August 2019 5 (HL) in both subjects Occupational Health & Safety in the **SE400** UNITED STATES OF AMERICA Public Health Promotion in SE051 **AUSTRALIA** 2 of Mathematics, Physics, Biology, Chemistry, Mathematical Studies, Speech & Language Therapy in English, Sports Science, Psychology THE UNITED KINGDOM A-Levels: min 2 A-level passes, scholarship applicants will require including a min grade B (AS Level) or an IELTS score of 5.5 with no band **SE428** grade C (A level) in both subjects Biology scores lower than 5.5. Students IBD: 27 points, including a min will need to submit the IELTS test score of 5 (SL) or 4 (HL) in both subjects report form on a soon to be IBC: 29 points, including a announced date in August 2019. minimum score of 5 (SL) or 4 (HL) in both subjects

	GCC Grants					
CODE	COURSE(S) AND DESTINAT ION	SCHOLARSHIP REQUIREMENTS	TIE BREAKERS (preferential subjects)	ADDITIONAL INFORMATION		
SE935	Medicine	Subjects Required For All International Qualifications: (Mathematics or Mathematical Studies + Biology + Chemistry + Physics) G.C.E. Qualification: score of (C) in A - Level for the Subjects required above Or score of (B) in AS - Level for the Subjects required above International Baccalaureate (IB) score of 32 points out of the total of 45 points Score of (5) points in (HL) for the subjects required above. Or score of (6) points in (SL) for the subjects required above	- Mathematics or Mathematical Studies -Biology -Chemistry	(Partial Grant) Study Destination: Bahrain Arabian Gulf University Note: grades of Fine Arts, Physical Education, and Music will not be counted in the general average. This program is taught in English		

Sultan Qaboos University				
CODE	PROGRAM	REQUIREMENTS	ADDITIONAL INFORMATION	
SQ050	College of Medicine and Health Sciences (Doctor of Medicine)	GCE -Certificates Student must study 2 subjects from (A level) Minimum (C) in Mathematics from (A-level) or Minimum (A) in Mathematics from (AS-level) must study 2 subjects as follows Minimum (C) from (A-level) Minimum (A) from (AS-level) From following subjects (Chemistry, Physics and Biology) IBD	MD is a 6 year degree program that is undertaken after successful completion of the Foundation program > some eligible candidates opt to a degree in BSHS before proceeding to complete the MD program. - Language of instruction is English	
SQ055	College of Medicine and Health Sciences (Biomedical Sciences)	Score of 24 points out of 45 Minimum of (5) points in Mathematics from (HL) or Minimum of (6) points in Mathematics from (SL) and Minimum of (5) points in 2 subjects from (HL) or Minimum of (6) points in 2 subjects from (SL) from the following subjects: (Chemistry, Physics and Biology)	The BMS program aims to train undergraduate students to become successful biomedical scientists, thereby enhancing the quality of healthcare in the Sultanate of Oman. - Language of instruction is English	
SQ100	College of Nursing	GCE -Certificates Student must study 2 subjects at least from (A- level) Must study 4 subjects from following subjects (Pure Mathematics, Chemistry, Physics & Biology) and score: Minimum (C) grade from the (A-level) Minimum (B) grade from the(AS level) IBD Score of 24 points out of 45 The student must score: Minimum of (4) points in Mathematics from (HL) or Minimum of (5) points in Mathematics from (SL) And must study 2 subjects only from following subjects (Chemistry, Physics, Biology) and score: from (HL) or Minimum of (5) points in from (SL)	Mission To respond to the health care needs of the community in Oman through the development and execution of the strong educational nursing programs and engage in research. - Language of instruction is English	

The Ministry of Health Institutes

In order to apply to any of the educational programs offered by the Ministry of Health for the academic year 2019/2020, the applicant should meet the following requirements:

- 1. Age not less than 17 years and not more than 25 years on the date of admission.
- 2. Must have studied science courses (physics, chemistry and biology) at IGCSE or equivalent (grade 10).
- 3. Medically fit.
- 4. Applicant with any form of disability or special needs must contact institute for suitability before selecting any program.
- 5. Height not less than 140cm.
- 6. Meet the admission requirements for a specific program.

Remarks:

- 1. The College will not provide accommodation and transport for students.
- 2. All educational programs start with the Foundation Program, in addition to the other academic years according to specialization.
- Studies in College and training in Hospitals in a mixed gender environment.
- 4. The student's admission shall be null and void after 2 weeks from the date of start of the study, if he/she did not join the study.
- 5. The following documents should be submitted on enrollment of the student:
 - Original and a copy of Educational certificate attested by the concerned authorities at the Ministry of Education.
 - A certificate of good conduct from the last school attended.
 - Four recent passport size colored photographs.
 - Copy of identity card and valid passport.

Pharmacy

The aim of Pharmacy program is to educate and train students for a period of four years (after Foundation Program) leading to a Bachelor in Pharmacy. Students must successfully complete professional courses such as pharmacy practice, dosage forms, applied therapeutics, pharmaceutical and medicinal chemistry and other non-professional courses. Graduates qualify to work as a Pharmacist in the Ministry of Health's pharmaceutical services after successful completion of the program according to the service requirements and availability of vacancies in any governorate in Oman.

CODE	PROGRAM	REQUIREMENTS	ADDITIONAL INFORMATION	TIE BREAKER
PI005	Bachelor in Pharmacy	Subjects required: Chemistry and Biology GCE Certificate: A- Level: - One 'A' level from the required subjects with minimum 'D' grade - One 'AS' level from the required subjects with minimum 'C' grade IB Diploma / Certificate: - Must obtain minimum of 24 points Minimum of 3 (SL) and 2 (HL) in required subjects.	Places are offered to applicants from all Governorates of Oman according to positions available for the Governorate.	1. Chemistry 2. Biology

Health Sciences

The program of Health Sciences offers three specializations: Medical Laboratory Sciences, Medical Imaging and Physiotherapy.

The Medical Laboratory Sciences (MLS) Program is a four years Bachelor after Foundation Program. This program trains students in medical laboratories to perform scientific studies of blood, body fluids and body tissues which help clinicians diagnose and treat patients in the health services. Graduates qualify to work in the government or private health services institutions after successful completion of the program <u>according to the availability of vacancies</u>.

CODE	PROGRAM	REQUIREMENTS	ADDITIONAL INFORMATION	TIE BREAKER
IH001	Bachelor in Medical Laboratory Sciences	Subjects required: Chemistry and Biology GCE Certificate: A- Level: - One 'A' level from the required subjects with minimum 'D' grade - One 'AS' level from the required subjects with minimum 'C' grade IB Diploma / Certificate: - Must obtain minimum of 24 points Minimum of 3 (SL) and 2 (HL) in required subjects.	Places are offered to applicants from all Governorates of Oman according to positions available for the Governorate.	1. Chemistry 2. Biology

Health Sciences

The Medical Imaging program aims at graduating Omani professional radiographers. The duration of the program is four years after the foundation program. The program includes teaching and training the students to perform radiographic examinations to produce high-quality images of different body parts to investigate disease processes using conventional radiography and Computerized Tomography. Students are also introduced to other imaging modalities. Graduates of this program will be distinguished by advanced features such as critical thinking, problem-solving, effective communication, teamwork, and research skills. The clinical aspect of study conducted in hospitals is 56% of the time allotted for the program. Graduates are eligible to work in government or private health services institutions after successful completion of the program according to the availability of vacancies.

CODE	PROGRAM	REQUIREMENTS	ADDITIONAL INFORMATION	TIE BREAKER
IH002	Bachelor in Medical Imaging	Subjects required: Physics and Biology GCE Certificate: A- Level: - One 'A' level from the required subjects with minimum 'D' grade - One 'AS' level from the required subjects with minimum 'C' grade IB Diploma / Certificate: - Must obtain minimum of 24 points Minimum of 3 (SL) and 2 (HL) in required subjects.	Places are offered to applicants from all Governorates of Oman according to positions available for the Governorate	1. Physics 2. Biology

Health Sciences

The Physiotherapy program is a four years Bachelor after Foundation Program. Physiotherapy comprises the care and services provided by the physiotherapist. It includes the assessment of patients who have health related conditions, physical and/functional impairments, or disabilities to determine the physical diagnosis, with a view to alleviating the impairments and functional limitations, and promoting and maintaining good health and quality of motor and functional performance. Physiotherapy education incorporates humanistic principles, scientific enquiry and service to society. The aim of our physiotherapy program is to graduate physiotherapists who have the knowledge, professional skills and attitudes necessary to play a full role in health education, provide competent care and treatment of patients, evaluate the effectiveness of the therapy applied and modify the same where appropriate. Graduates qualify to work in the government or private health services institutions after successful completion of the program according to the availability of vacancies.

CODE	PROGRAM	REQUIREMENTS	ADDITIONAL INFORMATION	TIE BREAKER
IH003	Bachelor in Physiotherapy	Subjects required: Biology and Physics GCE Certificate: A- Level: - One 'A' level from the required subjects with minimum 'D' grade - One 'AS' level from the required subjects with minimum 'C' grade IB Diploma / Certificate: - Must obtain minimum of 24 points out of 45 Minimum of 3 (SL) and 2 (HL) in required subjects.	Places are offered to applicants from all Governorates of Oman according to positions available for the Governorate	 Biology Physics

Nursing

There are nine branches for Nursing under the College namely Muscat, Sohar, North Batinah, South Batinah, Al-Dakhiliya, Al-Dhahira, North Sharqiya, South Sharqiya and Dhofar. The aim of the Bachelor of Science in Nursing at the College is to prepare students towards a professional career in Nursing for a period of four years Bachelor Program after Foundation. Graduates qualify to work in the government or private health services institutions after successful completion of the program according to the availability of vacancies.

CODE	PROGRAM	REQUIREMENTS	TIE BREAKER	ADDITIONAL INFORMATION
NM001		Subjects required: Biology and Chemistry GCE Certificate: A- Level:		Oman Nursing Institute Application to this institute is <u>only</u> for students who received their General Diploma of Education from schools of Governorate of Muscat, Wilayat of Barka, Bidbid and Masira.
NH001	Bachelor in General Nursing	- One 'A' level from the required subjects with minimum 'D' grade - One 'AS' level from the required subjects with minimum 'C' grade	1. Biology 2. Chemistry	Al-Dhahira Application to this institute is <u>only</u> for students who received their General Diploma of Education from schools of Governorates of Al-Dhahira and Al-Buraimi.
NI001		IB Diploma / Certificate: - Must obtain minimum of 24 points out of 45 Minimum of 3 (SL) and 2 (HL) in required		North Sharqiya Application to this institute is only for students who received their General Diploma of Education from schools of Governorate of North Sharqiya.
NU001		and 2 (HL) in required subjects.		South Sharqiya Application to this institute is only for students who received their General Diploma of Education from schools of Governorate of South Sharqiya except Wilayat Masira.

	Nursing						
CODE	PROGRAM	REQUIREMENTS	TIE BREAKER	ADDITIONAL INFORMATION			
NS001				North Batinah Application to these institutes is only for students who received their General Diploma of Education from schools of Governorates of North Batinah and Musandam.			
NR001		Subjects required: Biology and Chemistry GCE Certificate: A- Level: - One 'A' level from the required	1. Biology 2. Chemistry	South Batinah Application to this institute is only for students who received their General Diploma of Education from schools of Governorate of South Batinah except Wilayat Barka.			
NN001	Bachelor in General Nursing	General - One 'AS' level from the		Dakhiliya Application to this institute is only for students who received their General Diploma of Education from schools of Governorates of Al-Dakhiliya and Al-Wosta. Applicants from Wilayat Bidbid are not accepted in this institute			
NA001				Dhofar Application to this institute is only for students who received their General Diploma of Education from schools of Governorate of Dhofar.			

Health Information Management

The intent of this program is to grant Bachelor in Health Information Management after Foundation Program to young Omani human resources. The student must obtain a cumulative grade point average of 2.75 and above at the end of the second year to continue the Bachelor Program in third and fourth Year und in case the student does not obtain the cumulative grade point average (2.75), he will graduate with a diploma. The program has theory and practical which incorporates basic skills and information required to qualify students in the field of Health Informatics and Electronic Information Management. Graduates qualify to work in the government or private health services institutions after successful completion of the program according to the availability of vacancies.

CODE	PROGRAM	REQUIREMENTS	TIE BREAKER	ADDITIONAL INFORMATION
HM001	Health Information Management	Subjects required: Biology and Mathematical Studies or Mathematics and Chemistry GCE Certificate: A- Level: - One 'A' level from the required subjects with minimum 'D' grade - One 'AS' level from the required subjects with minimum 'C' grade IB Diploma / Certificate: - Must obtain minimum of 24 points out of 45 Minimum of 3 (SL) and 2 (HL) in required subjects.	 Biology Mathematical Studies or Mathematics Chemistry 	Places are offered to applicants from all Governorates of Oman according to positions available for the Governorate.

Colleges of Technology					
CODE	PROGRAM	REQUIREMENTS	TIE BREAKER	ADDITIONAL INFORMATION	
TC005	Pharmacy	Subjects Required: (Mathematics+ any 2 of the following (Chemistry, Biology, Physics)) GCE -A-Level Certificate Minimum (E) grade in one subject from A2 and one subject from AS level for the subjects required IB Score of (18) points out of the (45) points.	Mathematics	Note: Diploma only is awarded for this program.	

Internal Scholarships- Bachelor Programs (MEDICINE)

Notices:

- 1. This scholarship is an internal scholarship covers the cost of the tuition fees ONLY. The parent will be responsible to cover the cost of transportation and Accommodation (If necessary).
- 2. Accommodation will be provided by the Private Educational Institutions, taking into a consideration the cost of the accommodation is student's responsibility. (Muscat University and Modern College of Business and Science are not included).
- 3. The monthly allowance is ONLY allocated for Social Security Students.
- 4. For more information about the Higher Private Educational Institutions and the study programs offered by the ministry based on academic degree and specialization, you can access HEAC website (Student Guide Link)

CODE	PROGRAM	REQUIREMENTS	ADDITIONAL INFORMATION
BS001	Medicine (MD)	The required subjects for all International Qualifications: Chemistry, Biology 1- International Baccalaureate Diploma (IB): Minimum requirements (28) points out of (45) points. (4) Points in (HL) or (5) points in (SL) at the mentioned subjects.	National University of Science and Technology *Passing the admission test and the interview is compulsory
BS006	Medical and Dental Surgery	The required subjects for all International Qualifications: Mathematics or Mathematical Studies or Accounting, Biology, Chemistry 1- GCE Certificate: Minimum Grade (C) in (A-Level) or (B) in (As- Level) at the mentioned subjects. 2- International Baccalaureate Diploma (IB): Minimum requirements (28) points out of (45) points. (4) Points in (HL) or (5) points in (SL) at the mentioned subjects.	Oman Dental College
BS017	Nursing	The required subjects for all International Qualifications: Chemistry or Biology, Arabic Language 1- GCE Certificate: Minimum Grade (C) in (A-Level) or (B) in (As- Level) at the mentioned subjects. 2- International Baccalaureate Diploma (IB): Minimum requirements (28) points out of (45) points. (4) Points in (HL) or (5) points in (SL) at the mentioned subjects.	University of Nizwa

Internal Scholarships- Bachelor Programs (MEDICINE)				
BS227	Nursing	The required subjects for all International Qualifications: Chemistry or Biology, Arabic Language 1- International Baccalaureate Diploma (IB): Minimum requirements (28) points out of (45) points. (4) Points in (HL) or (5) points in (SL) at the mentioned subjects.	University of Buraimi *Passing the admission test and the interview is compulsory	
BS002	Pharmacy	The required subjects for all International Qualifications: Chemistry OR Biology. 1- GCE Certificate: Minimum Grade (D) in (A-Level) or (C) in (As-Level) at the mentioned subjects. 2- International Baccalaureate Diploma (IB): Minimum requirements (24) points out of (45) points. Minimum (2) Points in (HL) or (3) points in (SL) at the mentioned subjects.	National University of Science and Technology	
BS289	Pharmacy	The required subjects for all International Qualifications: Chemistry OR Biology. 1- GCE Certificate: Minimum Grade (D) in (A-Level) or (C) in (As- Level) at the mentioned subjects. 2- International Baccalaureate Diploma (IB): Minimum requirements (24) points out of (45) points. Minimum (2) Points in (HL) or (3) points in (SL) at the mentioned subjects.	Nizwa University	
BS018	Veterinary Medicine	Subjects requirements: (Chemistry, Biology, Physics) GCE Certificate: Minimum (C) in (A-Level) or (B) in (As-Level) at the mentioned subjects. International Baccalaureate Diploma (IB): • Minimum (28) points out of (45) points. Minimum (4) Points in (HL) or (5) points in (SL) at the above subjects.	A'Shrqiyah University	

MULTI-SPECILAIZATIONS

EXTERNAL UNDERGRADUATE SCHOLARSHIPS IN THE STEM AREAS (SCIENCE, TECHNOLOGY, ENGINEERING, MATHEMATICAL SCIENCES) OR ESAM AREAS (EDUCATION, SOCIAL SCIENCES, ARTS, MANAGEMENT)

- With regard to the STEM & ESAM scholarships, the following applies:
- All STEM & ESAM scholarship recipients (=after they have been awarded the scholarship) will have to attend a debriefing to be held at the Ministry of Higher Education (MoHE) prior to the scholarship registration deadline in August 2019 (which is the deadline set by the external scholarship department, *not* HEAC);
- The scholarship recipient will have to select the study destination AND preferred undergraduate degree program before the scholarship registration deadline in August 2019, provided the course/major falls within and/or is related to the broader subject areas as mentioned in the tables in this handbook (see the following pages);
- Two separate, non-exhaustive lists (=examples) of approved subject areas for the ESAM and STEM scholarships have been included in the handbook (see following pages) Medicine, Veterinary Medicine, Dentistry and MPharm are NOT covered by these scholarships
- STEM & ESAM scholarship applicants do NOT need to submit an offer of admission in order to apply for these scholarships, however, they can refer to the list of Universities that have been recommended for DES as a guideline as they may try and seek admission to one of the higher education institutions that have been recommended for direct entry scholarship (DES) in either the United Kingdom, the United States of America Germany, Ireland, the Netherlands, New Zealand, Australia, France or Canada.
- > STEM and ESAM scholarship recipients need to seek admission to a recommended higher education institution within a given period although (and unlike for the direct entry scholarship) it is NOT necessary to submit an offer letter from a University in order to compete for the STEM and/or ESAM scholarship. Scholarships recipients may (optional) still submit an offer letter which will be subject to approval;
- > SOME PROGRAMMES ARE NOT AN OPTION AND/OR AVAILABLE IN ALL STUDY DESTINATIONS STUDENTS SHOULD DO RESEARCH BEFORE CHOOSING A COUNTRY AND MAJOR.
- Please note that the recommended Higher Education Institutions may set further requirements for certain programs which may differ from the general scholarship requirements. The MoHE CANNOT guarantee that a selected candidate will meet the requirements of a certain programme as set by a specific Higher Education Institution or that all undergraduate degree courses are available in all countries. Applicants need to check that have chosen the right school subjects for the course they have chosen and if their preferred major/course is available in the country of preference;
- For more information, please write an email to public.services@mohe.gov.om

STEM & ESAM EXTERNAL SCHOLARSHIPS

These scholarships enable recipients to pursue their undergraduate Bachelor's degree at recommended higher education institutions abroad. The scholarship recipient may select the preferred major/course and study destination (terms & conditions may apply)

CODE	course(s) AND DESTINATION	SCHOLARSHIP	TIE BREAKERS
CODE		REQUIREMENTS	(preferential subjects)
	STEM SCHOLARSHIPS IN COURSES/MAJORS* IN THE AREAS OF SCIENCES, TECHNOLOGY, ENGINEERING AND/OR (APPLIED)	Mathematics + 1 from Biology, Chemistry, Physics, Design (&) Technology, Environmental Science, Geography, Computer Science, IT(GS)* A Levels: minimum 3 A-level	
SE380	** THIS SCHOLARSHIP DOES NOT COMPRISE MEDICINE, PHARMACY/MPHARM, CLINICAL PSYCHOLOGY, VETERINARY MEDICINE OR DENTISTRY ** THIS SCHOLARSHIP DOES NOT COMPRISE MEDICINE, PHARMACY/MPHARM, CLINICAL PSYCHOLOGY, VETERINARY ** SOM Trequire ** THIS SCHOLARSHIP DOES NOT COMPRISE MEDICINE ** OF THE COMPRISE	passes and both subjects at a minimum grade A (AS level) or grade B (A level) IBD: 31 points, including a minimum of 6 (SL) or 5 (HL) in both subjects *some courses may have further requirements, the Ministry cannot guarantee progression onto the preferred undergraduate degree course	Mathematics, followed by a -Science
SE390	ESAM SCHOLARSHIPS IN COURSES/MAJORS* IN THE AREAS OF EDUCATION, SOCIAL SCIENCES, ARTS AND/OR MANAGEMENT *** ** THIS SCHOLARSHIP DOES NOT COMPRISE CLINICAL PSYCHOLOGY	2 from Mathematics, Mathematical Studies, Accounting, English, Arabic, Business, Economics Geography, Law, Psychology, Philosophy, Arts, Computer Science, IT(GS), (Global) Politics, History, Sociology* A Levels: minimum 3 A-level passes, including both subjects at a grade A (AS level) or B (A level) IBD: 31 points, including a minimum score of 6 (SL) or 5 (HL) in both subjects *some courses may have further requirements, the Ministry cannot guarantee progression onto the preferred undergraduate degree course	English, followed by Mathematics or Math Studies

STEM (AND DES) EXTERNAL SCHOLARSHIPS

NON-EXHAUSTIVE LIST OF APPROVED SUBJECT AREAS WITHIN SCIENCES, TECHNOLOGY, ENGINEERING (INCLUDING ARCHITECTURE) AND (APPLIED) MATHEMATICAL SCIENCES

Not all majors are available (at undergraduate level) in all study destinations. See also the terms and conditions.

