



**Next Call for Applications (Window 2)
Opens on March 25, 2024!
Graduate Studies Scholarships Available to
Developing Country Nationals**



The Joint Japan/World Bank Graduate Scholarship Program (JJWBGSP) will take applications from **March 25 to May 24, 2024** ([Application Window #2](#)). The program is open to women and men from developing countries with professional experience and a history of supporting their countries' development efforts.

Applicants Must:

- Be a national of an [eligible developing country](#);
- Not hold dual citizenship of a developed country;
- Hold a bachelor's degree (or equivalent) earned at least 3 years prior to application deadline date;
- Have 3 years or more of paid professional experience in a development-related area after earning a bachelor's degree (or equivalent);
- Be accepted unconditionally to enroll in the upcoming academic year in one of the [JJ/WBGSP participating master's programs](#) by the application deadline date;
- Not be a World Bank Group staff member (which includes consultants) or relative of a WBG staff member.

Award:

Recipients will receive a full scholarship in development studies to one of the [JJ/WBGSP participating master's programs under Window 2](#)

Scholarship includes full tuition and mandatory fees, a monthly living stipend, round-trip airfare, and travel allowance.

Upon completion of the program, JJ/WBGSP scholars must immediately return to their home countries to apply their new skills to their countries' social and economic development.

Application Process:

Application guidelines and the complete list of selection criteria are available on the Program website: <https://www.worldbank.org/en/programs/scholarships/jj-wbgsp>

Complete applications, including the application form and two professional references, must be submitted online by **12:00pm EST on May 24, 2024** ([Window#2](#)).