

## Oifig Ionadaí na hÉireann sa Phalaistín Representative Office of Ireland in Palestine

مكتب تمثيل أيرلندا في فلسطين

Ireland-Palestine Scholarship Programme (IPSP)

The Ireland-Palestine Scholarship Programme is now accepting applications for the academic year 2022/2023, offering full scholarships for Palestinian students to study in Ireland for one year at Master's Level. The Programme provides opportunities for candidates to choose from a wide variety of courses at 25 different higher education institutions in Ireland.

- Scholarship includes tuition fees, flights, accommodation and living expenses
- Study in one of the best education systems in the world for higher education achievements
- Join the 35,000 international students from 161 countries enjoying Ireland's vibrant culture
- Live in an English-speaking country
- Experience living in one of the friendliest and safest countries in the world

To be eligible for the IPSP, applicants must:

- be a Palestinian currently resident in the occupied Palestinian territory, holding a Palestinian or Jerusalem ID;
- have identified and selected three relevant courses from the <u>Directory of Eligible Postgraduate Courses</u>;
- hold a bachelor's degree from an accredited institution with a minimum grade point average of 75% or 2.67 (or equivalent standard);
- have achieved the necessary academic standard to be accepted onto their chosen Master's degree course
  in a higher education institution in Ireland (refer to the rough table of equivalency in the Selection of
  Course Choices section of the Guidance Note & Application Form);
- be applying to commence a new qualification and not be seeking funding for a course they have already commenced or which will begin before scholarship awards have been notified;
- not already hold a qualification at Master's degree level or higher;
- be able to take up the scholarship in the academic year 2022/2023;
- submit with their application a valid English-language proficiency score report (dated September 2020 or later) with a minimum score of 6.5 on IELTS, or 550 on Institutional Testing Program (ITP), or 80 on Internet-based TOEFL (iBT). If all of the previous tests are not obtainable, students are advised to take the test by registering on Duolingo, <u>Duolingo English Test</u>. A minimum score of 110 on Duolingo is required. Please make sure to take a screenshot of the Duolingo results and attach them to the application.
- Prior professional working experience is not required.
- Female applicants are strongly encouraged to apply.

To apply: you can download the application form and the directory of eligible postgraduate courses through <a href="https://www.dfa.ie/ramallah">www.dfa.ie/ramallah</a> or <a href="https://www.amideast.org/IPSP">www.amideast.org/IPSP</a>

The closing date for receipt of applications is **15 October 2021**. Applications should be submitted with all supporting documents by hand ONLY to:

## **AMIDEAST West Bank:**

Al-Watanieh Towers, 1st floor, El-Bireh, Ramallah Tel: 02-2408023 ext. 300

## **AMIDEAST Gaza:**

Bseiso Building, 8th floor, Rimal Neighbourhood, Gaza Tel: 08-2824635 ext. 102

For more information on studying in Ireland, go to <a href="http://www.educationinireland.com/">http://www.internationalstudents.ie/</a>