AGRICULTURAL & ENVIRONMENTAL SCIENCES

A: Aquaculture & Fisheries; W: Water Technology

ARCHITECTURE

A: Architecture (only offer letters from recommended institutions in the United Kingdom, Europe or Asia will be accepted); L: Landscape Architecture; P: Property Management; R: Real Estate Management; U: Urban Planning

HEALTH

A: Audiology; B: Biomedical Engineering, Biological Sciences; D: Dietetics (NOT Nutrition), Dental Technology

H: Health(care) Policy and/or Management, Health Education, Health Economics, Health Promotion; Health Administration;

M: Medical Physics, Medical Laboratory Science;

P: Public Health Science, Podiatry, Prosthetics & Orthotics;

R: Respiratory Therapy, Radiography, Radiology

ENGINEERING & RELATED TECHNOLOGIES

A: Acoustical Engineering, Aeronautical Engineering (should concern a NON-flight major - cannot include Pilot Training!), Architectural Engineering; B: Building Services/Maintenance Engineering, Biomedical Engineering, Building (Civil) Engineering; C: Chemical Engineering, Construction Engineering E: Electrical and/or Electronic(s) Engineering, Environmental Engineering,

F: Fire Safety Engineering; G: Geological Engineering; I: Industrial Engineering,

L: Logistics Engineering; M: Materials Engineering, Mining Engineering, Metallurgical Engineering, Mechanical Engineering; Mechanical Engineering; Mechanical Engineering; Mechanical Engineering; Mechanical Engineering; Mechanical Engineering;

P: Petroleum or Oil & Gas Engineering; R: Renewable Energy Engineering; S: Systems Engineering, Surveying Engineering, Sustainability Studies or Engineering; T: Transport Engineering, Telecommunications Engineering

SE380

INFORMATION TECHNOLOGY

A: Animation; C: Computer Science, Computer Science &/with Artificial Intelligence, Computer Forensics, Computer Science &/or with Software or Smart Phone App Development, Cyber Security;

D: Data/Information Science NATURAL & PHYSICAL SCIENCES

A: Astronomy, Astrophysics; B: Biological Sciences, Business Statistics;

C: Conservation (and/or Environment), Chemistry; E: Earth Sciences, Environmental Sciences; Ecology F: Forensic Science; G: Geology, Geophysics, Geochemistry, Genetics; H: Hydrogeology;

L: Life Sciences; M: Meteorology, Mathematics and/with Statistics, Marine Science or Marine Biology;

P: (Applied) Physics; S: Sustainability Science, Science, Statistics; Z: Zoology

*In case a preferred area of study has not been listed here, please send an email with your questions to public.services@mohe.gov.om – mention 'STEM' external scholarships' in the subject line or ask your careers advisor to contact us. Direct Entry Scholarship applicants can send their questions to des@mohe.gov.om with specific reasons why you want to study a course that has not been listed as eligible

for this scholarship by April 30. Joint-degree courses are permitted provided it does NOT result in extension

of duration of the undergraduate degree. The list of recommended higher education institutions is the same

that applies to the Direct Entry Scholarship (DES), however, if a scholarship recipient wishes to study in one of

the study destinations where the Ministry does not have an overseas representative in place, the student is responsible for seeking admission and has to present an offer of admission (language course, foundation or UG

degree) during the registration period in August.

ESAM (AND DES) EXTERNAL SCHOLARSHIPS

NON-EXHAUSTIVE LIST OF APPROVED SUBJECT AREAS WITHIN EDUCATION, SOCIAL SCIENCES, ARTS AND MANAGEMENT

Not all majors are available (at undergraduate level) in all study destinations, please see comments in red. See also the terms and conditions.

CREATIVE ARTS

D: Digital Media; F: Fine Arts (e.g. Painting, Sculpture, Music); J: (Digital) Journalism;

T: Television/Broadcasting

EDUCATION

E: English Language (Teacher to Non-Native Speakers); Early Childhood Education

T: Teaching Science (Secondary School-level), Primary School Education (teaching)

MANAGEMENT & BUSINESS

A: Actuarial Science, Accounting, Auditing, Aviation Management (cannot include Pilot Training – should concern a non-flight major)

B: Banking, Business Administration

E: Enterprise/Entrepreneurship, Emergency Administration & Planning

F: Finance, Financial Risk Management, Financial Services

I: Investment, Insurance, Islamic Banking

L: Logistics and/or Supply Chain Management

M: Management

O: Operations Management, Organisational Leadership Studies

P: Port Management

S: Safety and/or Security Management, Transport Management, Shipping & Port Management and/or Supply Chain and/or Logistics Management

SOCIETY & CULTURE

A: Archeology

C: Criminology

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E: Economics
G: Geographical Information Systems

L: Law (applicants can only submit offer letters from recommended Law schools in the United Kingdom), Languages/ (Applied) Linguistics;

P: Psychology (does NOT include Clinical Psychology as this is only taught a graduate level & applicants can only submit offer letters from recommended universities in the United Kingdom, Australia, New Zealand);

S: Sociology, Special Needs Education

T: Tourism Studies (focus on planning aspect);

*In case a preferred area of study has not been listed here, please send an email with your questions to public.services@mohe.gov.om – mention 'ESAM' external scholarships' in the subject line or ask your careers advisor to contact us. Direct Entry Scholarship applicants can send their questions to des@mohe.gov.om with specific reasons why you want to study a course that has not been listed as eligible

for this scholarship by April 30. Joint-degree courses are permitted provided it does NOT result in extension of duration of the undergraduate degree. The list of recommended higher education institutions is

the same that applies to the Direct Entry Scholarship (DES), however, if a scholarship recipient wishes to study in

one of the study destinations where the Ministry does not have an overseas representative in place, the student is

responsible for seeking admission and has to present an offer of admission (language course, foundation or UG

degree) during the registration period in August

'DIRECT ENTRY TO A UNDERGRADUATE COURSE' OR DIRECT ENTRY SCHOLARSHIP (DES) FOR STUDENTS WITH AN UNCONDITIONAL OFFER FROM A RECOMMENDED HIGHER EDUCATION

INSTITUTION- with regard to the direct entry scholarship, the following applies:

This scholarship is for scholarship applicants who have already made an application to one of the higher education institutions that have been recommended for this scholarship (please refer to Ministry and HEAC websites and make sure

you refer to the right list) and who are expected to have an **unconditional offer** of a place of study in an eligible (=approved)

undergraduate degree programme (=direct entry) at one of the recommended higher education institutions by the time they

receive their final school grades;

The offer should concern an eligible undergraduate degree course in either Medicine, Dentistry, MPharm, Veterinary

Medicine OR in one of the approved subject areas listed under the STEM & ESAM scholarships - this scholarship does **NOT** cover any pre-sessional language courses, foundation programmes/pathways (including integrated foundation programmes). Students who submit an offer for an English language course and/or foundation programme will be automatically **disqualified** as an applicant for this scholarship. Applicants who are not able to submit an unconditional offer for direct entry onto an undergraduate degree programme can still compete for the other STEM, ESAM and/or other

scholarships, provided they meet the minimum requirements set for those scholarships and these schemes still allow students to pursue a language and/or foundation course;

➤ Before the 1st of June 2019, the applicant needs to UPLOAD a valid, acceptable language test report (e.g. IELTS or equivalent) at the time of registration as a scholarship applicant with a minimum overall score of 6.0 (IELTS) or equivalent.

Applicants are exempted from the English language test requirement in case they upload a conditional offer of a place of study from one of the recommended institutions (and in one of the approved majors) by the 1st of June 2019. Please upload

CLEAR AND COMPLETE scanned copies of a valid English language test (IELTS or equivalent) or of a conditional offer letter to the HEAC website. The registration link will be announced on the HEAC website. Students are responsible for

taking a language test that meets the requirements of the university/

Before the closing date of the HEAC 'change of preference' period in July 2019, applicants must submit a true copy of a formal/unconditional offer letter (=a letter of acceptance) for entry 2019/20 (first or second intake) that was stamped, signed and written on official University letterhead – copies of emails will not be accepted. Students who did not yet receive

their final marks may submit a conditional offer letter along with proof that they did not yet receive their final marks;

- Applicants should not NOT seek admission at a University for entry before August 2019 (this means that the course should NOT start earlier than late August 2019 as scholarships are competitively awarded not earlier than mid of August);
- > Applicants will be provided with more details about the application procedures in due course and your documents will be

reviewed by a scholarship committee;

Ø If the number of **qualified** applicants exceeds the number of places allocated to this scholarship, the DES scholarship screening committee will assess applicants based on the overall school grade and, if necessary, the position of the higher education institution in the Shanghai ARWU 2018 – top 500 rankings.

DII	DIRECT ENTRY – EXTERNAL UNDERGRADUATE SCHOLARSHIP				
COURSI	E(S) AND DESTINATION	SCHOLARSHIP REQUIREMENTS	TIE BREAKERS (preferential subjects)		
DE001	A DIRECT ENTRY TO A UNDERGRADUATE COURSE IN EITHER MEDICINE, DENTISTRY, VETERINARY MEDICINE, MPHARM, OR IN IN ONE OF THE APPROVED SUBJECT AREAS LISTED UNDER THE STEM & ESAM SCHOLARSHIPS (SEE LISTS OF APPROVED SUBJECT AREAS ON PREVIOUS PAGES) Applicants can send questions about eligible courses to des@mohe.gov.om but until the end of April 2019 and this email address cannot be used to submit an application — only to confirm the eligibility of a course THE LIST OF APPROVED HIGHER EDUCATION INSTITUTIONS HAS BEEN UPLOADED TO THE MOHE AND HEAC WEBSITES	STUDENTS NEED TO MEET THE FOLLOWING CRITERIA* TO COMPETE FOR DES: A-levels: Minimum 3 A-level passes OR a minimum grade C or higher in (any*) two out of three A-level subjects (*except for physical education) IBD: Minimum total score of 30 points OR a score of 4 points in (any*) two out of six HL subjects (*except for physical & health education) PLUS DES APPLICANTS NEED TO UPLOAD ONE OF THE TWO FOLLOWING DOCUMENTS TO THE HEAC WEBSITE BEFORE 1 JUNE 2019: (=before closing date of the scholarship registration period): a valid, acceptable International English Language Testing System (IELTS*) report OR equivalent. The minimum overall score should be at least a 6.0 or equivalent OR a conditional offer of a place of study on an undergraduate degree course at one of the recommended higher education institutions. PLUS APPLICANTS MUST UPLOAD THE FOLLOWING DOCUMENT BEFORE THE CLOSING DATE OF 'THE CHANGE OF PREFERENCE' PERIOD IN JULY 2019: (ONE) UNCONDITIONAL offer of a place of study on an eligible (approved) undergraduate degree course at one of the higher education institutions recommended for this particular scholarship (see next page) for the academic year 2019/20. Conditional offers will only be accepted at this stage in case the student did not yet receive his/her final exam marks. *the minimum criteria have been set to ensure that applicant will still have to meet further and/or higher requirements set by at least one of the higher requirements set by at least one of the higher requirements set by at least one of the higher requirements set by at least one of the higher education institutions that have been recommended for this scholarship Preferably academic IELTS for UKVI in case applicants are competitively awarded a scholarship (DES or another) and will pursue their higher undergraduate studies in the UK where many universities may ask for this test.	The overall school grade, followed by the position of the university in the Shanghai ARWU top 500, will be the primary tiebreaker in case the number of qualified applicants exceeds the number of seats allocated to this scholarship, for further info – please refer to the terms and conditions that pertain to this scholarship		

NATURAL & PHYSICAL SCIENCES

Do you want to study **Chemistry**, **Physics**, **Biology**, **or Mathematics**? Are you interested in developing your analytical thinking and problem-saving skills? Are you interested to learn how to read the rocks of the Sultanate of Oman? Or how to secure water resources in Oman and the world which are threatened by different factors? Perhaps **Earth Sciences** and/or **Environmental Sciences** is the right choice then. **Earth Sciences**, also referred to as **Geology**, and also the related **Geosciences** (e.g. **Geophysics and Geochemistry**) usually involve the study of the origin of the earth and its physical, chemical, and biological processes that formed it and which have been operating over the past million years. Do you prefer to be able to predict

Astronomy involves the study of the physical universe, from the Earth, the solar system to galaxies, stars and planets. **Astrophysics**, also focuses on how to apply physics, mathematics and computer sciences to astronomical observation.

weather? Perhaps you then might be interested in **Meteorology**.

Are you more interested in Mathematics and Computer Science? Statistics is essentially concerned with the collection, analysis and interpretation of data. By analyzing trends and patterns in these data you should able to provide information about probable and possible future developments and can help create solutions for probable and possible challenges facing a society. Perhaps you are a huge fan of television-series like (Crime Scene Investigation) and decided you want to become a Forensic Scientist or Forensic Science Technician? If so, you must bear in mind that the work of a Forensic Scientist often involves very detailed, scientific work and involves the collection and interpretation of scientific data. Hence, what you see on television may not reflect the reality. A Forensic Scientist should be able to collect, analyze and provide unbiased scientific evidence for use in a criminal investigation or a trial or laboratory analysis. Some other areas also fall under this major such as Biotechnology specializations (e.g. Maritime, Agricultural, and Environmental).

UNIVERSITY OF OMAN – EXTERNAL SCHOLARSHIPS

- Not all of the listed undergraduate courses/majors are available in all study destinations. A list of approved courses/majors by country will be uploaded to the HEAC website and other publications in April 2019;
- All external scholarship applicants are advised to take the IELTS for UKVI ACADEMIC TEST in April or May 2019 to avoid a future deferral (delay) of admission;
- The names of the subject areas are published in English only because these are the official names used by the recommended higher education institutions, including in countries where the official language is not English;
- Please read the intro and terms & conditions for more info.

CODE	COURSE(S) AND DESTINATION	SCHOLARSHIP REQUIREMENTS	TIE BREAKERS (preferential subjects)
OE070	Biochemistry, Biology, Marine Biology or Biophysics IN THE UK, THE USA, CANADA, AUSTRALIA, NEW ZEALAND OR IN CERTAIN ASIAN AND EUROPEAN COUNTRIES an assessment test is part of the scholarship selection process in August 2019	2 of Chemistry, Biology, Physics, Mathematics or Mathematical Studies AS & A Levels: minimum 3 A level passes, including a grade A (AS level) or minimum grade B (A level) in both subjects IBD: 31 points, with a minimum score of 6 (SL) or 5 (HL) in both subjects	Chemistry, followed by Biology
ОЕозо	Sustainability Studies, Water Resources, Hydrology or Hydrogeology IN THE UNITED KINGDOM, THE USA, CANADA, AUSTRALIA, NEW ZEALAND OR IN CERTAIN ASIAN AND EUROPEAN COUNTRIES An assessment test is part of the scholarship selection process in August 2019	2 of Biology, Chemistry, Mathematics, Physics, Environmental Science, Geography, Geology** A Levels: minimum 3 A level passes, including a minimum grade A (AS Level) or B (A level) in both subjects IBD: 31 points, including minimum score of a 6 (SL) or 5 (HL) in both subjects	Biology

Notes:

^{*} ASSESSMENT TEST: all applicants shortlisted for a University of Oman scholarship through the HEAC electronic system will have to take a skills assessment test in the first week of August 2019 as part of their scholarship application. **Scholarship recipients may select the preferred destination prior to the registration deadline in August 2019. Before applying, students need to check that you have, or are likely to achieve, the right grades in the relevant subjects for the subject you are interested in as some programmes may have further requirements. The Ministry cannot guarantee an available seat in the course of highest preference as places on specific courses may be limited and/or due to further requirements set by the HEIs. In case the student cannot progress onto one of the majors as per his/her scholarship, this may have implications in view of their scholarship (please read general terms and conditions).

EXTERNAL SCHOLARSHIPS BY SUBJECT AND STUDY DESTINATION

In case a scholarship comprises more than one undergraduate course or major, please consider that some Bachelor degree programs may have further requirements and the Ministry of Higher Education (MoHE) cannot guarantee securing admission to the selected program and/or University of highest preference. The MoHE reserves the right to select a suitable institution for each scholarship recipient;

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SE560	Geological Sciences, Geosciences (Exploration Geophysics or Geochemistry), Environmental Sciences, Earth Sciences, Marine Science or Sustainability Studies in AUSTRALIA	2 of Mathematics, Mathematical Studies, Physics, Chemistry, Biology, Geology, Geography, Environmental Science	
SE561	Earth Science(s), Geology or Geosciences (Geophysics or Geochemistry), Sustainable Development, Ecology, Conservation and Environment or Marine Environmental Science in THE UNITED KINGDOM	GCE A/AS level: minimum 2 A-level passes, including both subjects at minimum grade B (AS Level) or grade C (A level) IBD: 29 points, including a	Mathematics or Math Studies
SE563	Earth Science(s), Geology, Geosciences (Geophysics or Geochemistry), Environmental Sciences or Environmental Geosciences in THE USA	minimum of 5 (SL) or 4 (HL) in both subjects IBC: 31 points, including a minimum of 5 (SL) or 4 (HL) in both	
SE575	Earth Sciences, Applied Geology, Geology or Environmental Sciences in NEW ZEALAND	subjects	

EXTERNAL SCHOLARSHIPS BY SUBJECT AND STUDY DESTINATION TIE BREAKERS CODE COURSE(S) AND **ADMISSION REQUIREMENTS** (PREFERENTIAL **DESTINATION** SUBJECTS) Mathematics + 1 of Physics, Chemistry or Environmental Science IBD: 29 points, including a minimum of 5 (SL) or 4 (HL) in all subjects **Environmental Science & Mathematics** Sustainable Technology **IBC**: 31 points, including a minimum of 5 SE568 (SL) or 4 (HL) in all subjects **IRELAND** GCE A/AS level: minimum 2 A-level passes, including all subjects at minimum grade B (AS Level) or grade C (A level) **Mathematics** + Physics IBD: 29 points, including a minimum of 6 (SL) or 5 (HL) in both subjects Astronomy, Astrophysics or IBC: 31 points, including a minimum of 6 (SL) or 5 (HL) in both Physics in the UNITED **SE610 Physics** subjects KINGDOM GCE A/AS level: minimum 2 A-level passes, including both subjects at minimum grade A (AS Level) or grade B (A level) Biology, Biological Sciences 2 of Mathematics, Mathematical Studies, or Chemistry in Biology, Chemistry **SE762** the UNITED KINGDOM IBD: 29 points, including a minimum of 6 (SL) or 5 (HL) in both (Subject to MOHE approval) subjects Biology or IBC: 31 points, including a minimum of 6 Chemistry Biology, Biological Sciences (SL) or 5 (HL) in both subjects or Chemistry **SE763** GCE A/AS level: minimum 2 A-level in THE USA passes, including both subjects at grad A (Subject to MOHE approval)

(AS Level) or grade B (A level)

EXTERNAL SCHOLARSHIPS BY SUBJECT AND STUDY **DESTINATION** TIE BREAKERS CODE COURSE(S) AND **ADMISSION REQUIREMENTS** (PREFERENTIAL **DESTINATION** SUBJECTS) 1 of Biology or Chemistry + 1 of Mathematics, Physics, **Mathematical Studies or English** IBD: 29 points, including a minimum of 6 (SL) or 5 (HL) in both Forensic Science (this has subjects **SE600** nothing to with studying Biology or IBC: 31 points, including a Medicine) in the Chemistry minimum of 6 (SL) or 5 (HL) in both UNITED KINGDOM subjects GCE A/AS level: minimum 2 A-level passes, including a minimum grade A (AS Level) or grade B (A level) in both subjects Statistics or Business **SE590** Mathematics + 1 of English, Statistics in **Economics or Accounting** The UNITED KINGDOM **IBD:** 29 points, including a minimum of 6 (SL) and 5 (HL) in both subjects Mathematics IBC: 31 points, including a minimum of 6 (SL) and 5 (HL) in both subjects GCE A/AS level: minimum 2 A-level passes, including both subjects at minimum grade A (AS Level) or SE593 Statistics in THE USA B (A level)

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CODE	COURSE(S) AND DESTINATION	ADMISSION REQUIREMENTS	TIE BREAKERS (PREFERENTIAL SUBJECTS)		
SE753	Majors in Science* in CANADA *these majors are taught in English Biology, Chemistry, Earth Sciences, Environmental Science, Environment, Sustainability and Society, Marine Biology, Ocean Sciences Physics and Atmospheric Sciences or Statistics *these majors have an August and Jan intake *scholarship applicants will require an IELTS overall score of 5.0. Students will need to submit the IELTS test report form on a soon to be announced date in August 2019.	Mathematics + 1 of Physics, Chemistry, Biology, Geology, Geography, Environmental Science A-levels: minimum 2 A-level passes, including both subjects at minimum grade B (AS level) or C (A level) IBD: 29 points, including a minimum of 5 (SL) or 4 (HL) in both subjects IBC: 31 points, including a minimum of 5 (SL) or 4 (HL) in both subjects *Some courses may have further requirements, the MoHE cannot guarantee progress onto the course of preference	Mathematics		
SE592	Majors in the areas of Biology, Chemistry, Physics, Geology, Earth Sciences or Geosciences * in FRANCE These programmes are taught in French. *Scholarship recipients will be able to indicate which undergraduate degree programme they would want to pursue in August 2019. Recipients start with a French language and foundation course. Some of the undergraduate degree courses may have further requirements as set by the higher education institution(s).	Mathematics + Physics, 1 of Biology or Chemistry A-levels: minimum 2 A-level passes, including both subjects at minimum grade A (AS Level) or B (A level) IBD: 29 points, including a minimum of 6 (SL) or 5 (HL) in both subjects IBC: 31 points, including a minimum of 6 (SL) or 5 (HL) in both subjects Some courses may have further requirements, the MoHE cannot guarantee progress onto the course of preference	Mathematics,		

	GCC Grants					
CODE	PROGRAM	REQUIREMENTS	TIE BREAKER	ADDITIONAL INFORMATION		
SE900	Science	Subjects Required For All International Qualifications: (Physics + Mathematics) G.C.E. Qualification: score of (C) in A - Level for the Subjects required above Or score of (B) in AS - Level for the Subjects required above	- Mathematics - Physics	(Partial Scholarship) Study Destination: United Arab Emirates HEI: United Arab Emirates University Art, physical education, and Music are not included in the calculation of overall grade.		
SE922	Science	International Baccalaureate (IB): score of 32 points out of the total of 45 points Score of (5) points in (HL) for the subjects required above. Or score of (6) points in (SL) for the subjects required above		(Full Scholarship) Study Destination: Kuwait HEI: Al Kuwait University Art, physical education, and Music are not included in the calculation of overall grade.		

