



UNDERGRADUATE

PEOPLE BEHIND IDEAS THAT WORK

CSIR BURSARY PROGRAMME 2016

Call for Applications

The Council for Scientific and Industrial Research (CSIR) is one of the leading multidisciplinary research and development organisations in Africa with a sterling and proud track record of developing 'Ideas that work' to address a wide range of challenges. With some of the best and brightest minds in the world, we provide solutions that help improve the lives of all South Africans and make a significant contribution to the global wealth of scientific knowledge.

The CSIR hereby invites bursary applications from talented young people wishing to pursue careers in science, engineering, research, technology development and innovation. The CSIR Undergraduate Bursary Programme is open to all academically qualified young people and aims to attract and increase the participation of women and black people in science, technology, engineering and mathematics (STEM) careers.

If you are a South African citizen successfully pursuing a degree in a STEM field at a South African university or a Grade 12 learner aiming to study for a degree in a STEM field in 2016, the CSIR bursary may just be for you.

This is a comprehensive bursary that covers all the costs associated with university studies for the duration of the approved degree programme. Costs include:

REGISTRATION FEES

TUITION FEES

BOOKS

ACCOMMODATION

LIVING ALLOWANCE

LAPTOP ALLOWANCE

Requirements

GRADE 12 LEARNERS:

- A minimum of a Level 5 for English First Language or a Level 4 for English Second Language in Grade 11.
- Preferably at least a Level 6 for Mathematics and Physical Science in Grade 11.

UNIVERSITY STUDENTS:

- Must have passed all courses for the study period already completed.

To apply for a bursary:

Go to www.bursary.csir.co.za to complete and submit your application or email bursaryprogramme@csir.co.za for an application form or send your application by registered mail to CSIR Bursary Office, P.O. Box 395, Pretoria 0001 or visit your nearest university.

Should you experience any problems in submitting your application, please contact the CSIR bursary office on bursaryprogramme@csir.co.za or (012) 841 3256



The CSIR is a responsible employer; we have put measures in place to ensure that equity is implemented such that it best serves the interests of the organisation and South Africa as a whole. Preference will be given to applicants from previously disadvantaged backgrounds and people living with disabilities. This speaks to the CSIR's commitment to the Employment Equity Act of 1998.



CLOSING DATE: **15 JUNE 2015**