

Guidelines for the Krystle Kabare Scholarship Programme 2023

A About the Scholarship

Before her untimely passing, Krystle was working as a Social Policy Specialist at Development Pathways in Kenya. She was passionate about improving the lives of the most vulnerable members of society, with a strong interest in promoting the rights of persons with disabilities.

As a celebration of Krystle's life, Development Pathways is awarding a Scholarship to a prospective Master's degree student, for a two-year course, within the fields of Public Health, Anthropology, Economics, Sociology, Social Statistics, or any other relevant field.

The successful Scholarship recipient may also be granted the opportunity to intern at the Development Pathways Kenya office dependent on their field of study and area of interest for the internship. This will supplement their learning by contributing to social policy initiatives in Kenya during the duration of their programme.

B Who was Krystle?

Krystle Kabare, born in 1987, was a gifted student. She excelled in her studies at both the Aga Khan Primary school and the Mt. Kenya Academy and was awarded a scholarship at Rabun Gab Nacoochee in Atlanta, Georgia (USA) for her high school education. She then went on to attain a degree in Sociology and Anthropology from Agnes Scott College in the USA before rounding out her academic achievements with a Master of Science in Peace and Development Studies in Sweden.

In her career, she worked for HelpAge International and later at Development Pathways Kenya, where she developed a passion for human rights and development while working as a Social Policy Specialist. She had a keen interest in helping persons living with disabilities and it is this interest that is the inspiration for the Krystle Kabare Scholarship.

C Scholarship Eligibility Requirements

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Scholarship eligibility:

To be considered for the Krystle Kabare Scholarship, you must:

- Be a Kenyan citizen living with a disability
- Have already attained an undergraduate Upper Second-Class Honours Degree or above
- Be proficient in spoken and written English
- Have an acceptance letter to a Master's programme at The University of Nairobi for September 2023

Applying to study a course within the fields of Public Health, Anthropology, Economics, Sociology, Social Statistics, or any other relevant field relevant to working in social policy.

The Scholarship programme does not discriminate based on age, race, colour, sex, or religion.

The Scholarship is not open to Development Pathways employees, consultants, or family members.

D How to Apply

To apply for the Krystle Kabare Scholarship, please email the following items to scholarship@developmentpathways.co.uk

- A duly filled application – the form can be found [HERE](#)
- An undergraduate certificate showing that the applicant has an Upper Second-Class degree or above.
- Proof of admission into a Master's degree programme
- Two letters of reference (at least one academic)
- Proof of Kenyan citizenship
- Certification from the National Council of Persons with Disabilities (NCPWD)

Scholarship Recipient Notification

Upon receiving confirmation, a formal acceptance via email, as well as an official certificate of good conduct from The Directorate of Criminal Investigations, will be required to confirm the Scholarship.

Due to the anticipated high volume of applications we expect to receive, we are unable to provide feedback to unsuccessful candidates.

E Guidelines

During the academic term, the candidate must meet the following rules and regulations:

- The recipient must take the full number of units per semester to qualify as a full-time Master's student.
- The recipient must enrol on time and adhere to the academic calendar, with the year commencing in September 2023.
- The recipient must maintain a mean grade of 'B' at the end of each semester.
- The recipient will be required to draft a blog/article/report on their learning experience throughout the scholarship and internship, which will be published on the Development Pathways website.
- The recipient has the opportunity to be an intern at Development Pathways Kenya, but it is dependent on the field of study and area of interest for the internship.
- If the student defers enrolment beyond one year, the Scholarship will be null and void.

Financial Commitment

The Scholarship will cover:

- Full coverage of course tuition fees, paid directly to the University
- Study-related charges (including medical, library, activity, caution fees, computer lab fees, student I.D.) up to a maximum of KES 36,025 per year
- Book allowance, up to a maximum of KES 22,000 per year
- Funds for the purchase of a computer up to a maximum of KES 60,000.
- Research and Examination allowance of up to a maximum of KES 66,000
- Certificate of good conduct of KES 1,050
- A monthly stipend of KES 10,000 for living expenses

F For More Information

For more details on the scholarship visit the website: <https://www.krystlekabarescholarship.org>

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Please do get in touch with any queries on: scholarship@developmentpathways.co.uk