Sultan Qaboos University						
CODE	PROGRAM	ADDITIONAL INFORMATION				
SQ150	College of Science	GCE - Certificates: GCE - Certificates Student must study 2 subjects at least from (A- level) Must study 4 subjects from following subjects (Mathematics, Chemistry, Physics & Biology(and score: Minimum (C) grade from the (A-level) Minimum (B) grade from the(AS level) IBD: The student must score: 24 points out of the total of 45 points Minimum of (4) points in Mathematics from (HL) or Minimum of (5) points in Mathematics from (SL) And must study 2 subjects only from following subjects (Chemistry, Physics, Biology) and score: Minimum of (4) from (HL) or Minimum of (5) points in from (SL)	 4. Earth Sciences 5. Environmental Biology 6. Geophysics 			

	Colleges of Applied Sciences						
CODE	PROGRAM	REQUIREMENTS	TIE BREAKER	ADDITIONAL INFORMATION			
AS001	Bachelor of Applied Biotechnology (Sur College)	Subjects Required For All International Qualifications: Biology, Mathematics, and Chemistry) GCE A/AS level: Minimum score of (D) in (A- Level) OR (C) in (AS- Level) in the required subjects. IBD: 24 points out of the total of 45 points, score 4 (SL) or 3 (HL) in the required subjects.	Biology Mathematics Chemistry	- Program Majors : *Marine Biotechnology. *Food & Agriculture Biotechnology. * Environmental Biotechnology			

	Colleges of Technology						
CODE	PROGRAM	REQUIREMENTS	TIE BREAKER	ADDITIONAL INFORMATION			
TC003	Applied Science	Subjects Required: (Mathematics+ any 2 of the following (Chemistry, Biology, Physics) GCE -A-Level Certificate Minimum (E) grade in one subject from A2 and one subject from AS level for the subjects required IB Score of (18) points out of the (45) points.	Highest Marks in: Mathematics	Note: Bachelor is awarded for this program if the student met all the requirements.			

Internal Scholarships- Bachelor Programs

Notices:

- 1. This scholarship is an internal scholarship covers the cost of the tuition fees ONLY. The parent will be responsible to cover the cost of transportation and Accommodation (If necessary).
- 2. Accommodation will be provided by the Private Educational Institutions, taking into a consideration the cost of the accommodation is student's responsibility. (Muscat University and Modern College of Business and Science are not included).
- 3. The monthly allowance is ONLY allocated for Social Security Students.
- 4. For more information about the Higher Private Educational Institutions and the study programs offered by the ministry based on academic degree and specialization, you can access HEAC website (Student Guide Link)

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CODE	PROGRAM	REQUIREMENTS	ADDITIONAL INFORMATION			
BS016	Biotechnology	The required subjects for all International Qualifications: Mathematics, (Chemistry or Physics) 1- GCE Certificate: Minimum Grade (E) in (A-Level) or (D) in (As- Level) at the mentioned subjects. 2- International Baccalaureate Diploma (IB): Minimum	Nizwa University			
BS218	- Fisheries and Marine Science -Food Science and Nutrition	requirements (18) points out of (45) points. Minimum (2) Points in (HL) or (3) points in (SL) at the mentioned subjects	A'Shsrqiyah University			
BS228	Optics Science	The required subjects for all International Qualifications: Arabic, (Chemistry or Biology) 1- International Baccalaureate Diploma (IB): Minimum requirements (28) points out of (45) points. Minimum (4) Points in (HL) or (5) points in (SL) at the mentioned subjects.	AL Buraimi University *Passing the admission test and the interview is compulsory			

	Internal Scholarships- Bachelor Programs				
CODE	PROGRAM	REQUIREMENTS	ADDITIONAL INFORMATION		
BS208	Applied Geosciences	The required subjects for all International Qualifications: Mathematics, (Chemistry or Physics) 1- GCE Certificate: Minimum Grade (E) in (A-Level) or (D) in (As-Level) at the mentioned subjects. 2- International Baccalaureate Diploma (IB): Minimum requirements (18) points out of (45) points. Minimum (2) Points in (HL) or (3) points in (SL) at the mentioned subjects.	German University of Technology		
BS020	Statistics	The required subjects for all International Qualifications: English, Mathematics, Arabic 1- GCE Certificate: Minimum Grade (E) in (A-Level) or (D) in (As- Level) at the mentioned subjects. 2- International Baccalaureate Diploma (IB): Minimum requirements (18) points out of (45) points. Minimum (2) Points in (HL) or (3) points in (SL) at the mentioned subjects.	Nizwa University		
BS090	Statistics	The required subjects for all International Qualifications: (Mathematics or Mathematical Studies or Accounting) and one of the following subjects: Economics or Business or Information Systems or Computer or Arabic or English 1- GCE Certificate: Minimum Grade (E) in (A-Level) or (D) in (As- Level) at the mentioned subjects. 2- International Baccalaureate Diploma (IB): Minimum requirements (18) points out of (45) points. Minimum (2) Points in (HL) or (3) points in (SL) at the mentioned subjects.	Modern College of Business and Science		

AGRICULTURE, ENVIRONMENT and RELATED SIENCES

Agriculture, the ancient vocation, was and continues to play and important role in enhancing countries' economy.

Today, there are focused degrees and courses that involve everything from research and development to applying technology and engineering to it. Agricultural Engineers have a huge role to play in all this.

Other disciplines include Water Technologies and Crop and Soil Sciences. Do not forget that animals have played a significant role in the Agriculture history. That is why Animal Science falls under this area as a related discipline.

Coming back to humans, agricultural activity is where we source our produce from, so you will find that Food and Agriculture, and Human Nutrition are also subjects and areas of specialistion.

Talking of food, we also source our food from the marine life. This forms a study subject in form of courses such as Fisheries Development and Aquaculture.

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SE773	Aquaculture & Fisheries in THE UNITED KINGDOM	2 of Mathematics, Mathematical Studies, Physics, Chemistry, Biology, Geology, Geography, Environmental Science A-levels: minimum 2 A-level passes, including both subjects at minimum grade A (AS Level) or grade B (A level) IBD: 29 points, including a minimum of 6 (SL) or 5 (HL) in both subjects IBC: 31 points, including a minimum of 6 (SL) or 5 (HL) in both subjects	Mathematics
SE774	Water Technology in GERMANY This programme is taught in German.	Mathematics + 1 of Biology, Physics, Chemistry, Geography, Geology or Environmental Science + Arabic, English or another language A-levels: minimum 2 A-level passes, including both subjects at minimum grade B (AS level) or C (A level) IBD: 26 points, including a min score of 5 (SL) or 4 (HL) in both subjects	Mathematics

GCC Grants						
CODE	PROGRAM	REQUIREMENTS	TIE BREAKER	ADDITIONAL INFORMATION		
SE905	Food and Agriculture	Subjects Required For All International Qualifications: (Chemistry + Biology) G.C.E. Qualification: score of (C) in A - Level for the subjects required above or score of (B) in AS - Level for the Subjects required above International Baccalaureate (IB): Score of 32 points out of the total of 45 points score of (5) points in (HL) for the subjects required above. Or score of (6) points in (SL) for the subjects required above	Biology Chemistry	(Partial Scholarship) Study Destination: United Arab Emirates HEI: United Arab Emirates University Art, physical education, and Music are not included in the calculation of overall grade		

Sultan Qaboos University						
CODE	PROGRAM	REQUIREMENTS	ADDITIONAL INFORMATION			
SQ001	College of Agricultural and Marine Sciences	1- GCE -Certificates Student must study 2	Specializations: Animal and Veterinary Sciences Crop Sciences Food Science and Nutrition Marine Science and Fisheries Natural Resource Economics Soils, Water and Agriculture Engineering Agricultural Experiment Station -Language of instruction is English			

Internal Scholarships- Bachelor Programs					
CODE	PROGRAM	REQUIREMENTS ADDITIO INFORMA			
BS200	Environmental Management And Practice	Subjects requirements: Mathematics, Chemistry or Physics GCE Certificate: Minimum (C) in (A-Level) or (C) in (As- Level) at the mentioned subjects. International Baccalaureate Diploma (IB): • Minimum (32) points out of (45) points. • Minimum (4) Points in (HL) or (5) points in (SL) at the above subjects.	Global College of Engineering and Technology		

Engineering & Related Technologies

A good Engineer is the one who can apply Science, Mathematics, and other skills in order to find practical and useful solutions, to develop, improve and maintain infrastructure, products and services that the society needs.

If you have these skills consider joining one of the Engineering programmes, which fall under the Process & Resource Engineering subcategory, for which one usually requires good skills in Math and Chemistry (Examples: Petroleum, Chemical, Renewable Energy, Materials or Mining Engineering)

If construction and building industry appeals to you then you might want to explore courses in civil, structural, Architectural (do not confuse between Architectural Engineering and Architecture, since they are entirely different fields), Construction Engineering or Geomatics (Surveying).

UNIVERSITY OF OMAN – EXTERNAL SCHOLARSHIPS

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OE060	Mining Engineering and Materials Science/Materials Engineering IN THE UNITED KINGDOM, THE USA, CANADA, AUSTRALIA, NEW ZEALAND OR IN CERTAIN ASIAN AND EUROPEAN COUNTRIES An assessment test is part of the application process in August 2019.	Mathematics + 1 of Chemistry or Physics IBD: 31 points, including a minimum score of 6 (SL) or 5 (HL) in both subjects AS & A Levels: minimum 3 A level passes, including a minimum grade A (AS Level) or grade B (A level) in both subjects	
OE061	Environmental Engineering, Systems (Design) Engineering, Computer Engineering IN THE UNITED KINGDOM, THE USA, CANADA, AUSTRALIA, NEW ZEALAND OR IN CERTAIN ASIAN AND EUROPEAN COUNTRIES An assessment test is part of the application process in August 2019.	Mathematics + 1 from Physics, Chemistry, Environmental Science, Biology, Computer Science or Design & Technology IBD: 31 points out of 45, including a minimum score of 6 (SL) or 5 (HL) in both subjects GCE AS & A Levels: minimum 3 A level passes, including a minimum grade A (AS Level) or grade B (A level) in both subjects	Mathematics

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	Full External Grants from PDO						
CODE	PROGRAM	REQUIREMENTS	TIE BREAKERS (preferential subjects)	ADDITIONAL INFORMATION			
EG006		Subjects Required For All International Qualifications: Mathematics, Physics + 1 from (Biology; Chemistry and Geology)	Mathematics Physics	 Applicant should have scored not less than (5.5) in English exam (IELTS) or not less than (550) in TOEFL) with not less than (5) in each component. Applicants should be medically fit, so they have to make a medical check. Bachelor study years in UK: 3 years, 4 years for Canada and Australia. Applicant should commit to the country and HEI accepted in. The program will not accept the certificates that are equivalent to the General Education Diploma issued from the Kingdom of Saudi Arabia The grant will be withdrawn in case of failure in any academic year during study, or in case of violating any of the company's regulation articles of the grant. Enquiries shall be sent to the email: Said.SR.Rahbil@pdo.co.om 			

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SE042	Biomedical Engineering in the UNITED KINGDOM	Mathematics + physics IBD: 29 points. Min 5 (SL) or 4 (HL) in both subjects IBC: 31 points. Min 5 (SL) or 4 (HL) in both subjects AS & A Levels: minimum 2 A level passes, including min grade B (AS Level) or grade C (A level) in both subjects.	Mathematics
SE470	Petroleum Engineering in the USA		
SE489	Renewable Energy Engineering in the UNITED KINGDOM	Mathematics + 1 of	
SE473	Chemical Engineering, Chemical & Petroleum Engineering, Chemical & Environmental Engineering, Chemical & Energy, Engineering or Chemical & Materials Engineering in the UNITED KINGDOM	Chemistry or Physics* A Levels: Minimum 2 Alevel passes, including a minimum grade B (AS Level) or grade C (A level) in both subjects IBD: 29 points, including a	Mathematics
SE480	Chemical Engineering in the USA	minimum 5 (SL) or 4 (HL) in both subjects IBC: 31 points, including a	
SE485	Sustainable or Renewable Energy (Engineering) in the USA	minimum 5 (SL) or 4 (HL) in both subjects	
SE487	Renewable/Sustainable Energy Engineering or Photovoltaics & Solar Energy Engineering in AUSTRALIA		

CODE	COURSE(S) AND DESTINATION	SCHOLARSHIP REQUIREMENTS	TIE BREAKERS
SE494	Materials Science and/or Materials Engineering in THE USA	Mathematics + 1 of Chemistry or Physics* A Levels: Minimum 2 A-level passes,	
SE495	Mining Engineering, Materials Science/Materials Engineering or Metallurgical Engineering or Metallurgy in the UNITED KINGDOM	including a minimum grade B (AS Level) or grade C (A level) in both subjects IBD: 29 points, including a minimum 5 (SL) or 4 (HL) in both subjects	Mathematic
SE496	Mining Engineering, Materials Science/Materials Engineering or Metallurgical Engineering in AUSTRALIA	IBC: 31 points, including a minimum 5 (SL) or 4 (HL) in both subjects	
SE500	Marine & Offshore Engineering, Architectural Engineering, Civil Engineering, Construction Engineering, Structural Engineering, Mechanical Engineering or Mechatronics in AUSTRALIA	Mathematics + Physics IBD: 29 points. Min 5 (SL) or 4 (HL) in both subjects IBC: 31 points.	Mathematic
SE501	Architectural Engineering, Civil Engineering, Construction Engineering, Electrical and/or Electronic(s) Engineering, Mechanical Engineering or Industrial Engineering in THE USA	Min 5 (SL) or 4 (HL) in both subjects AS & A Levels: minimum 2 A-level passes. Min grade B (AS Level) or grade C (A level) in both subjects	Wattiefffatio
SE502	Architectural Engineering, Civil Engineering, Construction Engineering, Communication Systems Engineering, Structural Engineering, Electrical and/or Electronic(s) Engineering, Mechanical Engineering, Mechatronics or Industrial Engineering in the UNITED KINGDOM	Mathematics + 1 of Physics, Chemistry, Environmental Science, Biology, Computer Science or Design & Technology* A Levels: Minimum 2 Alevel passes, including a minimum grade B (AS Level) or grade C (A level) in both subjects IBD: 29 points, including a minimum 5 (SL) or 4 (HL) in both subjects IBC: 31 points, including a minimum 5 (SL) or 4 (HL) in both subjects	Mathemati

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SE553	Surveying Engineering FOR MALE APPLICANTS ONLY* in AUSTRALIA or the UNITED KINGDOM The interview and military medical examination are requirements for the students applied to this program. Student awarded this scholarship is not allowed to change the specialization or study destination.	Mathematics + 1 of Physics, Chemistry, Environmental Science or Geography IBD: 29 points, min 5 (SL) or 4 (HL) in both subjects IBC: 31 points, min 5 (SL) or 4 (HL) in both subjects A&AS levels: min 2 A-level passes. Both subjects at grade B (AS Level) or C (A level)	Mathematics	
SE557	Surveying Engineering or Quantity Surveying in the UNITED KINGDOM			
SE566	Environmental Engineering in THE UNITED KINGDOM	Mathematics + 1 of 1 of Physics, Chemistry, Environmental Science, Biology, Computer		
SE565	Environmental Engineering in the USA	Science or Design & Technology IBD: 29 points. Min 5 (SL) or 4 (HL) in both subjects	Mathematics	
SE526	Environmental Engineering in AUSTRALIA	IBC: 31 points. Min 5 (SL) or 4 (HL) in both subjects GCE AS & A Levels: minimum 2 A level passes. Min grade B (AS Level) or grade C (A level) in both subjects		

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CODE	COURSE(S) AND DESTINATION	SCHOLARSHIP REQUIREMENTS	TIE BREAKERS		
SE508	Embedded Systems Engineering, Energy & Raw Materials, Energy (and Environment) Technology, Energy (and Building) Technology, Industrial Engineering, Industrial Engineering & Logistics, Marine Engineering, Material Sciences, Renewable Energy, Electrical Engineering Environmental Engineering, Mechanical Engineering, Civil Engineering or Mechatronics in GERMANY. These programmes are taught in German.	Mathematics + Physics IBD: 26 points, min 5 (SL) or 4 (HL) in Mathematics PLUS 4 (SL) or 3 (HL) in Physics A/AS level: minimum 2 A-level passes, min grade B (AS Level) or grade C (A level) in Mathematics PLUS min grade C (AS Level) or grade D (A level) in			
SE515	Civil Engineering at HZ University of Applied Sciences in THE NETHERLANDS This programme is taught in English and starts in Feb and Sept every academic year Applicants should have graduated from a secondary school located in the Sultanate of Oman	Physics *IB-Certificate holders cannot apply for scholarships allocated to the Netherlands as Dutch HEIs do not recognize this type of qualification			
SE756	Majors in Engineering * In CANADA Civil Engineering, Environmental Engineering, Electrical Engineering Industrial Engineering, Mechanical Engineering, Chemical Engineering, Mineral Resource Engineering, Material Science & Engineering, Chemical & Petroleum Engineering, Energy Engineering *these majors are taught in English *Scholarship recipients will first be admitted to a BA of Engineering and be able to indicate which undergraduate degree program they would want to pursue at a later stage and they will have to study at the recommended universities selected by CAO in Washington. *scholarship applicants will require an IELTS overall score of 5.0. Students will need to submit the IELTS test report form on a soon to be announced date in August 2019.	Mathematics + 1 of Chemistry or Physics* A Levels: Minimum 2 A-level passes, including a minimum grade B (AS Level) or grade C (A level) in both subjects IBD: 29 points, including a minimum 5 (SL) or 4 (HL) in both subjects IBC: 31 points, including a minimum 5 (SL) or 4 (HL) in both subjects *Some of these courses may have further requirements as set by the higher education institution(s), the MoHE cannot guarantee you can study the course you prefer. The preferred programme will be subject to approval by the Ministry of Higher Education (MoHE).The MoHE cannot guarantee that a candidate will be admitted to the programme and/or University of preference.	Mathematics		

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CODE	COURSE(S) AND DESTINATION	SCHOLARSHIP REQUIREMENTS	TIE BREAKERS	
SE504	Mechanical Engineering, Mechatronics, Electrical or Electronic Engineering, Civil Engineering or Building Services Engineering in IRELAND	Mathematics + Physics IBD: 29 points, min 5 (SL) or 4 (HL) in both subjects IBC: 31 points, min 5 (SL) or 4 (HL) in both subjects GCE A/AS level: minimum 2 A-level passes, min grade B (AS Level) or grade C (A level) in both subjects		
SE523	Environmental Engineering, Power Engineering, Mechatronics, Civil Engineering or Electrical Engineering at Warsaw University of Technology in POLAND These programmes are taught English Applicants should have graduated from a school in the Sultanate of Oman	Mathematics + Physics IBD: 26 points, min 5 (SL) or 4 (HL) in Mathematics and 4 (SL) or 3 (HL) in Physics IBC: 28 points, min 5 (SL) or 4 (HL) in Mathematics and 4 (SL) or 3 (HL) in Physics GCE A/AS level: minimum 2 A-level		
SE529	Telecommunications Engineering, Electrical Engineering or Mechatronics in MALAYSIA These programmes are taught in English	passes, min grade B (AS Level) or grade C (A level) in Mathematics and min grade C (AS Level) or grade D (A level) in Physics	Mathematics	
SE524	Majors in the areas of Electronics & Electrical Energy in FRANCE These programmes are taught in French *Scholarship recipients will be able to indicate which undergraduate degree programme they would want to pursue in August 2019. Recipients start with a French language and foundation course. Some of the undergraduate degree courses may have further requirements as set by the higher education institution(s).	Mathematics + Physics A Levels: Minimum 2 A-level passes, including a minimum grade B (AS Level) or grade C (A level) in both subjects IBD: 29 points, including a minimum 5 (SL) or 4 (HL) in both subjects IBC: 31 points, including a minimum 5 (SL) or 4 (HL) in both subjects		

GCC Grants					
CODE	PROGRAM	REQUIREMENTS	TIE BREAKER	ADDITIONAL INFORMATION	
SE904	Engineering	Subjects Required For All International Qualifications: (Physics + Mathematics) G.C.E. Qualification: score of (C) in A - Level for the Subjects required above or score of (B) in AS - Level for the Subjects required above	Mathematics	(Partial Scholarship) Study Destination: United Arab Emirates HEI: United Arab Emirates University Art, physical education, and Music are not included in the calculation of overall grade.	
SE920	Engineering	International Baccalaureate (IB) score of 32 points out of 45 out of the total of 45 points Score of (5) in (HL) for the subjects required above. Or score of (6) points out of 45 in (SL) for the subjects required above	Physics	(Full Scholarship) Study Destination: Kuwait HEI: Al Kuwait University Art, physical education, and Music are not included in the calculation of overall grade.	

Sultan Qaboos University					
CODE	PROGRAM	REQUIREMENTS	ADDITIONAL INFORMATION		
SQ200	College of Engineering	GCE – Certificates Student must study 2 subjects at least from (A- level) The student Must study following subject (Mathematics, Chemistry, Physics) and score: Minimum (C) grade from the (A-level) Minimum (B) grade from the(AS level) IB- Diploma The student must study (Chemistry, Physics, Mathematics) and score: Minimum of (4) from (HL) or Minimum of (5) points in from (SL)	Majors: Civil Engineering, Architectural Engineering, Electrical and Computer Engineering (Computer System and Networks), Electrical and commuter Engineering (Communications and Signal Processing), Electrical and Computer Engineering (Power System and Energy), Electrical and Computer Engineering (Electronics Instrumentation and control), Mechanical Engineering ,Industrial Engineering, Petroleum and Natural Gas Engineering , Chemical and Process Engineering and Mechatronics Engineering Medium of Instruction: English		

	Colleges of Applied Sciences						
CODE	PROGRAM	REQUIREMENTS	ADDITIONAL INFORMATION	TIE BREAKER			
AS002	Bachelor of Engineering (Sohar College)	Subjects Required For All International Qualifications: Mathematics, Physics, Chemistry GCE Getting (D) as Minimum Requirement in Subjects Required for (A Level IGCE). Getting (C) as Minimum Requirement in Subjects Required for (AS Level IGCE). IB Getting at least 24 points out of 45 of 45 points for (IB). Getting (4) in Subjects Required for (IB Standard Level). Getting (3) Points in Subjects Required for (IB High Level	Highest Grade in: - Mathematics - Physics - Chemistry	Program Majors: Chemical Eng. Electrical Eng. Mechanical Eng.			

