

## MBA SCHOLARSHIP

## TERMS AND CONDITIONS

- 1. The Scholarship scheme is not open to employees of Edinburgh Business School, Heriot-Watt University, either of their agents, or anyone else professionally associated with the scheme.
- 2. All information detailing how to apply to the scholarship scheme forms part of these terms and conditions. Submission of an application will be taken to mean acceptance of these terms and conditions.
- 3. To be eligible to apply to the scholarship scheme, applicants should:
  - Be of any nationality.
  - Have been offered and accepted a place on the MBA Programme.
  - Complete the Edinburgh Business School Scholarship application form and submit it with two <u>written</u> references in support of the scholarship application. Ideally one should be from your current, or your most recent employer. If this is not possible, personal references are acceptable.
  - Complete, online applications must be received by midnight 1<sup>st</sup> April (For May intake) 1<sup>st</sup> August (for September intake) or 1<sup>st</sup> December (for January intake).
- 4. The judging panel will be represented by Heriot-Watt University.
- 5. Shortlisted applicants may be invited by the judges to attend a panel interview or may be required to undergo a telephone interview.
- 6. The successful applicant will have, solely in the opinion of the judges, displayed the most original and exceptional thinking. The decision of the judges is final and no correspondence will be entered into.
- 7. The successful applicant shall be notified by email and must accept the scholarship award, in writing, within one week of being notified. In the event that the scholarship is not accepted within the time frame, it will be offered to the first applicant on the reserve list.
- The successful applicant shall receive a scholarship to undertake the MBA programme at the Malaysia Campus. The scholarship amount awarded will be determined by the university and will be communicated to successful applicant via email.
- 9. The scholarship award does not cover the cost of interim award fees, examination defer or absent fees, travel, accommodation or incidental expenses.
- 10. Study will commence in September 2024, January 2025 or May 2025 and the successful applicant must attend all scheduled teaching sessions, revision seminars and sit examination at the prescribed exam sessions. Edinburgh Business School reserves the right to withdraw the scholarship, if the study schedule is not adhered to.

- 11. Progress will be reviewed after each examination result. If an examination is failed twice, Edinburgh Business School reserves the right to withdraw the remainder of the scholarship.
- 12. In the event of the successful applicant, having accepted the scholarship offer, being unable to commence the programme in September 2024, January 2025 or May 2025, Edinburgh Business School will offer the scholarship to the first applicant on the reserve list.
- 13. Should the successful applicant withdraw from the MBA programme after commencement, Edinburgh Business School reserves the right to offer the scholarship award to the first applicant on the reserve list, or to withdraw the award entirely. This decision will be dependent on how much of the scholarship award remains unused.
- 14. Scholars must agree to attend at least one MBA preview event to support the MBA programme and would agree to participate in two marketing activities, such as interviews, press releases, or other media activities a year, highlighting how the MBA and scholarship have helped them with the personal and professional development.
- 15. All elements of the scholarships are non-transferable and there are no cash alternatives.