Military Technological College

M MTC Entry Requirements:

To enter MTC, students must:

- 1. Complete the 2018/2019 general Education diploma or its equivalent.
- 2. Pass the English entry test, medical examinations and interview, the student may exclude from doing the English entry test if he has a valid certificate of IELTS exam with a minimum score of 5, Student may be exempted from general foundation program (GFP) and allowed to join Engineering program, subject to pass three entry tests (Mathematics, Physics and Computing) with a minimum score of 60% each.
- 3. The Military Training had been adopted to prepare the students for the academic program which starts by four continues weeks of training before the foundation program and then the military training will consist of lectures and sports twice a week (one hour for each lecture).
- 4. Student is allowed to leave campus one time a week only.
- 5. Fulfill the program's requirements, including the competitive average and seats available in each program.
- 6. Complete the foundation program's requirements (within 2 years at maximum), plus Average 5.0 in the IELTS at minimum.
- 7. After completion of the foundation program, students will be distributed to their main specializations according to their choice, average and service requirements.
- 8. After completion of the advanced diploma or BEng, students will be committed to a service contract (For further information about the length of service, please log in to (www.mtc.edu.om)
- 9. Students are not allowed to withdraw from the college, unless this withdrawal is attributed to serious circumstances, such as illness or other personal issues supported by the MTC admin.
- 10. In Oman air program succeeding in all parts of the (EASA) exams and standards with not less than (75%) consider as basic criterion for employment.
- 11. MTC going to grants all its graduates an Advanced Diploma. The student who meet the criteria set for admission to the last academic year can continue to study for a Bachelor's degree (BEng) in the future, after joining the services, and gaining practical experience in accordance with the laws and regulations of the employer, in addition to meet the academic requirements of the college.
- 12. The 2019/2020 academic year will be restricted to male students only.

Military Technological College					
CODE	PR	OGRAM	REQUIREMENTS	ADDITIONAL INFORMATION	
MT001	Office of COSSAF	Systems Engineering Civil Engineering and Quantity Survey		 Students will receive monthly grant (125 O.R) with (25 R.O) as annual increment in the case of success. During the study. 3 meals daily, 	
MT002	Royal Army of Oman	Systems Engineering Civil Engineering and Quantity Survey	IB 21 points out of 45. 3 points at minimum in the Higher Level or 4 points at minimum in the Standard Level in physics and Mathematics.	Accommodation, health care, sport clothing, WiFi, uniforms with laundry will be free provided for all students. MTC, in coordination with the beneficiaries, ensures that its graduates have	
МТооз	Royal Air Force of Oman	Aeronautical Engineering Systems Engineering Civil Engineering and Quantity Survey		career opportunities after graduation in accordance with the accepted program and the regulations. • MOD Advanced diploma graduates will be recruited at MOD and SAF, and awarded a sergeant rank.	
MT004	Royal Navy of Oman	Marine Engineering Civil Engineering and Quantity Survey		MTC has an academic collaboration with a number of worldwide engineering institutions	
MT005	MODES	Civil Engineering and Quantity Survey Systems Engineering		such as ICE, RAeS, IMechE, IMarEST, EI, EASA part 66. • All aviation programs requests to score (75%) on each parts of (EASE) exam.	
MT009	Oman AIR	Aeronautical Engineering		 Each student going to grant a laptop with Internet access when he enrol in the college. For sub-specializations and medical requirements, please visit www.mtc.edu.om 	

Colleges of Technology					
CODE	PROGRAM	REQUIREMENTS	TIE BREAKER	ADDITIONAL INFORMATION	
TC001	Engineering	Subjects required for all International Qualifications: Mathematics, Chemistry, Physics GCE A-AS Level Certificate Minimum (E) grade in one subject from A2 and one subject from AS level for the subjects required IB Score of (18) points out of the (45) points	Highest Marks in: - Mathematics -Physics	Note: Bachelor is awarded for this program if the student met all the requirements.	

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CODE	PROGRAM	REQUIREMENTS	ADDITIONAL INFORMATION
BS291	Chemical Engineering	The required subjects for all International Qualifications: Chemistry 1- GCE Certificate: Minimum Grade (C) in (A-Level) or (C) in (As-Level) at the mentioned subjects. 2- International Baccalaureate Diploma (IB): Minimum requirements (32) points out of (45) points. Minimum (4) Points in (HL) or (5) points in (SL) at the mentioned subjects.	
BS042	-Electronics and Telecommunication Engineering -Computer Components and Network Engineering	The required subjects for all International Qualifications: Mathematics and 1 of Chemistry or Physics 1- GCE Certificate: Minimum Grade	
BS043	-Civil Engineering -Mechanical Engineering -Electronics and Instrumentation Engineering -Environmental Engineering and Management -Building Services Engineering	 (D) in (A-Level) or (C) in (As-Level) at the mentioned subjects. 2- International Baccalaureate Diploma (IB): Minimum requirements (24) points out of (45) points. Minimum (3) Points in (HL) or (4) points in (SL) at the mentioned subjects. 	Middle East College

	Internal Scholarships				
CODE	PROGRAM	REQUIREMENTS	ADDITIONAL INFORMATION		
BS013	-Civil Engineering -Electrical Engineering -Computer Engineering -Environmental Engineering		Nizwa University		
BS266	-Mechanical Engineering & Vehicle Technology -Electronic & Communication Engineering - Automation and Robotics Engineering - Instrumentation and Control Engineering	The required subjects for all International	Global College of Engineering and Technology		
BS209	-Process Engineering -Mechanical Engineering -Environmental Engineering	Qualifications: Mathematics, (Chemistry or Physics) 1- GCE Certificate: Minimum Grade (D)	German University of Technology		
BS034	-Mechanical Engineering -Chemical Engineering -Civil Engineering -Electrical and Electronics Engineering -Computer and Communication Engineering -Architecture Engineering	in (A-Level) or (C) in (As- Level) at the mentioned subjects. 2- International Baccalaureate Diploma (IB): Minimum requirements (24) points out of (45) points. Minimum (3) Points in (HL) or (4) points in (SL) at the mentioned subjects.	Dhofar University		
BS026	-Electrical and Computer Engineering - Mechanical & Electromechanical Engineering -Civil Engineering -Process Metallurgy and Material Engineering -Chemical Engineering		Sohar University		

Internal Scholarships			
CODE	PROGRAM	REQUIREMENTS	ADDITIONAL INFORMATION
BS217	-Civil Engineering -Environmental Engineering -Electronics & Communication Engineering		A'Sharqiyah University
BS226	-Civil Engineering -Architecture Engineering -Mechanical Engineering -Information & Communication Engineering -Computer Engineering	The required subjects for all International Qualifications: Mathematics, (Chemistry or Physics) 1- GCE Certificate: Minimum Grade (D) in (A-Level) or (C) in (As-Level) at the mentioned subjects. 2- International Baccalaureate Diploma (IB): Minimum requirements (24) points out of (45) points. Minimum (3) Points in (HL) or (4) points in (SL) at the mentioned subjects.	AL Buraimi University
BS051	-Computer Aided Mechanical Engineering -Computer Engineering -Telecommunication Engineering -Civil Engineering -Construction Engineering -Electrical Power Engineering -Mechatronics Engineering Electronic & Instrumentation Engineering -Measurement & Cost Engineering		National University of Science and Technology
BS053	-Process and Maintenance Engineering -Chemical Engineering		
BS014	Chemical and Petrochemical Engineering		Nizwa University
BS246	-Fire Safety Engineering -Mechanical Engineering (Well Engineering)		International College of Engineering & Management
BS117	-Architecture Engineering -Mechanical Engineering		Sur University College

Internal Scholarships				
CODE	PROGRAM	REQUIREMENTS	ADDITIONAL INFORMATION	
		The required subjects for all International Qualifications:		
BS061	Marine Engineering	Mathematics or Mathematical Studies or Accounting		
		GCE Certificate: Minimum Grade (D) in (A-Level) or (C) in (As- Level) at the mentioned subjects.	International Maritime College Oman	
BS062	Process Operation Technology	International Baccalaureate Diploma (IB): Minimum requirements (24) points out of (45) points.		
		Minimum (3) Points in (HL) or (4) points in (SL) at the mentioned subjects.		
DS001	Diploma in Geomatics and Surveying Engineering	Subjects requirements: Mathematics GCE Certificate: Minimum (C) in (A- Level) or (C) in (As- Level) at the mentioned subjects. International Baccalaureate Diploma (IB): Minimum (32) points out of (45) points. Minimum (4) Points in (HL) or (5) points in (SL) at the above subjects.	Institute of Topographical Science (Diploma)	

ARCHITECTURE & CONSTRUCTION

When Art, Science, Design, and Technology combine with each other, the result is that of 'Architecture and subsequent construction.'

The buildings and structures we see around us are visualised and designed by architects. So, they spend hours behind their desk creating concepts before they can go out into the world and give it a solid form.

If you would prefer to work on landscapes, then opt for Landscape Architecture, which usually focuses on the design of gardens, parks, and/or other 'open' or outdoor spaces. Other courses that have been developed over the years include Property Management, Real Estate Management, and Facilities Management.

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CODE	COURSE(S) AND DESTINATION	SCHOLARSHIP REQUIREMENTS	TIE BREAKERS (preferential subjects)
SE509	Naval Architecture* in AUSTRALIA or Marine Technology with Naval Architecture* in THE UNITED KINGDOM FOR MALE APPLICANTS ONLY *This is a programme included based on a specific need of one of the Ministries. Selected scholarship recipients may choose the destination and will have to sit for an interview and will have to undergo a medical test used for Military personnel. It will not be allowed to change the programme, not even to a major within the same category, or the study destination.	Mathematics + 1 of Chemistry or Physics A-Levels: Minimum 2 A-level passes, including a minimum grade B (AS Level) or grade C (A level) in both subjects IBD: 29 points, including a minimum 5 (SL) or 4 (HL) in both subjects IBC: 31 points, including a minimum 5 (SL) or 4 (HL) in both subjects	Pure Math, followed By Physics

CODE	COURSE(S) AND DESTINATION	SCHOLARSHIP REQUIREMENTS	TIE BREAKERS (preferential subjects)
SE546	Property/Real Estate Management, Facility/Facilities Management in THE UNITED KINGDOM	2 of Mathematics, Mathematical Studies, Business, Economics, Geography, Environmental Science	
SE547	Property (BA of Property) at the University of Auckland in NEW ZEALAND	A-levels: minimum 2 A-level passes, including a minimum grade B (AS level) or grade C (A level) in both subjects IBD: 27 points, including a minimum of	Mathematics
SE551	Business Administration – Real Estate in the UNITED STATES OF AMERICA	5 (SL) or 4 (HL) in both subjects IBC: 29 points, including a minimum of 5 (SL) or 4 (HL) in both subjects	
SE540	Architecture, Landscape Architecture or Interior Architecture in THE UNITED KINGDOM	1 of Mathematics or Physics + 1 of English, Arts, Design & Technology, History, Arabic or another language* A-levels: min 2 A-level passes, including a grade B (AS level) or a	
SE542	Landscape Architecture or Urban Planning in THE USA	grade C (A level) in 1 of Mathematics or Physics PLUS a grade A (AS Level) or grade B (A level) in 1 of English, Arts, History, Design & Technology,	
SE544	Landscape Architecture in AUSTRALIA	Arabic or another language IBD: 29 points, including a min of 5 (SL) or 4 (HL) in 1 of Mathematics or Physics PLUS a min 6 (SL) or 5 (HL) in 1 of English, Arts, Design & Technology, History, Arabic or another language IBC: 31 points, including a min of 5 (SL) or 4 (HL) in 1 of Mathematics or Physics PLUS a min 6 (SL) or 5 (HL) in 1 of English, Arts, Design & Technology, History, Arabic or another language *Higher Education Institutions (NOT the Ministry) may ask for Art Portfolio as an additional requirement to demonstrate artistic ability.	Mathematics or Physics

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BS140	Architecture	The required subjects for all International Qualifications: Mathematics, or Mathematical Studies or Accounting and one of the following subjects: Economics or Business or Information Systems or Computer or Arabic Language or English Language	Scientific College of Design
BS232	Interior Architecture	GCE Certificate: Minimum Grade (E) in (A-Level) or (D) in (As- Level) at the mentioned subjects. International Baccalaureate Diploma (IB): Minimum requirements (18) points out of (45) points. (2) Points in (HL) or (3) points in (SL) at the mentioned subjects.	University of Buraimi
BS207	Urban Planning and Architecture	The required subjects for all International Qualifications: Mathematics, or Mathematical Studies GCE Certificate: Minimum Grade (E) in (A-Level) or (D) in (As-Level) at the mentioned subjects. International Baccalaureate Diploma (IB): Minimum requirements (18) points out of (45) points. (2) Points in (HL) or (3) points in (SL) at the mentioned subjects.	German University of Technology in Oman
BS037	Interior Architecture	The required subjects for all International Qualifications: Mathematics, Chemistry or Physics GCE Certificate: Minimum Grade (D) in (A-Level) or (C) in (As- Level) at the mentioned subjects. International Baccalaureate Diploma (IB): Minimum requirements (24) points out of (45) points. (3) Points in (HL) or (4) points in (SL) at the mentioned subjects.	Dhofar University
BS045	Quantity Surveying and Construction Management	The required subjects for all International Qualifications: Mathematics, Chemistry or Physics GCE Certificate: Minimum Grade (E) in (A-Level) or (D) in (AS- Level) at the mentioned subjects. International Baccalaureate Diploma (IB): Minimum requirements (18) points out of (45) points. (2) Points in (HL) or (3) points in (SL) at the mentioned subjects.	Middle East College

Internal Scholarships			
CODE	PROGRAM	REQUIREMENTS	ADDITIONAL INFORMATION
BS015	Interior Design and Decoration Architecture	The required subjects for all International Qualifications: Mathematics, (Chemistry or Physics) GCE Certificate: Minimum Grade (D) in (A-Level) or (C) in (AS- Level) at the mentioned subjects. International Baccalaureate Diploma (IB): Minimum	Nizwa University
BS225	Engineering	requirements (24) points out of (45) points.Minimum (3) Points in (HL) or (4) points in (SL) at the mentioned subjects	
BS220	Construction Project Management	The required subjects for all International Qualifications: (Mathematics or Mathematical Studies or Accounting) and one of the following subjects: Economics or Business or Information Systems or Computer or Arabic or English GCE Certificate: Minimum Grade (E) in (A-Level) or (D) in (AS- Level) at the mentioned subjects. International Baccalaureate Diploma (IB): Minimum requirements (18) points out of (45) points. Minimum (2) Points in (HL) or (3) points in (SL) at the mentioned subjects.	A'Sharqiyah University
BS019	Urban and Regional Planning	Subjects Requirements: (Mathematics or Mathematical Studies or Accounting) and one of the following: Economics or Business or Information Systems or Computer or Arabic Language or English Language	Global College of Engineering and Technology
BS248	Facilities Management	GCE Certificate: Minimum Grade (E) in (A-Level) or (D) in (As- Level) at the mentioned subjects. International Baccalaureate Diploma (IB): Minimum requirements (18) points out of (45) points. Minimum (2) Points in (HL) or (3) points in (SL) at the mentioned subjects.	International College of Engineering & Management

INFORMATION TECHNOLOGY

We are in the digital age. When Charles Babbage invented the first 'computer' little did he know he was opening the doors to a World Wide Web (Tim Berners-Lee gave the world www as we know it today)

Later on, companies such as Microsoft, Apple and now Facebook cashed in on the digital wave to become powerful and wealthy corporations. Today, we cannot imagine a world without the Internet or WhatsApp. But who are the people working behind the scenes? Yes, they are Information Technology specialists, who apply computing to different fields of life, thus becoming one of the most effective and important components of any public or private body.

If you are interested in learning more about the application of IT in organisations: about software design, hardware and communications, then perhaps Information (and Communication) Technology is your calling.

Choose Computer Science or Computing degree programmes to learn more about the underlying principles and theory of computing, programming and other related subjects such as Computer Hardware and Software Systems. Or, you could specialise in Computer Information Systems and gain a deeper understanding of how to build large-scale information systems (such as databases, WWW sites and spreadsheets).

Another option is Software Engineering, which enables your with skills to develop and maintain software systems.

Or you might want to become an expert in activities designed to protect a computer network and therefore focus on Network Security?

You can also become a Network Systems Administrator. Your responsibilities usually include everything from activating accounts and security controls to installing and configuring routers, servers and switchers. You will also monitor network performance and troubleshoot problems.

Given the advancements in technology, Computer Forensics or Digital Forensic Science forms an integral part in recovering legal evidence found in computers and digital storage media.

Finally, if the management side of things appeal more then why not opt for Management (or Business) Information Systems, which concerns study of people, technology, organisations and the relationships among them.

You can help firms realise maximum benefit from investment in personnel, equipment, and business processes. It is very much a people-oriented field with an emphasis on service through technology.

UNIVERSITY OF OMAN – EXTERNAL SCHOLARSHIPS

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OE080	Computing/Computer Science, Management Information Systems or Business Information Systems, Networks/Network Security and/or Information Security, Artificial Intelligence or Data Science IN THE UNITED KINGDOM, THE USA, CANADA, AUSTRALIA, NEW ZEALAND OR IN CERTAIN ASIAN AND EUROPEAN COUNTRIES *an assessment test will be part of the scholarship application process	Mathematics + 1 from English, Physics, IT, Computer Science or Design & Technology (D&T) A-Levels: minimum 3 Alevel passes, including a minimum grade A (AS Level) or B (A level) in both subjects IBD: 31 points out of 45, including a minimum score of 6 (SL) or 5 (HL) in both subjects	Mathematics

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SE620	Computer Science, Information Technology, Big Data, Data Analytics, Data Science, Web/Computer Applications or Informatics (and Informatics preferably with a specialization in either Cyber Security, Data Analytics, Social Media or Software Development – subject to availability) in THE USA	Mathematics + 1 of English, IT, Computer	
SE621	Computer Science, Cyber Security, Computer Networks, Computer Science with Artificial Intelligence, Computer & Networking Technology, Computer Science with Software Engineering or Forensic Computing in THE UNITED KINGDOM	Science, Design & Technology or Physics A-levels: minimum 2 A-level passes, including Mathematics at minimum grade B (AS Level) or grade C (A level) in both	Mathematics
SE623	Software Development, Computing in Systems & Networking, Systems & Networking, Multimedia Applications Development or Multimedia Programming (Interactive Digital Media) in IRELAND	subjects IBD: 29 points, including a minimum of 5 (SL) or 4 (HL) in both subjects IBC: 31 points, including a minimum of 5 (SL) or 4 (HL) in both	
SE625	Multimedia Technology or Information Technology (IT in either Mobile Technology, Network Computing or Information Systems Secuity) in MALAYSIA	Subjects	

EXTERNAL SCHOLARSHIPS BY SUBJECT AND STUDY DESTINATION TIE **BREAKERS** CODE **COURSE(S) AND DESTINATION** SCHOLARSHIP REQUIREMENTS (preferential subjects) Majors in Computer Science* in CANADA Data Science, Artificial Intelligence and Intelligent Systems, Communications Technologies and Cyber Security or Bioinformatics, Web Services and Applications, Computer Applications These courses are taught in English SE755 *Scholarship recipients will have to study at one the recommended Mathematics + 1 of English, universities selected by CAO in IT, Computer Science, Design Washington. & Technology or Physics *scholarship applicants will require an A-levels: minimum 2 IELTS overall score of 5.0. Students A-level passes, including will need to submit the IELTS test Mathematics at minimum report form on a soon to be announced **Mathematics** grade B (AS Level) or grade C (A date in August 2019. level) in both subjects IBD: 29 points, including a minimum of 5 (SL) or Majors in the area of Computer 4 (HL) in both subjects Science* in FRANCE IBC: 31 points, This programme is taught in French including a minimum of 5 (SL) or *Scholarship recipients will be able to 4 (HL) in both subjects indicate which undergraduate degree SE820 programme they would want to pursue in August 2019. Recipients start with a French language and foundation course. Some of the undergraduate degree courses may have further requirements as set by the higher education institution(s).

EXTERNAL SCHOLARSHIPS BY SUBJECT AND STUDY DESTINATION				
CODE	COURSE(S) AND DESTINATION	SCHOLARSHIP REQUIREMENTS	TIE BREAKERS (preferential subjects)	
SE622	Data Science & Knowledge Engineering at Maastricht University in THE NETHERLANDS This programme is taught in English and the foundation programme starts in September and February Applicants should have graduated from a secondary school located in the Sultanate of Oman	Mathematics + 1 of English, IT, Computer Science, Design & Technology or Physics A- levels: minimum 2 A-level passes, including a minimum grade C (A level) in Mathematics PLUS a min grade B (AS Level) or grade C (A level) in Computer Science, D&T, IT, English or Physics IBD*: 29 points, including a minimum of 5 (SL) or 4 (HL) in both subjects.		
SE624	ICT & Technology (with a specialisation in Cyber Security), ICT & Applied Data Science, ICT & Management and Security or ICT & Smart Mobile at Fontys University of Applied Sciences in THE NETHERLANDS These programmes are taught in English and start in September and February each academic year Applicants should have graduated from a secondary school located in the Sultanate of Oman	Mathematics + 1 of English, IT, Computer Science, Design & Technology or Physics A-levels: minimum 2 A-level passes, including a minimum grade B (AS Level) or C (A level) in Mathematics PLUS a min grade C (AS Level) or grade D (A level) in Computer Science, D&T, IT, English or Physics IBD*: 26 points, including a minimum of 5 (SL) or 4 (HL) in Mathematics Plus a minimum of 4 (SL) or 3 (HL) in Computer Science, D&T, IT, English or Physics *IB-Certificate holders cannot apply for scholarships allocated to the Netherlands as Dutch HEIs do not recognise this type of qualification	Mathematics	

Colleges of Applied Sciences				
CODE	PROGRAM	REQUIREMENTS		ADDITIONAL INFORMATION
AS003	Bachelor of Information Technology (Sohar College)	Subjects Required For All International Qualifications: (Mathematics + Arabic)		
AS004	Bachelor of Information Technology (Sur College)	GCE Getting (D) as Minimum Requirement in Subjects Required for (A Level). Getting (C) as Minimum	Highest Grade in: -Arabic language	Program Majors: *Computer Networks *Software
AS005	Bachelor of Information Technology (Ibri College)	Requirement in Subjects Required for (AS Level). IB Getting at least 24 points of 45 points for (IB). Getting (4) Points in Subjects	-Mathematics	Development *Information Technology Security *Data Management
AS016	Bachelor of Information Technology (Salalah College)	Required for (IB Standard Level). Getting (3) Points in Subjects Required for (IB High Level		

Colleges of Technology				
CODE	PROGRAM	REQUIREMENTS		ADDITIONAL INFORMATION
TC002	Information Technology	Required Subjects: Mathematics - Physics GCE -A-Level Certificate Minimum (E) grade in one subject from A2 and one subject from AS level for the subjects required IB Score of (18) points out of the (45) points	Highest Marks in: - Mathematics - Physics	Note: Bachelor is awarded for this program if the student met all the requirements.

Internal Scholarships-Bachelor Degree INFORMATION TECHNOLOGY

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BS237	- Computing and Business Administration -Information Technology - Information Technology and Computing -Networking and Information Security	GCE Certificate: Minimum Grade (E) in (A-Level) or (D) in (As- Level) at the mentioned subjects. International Baccalaureate Diploma (IB): Minimum	The required subjects for all International Qualifications: (Mathematics or Mathematical Studies or Accounting) and one of the following subjects: Economics or Business or Information Systems or			Arab Open University
BS148	-Computing for Business Administration -Computer Sciences -Computing and Software Engineering -Computer systems and Networking			Muscat College		
BS106	Software Engineering		Al Zahra College for Women			
BS206	Computer Sciences		German University of Technology			
BS094	-Information Technology -Information Security -Computer Sciences		Modern College of Business and Science			

Internal Scholarships-Bachelor Degree INFORMATION TECHNOLOGY

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CODE	PROGRAM	REQUIREMENTS	ADDITIONAL INFORMATION	
BS076	Software Engineering	The required subjects for all International Qualifications: Mathematics, (Chemistry or Physics) GCE Certificate: Minimum Grade (E) in (A-Level) or (D) in (As- Level) at the mentioned subjects. International Baccalaureate Diploma (IB): Minimum requirements (18) points out of (45) points. A minimum (2) Points in (HL) or (3) points in (SL) at the mentioned subjects.	AL Buraimi University College	
BS268	- Computer Security and Forensics - Multimedia Technology	The required subjects for all International Qualifications: Mathematics, (Chemistry or Physics) GCE Certificate: Minimum Grade (D) in (A- Level) or (C) in (As- Level) at the mentioned subjects. International Baccalaureate Diploma (IB): Minimum requirements (24) points out of (45) points. A Minimum (3) Points in (HL) or (4) points in (SL) at the mentioned subjects.	Global College of Engineering and Technology	
BS044	- Software Technology - Database Management	The required subjects for all International Qualifications: (Mathematics or Mathematical Studies or	Middle East College	
BS257	-Mobile Computing -Computing Science -Information Systems	Accounting) and one of the following subjects: Economics or Business or Information Systems or Computer or Arabic or English GCE Certificate: Minimum Grade (E) in (A-Level) or (D) in (As- Level) at the mentioned subjects. International Baccalaureate Diploma (IB): Minimum requirements (18) points out of (45)	Gulf College	
BS287	- Web Design & Information Security - Computer Science - Information Systems	points. A Minimum (2) Points in (HL) or (3) points in (SL) at the mentioned subjects.	Nizwa University	

Internal Scholarships-Bachelor Degree INFORMATION TECHNOLOGY

CODE	PROGRAM	REQUIREMENTS	ADDITIONAL INFORMATION			
BS119	Management Information Systems		A'Sharqiyah Univirsity			
BS187	-Computer and Internet Application -E-Business -Networking -Computing(Oil and Gas) -Computing (Software Engineering) -Computing(Banking Information Systems)	Subjects Requirements: (Mathematics or Mathematical Studies or Accounting) and one of the following: Economics or Business or Information Systems or	Majan College			
BS118	-Information Technology -Information Systems	Computer or Arabic Language or English	Sur University College			
BS032	-Management Information Systems -Computer Science	GCE Certificate: Minimum Grade (E) in (A-Level) or (D) in (As- Level) at the	Dhofar University			
BS178	-Management Information Systems -Computer Science	(A-Level) or (D) in (As- Level) at the mentioned subjects. International Baccalaureate Diploma (IB):	International Baccalaureate Diploma	Oman College of Management and Technology		
BS027	-Management Information Systems -Computer science and Multimedia - Computer science and Web Engineering -Networking & Database Business - Information Systems Management		Sohar University			
BS126	-Computer Science -Information Technology -Information Systems Management		Mazoon College			

EDUCATION

Someone once said that a good teacher can inspire hope, ignite the imagination, and instill a love of learning. How true that is!

Teaching is one of the oldest and noblest of professions. Teachers are honoured and respected because they play a vital role in nation's development.

Teaching is not just a job it is also a higher calling. Specialising in Education gives you the opportunity to raise generations, spread knowledge, build a future and establish cultures.

If you choose to join this field, several options will be in front of you. You can be a teacher in General Education Schools in Oman or you can choose Special Education to help students with special needs overcome their challenges and face the future head on.

Early Childhood Education is also another option for those who are interested in dealing with little children (younger than 6 years), and learn how to educate them.

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CODE	COURSE(S) AND DESTINATION	SCHOLARSHIP REQUIREMENTS	TIE BREAKERS (preferential subjects)
OE120	English Language* Educational Psychology and/or Counselling, Education and/with Technology or Educational Technology IN THE UNITED KINGDOM, THE USA, CANADA, AUSTRALIA, NEW ZEALAND OR IN CERTAIN ASIAN AND EUROPEAN COUNTRIES *English language programme should Preferably an English undergraduate degree program that integrates the subject areas of English literature, English language & TESOL (Teaching English to Speakers of Other Languages) *An assessment test will be part of the scholarship application process	2 of English, Arabic or another language, Mathematics, Mathematical Studies, Psychology, IT, Computer Science, D&T A-levels: minimum 3 A-level passes, including a minimum grade A (AS Level) or grade B (A level) in both subjects IBD: 31 points, including a minimum score of 6 (SL) or 5 (HL) in the subjects mentioned above	English

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SE712	Early Childhood Education* or Special Needs Education* in the UNITED KINGDOM Available courses in the UK: Childhood Studies, Childhood & Youth: Theory & Practice, Primary & Early Years Education or Early Childhood Studies *Scholarship recipients are not permitted to change their major to another major that is not listed within this scholarship, even not to a major within the same category, as this scholarship has been included based on sector-specific needs	2 of Mathematics, Mathematical Studies, English, Psychology, Sociology, Anthropology, Philosophy, History, Arabic or another language A-levels: minimum 2 Alevel passes, including both subjects at minimum grade B (AS Level) or C (A level) IBD: 27 points, including a minimum of 5 (SL) or 4 (HL) in both subjects IBC: 29 points, including a minimum of 5 (SL) or 4 (HL) in both subjects PLUS applicant should have achieved at least 4 (IBD) or C (A/AS-level) in all other school subjects	English

Teaching Careers in the Ministry of Education

- Medium of Study: English
- Applicant is NOT ALLOWED change country/HEI/or major of study.
- Pass an interview before August 2019
- Be medically fit.
- Provide a certificate of good conduct.
- Applicants enrolled in these scholarships shall sign an obligation to commit being hired as a teacher in MoE schools.
- Appointment as a teacher in MoE schools requires the fulfillment of MoE teaching conditions.
- The major's names may differ according to the HEI.

CODE	COURSE(S) AND DESTINATION	SCHOLARSHIP REQUIREMENTS	TIE BREAKERS
CODE	COURSE(S) MAD BESTIMMITON		TIE DILEMIERS
ED011	Mathematics for Secondary School Teaching in AUSTRALIA	Mathematics + 1 of English or Physics IBD: 27 points , including 6 (SL) or 5 (HL) in Mathematics and 4 (SL) or 3 (HL) in English or	Mathematics
ED017	Mathematics for Secondary School Teaching in NEW ZEALAND	Physics IBC: 29 points, including 6 (SL) or 5 (HL) in Mathematics and 4 (SL) or 3 (HL) in English or	
ED006	Mathematics for Secondary School Teaching in the UNITED KINGDOM	Physics A/AS level: minimum 2 A-level passes, including Mathematics at minimum grade A (AS Level) or grade B (A level) and 1 of English or Physics at grade C (AS Level) or grade D (A level)	
ED0012	Physics for Secondary School Teaching in AUSTRALIA	Physics + 1 of English, Mathematics or Mathematical Studies	
ED0018	Physics for Secondary School Teaching in NEW ZEALAND	IBD: 27 points, including 6 (SL) or 5 (HL) in Physics and 4 (SL) or 3 (HL) in 1 of English, Mathematics or Math Studies	
ED007	Physics for Secondary School Teaching in the UNITED KINGDOM	IBC: 29 points, including t 6 (SL) or 5 (HL) in Physics and 4 (SL) or 3 (HL in 1 of English, Mathematics or Math Studies A/AS level: minimum 2 A-level passes, including Physics at minimum grade A (AS Level) or grade B (A level) and 1 of English or Mathematics at grade C (AS Level) or grade D (A level)	Physics

Teaching Careers in the Ministry of Education				
CODE	COURSE(S) AND DESTINATION	SCHOLARSHIP REQUIREMENTS	TIE BREAKER S	
ED013	Chemistry for Secondary School Teaching in AUSTRALIA *Scholarship applicants will require an IELTS overall score of 5.5 with band scores of minimum 5.5. Students will need to submit the IELTS test report form on a soon to be announced date in August 2019. Chemistry for Secondary School	Chemistry + 1 of English, Biology, Mathematics, Physics or Mathematical Studies A-levels: minimum 2 A-level passes, including Chemistry at grade A (AS Level) or grade B (A level) and		
ED019	*Scholarship applicants will require an IELTS overall score of 5.5 with band scores of minimum 5.5. Students will need to submit the IELTS test report form on a soon to be announced date in August 2019.	1 of English, Biology, Mathematics, Mathematical Studies, Physics at minimum grade C (AS Level) or grade D (A level) IBD: 27 points, including 6 (SL) or 5 (HL) in Chemistry and 4 (SL) or 3 (HL) in 1 of English, Biology, Mathematics, Physics or Math Studies	Chemistry	
ED008	Chemistry for Secondary School Teaching in THE UNITED KINGDOM *Scholarship applicants will require an IELTS overall score of 5.5 with band scores of minimum 5.5. Students will need to submit the IELTS test report form on a soon to be announced date in August 2019.	IBC: 29 points, including 6 (SL) or 5 (HL) in Chemistry and 4 (SL) or 3 (HL) in 1 of English, Biology, Mathematics, Physics or Math Studies		

Teaching Careers in the Ministry of Education				
CODE	COURSE(S) AND DESTINATION	SCHOLARSHIP REQUIREMENTS	TIE BREAKE RS	
ED014	Biology for Secondary School Teaching in AUSTRALIA *Scholarship applicants will require an IELTS overall score of 5.5 with band scores of minimum 5.5. Students will need to submit the IELTS test report form on a soon to be announced date in August 2019.	Biology + 1 of English, Chemistry, Mathematics, Physics or Mathematical Studies A-levels: minimum 2 A-level passes, including Biology at grade A (AS Level) or grade B (A level) and 1 of Biology,		
ED020	Biology for Secondary School Teaching in the NEW ZEALAND *Scholarship applicants will require an IELTS overall score of 5.5 with band scores of minimum 5.5. Students will need to submit the IELTS test report form on a soon to be announced date in August 2019.	Chemistry, Mathematics, Mathematical Studies, English, Physics Plus minimum grade C (AS Level) or grade D (A level) in Chemistry, Mathematics, Mathematical Studies, English and Physics IBD: 27 points, including 6 (SL) or 5 (HL) in Biology and 4 (SL) or 3 (HL) in 1 of English, Chemistry,	Biology	
ED009	Biology for Secondary School Teaching in the UNITED KINGDOM *scholarship applicants will require an IELTS overall score of 5.5 with band scores of minimum 5.5. Students will need to submit the IELTS test report form on a soon to be announced date in August 2019.	Mathematics, Physics or Math Studies IBC: 29 points, including 6 (SL) or 5 (HL) in Biology and 4 (SL) or 3 (HL) in 1 of English, Chemistry, Mathematics, Physics or Math Studies		

Teaching Careers in the Ministry of Education				
CODE	COURSE(S) AND DESTINATION	SCHOLARSHIP REQUIREMENTS	TIE BREAKE RS	
ED010	English for Secondary School Teaching in the UNITED KINGDOM -MALE APPLICANTS	English + 1 of Arabic, another language, Mathematics, Mathematical Studies, Psychology, Philosophy, History, Islamic or Social Studies A-levels: minimum 2 A-level passes, including both subjects at minimum grade A (AS Level) or grade B (A level) in English and grade C (AS Level) or D (A level) in 1 of Arabic or another language,		
ED023	Education (Primary (School Teaching)) in THE UNITED KINGDOM FEMALE APPLICANTS ONLY	Mathematics, Psychology, Philosophy, History or 80% in Islamic or Social Studies IBD: 27 points, including a minimum of 6 (SL) or 5 (HL) in English PLUS a minimum 4 (SL) or 3 (HL) in Arabic, another language, Mathematics, Mathematical Studies, Psychology, Philosophy or History OR 80% in Islamic or Social Studies IBC: 29 points, including a minimum of 6 (SL) or 5 (HL) in English PLUS a minimum 4 (SL) or 3 (HL) in Arabic, another language, Mathematics, Mathematical Studies, Psychology, Philosophy or History OR 80% in Islamic or Social Studies	English	

	GCC Grants					
CODE	PROGRAM	REQUIREMENTS	TIE BREAKER	ADDITIONAL INFORMATION		
SE901	Education (For females only)	The Subjects Required For All International Qualifications: English language+ (1) of the following subjects: Arabic Language or Business or Social Studies or History G.C.E. Qualification: Score of (C) in A - Level Or score of (B) in AS - Level for the Subjects required above International Baccalaureate (IB) score of 32 points out of the total of 45 points Score of (5) points in (HL) Or score of (6) points in (SL) for the subjects required above	English Language Arabic Language	(Partial Scholarship) Study Destination: United Arab Emirates HEI: United Arab Emirates University Final Admission for the Faculty of Education will depend upon satisfactory completion of interviews after meeting the program prerequisite Art, physical studies, and Music are not included in the calculation of overall grade.		

	GCC Grants					
SE924	Education	Subjects Required For All International Qualifications: Mathematics or Mathematical Studies + Arabic Language G.C.E. Qualification: score of (C) in A - Level Or score of (B) in AS - Level for the Subjects required above International Baccalaureate (IB) score of 32 points out of the total of 45 points Score of (5) points in (HL) Or score of (6) points in (SL) for the subjects required above	Arabic Language Mathematics or Mathematical Studies	(Full Scholarship) Study Destination: Kuwait HEI: Al Kuwait University - Art, physical education, and Music are not included in the calculation of overall grade.		

	GCC Grants					
CODE	PROGRAM	REQUIREMENTS	TIE BREAKER	ADDITIONAL INFORMATION		
SE930	College of Basic Education	Subjects Required For All International Qualifications: (Mathematics or Mathematical Studies + English Language or Arabic Language) G.C.E. Qualification: score of (C) in A - Level Or score of (B) in AS - Level for the Subjects required above (IB): score of 32 points out of the total of 45 points Score of (5) points in (HL) for the subjects required above. Or score of (6) points in (SL) for the subjects required above	Mathematics or Mathematical Studies Arabic Language or English Language	(Full Scholarship) Study Destination: Kuwait HEI: The Public Authority for Applied Education and Training (Kuwait) - Art, physical education, and Music are not included in the calculation of overall grade.		

Sultan Qaboos University - College of Education			
CODE	PROGRAM	REQUIREMENTS	ADDITIONAL INFORMATION
SQ300	Science and Mathematics	GCE - Certificates Student must study 2 subjects at least from (A- level) Must study 4 subjects from following subjects (Mathematics, Chemistry, Physics & Biology) and score: Minimum (C) grade from the (A-level) Minimum (B) grade from the(AS level) IBD The student must score: Minimum of (4) points in Mathematics from (HL) or Minimum of (5) points in Mathematics from (SL) And must study 2 subjects only from following subjects (Chemistry, Physics, Biology) and score: Minimum of (4) from (HL) or Minimum of (5) points in from (SL)	Majors: Mathematics-Chemistry- Physics- Biology -Language of instruction is English.
SQ350	Islamic Education	GCE - A-Level Certificate The student must study (Islamic Culture, Arabic Language) and score: Minimum (C) grade from the (A-level) IBD The student must study (Islamic Culture, Arabic Language) and score: Minimum of (4) points from (HL) or Minimum of (5) points from (SL)	Language of instruction is Arabic
SQ500	English Language	GCE – Certificate Student must study 2 subjects at least from (A- level) Score the following: Minimum of (B) grade in English Language from (A-level) And Must study (Islamic Culture, Arabic Language) and score: Minimum of (C) in both of them IBD Score the following: Minimum of (5)points in English Language from(HL) or Minimum of (6)points in English Language from (SL) And Must study (Islamic Culture, Arabic Language) and score: Minimum of (4) points in 2 subjects from (HL) or Minimum of (5) points in 2 subjects from (SL)	

	Sultan Qaboos University College of Education				
CODE	PROGRAM	REQUIREMENTS	ADDITIONAL INFORMATION		
SQ550	Arabic Language	GCE -A-Level Minimum of (C) grade in Arabic Language and Islamic Education IBD Score of 24 points out of the total 45 points Minimum of (4) points from (HL) or Minimum of (5) points from (SL) in Arabic Language and Islamic Education	Language of instruction is Arabic		
SQ600	Physical Education	Score of 24 points out of the total 45 points Minimum of (4) points from (HL) or Minimum of (5) points from (SL) in Arabic Language and Physical Education	(Pass the abilities test)		
SQ650	Art Education	Score of 24 points out of the total 45 points Minimum of (4) points from (HL) or Minimum of (5) points from (SL) in Arabic Language and Fine Arts			
SQ660	Instructional & Teaching Technologies	GCE -A-Level Minimum of (C) grade in the following subjects: (Arabic Language and Math or Applied Math) IBD Score of 24 points out of the total 45 points Minimum of (4) points from (HL) or Minimum of (5) points from (SL) in the following subjects: (Arabic Language and Math or Applied Math)	Department Objectives - Achieve university objectives in preparing the qualified Omani teacher. - Prepare teachers specialized in ILT. - Prepare specialists for the Learning Resource Centers. - Contribute to training in service teachers who teach information technology and supervise learning resource centers. -Language of instruction is English		
SQ670	Early Childhood (Female only)	GCE -A-Level Minimum (C) grade in the following subjects: (Arabic Language and Islamic Education) IBD Score of 24 points out of the total 45 points Minimum of (4) points from (HL) or Minimum of (5) points from (SL) in the following subjects: (Arabic Language, Islamic Education)	Teachers must seek knowledge continuously, including updating their knowledge to coincide with what is new in the field, and to model the importance of lifelong learning. Teachers of the future must be prepared for utilizing the skills of creative thinking, problem solving, and decision making and the development of these skills must be an integral part of the teacher training. Teachers must understand and value diversity of both individual and groups, including a sensitivity for addressing the needs of special children. Teachers must develop a high level of professionalism and a commitment to excellence in teaching. Teachers should care about all children and show a genuine dedication to working with children, their families, and the community in large. Language of instruction is English		

Rustaq College of Education				
CODE	PROGRAM	REQUIREMENTS	TIE BREAKER	ADDITIONA L INFORMATI ON
AS014	Bachelor of Education (English Language)	Subjects Required For All International Qualifications: English Language and Arabic Language GCE Minimum of (D) from (A-Level) or (C) from (AS- Level) in the above subjects IBD Score of 24 points out of the total 45 points Minimum of (3) points from (HL) or Minimum of (4) points from (SL) in the above subjects	Highest grades in: English Language Arabic Language	
AS018	Bachelor of Education (Mathematics)	Subjects Required For All International Qualifications: Mathematics and Arabic Language GCE Minimum of (D) from (A-Level) or (C) from (AS- Level) in the above subjects IBD Score of 24 points out of the total 45 points Minimum of (3) points from (HL) or Minimum of (4) points from (SL) in the above subjects	Highest grades in: Mathematics Arabic Language	The language of study is Arabic
AS019	Bachelor of Education (Biology)	Subjects Required For All International Qualifications: Biology, Chemistry or Physics, Mathematics Or Mathematical Studies, Arabic Language GCE Minimum of (D) from (A-Level) or (C) from (AS- Level) in the above subjects IBD Score of 24 points out of the total 45 points Minimum of (3) points from (HL) or Minimum of (4) points from (SL) in the above subjects	Highest grades in: -Biology -Chemistry or physics -Mathematics Or Mathematical Studies - Arabic Language	

	Rustaq College of Education					
CODE	PROGRAM	REQUIREMENTS	TIE BREAKER	ADDITIONAL INFORMATION		
AS020	Bachelor of Education (Chemistry)	Subjects Required For All International Qualifications: Chemistry, Biology or Physics, Mathematics, Arabic Language GCE Minimum of (D) from (A-Level) or (C) from (AS- Level) in the above subjects IBD Score of 24 points out of the total 45 points Minimum of (3) points from (HL) or Minimum of (4) points from (SL) in the above subjects	Highest grades in: -Chemistry -Biology or physics -Mathematics - Arabic Language	The language of		
AS021	Bachelor of Education (Physics)	Subjects Required For All International Qualifications: Physics, Chemistry or Biology, Mathematics, Arabic Language GCE Minimum of (D) from (A-Level) or (C) from (AS- Level) in the above subjects IBD Score of 24 points out of the total 45 points Minimum of (3) points from (HL) or Minimum of (4) points from (SL) in the above subjects	Highest grades in: -Physics -Chemistry or Biology -Mathematics -Arabic Language	study is Arabic		

Internal Scholarships-Bachelor Degree EDUACTION

Notices:

- 1. This scholarship is an internal scholarship covers the cost of the tuition fees ONLY. The parent will be responsible to cover the cost of transportation and Accommodation (If necessary).
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For more information about the Higher Private Educational Institutions and the study programs offered by the ministry based on academic degree and specialization, you can access HEAC website (Student Guide Link)

Program Code	Program Name	Minimum Requirement	Additional Information
BS222	Bachelor in Education First Field Female Only	The required subjects for all International Qualifications:	A'Sharqiyah
BS223	Bachelor in Education Second Field Female Only	The required subjects for all International Qualifications: (Mathematics or Mathematical Studies), and of the following subjects: Physics or Chemistry or Biology or Science 1. GCE Certificate: Minimum Grade (C) in (A-Level) or (B) in (As- Level) at the mentioned subjects. 2. International Baccalaureate Diploma (IB): Minimum requirements (24) points out of (45) points. (4) Points in (HL) or (5) points in (SL) at the mentioned subjects.	University Language of Study: Arabic
BS029	Bachelor in Education EnglishMale Only	The required subjects for all International Qualifications: Arabic and English	Nizwa University
BS030	Bachelor in Education English Male Only	 GCE Certificate: Minimum Grade (C) in (A-Level) or (B) in (As- Level) at the mentioned subjects. International Baccalaureate Diploma (IB): Minimum 	Sohar University
BS040	Bachelor in Education English Male Only	requirements (24) points out of (45) points. (4) Points in (HL) or (5) points in (SL) at the mentioned subjects.	Dhofar University
BS270	Bachelor in Education Mathematics	The required subjects for all International Qualifications: Arabic and Mathematics 1- GCE Certificate: Minimum Grade (C) in (A-Level)	Sohar University Language of Study: Arabic
BS038	Bachelor in Education Mathematics	or (B) in (As- Level) at the mentioned subjects. 2- International Baccalaureate Diploma (IB): Minimum requirements (24) points out of (45) points.	Nizwa University Language of Study: English
BS039	Bachelor in Education Mathematics	(4) Points in (HL) or (5) points in (SL) at the mentioned subjects.	Dhofar University Language of Study: English

MANAGEMENT & BUSINESS

Management and Business is an exhaustive category consisting of several subcategories.

Your options include Management and Business, or Finance, or Accounting, or Islamic Banking and Finance, or Human Resource Management.

Courses under Business may, for example, include Business Studies, Business Administration or Commerce.

International Business Degree programmes usually tend to focus on how organisations are operating in a globalising economy and may enable you to learn another second language.

Entrepreneurship/Business Enterprise may be interesting for those who want to start their own business or who want to take up a position within a certain business.

Choosing Project Management and Recreational Project Management means you can oversee and manage projects. Logistics and/or Supply Chain Management are also an option. A 'supply chain' refers to multiple organisations while Logistics involves the flow of goods within this supply chain: from the source through the industrial process to the customer and then on to disposal.

Are communication skills something that you would like to master? Then consider Public Relations, Marketing or Advertising.

Yet another people-focused industry is the Tourism industry. Today, Tourism has become one of the most rapidly growing sectors in the Sultanate. What better way to be your nation's ambassador than to opt for Hospitality Management and become an Events Manager or Hospitality Manager or Toursim manager. Who knows, you may even want to open you own hotel some day.

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OE100	Business Administration, Management, Human Resource Management/Development, Entrepreneurship/Enterprise, Event Management or Public Relations IN THE UNITED KINGDOM, THE USA, CANADA, AUSTRALIA, NEW ZEALAND OR IN CERTAIN EUROPEAN OR ASIAN COUNTRIES an assessment test is part of the scholarship application process *	3 of Mathematics Economics, Accounting, Mathematical Studies, English, Arabic, another language, Business A-levels: minimum 3 A-level passes, including all three required subjects at a minimum grade B (AS Level) or grade C (A level) IBD: 31 points, including a score of minimum 5 (SL) or 4 (HL) in all three subjects	Mathematics or Math Studies, followed by English
OE101	Actuarial Science or Financial Risk Management IN THE UNITED KINGDOM, THE USA, CANADA, AUSTRALIA, NEW ZEALAND OR IN CERTAIN EUROPEAN OR ASIAN COUNTRIES an assessment test is part of the scholarship application process*	Mathematics or Accounting + 1 of Economics, English or Business A-levels: minimum 3 A-level passes, including both subjects at a minimum grade B (AS Level) or grade C (A level) IBD: 31 points, including a score of minimum 5 (SL) or 4 (HL) in both subjects	

^{*} Applicants shortlisted for a University of Oman scholarship through the HEAC electronic system will have to take a skills assessment test, and may be invited for an admissions interview, as part of their scholarship application.

^{***} In due course, students will be provided with a list of approved programs offered at the recommended Universities and which are related to the areas of study listed here. Scholarship recipients will have to list the approved programs in order of preference in the system managed by the external scholarship department and before the registration deadline. This list will be uploaded to the HEAC website. Potential applicants are urged check the information on the Higher Education Admission Center (HEAC) website regularly to ensure they are aware of updates.

^{***}These are *minimum* and general scholarship requirements. Some University programs may have further specific subject requirements and/or higher requirements (e.g. some programs may require Mathematics), the Ministry of Higher Education does not guarantee securing admission to the selected program.

EXTERNAL SCHOLARSHIPS BY SUBJECT AND STUDY DESTINATION

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		SCHOLARSHIP REQUIREMENTS	BREAKERS (preferential subjects)
SE630 Le	Management, Marketing*, Advertising*, Entrepreneurship, Leadership Studies* (Management & Leadership) or Business Analytics in THE USA *some of these majors may be offered as a BA of Business Administration (International) Business & Finance, Entrepreneurship, Management & Organizational Behavior, Marketing, Retailing or Retail Management, eadership (Business), Consumer Behavior & Marketing, Business Enterprise, Advertising & Brand Management, Advertising & Digital Marketing or Business Analytics & Consultancy in THE UNITED KINGDOM	2 of Mathematics, Economics, Accounting, Mathematical Studies, English, Business* A-levels: minimum 2 A-level passes, including a minimum grade B (AS Level) or grade C (A level) in both subjects IBD: 26 points, including a minimum of 5 (SL) or 4 (HL) in both subjects IBC: 28 points, including a minimum of 5 (SL) or 4 (HL) in both subjects *these criteria are flexible while some courses may have further subject specific requirements – there is no guarantee that a student can enroll in course of highest preference	Mathematics

EXTERNAL SCHOLARSHIPS BY SUBJECT AND STUDY DESTINATION				
CODE	COURSE(S) AND DESTINATION	SCHOLARSHIP REQUIREMENTS	TIE BREAKERS (preferential subjects)	
SE632	Project Management (not in Engineering – should be offered by Business School) or Advertisement and/or Public Relations in AUSTRALIA	2 of Mathematics, Economics, Accounting, Mathematical Studies, English, Business* A-levels: minimum 2 A-level passes, including a minimum grade B (AS Level) or grade C (A level) in both subjects IBD: 26 points, including a minimum of 5 (SL) or 4 (HL) in both subjects IBC: 28 points, including a	1 of Pure Math, Accounting, Applied Math,	
SE637	Business & Entrepreneurship, Event Management or Tourism Management in NEW ZEALAND	minimum of 5 (SL) or 4 (HL) in both subjects *these criteria are flexible while some courses may have further subject-specific requirements — there is no guarantee that a student can enroll in course of highest preference	Business or Economics	
SE638	Environmental Management in the UNITED KINGDOM	2 of Mathematics, Economics, Accounting, Mathematical Studies, Business, Geography, Biology, Environmental Science, Geology A-levels: minimum 2 A-level passes, including a minimum grade B (AS Level) or grade C (A level) in both subjects IBD: 26 points, including a minimum of 5 (SL) or 4 (HL) in both subjects IBC: 28 points, including a minimum of 5 (SL) or 4 (HL) in both subjects *these criteria are flexible while some courses may have further subject-specific requirements – there is no guarantee that a student can enroll in course of highest preference	Mathematics , followed by English	
SE639	Aviation Management (only a non-flight major is an option – no pilot training!!!) in the USA	Mathematics + Physics A-levels: minimum 2 A-level passes, including a minimum grade B (AS Level) or grade C (A level) in both subjects IBD: 26 points, including a minimum of 5 (SL) or 4 (HL) in both subjects IBC: 28 points, including a minimum of 5 (SL) or 4 (HL) in both subjects	Mathematics	

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CODE	COURSE(S) AND DESTINATION	SCHOLARSHIP REQUIREMENTS	TIE BREAKERS (preferential subjects)
SE640 SE647	Logistics Management in the USA Supply Chain Management in the USA OR CANADA	2 of Mathematics, Economics, Accounting, Mathematical Studies, English, Business*	
SE643	Airport Security Management, Logistics and/or Supply Chain Management in the UNITED KINGDOM	A-levels: minimum 2 A-level passes, including a minimum grade B (AS Level) or grade C (A level) in both	
SE644	Logistics and/or Supply Chain Management in AUSTRALIA	subjects IBD: 26 points, including a minimum of 5 (SL) or 4	Mathematics Economics,
SE791	Event Management or Hotel & Restaurant Management in the USA	(HL) in both subjects IBC: 28 points, including a	Accounting, Mathematica
SE790	International Event Management, Tourism Management or Hotel & Events Management in the UNITED KINGDOM	minimum of 5 (SL) or 4 (HL) in both subjects *these criteria are flexible while some courses may have further subject-	Studies, English, Business
SE792	Event Management or Tourism Management in AUSTRALIA	specific requirements – there is no guarantee that a	
SE641	Retail Management, Travel & Tourism Management or Logistics & Supply Chain Management in IRELAND	student can enroll in course of highest preference	
SE744	Tourism Management or Event Management * at Stenden University of Applied Sciences	2 of Mathematics, Economics, Accounting, Mathematical Studies, Business, English A-levels: minimum 2 A-level passes,	
SE642	(International) Logistics Management at Stenden University of Applied Sciences* or Logistics Management at Fontys UAS** in the NETHERLANDS These programmes are taught in English *this course has a Sept and Feb intake ** Sept intake – the Ministry cannot guarantee recipients will be able to pursue the course at an institution of highest preference Applicants should have graduated from a secondary school located in the Sultanate of Oman	including minimum grade C (AS Level) or grade D (A level) in both subjects IBD*: 24 points, including a minimum of 4 (SL) or 3 (HL) in both subjects *IB-Certificate holders cannot apply for scholarships allocated to the Netherlands as Dutch HEIs do not recognise this type of qualification	Mathematic or Math Studies

EXTERNAL SCHOLARSHIPS BY SUBJECT AND STUDY DESTINATION				
CODE	COURSE(S) AND DESTINATION	SCHOLARSHIP REQUIREMENTS	TIE BREAKERS (preferential subjects)	
SE660	Finance, Actuarial Science/Studies, Risk Management & Insurance or Accounting in THE USA	1 of Mathematics or Accounting + 1 of English, Economics or Business		
SE661	Accounting, Accounting & Finance, Accounting & Economics, Accounting & Management, Finance, Finance & Economics, Accounting & Financial Management, Banking, Finance & Management, Finance & Business, Actuarial Sciences, Accountancy & Business Law, International Finance, Finance & Law, Finance & Investment, Accounting & Statistics or Finance & Statistics in THE UNITED KINGDOM	A-levels: minimum 2 A-level passes, including a minimum grade B (AS Level) or grade C (A level) in both subjects IBD: 26 points, including a minimum of 5 (SL) or 4 (HL) in both subjects IBC: 28 points, including a minimum of 5 (SL) or 4 (HL) in both subjects	Mathematics or Accounting	
SE662	Finance, Actuarial Science/Studies, Accounting or Banking in AUSTRALIA	1 of Mathematics or Accounting + 1 of English, Economics or Business A-levels: minimum 2 A-level passes, including a minimum grade B (AS Level) or		
SE663	Accounting, Accounting & Finance or Finance & Investment in IRELAND	grade C (A level) in both subjects IBD: 26 points, including a minimum of 5 (SL) or 4 (HL) in both subjects IBC: 28 points, including a minimum of 5 (SL) or 4 (HL) in both subjects	Mathematics or Accounting	
SE830	Actuarial Science OR Accountancy IN CANADA *scholarship applicants will require an IELTS overall score of 5.5. Students will need to submit the IELTS test report form on a soon to be announced date in August 2019.	Mathematics + 1 of English, Economics or Business A-levels: minimum 2 A-level passes, including a minimum grade B (AS Level) or grade C (A level) in both subjects IBD: 26 points, including a minimum of 5 (SL) or 4 (HL) in both subjects IBC: 28 points, including a minimum of 5 (SL) or 4 (HL) in both subjects	Mathematics	

	GCC Grants						
CODE	PROGRAM	REQUIREMENTS	TIE BREAKER	ADDITIONAL INFORMATION			
SE902	Business and Economics	Subjects Required For All International Qualifications: (Mathematics or Mathematical Studies) + (1) of the following subjects: (Business or Economics or I.T. or Computer) G.C.E.: Score of (C) in A - Level Or score of (B) in AS - Level for the Subjects required above International Baccalaureate (IB) Score of 32 points out of the total of 45 points Score of (5) points in (HL) Or score of (6) points in (SL) for the subjects required above	Mathematics or Mathematical Studies Business or Economics or I.T. or Computer	(Partial Scholarship) Study Destination: United Arab Emirates HEI: United Arab Emirates University - Art, physical education, and Music are not included in the calculation of overall grade			

		Subjects Required For All International		
		Qualifications:		
		(Mathematics or Mathematical Studies + (1) of		
		the following subjects (Business or Economics		(Full Scholarship)
		or IT or Computer)	Mathematics	Study Destination:
		G.C.E. Qualification:	or	Kuwait
		score of (C) in A - Level for the Subjects	Mathematica	HEI: Al Kuwait
SE921	Manageme	required above	l Studies	University Art, physical
JL321	nt Sciences	Or score of (B) in AS - Level for the Subjects	Business or	education, and Music are
		required above	Economics or	not included in the
		<u>International Baccalaureate (IB)</u>	IT or	calculation of overall
		score of 32 points out of the total of 45 points	Computer	grade.
		Score of (5) points in (HL) for the subject		
		required above.		
		Or score of (6) points in (SL) for the subjects		
		required above		

Sultan Qaboos University						
CODE	PROGRAM	REQUIREMENTS	ADDITIONAL INFORMATION			
SQ250	College of Economics and Political Sciences	GCE -A-Level Certificate Student must study 2 subjects at least from (A- level) The student must study 1. (Math or Math Study) 2. (English Language or Economics or Business Study) and score: Minimum (C) grade from the (A-level) IBD The student must study 1. (Math or Math Study) 2. (English Language or Economics or Business Study) and score: Minimum of (4)points from (HL) or Minimum of (5)points from (SL)	Majors: Accounting- Business – Finance- Information Systems – Management Statistics, Economics – Marketing- Operations Management. Language of instruction is English.			

	Colleges of Applied Sciences						
CODE	PROGRAM	REQUIREMENTS	TIE BREAKER	ADDITIONAL INFORMATION			
AS008	Bachelor of Business Adm. (Salalah College)	Subjects Required For All International Qualifications Arabic Language + Mathematics or Mathematical	Highest Grade in:	Program Majors: International Business			
AS015	Bachelor of Business Adm. (Nizwa College)	Studies + Social Studies Or Business Studies Or Economics GCE A/AS level: minimum grade C in (AS- Level) or grade D in (A level) in the above required subjects	Arabic language Mathematics Or Mathematical Studies Social Studies or Business studies	*Tourism Management			
AS017	Bachelor of Business Adm. (Ibri College)	IBD: 24 points out of the total of 45 points, including both subjects at 4 (SL) or 3 (HL) in the above required subjects	or Economics	Services *Insurance			

	Colleges of Technology						
CODE	PROGRAM	REQUIREMENTS	TIE BREAKER	ADDITIONAL INFORMATION			
TC004	Business Studies	Required subjects: Mathematics or Mathematical Studies + Arabic Language + History OR Geography GCE -A-Level Certificate Minimum (E) grade in one subject from A2 and one subject from AS level for the subjects required IB Score of (18) points out of the (45) points	Highest Marks in: -Arabic Language	Note: Bachelor is awarded for this program if the student met all the requirements.			

Internal Scholarships-Bachelor Degree

MANAGEMENT AND COMMERCE

Notices:

- 1. This scholarship is an internal scholarship covers the cost of the tuition fees ONLY. The parent will be responsible to cover the cost of transportation and Accommodation (If necessary).
- 2. Accommodation will be provided by the Private Educational Institutions, taking into a consideration the cost of the accommodation is student's responsibility. (Muscat University and Modern College of Business and Science are not included).
- 3. The monthly allowance is ONLY allocated for Social Security Students.

For more information about the Higher Private Educational Institutions and the study programs offered by the ministry based on academic degree and specialization, you can access HEAC website (Student Guide Link)

Program Code	Program Name	Minimum Requirement	Additional Information
BS031	Global Supply Chain Management & Logistics -Management -Finance -Accounting -Marketing -Insurance		Dhofar University
BS216	- Team Entrepreneurship -Finance and Accounting -Management	The required subjects for all International Qualifications:	A'Sharqiyah University
BS229	- Management Information Systems -Global Supply Chain Management & Logistics -Islamic Finance & Banking -Export Oriented Management -Business Administration and E- Business	Information Systems or Computer or Arabic or English: 1- GCE Certificate: Minimum Grade (E) in (A-Level) or (D) in (As- Level) at the mentioned subjects. 2- International Baccalaureate Diploma (IB): Minimum	AL Buraimi University
BS236	Business Administration in: -Management -Economics -Accounting -Marketing -Systems Science in Accounting		Arab Open University
BS168	-Event Management -Tourism & Hospitality Management -Tourism Marketing	requirements (18) points out of (45) points. (2) Points in (HL) or (3) points in (SL) at the mentioned	Oman Tourism College
BS097	-Accounting & Finance -Management and Business -Banking & Financial Sciences -Business Administration -Accounting & Financial Auditing -Science in Islamic Finance	subjects	College of Banking and Financial Studies.
BS130	-Organizational Leadership and Supervision -Entrepreneurship		Mazoon College

Internal Scholarships-Bachelor Degree MANAGEMENT AND COMMERCE **Program** Additional Program Name **Minimum Requirement** Code Information The required subjects for all International Qualifications: Mathematics or Mathematical studies, English: 1- GCE Certificate: Minimum Grade (C) in (A-Level) or (C) in (As-Level) at the mentioned subjects. -Logistics & Supply Chain **BS290** Muscat -Accounting &Administration 2- International Baccalaureate Diploma (IB): University Minimum requirements (31) points out of (45) points. (4) Points in (HL) or (5) points in (SL) at the mentioned subjects. The required subjects for all International **Oualifications:** Mathematics or Mathematical Studies GCE Certificate: Minimum Grade (E) German in (A-Level) or (D) in (As-Level) at the -International Business & Service **University of** mentioned subjects. **BS211 Management Technology** 2- International Baccalaureate Diploma (IB): -Logistics Minimum requirements (18) points out of (45) points. Minimum (2) Points in (HL) or (3) points in (SL) at the mentioned subjects. -Arts in Economics - Science in Accounting The required subjects for all International -Aviation Management Modern **Oualifications:** - Science in Airport Management College of **BS083** Mathematics, or Mathematical Studies or - Science in Health and Safety **Business** and Accounting and one of the following - Science in Transport and Science subjects: Logistics Management (Economics or Business or Information -Science in Business **Systems or Computer or Arabic or English:** Administration -Business Studies 1- GCE Certificate: Minimum Grade (E) -Accounting and Business Studies in (A-Level) or (D) in (As-Level) at Accounting and Computer Sciences Muscat the mentioned subjects. **BS149** -Human Resources Management College 2- International Baccalaureate Diploma (IB): - Marketing Minimum requirements (18) points out - Project Management of (45) points. Science in Banking and Finance Minimum (2) Points in (HL) or (3) points -Human Resources Development in (SL) at the mentioned subjects. **AL Burimi International Trade** BS071 University -Marketing College -Business Administration

-Accounting

Internal Scholarships-Bachelor Degree MANAGEMENT AND COMMERCE Progra Additional **Minimum Requirement** Program Name m Information Code The required subjects for all International AL Zahra -Science in Banking and Finance Qualifications: Mathematics, or Mathematical College for -Business Administration Studies or Accounting and one of the Women **BS109** -Accounting following subjects: (Economics or Business or Information Systems or Computer or Arabic or English: Management of Recreational Projects GCE Certificate: Minimum Grade (E) in -International Trade and Finance (A-Level) or (D) in (As-Level) at the mentioned -Business Administration subjects. **Nizwa BS012** -Accounting International Baccalaureate Diploma (IB): Minimum University -Marketing requirements (18) points out of (45) points. Minimum -Events Management (2) Points in (HL) or (3) points in (SL) at the -Economic and Finance mentioned subjects. - Business Administration(General) -Business Administration(Human Resources) **Business Administration(Accounting)** -Business Administration(Marketing) Majan **BS186** University -Business Administration(Small **Business**) College -Business Administration(Tourism and **Event Management)** The required subjects for all International -Business Administration(Finance) **Qualifications:** -Business Administration(Marketing) Mathematics, or Mathematical Studies or -Logistics Management Accounting and one of the following subjects: (Economics or Business or Information -Business Administration(Human Systems or Computer or Arabic or English: Resources) -Business Administration(Accounting Middle East **BS041** 1- GCE Certificate: Minimum Grade (E) and Finance) College in (A-Level) or (D) in (As-Level) at the -Business Administration(General mentioned subjects. Management) 2- International Baccalaureate Diploma (IB): -Business Administration(Marketing) Minimum requirements (18) points out of -Sciences in Finance and Banking (45) points. **Sur University BS116** -Management and Marketing College -Accounting Minimum (2) Points in (HL) or (3) points in -Marketing Management (SL) at the mentioned subjects. -Business and Management Studies -Business Economics **BS256 Gulf College** -Accounting and Finance -Management Information System -Business Administration -Marketing and Electronic Commerce Oman College of -Business Administration **Management & BS177 Technology** -Accounting -Science in Finance and Banking

	Internal Scholarships-Bachelor Degree				
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Progra m Code	Program Name	Minimum Requirement	Additional Information		
BS063	-Marine (Engineering Officer) -Logistics and Transport Management	Subjects requirements: (Mathematics or Mathematical Studies or Accounting) and one of the following: Economics or Business	International Maritime College		
BS024	Accounting Management Marketing	or Information Systems or Computer or Arabic Language or English Language GCE Certificate: Minimum Grade (E) in (A-	Sohar University		
BS249	-Fire Safety Management -Health ,Safety and Environmental Management	Level) or (D) in (As- Level) at the mentioned subjects. International Baccalaureate Diploma (IB):	International College of Engineering and Management		
BS050	-Science in Business Administration and Information Technology	Minimum requirements (18) points out of (45) points. Minimum (2) Points in (HL) or (3) points in (SL) at the mentioned subjects.	National University of Science and Technology		

SOCIETY & CULTURE

Today, the job market does not demand just a degree; it also values good communication skills, teamwork, technical, analytical, and critical thinking and problem solving skills.

If these skills are something you would like to master, then you can opt from these choices available.

You can learn Economics, which is the study of how people choose to use resources and the production and consumption of products and goods and may prepare you for a variety of possible careers.

Studying Law will help you gain an insight into how social order has evolved, how conflict can be resolved and how order is maintained, while you will learn how to write and speak very precisely and develop analytical, problem-solving and communication skills.

A Law degree can be the first stage in qualifying for entry into the legal profession, however, not everyone who studies Law will move onto a legal career.

Criminology as a standalone subject usually involves the study of crime including why people commit crimes plus the effects and social reactions to crime. Psychology is the study of human behaviour and mental functioning in general. Psychologists are interested in how people think, act, react, interact and feel. Psychologists should not be confused with Psychiatrists.

Information Science is an important and interdisciplinary field primarily concerned with the analysis, collection, classification, manipulation, storage, retrieval, movement, dissemination, and protection of information.

Librarianship graduates can also manage information at an advanced level. If study of the interactions between human or social and physical or environmental processes interests you then we advise to look at Geography, which combines the Sciences and the Humanities in order for you to understand real-world problems; for example, climate change or the impact of the global economic crisis.

Are language skills your Achilles' heels? Then how about overcoming that by learning to speak Arabic and English fluently? Translation & Interpreting will help you develop fluency in these two languages, and provide you with the opportunity to learn a new language, and acquaint yourself with other cultures.

UNIVERSITY OF OMAN – EXTERNAL SCHOLARSHIPS

- Not all of the listed undergraduate courses/majors are available in all study destinations. A list of approved courses/majors by country will be uploaded to the HEAC website and other publications in April 2019;
- All external scholarship applicants are advised to take the IELTS for UKVI ACADEMIC TEST in April or May 2019 to avoid a future deferral (delay) of admission;
- The names of the subject areas are published in English only because these are the official names used by the recommended higher education institutions, including in countries where the official language is not English;
- Please read the intro and terms & conditions for more info.

CODE	COURSE(S) AND DESTINATION	SCHOLARSHIP REQUIREMENTS	TIE BREAKERS (preferential subjects)
OE110	Library Science/Librarianship or Information Science or Information Management IN THE UNITED KINGDOM, THE USA, CANADA, AUSTRALIA, NEW ZEALAND OR IN CERTAIN ASIAN AND EUROPEAN COUNTRIES An assessment test is part of the application process*	English + 1 of Arabic, another language, Mathematics, Mathematical Studies, Psychology, Philosophy, Law, Sociology*, Politics, Economics, Business, IT or Computer Science A-levels: minimum 3 A-level passes, including a minimum grade A (AS Level) or grade B (A level) in English PLUS a minimum grade B (AS Level) or grade C (A level) in 1 of Arabic, another language, Mathematics, Psychology, Philosophy, Law, Sociology, Politics, Economics, Business, IT or Computer Science IBD: 31 points, including a score of minimum 6 (SL) or 5 (HL) in English PLUS a score of minimum 5 (SL) or 4 (HL) in 1 of Mathematics, Mathematical Studies, Arabic, another language, Psychology, Philosophy, Business, Economics, IT, Computer Science, Sociology* or Politics	English

EXT	EXTERNAL SCHOLARSHIPS BY SUBJECT AND STUDY DESTINATION				
CODE	COURSE(S) AND DESTINATION	SCHOLARSHIP REQUIREMENTS	TIE BREAKERS (preferential subjects)		
SE680	Economics in USA	Mathematics + 1 of English Economics, Business, Philosophy, Sociology* or History			
SE682	Economics, Business Economics, Financial Economics, Economics & Finance, Economics & Mathematics, Economics & Geography, Economics & Management, International Economics, Economics & Accounting, Economics & Econometrics, Financial Economics, Economics & Business Law or Industrial Economics in THE UNITED KINGDOM Economics in AUSTRALIA	A-levels: minimum 2 A-level passes, including a minimum grade B (AS level) or grade C (A level) in Mathematics PLUS a grade A (AS Level) or grade B (A level) in 1 of English, Economics, Business, Philosophy, Sociology or History IBD: 28 points, including a minimum of 5 (SL) or 4 (HL in Mathematics PLUS a minimum of 6 (SL) or 5 (HL) in 1 of English, Economics, Business, Philosophy Sociology* or History IBC: 30 points, including a minimum 5 (SL) or 4 (HL) in Mathematics PLUS a minimum of 6 (SL) or 5 (HL) in 1 of English, Economics, Business, Philosophy,	English		
SE683	Economics in AUST KALIA	Sociology* or History			
SE684	Economics or Economics & Business Economics in the NETHERLANDS These programmes are taught in English Applicants should have graduated from a secondary school located in the Sultanate of Oman	Mathematics + 1 of English Economics, Business, Philosophy, Sociology* or History A-levels: minimum 2 A-level passes, including a minimum grade B (AS level) or grade C (A level) in Mathematics PLUS a grade A (AS Level) or grade B (A level) in 1 of English, Economics, Business, Philosophy, Sociology or History IBD*: 28 points, including a minimum of 5 (SL) or 4 (HL in Mathematics PLUS a minimum of 6 (SL) or 5 (HL) in 1 of English, Economics, Business, Philosophy Sociology* or History *IB-Certificate holders cannot apply for scholarships allocated to the Netherlands as Dutch HEIs do not recognize this type of qualification	Mathematics		

EXT	EXTERNAL SCHOLARSHIPS BY SUBJECT AND STUDY DESTINATION					
CODE	COURSE(S) AND DESTINATION	SCHOLARSHIP REQUIREMENTS	TIE BREAKERS (preferential subjects)			
SE804	Law, Law with Criminology, Law with Media, Law with Psychology, Maritime Law, Law with Criminal Justice, Business Law, International Law, International Commercial Law or International Arbitration & Commercial Law in the UNITEDKINGDOM	English + 1 of Arabic, another language, Mathematics, Mathematical Studies, Business, Economics, Sociology, Psychology, Politics, Law, Accounting, Philosophy or History A-levels: minimum 2 A-level passes, including a minimum grade A (AS Level) or	English			
SE808	Law LLB in NEW ZEALAND	grade B (A level) in both subjects IBD: 28 points, including a minimum of 6 (SL) or 5 (HL) in both subjects IBC: 30 points, including a minimum of				
SE809	LAW LLB in AUSTRALIA	6 (SL) or 5 (HL) in both subjects				
SE810	LAW LLB in in the UNITEDKINGDOM					

EXTERNAL SCHOLARSHIPS BY SUBJECT AND STUDY DESTINATION

CODE	COURSE(S) AND DESTINATION	SCHOLARSHIP REQUIREMENTS	TIE BREAKERS (preferential subjects)	
SE670	Criminology, Criminology & Social Policy, Criminology & Sociology, Criminology & Criminal Justice, Criminology & Forensic Studies or Criminology & Criminal Behavior in THE UNITED KINGDOM	English + 1 of Arabic, another language, Mathematics, Mathematical Studies, Business, Economics, Sociology, Psychology, Politics, Law, Accounting, Philosophy or History A- levels: minimum 2 A-level		
SE671	Criminology or Criminal Justice in AUSTRALIA	passes, including a minimum grade A (AS Level) or grade B (A level) in both subjects IBD: 28 points, including a minimum of 6 (SL) or 5 (HL) in both subjects IBC: 30 points, including a	English	
SE672	Criminal Justice (not the same as Law) or Criminology in the USA	minimum of 6 (SL) or 5 (HL) in both subjects		
SE698	Archeology* in THE UNITED KINGDOM * Scholarship recipients are not permitted to change their major to another major that is not listed within this scholarship, even not to a major within the same category, as this scholarship has been included based on sector-specific needs	2 of English, Arabic, Arts, Geography, History, Philosophy/Sociology A-levels: minimum 2 A-level passes, including a minimum grade A (AS Level) or grade B (A level) in both subjects IBD: 28 points, including a	English	
SE699	Archeology* in THE USA * Scholarship recipients are not permitted to change their major to another major that is not listed within this scholarship, even not to a major within the same category, as this scholarship has been included based on sector-specific needs	minimum of 6 (SL) or 5 (HL) in both subjects IBC: 30 points, including a minimum of 6 (SL) or 5 (HL) in both subjects		

EXTERNAL SCHOLARSHIPS BY SUBJECT AND STUDY DESTINATION				
CODE	COURSE(S) AND DESTINATION	SCHOLARSHIP REQUIREMENTS	TIE BREAKERS (preferential subjects)	
SE700	Psychology (NOT Clinical), Psychology with Criminology or Social Work in the UNITED KINGDOM	3 of Mathematics, Mathematical Studies, English, Physics, Biology, Psychology, Sociology, Chemistry IBD: 28 points, including a minimum of 6 (SL) or 5 (HL) in all three subjects		
SE704	Psychology (NOT Clinical) in NEW ZEALAND	IBC: 30 points, including a minimum of 6 (SL) or 5 (HL)in all three subjects A/AS level: minimum 2 A-level passes, including a minimum grade A(AS Level) or grade B (A level) in all three subjects	Mathematics	
SE694	Translation & Interpretation in the UNITED KINGDOM Scholarship recipients are not permitted to change their major to another major that is not listed within this scholarship, even not to a major within the same category, as this scholarship has been included based on sector-specific needs	English + Arabic A- levels: minimum 2 A-level passes, including a minimum grade A (AS Level) or grade B (A level) in both subjects IBD: 28 points, including a minimum of 6 (SL) or 5 (HL) in both subjects IBC: 30 points, including a minimum of 6 (SL) or 5 (HL) in both subjects		
SE695	French or Spanish for Translation/Interpretation in the USA Scholarship recipients are not permitted to change their major to another major that is not listed within this scholarship, even not to a major within the same category, as this scholarship has been included based on sector-specific needs	1 from Arabic, French or Spanish+ English A- levels: minimum 2 A-level passes, including a minimum grade A (AS Level) or grade B (A level) in both subjects IBD: 28 points, including a minimum of 6 (SL) or 5 (HL) in both subjects IBC: 30 points, including a minimum of 6 (SL) or 5 (HL) in both subjects	English	

EXTERNAL SCHOLARSHIPS BY SUBJECT AND STUDY DESTINATION				
CODE	COURSE(S) AND DESTINATION	SCHOLARSHIP REQUIREMENTS	TIE BREAKER S (preferential subjects)	
SE571	Geographical Information Systems or Geographical Information Science (GIS) in THE UNITED KINGDOM	Geography + 1 of Mathematics, Mathematical Studies Physics,		
SE572	Geographical Information Systems* or Geographical Information Science* (GIS) in AUSTRALIA or THE UNITED KINGDOM FOR MALE APPLICATIONS ONLY *selected scholarship applicants will have to sit for an interview and will have to undergo a medical test for Military Personnel. It will not be allowed to change the programme or the destination.	Chemistry, Biology, Environmental Systems/Management/Science A-levels: minimum 2 A-level passes, including a minimum grade A (AS Level) or grade B (A level) in both subjects IBD: 28 points, including a minimum of 6 (SL) or 5 (HL) in both subjects IBC: 30 points, including a minimum of 6 (SL) or 5 (HL) in both subjects	Geography	
SE787	Tourism Studies* at the University of Malta In MALTA This programme is taught in English *scholarship applicants will require anIELTS score of 5.5 with no band scores lower than 5.0 in reading and writing and need to submit the IELTS test report form in August (date TBC) * Scholarship recipients are not permitted to change their major to another major that is not listed within this scholarship, even not to a major within the same category, as this scholarship has been included based on sector-specific needs	Mathematics or Math Studies + 1 of English, Arabic, Arts, Geography, History, Sociology or Philosophy A- levels: minimum 2 A-level passes, including a minimum grade A (AS Level) or grade B (A level) in both subjects IBD: 28 points, including a minimum of 6 (SL) or 5 (HL) in both subjects IBC: 30 points, including a minimum of 6 (SL) or 5 (HL) in both subjects *subject-specific requirements have been changed based on input provided by the University of Malta	English	
SE788	(Cultural) Heritage Studies* in THE UNITED KINGDOM * Scholarship recipients are not permitted to change their major to another major that is not listed within this scholarship, even not to a major within the same category, as this scholarship has been included based on sector-specific needs	2 of English, Arabic, Arts, Geography, History, Sociology* or Philosophy A- levels: minimum 2 A-level passes, including a minimum grade A (AS Level) or grade B (A level) in both subjects IBD: 28 points, including a minimum of 6 (SL) or 5 (HL) in both subjects IBC: 30 points, including a minimum of 6 (SL) or 5 (HL) in both subjects		

GCC Grants					
CODE	PROGRAM	REQUIREMENTS	TIE BREAKERS	ADDITIONAL INFORMATION	
SE903	Law	Subjects Required For All International Qualifications: (Mathematics or Mathematical Studies + (1) of the following subjects (English Language or Arabic Language or Business Studies or Computer Studies) G.C.E. Qualification: score of (C) in A - Level Or score of (B) in AS - Level for the Subjects required above International Baccalaureate (IB) score of 32 points out of the total of 45 points Score of (5) points in (HL) for the subjects required above. Or Score of (6) points in (SL) for the subjects required above	Mathematics or Mathematic studies English language or Arabic Language or Business Studies or Computer Studies	(Partial Scholarship) Study Destination: United Arab Emirates HEI: United Arab Emirates University -Art, physical education, and Music are not included in the calculation of overall grade	
SE925	Arts	Subjects Required For All International Qualifications: (Arabic Lang. + (Math or Mathematical Studies) G.C.E. Qualification: Score of (C) in A - Level for the Subjects required above Or score of (B) in AS - Level for the Subjects required above International Baccalaureate (IB): score of 32 points out of the total of 45 points Score of (5) points in (HL) for the subjects required above. Or score of (6) points in (SL) for the subjects required above	Arabic Language Mathematics or Mathematical Studies	(Full Scholarship) Study Destination: Kuwait HEI: Al Kuwait University	
SE926	Social Sciences	Subjects Required For All International Qualifications: (Arabic Lang) + (1) of the following subjects (Psychology or Social Studies) G.C.E. Qualification: score of (C) in A - Level for the Subjects required above Or score of (B) in AS - Level for the Subjects required above International Baccalaureate (IB): score of 32 points out of the total of 45 points Score of (5) points in (HL) for the subjects required above. Or score of (6) points in (SL) for the subjects required above	Psychology or Social Studies Arabic Language	-Art, physical education, and Music are not included in the calculation of overall grade.	

Sultan Qaboos University				
CODE	PROGRAM	REQUIREMENTS	ADDITIONAL INFORMATION	
SQ255	College of Economics and Political Sciences (Political Sciences)	GCE - Certificates Student must study 2 subjects at least from (A- level) The student must study (Arabic language, English language, Mathematics) and score: (2) subjects with a minimum (C) grade from the (A-level) (1) subjects with a minimum (B) grade from the (AS level) IB- Diploma The student must study (Arabic language, English language, Mathematics) and score: Minimum of (4)points from (HL) or Minimum of (5)points from (SL)	Language of instruction is English.	
SQ800	College of Law	GCE -A-Level Certificate Minimum (C) grade from (A-Level) in the subjects required: (Islamic Education, Arabic Language) IB- Diploma Score of 24 out of 45 points Minimum of (4) points from (HL) or Minimum of (5) points from (SL) in subjects required: (Islamic Education, Arabic Language)	Language of instruction is Arabic and some courses are taught in English	

Sultan Qaboos University				
CODE	PROGRAM	REQUIREMENTS	ADDITIONAL INFORMATION	
SQ700	College of Arts and Social Sciences (General Arts)	GCE -A-Level Certificate Minimum (C) grade from (A-Level) in the subjects required: (Arabic Language and Islamic Education) IB- Diploma Certificate Score of 24 out of 45 points Minimum of (4) points from (HL) or Minimum of (5) points from (SL) in subjects required: (Arabic Language and Islamic Education)	The College offers the following majors in: Arabic Language and Literature, English Language and Literature, Geography, History, Information Studies Social Work Sociology. Media Translation Tourism Music and Musicology Student fulfilling admission requirement and officially enrolled in the College are assigned to the majors according to: Student choice Number of seats available in each program. Score in the English placement and exit test. In order to specialize in Translation, student should first be in the English language and literature program, and apply for transfer to Translation once they have fulfilled its minimum requirements. Enrollment into Music and Musicology requires a skill test. Student can take course in their program only prior to the completion of all Foundation Year courses.	

Internal Scholarships

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- 3. The monthly allowance is ONLY allocated for Social Security Students.

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CODE	PROGRAM	REQUIREMENTS	ADDITIONAL INFORMATION
BS021	-Business & Commercial Law -Law	The required subjects for all	Sohar University
BS033	-Law	International Qualifications:	Dhofar University
BS073	-Law	Mathematics, or Mathematical Studies or Accounting, Arabic Language & English Language	Al Buraimi University College
BS111	-Law	GCE Certificate: Minimum Grade (E) in (A-Level) or (D) in (As- Level) at the	Al Zahra College for Women
BS092	-Commercial Law	mentioned subjects. International Baccalaureate Diploma	Modern College of Business and Science
BS231	-Law	(IB): Minimum requirements (18) points	University of Buraimi
BS219	-Law	out of (45) points. (2) Points in (HL) or (3) points in (SL) at the mentioned	A'Sharqiyah University
BS077	-Law	subjects.	Arab Open University
BS110	-Criminal Justice		Mazoon College
BS011	-English Language and Translation -French Language and Translation -German Language and Translation	The required subjects for all International Qualifications: Mathematics, or Mathematical Studies or Accounting and one of the following subjects:	University of Nizwa
BS023	-English Language Studies -English Language and Translation	Economics or Business or Information	Sohar University
BS036	-English Language -Translation	Language or English Language	Dhofar University
BS127	English Language	GCE Certificate: Minimum Grade (E) in (A-Level) or (D) in (As- Level) at the	Mazoon College
BS074	-English Language and Literature -Translation	mentioned subjects. International Baccalaureate Diploma (IB): Minimum requirements (18) points out of (45) points.	Al Buraimi University College
BS107	-English Language and Translation -English Language and Literature		Al Zahra College for Women

Internal Scholarships			
CODE	PROGRAM	PROGRAM	REQUIREMENTS
BS197	-English Literature -Writing Professional English	The required subjects for all International Qualifications: Mathematics, or Mathematical Studies or Accounting and one of the following subjects:	Al Bayan College
BS188	-English Language	Economics or Business or Information Systems or	Majan University College
BS128	-Psychology Economics	Computer or Arabic Language or English Language	Mazoon College
BS129	200110111100	GCE Certificate: Minimum Grade (E) in (A-Level)	
BS221	Counselling Psychology	or (D) in (As- Level) at the mentioned subjects. International Baccalaureate Diploma (IB): Minimum requirements (18) points out of (45) points. (2) Points in (HL) or (3) points in (SL) at the mentioned subjects.	A'Sharqiyah University

CREATIVE ARTS

'Creative Arts' is not all about Fine Arts and Visual Arts only! It is a very inclusive major, which contains a number of categories and subcategories.

Are you interested in following latest events, news and updates and relaying them to others? Are you concerned with issues raised by public opinion and feel you want to write about them?

If your answer is yes then Media and Communication is what you are interested in. Choose Journalism to be a professional writer and get wide range of job choices in future.

The broader (Mass) Communication and/or Media Studies as a programme or major are usually based on an interdisciplinary curriculum and topics could possibly include subjects such as Advertising, Marketing, Mass Media, Management, Public Relations, Public Affairs, Consulting and could or even include an introduction to other areas such as Law, Psychology, Political Sciences or Economics.

TV, Media and Film Production courses usually allow students to focus on video, television, feature film and short film production.

Have not you feel curious about what happens behind the scenes of TV and Radio programmes? Those who have the ability to create audio and video programme content and distribute it to the mass audiences of radio, television and Internet media have specialised in Broadcasting.

Digital Media or Visual Effects is another interesting subcategory of Media & Communication and involves computer animation and (visual) effects for video, film and multimedia.

Those interested in Museums, and Heritage, can look at Museum Studies, which cover all aspects of museum and/or art gallery operations.

UNIVERSITY OF OMAN – EXTERNAL SCHOLARSHIPS

- Not all of the listed undergraduate courses/majors are available in all study destinations. A list of approved courses/majors by country will be uploaded to the HEAC website and other publications in April 2019;
- All external scholarship applicants are advised to take the IELTS for UKVI ACADEMIC TEST in April or May 2019 to avoid a future deferral (delay) of admission;
- The names of the subject areas are published in English only because these are the official names used by the recommended higher education institutions, including in countries where the official language is not English;
- Please read the intro and terms & conditions for more info.

CODE	COURSE(S) AND DESTINATION	SCHOLARSHIP REQUIREMENTS	TIE BREAKERS (preferential subjects)
OE130	Graphic Design IN THE UK, THE USA, CANADA, AUSTRALIA, NEW ZEALAND OR IN CERTAIN ASIAN AND EUROPEAN COUNTRIES An assessment test is part of the application process*	3 of English, Mathematics, Mathematical Studies, Arts, Design & Technology, IT, Computer Science, Media A-levels: minimum 3 A-level passes, including all three required subjects at a minimum grade B (AS Level) or grade C (A level) IBD: 31 points, including a score of minimum 5 (SL) or 4 (HL) in all three subjects	Mathematics, followed by English

^{*} Applicants shortlisted for a University of Oman scholarship through the HEAC electronic system will have to take a skills assessment test, and may be invited for an admissions interview, as part of their scholarship application.

the Ministry of Higher Education does not guarantee securing admission to the selected program.

^{**} In due course, students will be provided with a list of approved programs offered at the recommended Universities and which are related to the areas of study listed here. Scholarship recipients will have to list the approved programs in order of preference in the system managed by the external scholarship department and before the registration deadline. This list will be uploaded to the HEAC website. Potential applicants are urged check the information on the Higher Education Admission Center (HEAC) website regularly to ensure they are aware of updates.

^{***}These are *minimum* and general scholarship requirements. Some University programs may have further specific subject requirements and/or higher requirements,

EXTERNAL SCHOLARSHIPS BY SUBJECT AND STUDY DESTINATION

CODE	COURSE(S) AND DESTINATION	SCHOLARSHIP REQUIREMENTS	TIE BREAKERS (preferential subjects)
SE720	Digital Media, Graphic Design, Animation, Broadcast or Digital Journalism, TV and/or Film and/or Media Production or Computer Graphics, Imaging & Multimedia in the UNITED KINGDOM	3 of English, Mathematics, Mathematical Studies, Arabic, another language, Media, Business, Economics, History, Geography, Politics, Sociology*, Psychology, Law, Design & Technology, IT, Computer Science, Environmental	
SE721	Digital Media, Media, Visual Arts, Graphic Design, Broadcasting, Communication Studies, Journalism or TV or Film (Production) in the USA	Science/Systems/ Management, Arts, Philosophy A-levels: minimum 2 A-level passes, including a minimum grade A (AS Level) or grade B (A level) in both subjects IBD: 28 points, including a minimum of 6 (SL) or 5 (HL) in both subjects IBC: 30 points, including a minimum of 6 (SL) or 5 (HL) in both subjects	Mathematics, followed by English

EXTERNAL SCHOLARSHIPS BY SUBJECT AND STUDY DESTINATION

CODE	COURSE(S) AND DESTINATION	SCHOLARSHIP REQUIREMENTS	TIE BREAKERS (preferential subjects)
SE783	Fine Arts, Visual Arts, Art Gallery & Museum Studies, Museum Studies & Archeology* in THE UNITED KINGDOM Universities may ask for an Arts portfolio for these courses These specializations are based on specific needs of some sectors. Students who will receive this scholarship are not allowed to change the specialization.	2 of English, History, Arts, Design & Technology, Arabic or another language, Philosophy A-levels: minimum 2 A-level passes, including a minimum grade A (AS Level) or grade B (A level) in both subjects IBD: 28 points, including a minimum of 6 (SL) or 5 (HL) in both subjects IBC: 30 points, including a minimum of 6 (SL) or 5 (HL) in both subjects	English
SE784	Ceramics/Sculpture, Fabric Arts (e.g. Textiles/Fashion), Metal Arts or Metalsmithing, Leather Arts, Wood Carving * in THE UNITED KINGDOM or THE USA * The name of the specific major (USA) or course (UK) may vary per study destination and/or higher education institution. For some of these programs additional requirements may apply — e.g. some Universities may ask for an Arts portfolio	1 of Mathematics, Mathematical Studies or Physics + 1 of Arts or Design & Technology (D&T) A-levels: min 2 A-level passes, including Mathematics, Mathematical Studies or Physics at min grade C (AS level) or grade D (A level) PLUS Arts or D&T at min grade A (AS Level) and grade B (A level) IBD: 28 points, including a min of 4 (SL) or 3 (HL) in Mathematics, Mathematical Studies or Physics PLUS a min 6 (SL) or 5 (HL) in Arts or D&T IBC: 30 points, including a min of 4 (SL) or 3 (HL) in Mathematics, Mathematical Studies or Physics PLUS a min 6 (SL) or 5 (HL) in Arts or D&T	1 from Arts, Graphic Design, followed by English

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CODE	PROGRAM	REQUIREMENTS	ADDITIONAL INFORMATION			
SQ780	College of Arts and Social Sciences (Music and Musical Sciences)	IBD Score of 24 points out of 45 Minimum of (4) points from (HL) or Minimum of (5) points from (SL) in following: (Arabic, Music skills) - Pass Musical aptitude test	Language of instruction is Arabic and some courses are taught in English			

Colleges of Applied Sciences						
CODE	PROGRAM	REQUIREMENTS	TIE BREAKERS (preferential subjects)	ADDITIONAL INFORMATIO N		
AS009	Bachelor of Mass Communication (Sur College)	Required Subjects: Arabic language GCE: Getting (D) as Minimum Requirement in Subjects Required for (A		Program Majors		
AS010	Bachelor of Mass Communication (Salalah College)	Level). Getting (C) as Minimum Requirement in Subjects Required for (AS Level). IBD: Getting at least 24 points of 45 points for Getting (4) Points in	Highest Grade in: - Arabic language	Digital Media Media Media Management. Public Relation Journalism		
AS011	Bachelor of Mass Communication (Nizwa College)	Subjects Required for (IB Standard Level). Getting (3) Points in Subjects Required for (IB High Level).		Advertising		
AS013	Bachelor of Design (Nizwa College)	Required Subjects: Arabic language Mathematics, Mathematical Studies, Art or Graphic Design GCE: Getting (D) as Minimum Requirement in Subjects Required for (A Level IGCE). Getting (C) as Minimum Requirement in Subjects Required for (AS Level IGCE). IBD: Getting at least 24 points of 45 points for Getting (4) Points in Subjects Required for (IB Standard Level). Getting (3) Points in Subjects Required for (IB High Level).	Highest Grade in: Mathematics, Mathematical studies Arabic language -Art or Graphic Design	Program Majors: Multimedia Design. Graphic Design Interior Design.		

ADDITIONAL CODE **PROGRAM** REQUIREMENTS TIE BREAKER **INFORMATION Required Subjects:** Mathematics or Mathematical Studies - GCE -**A-Level Certificate** Highest Marks in: - Mathematics or Minimum (E) grade in one subject from A2 **TC006 Photography** and one subject from AS level for the subjects Mathematical required studies IB Score of (18) points out of the (45) points Note: Only Diploma is awarded for these programs. **Required Subjects:** Mathematics or Mathematical studies + Highest Marks in: Arabic + History or Geography or Fine Arts) History or <u>IB</u> Fashion Design TC007 Geography or Fine score of (18) points out of the (45) points (Females only) Arts Student should pass admission test and interview

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CODE	PROGRAM	REQUIREMENTS	ADDITIONAL INFORMATION
BS136	 Fashion Design Fine Arts Graphic Design (Digital) Interior Design Animation Photography 	The required subjects for all International Qualifications: (Mathematics, or Mathematical Studies or Accounting) and one of the following subjects: Economics or Business or Information Systems or Computer or Arabic Language or English Language 1- GCE Certificate: Minimum Grade (E) in (A-Level) or (D) in (AS- Level) at the mentioned subjects.	Scientific College of Design
BS112	- Interior Design - Graphic Design	2- International Baccalaureate Diploma (IB): Minimum requirements (18) points out of (45) points. Minimum (2) Points in (HL) or (3) points in (SL) at the mentioned subjects.	AL Zahra College for Women
BS286	- Fine Arts	 The required subjects for all International Qualifications:	Nizwa University
BS196	-Journalism -Public Relations -Advertising -Broadcasting	The required subjects for all International Qualifications: (Mathematics, or Mathematical Studies or Accounting) and one of the following subjects: Economics or Business or Information Systems or Computer or Arabic Language or English Language 1- GCE Certificate: Minimum Grade (E) in (A-Level) or	AL Bayyan College
BS176	(D) in (AS- Level) at the mentioned subjects. 2- International Baccalaureate Diploma (IB): Minimum	Oman College of Management and Technology	

Programs for Students with Disabilities

EXTERNAL SCHOLARSHIPS BY SUBJECT AND STUDY DESTINATION **SCHOLARSHIP** TIE BREAKERS **CODE COURSE(S) AND DESTINATION** REQUIREMENTS (preferential subjects) English + Mathematics or Mathematical SCHOLARSHIPS FOR DEAF **Studies** STUDENTS IN JORDAN IBD: 24 points, Scholarship recipients will be able to indicate including a min of 4 which undergraduate degree programme (SL) or 3 (HL) in both they would want to pursue - more details subjects about the recommended universities and study destination will be published in due course on the IBC: 26 points, SE890 English HEAC website. including a min of 5 The major must fall within one of the (SL) or 4 (HL) in both categories/areas of study listed in this subjects external scholarship section. GCE A/AS level: min The Ministry of Higher Education cannot 2 A-level passes, guarantee that a candidate will be admitted including both to the programme and/or University of subjects at min grade preference. B (AS level) or grade C (A level)

SQ001 College of Agricultural and Marine Sciences Minimum (C) from (A-level) Minimum (B) from (AS-level) IBD Score of 24 points out of 45 Minimum of (4) points in Mathematics from (BL) or Minimum of (5) points in 2 subjects from (BL) or Minimum of (5) points in 2 subjects from (BL) or Minimum of (5) points in 2 subjects from (BL) or Minimum of (5) points in 2 subjects from (BL) or Minimum of (5) points in 2 subjects from (BL) or Minimum of (5) points in 2 subjects and Biology) GCE - Certificates Student must study 2 subjects at least from (A-level) Must study 4 subjects from following subjects (Mathematics, Chemistry, Physics & Biology) and Score: Minimum (C) grade from the (A-level) Minimum (C) grade from the (A-level) Minimum of (4) points in Mathematics from (BL) or Minimum of (5) points in Mathematics from (BL) And must study 2 subjects only from following subjects (Chemistry, Physics, Biology) and score: Minimum of (4) points in Mathematics from (BL) And must study 2 subjects only from following subjects (Chemistry, Physics, Biology) and score: Minimum of (5) points in from (SL) GCE - Certificates Student must study 2 subjects from (A level) Minimum of (5) points in from (SL) GCE - Certificates Student must study 2 subjects from (A level) Minimum of (5) points in from (SL) GCE - Certificates or Business studies BB Score 24 points out of the total of 45 Minimum of (4)points from (HL) or Minimum of (5)points from (HL) or Minimum of (5) points from (HL) or Minimum of (5) points or Business studies Mathematics Chemistry Physics and Business studies BB Graph Physics	Sultan Qaboos University					
SQ010 SQ011 College of Agricultural and Marine Sciences Gollege of Science SQ150 College of Science College of Science Science College of Science Scien	CODE	PROGRAM				
Student must study 2 subjects at least from (A- level) Must study 4 subjects from following subjects (Mathematics, Chemistry, Physics & Biology) and score: Minimum (C) grade from the (A-level) Minimum (B) grade from the (AS level) International baccalaureate Diploma (IB) The student must score: Minimum of (4) points in Mathematics from (SL) And must study 2 subjects only from following subjects (Chemistry, Physics, Biology) and score: Minimum of (5) points in from (SL) GCE -Certificates Student must study 2 subjects from (A level) Minimum of (C) grade in two subject the following: Math or Math studies, English Language or Economics or Business studies BD Score 24 points out of the total of 45 Minimum of (4) points from (HL) or Minimum of (5) points from (HL) or	SQ001	Agricultural and	from (A level) Minimum (C) in Mathematics from (A-level) Minimum (B) in Mathematics from (AS-level) must study 2 subjects from (Chemistry, Physics, Biology) as follows Minimum (C) from (A-level) Minimum (B) from (AS-level) IBD Score of 24 points out of 45 Minimum of (4) points in Mathematics from (HL) or Minimum of (5) points in Mathematics from (SL) and Minimum of (4) points in 2 subjects from (HL) or Minimum of (5) points in 2 subjects from (SL) from the following subjects: (Chemistry, Physics and	Full movement impairment or partial movement impairment in the lower limbs Students with disabilities will be enrolled in the following specializations: - Food Science and Nutrition - Natural Resource		
SQ250 GCE -Certificates Student must study 2 subjects from (A level) Minimum of (C) grade in two subject the following: Math or Math studies, English Language or Economics or Business studies Economics and Political Ninimum of (4)points from (HL) or Sciences Minimum of (5)points from (SL) in the following:	SQ150		GCE - Certificates Student must study 2 subjects at least from (A- level) Must study 4 subjects from following subjects (Mathematics, Chemistry, Physics & Biology) and score: Minimum (C) grade from the (A-level) Minimum (B) grade from the(AS level) International baccalaureate Diploma (IB) The student must score: Minimum of (4) points in Mathematics from (HL) or Minimum of (5) points in Mathematics from (SL) And must study 2 subjects only from following subjects (Chemistry, Physics, Biology) and score: Minimum of (4) from (HL) or			
Economics or Business studies.	SQ250	Economics and Political	GCE -Certificates Student must study 2 subjects from (A level) Minimum of (C) grade in two subject the following: Math or Math studies, English Language or Economics or Business studies IBD Score 24 points out of the total of 45 Minimum of (4)points from (HL) or Minimum of (5)points from (SL) in the following: Math or Math studies English Language or	Movement impairment		

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SQ255	College of Economics and Political Sciences (Political Sciences)	GCE -Certificates Student must study 2 subjects from (A level) Minimum C grade in the subjects required: (Arabic Language, English Language, Mathematics) OR (2) subjects with a minimum (C) grade from the A-level will be counted (1) subject with an (B) grade from the AS-level from the subjects required: (Arabic Language, English Language, Mathematics) IB- Diploma Score of 24 out of 45 points Minimum of (4) points from (HL) or Minimum of (5) points from (SL) from the subjects required: (Arabic Language, English Language, Mathematics)	Type of disability: Movement impairment			
SQ650	Art Education	Score of 24 points out of the total 45 points Minimum of (4) points from (HL) or minimum of (5) points from (SL) in Arabic Language and Fine Arts	Type of disability: Partial movement impairment in the lower Limbs (Males only)			
SQ700	College of Arts and Social Sciences (General Arts)	GCE -A-Level Certificate Minimum (C) grade from (A-Level) in the subjects required: (Arabic Language and Islamic Education) IB- Diploma Certificate Score of 24 out of 45 points Minimum of (4) points from (HL) or Minimum of (5) points from (SL) in subjects required: (Arabic Language and Islamic Education)	Type of disability: Movement impairment visual			
SQ800	College of Law	GCE -A-Level Certificate Minimum (C) grade from (A-Level) in the subjects required: (Islamic Education, Arabic Language) IB- Diploma Score of 24 out of 45 points_Minimum of (4) points from (HL) or Minimum of (5) points from (SL)in subjects required: (Islamic Education, Arabic Language)	disability			

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LOCATION	INSTITUTION	CODE	WEBSITE	Tel	FAX		
AlKhoudh	Sultan Qaboos University	SQ	www.squ.edu.om	24141807	24413861		
Airport Heights	Military Technical College	МТ	www.mtc.edu.om	22091111	22091370		
Alkhwair	College of Shariaa Science	IS	www.css.net	24393950 24393888 24393822	24393801		
	Ministry of Higher Education Institutions						
Rustaq	College of Applied Science Rustaq	SR	www.cas.edu.om	26876202	26877026		
Sohar	College of Applied Science Sohar	SH	www.cas.edu.om	22056900	22057001		
Nizwa	College of Applied Science Nizwa	SN	www.cas.edu.om	25431833	25431102		
Ibri	College of Applied Science Ibri	SB	www.cas.edu.om	25690159	25691696		
Sur	College of Applied Science Sur	SS	www.cas.edu.om	25544150	25544751		
Salalah	College of Applied Science Salalah	SL	www.cas.edu.om	23226611	23225620		
Airport Heights	Directorate of External Scholarships	SE	www.mohe.gov.om	24340900	24340774		
Airport Heights	Directorate of Internal Scholarships	SF-SP BS	www.mohe.gov.om	24340900	24340815		

	Ministry of Manpower Institutions					
Muscat	Higher Technical College	тс	www.hct.edu.om	24473622	24478401	
Musun'ah	Technical College Musun'ah	тс	www.act.edu.om	26871333	26869257	
Shinas	Technical College Shinas	тс	www.ctshinas.edu.om	26852811	26747426	
Nizwa	Technical College Nizwa	тс	www.nct.edu.om	25446555	25431020	
Ibraa	Technical College Ibraa	тс	www.ict.edu.om	25587800	25549020	
Salalah	Technical College Salalah	тс	www.sct.edu.om/web	23223401	23226267	
Ibri	Technical College Ibri	TC	www.ibrict.edu.om	25690664	25689723	
		Ministry of	Health Institutions			
Alwataiya	Health Science Institute	IH	www.moh.gov.om	24560085 Extension	24560384	
				1103		
Alwataiya	Oman Assistant Pharmacy Institute	PI	www.moh.gov.om	24564035	24564042	
Alwataiya	Oman Nursing Institute	NM	www.moh.gov.om	24564112	24565879	
				Extension 2100		
Rustaq	Rustaq Nursing Institute	NR	www.moh.gov.om	26877181	26772557	
Sohar	North Batinah Nursing Institute	NS	www.moh.gov.om	26840592	26841811	
Nizwa	Al Dakhelya Nursing Institute	NN	www.moh.gov.om	25211853	25211910	

Al Dhahirah	Al Dhahirah Nursing Institute	NH	www.moh.gov.om	25696153	25696154
Ibraa	Ibraa Nursing Institute	NI	www.moh.gov.om	25570075	25570076
Sur	Sur Nursing Institute	NU	www.moh.gov.om	25543902	25544263
Salalah	Salalah Nursing Institute	NA	www.moh.gov.om	23216783	23216049
Muscat	Oman Health Information Management Institute	НМ	www.ohimi.net	24563957	24561747
		Central B	ank of Oman HEI		
Boushar	College of Banking and Financial Studies	BF	www.cbfs.edu.om	22059716 22059718 22059725	22059991 22059992 22059993
		Private Higher	Education Institutions		
LOCATION	INSTITUTION	CODE	WEBSITE	Tel	FAX
Sohar	Sohar University	SU	www.soharuni.edu.om	26850100	26720102
Ruwi	Majan University College	MJ	www.majancollege.edu.om	24730400 24730423 24730424 24730427	24730490
Boushar	Modern College of Business and Science	МО	www.mcbs.edu.om	24583540 24583543	24583584
A'Seeb	National University of Science and Technology	CC	www.cce.edu.om	24536165 7203/7202	24535675
Airport Heights	Al Zahraa College	ZH	www.zcw.edu.om	24512888	24511193

Heights				24513327	24513364
Sur	Sur University College	SC	www.suc.edu.om	25565555	25565551
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Rusail	Middle East College	ME	www.buc.edu.om	24531400	24446028
Al Buraimi	Al Buraimi University College	ВС	www.buc.edu.om	25657666	25657600
Airport Heights	Scientific College of Design	SD	www.scd.edu.om	24513232	24513213
Barka	Oman College for Management and Technology	ос	www.omancollege.edu.om	26894181 26894070	26893068 26893209
Boushar	Muscat College	MC	www.muscatcollege.edu.om	24594783 24594070	24504954
Airport Heights	International College for Engineering and Management	FS	www.icem.edu.om	24512000	24521355
Salalah	Dhofar University	DH	www.du.edu.om	23237000	23237750
Al Maabila	Gulf College	GC	www.gulfcollege.edu.om	24468666	24468600
Sohar	International Marine College of Oman	IM	www.imco.edu.om	26827777	26827744
Halban	Al Bayan College	BA	www.bayancollege.edu.om	24263664 24263665 24263666	24263667
AlQurum	Arab Open University	AO	www.aou.edu.om	24697300	24699669
711Qui uili	That open University	AU	www.aou.edu.om	2 103 1300	2 r033003
Ibra	Al Sharqiya University	AU	www.asu.edu.om	25401000 25401037	25401002
Al Buraimi	University of Buraimi	BU	www.uob.edu.om	256483800	25657600
Boushar	Global College for Engineering and	GE	www.gcet.edu.om	24227912 24227903	24227901

	Management				
Nizwa	Nizwa University	NU	ww.unizwa.edu.om	25446234 25446396	25446338
Barka - Halban	German University of Technology	GU	www.gutech.edu.om	22061111	22061001
Airport Heights	Oman College for Tourism	ОТ	www.otc.edu.om	24512346 24512345	24512349
Qurum	Muscat University	MU	www.muscatuniversity.edu.om	24645444	-
Alwataiya	Oman Dental College	OD	www.omandentalcollege.org	24665555	24665566
Ruwi	Institute of Topographical Sciences	-	www.ogc.edu.om	24312261	24312443

Quick Response Codes (QR)

Social Media Accounts of HEAC

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Sample of Online Registration Application Form

Student Civil Number

Student Number, or Seat Number

1: student program preferences of (Public Programs Only): list the programs codes according to your personal preferences.											
Preference	Program Code	Program Name		Higher Education Insti				Insti	tutio	n	