

## **Singapore-Africa Partnership Package – MFA Postgraduate Scholarship AY2025/26**

The Singapore Cooperation Programme (SCP) is Singapore’s flagship platform to extend technical assistance to fellow developing countries.

Singapore is committed to support Africa’s development through capacity building. The “Singapore-Africa Partnership Package” (SAPP) was launched to share Singapore’s development experience and best practices in areas relevant to Africa’s development needs and priorities. The SAPP, which runs from 2022 to 2025, comprises of a) Customised Courses, b) Priority Placement in SCP Courses and c) Postgraduate Scholarships in Singapore universities.

### **Eligible Postgraduate Programmes**

Table 1

<b>School</b>	<b>Postgraduate Programme (one-year full time)</b>	<b>Eligibility</b>	<b>Programme Dates</b>	<b>Online Application Window</b>
Lee Kuan Yew School of Public Policy (LKYSPP)	Master in Public Administration (MPA) <a href="https://lkyspp.nus.edu.sg/graduate-programmes/master-in-public-administration-mpa">https://lkyspp.nus.edu.sg/graduate-programmes/master-in-public-administration-mpa</a>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- African government official with at least <b>5</b> years of working experience.</li> <li>- Assistant Director-level and above</li> <li>- Bachelor’s Degree with honours or equivalent.</li> <li>- Proficient in spoken and written English.</li> </ul>	August 2025 – June 2026 (including special term)	1 August 2024 – 31 December 2024
S Rajaratnam School of International Studies (RSIS)	Master of Science (International Relations) <a href="https://www.rsis.edu.sg/gpo/?gpo=msc_international_relations">https://www.rsis.edu.sg/gpo/?gpo=msc_international_relations</a>		August 2025 – May 2026	1 September 2024 – 30 November 2024
	Master of Science (International Political Economy) <a href="https://www.rsis.edu.sg/gpo/?gpo=msc_international_political_economy">https://www.rsis.edu.sg/gpo/?gpo=msc_international_political_economy</a>			
	Master of Science (Strategic Studies) <a href="https://www.rsis.edu.sg/gpo/?gpo=msc_strategic_studies">https://www.rsis.edu.sg/gpo/?gpo=msc_strategic_studies</a>			
National University of Singapore (NUS)	Master of Science (Environmental Management) <a href="https://scale.nus.edu.sg/programmes/graduate/msc-(environmental-management)">https://scale.nus.edu.sg/programmes/graduate/msc-(environmental-management)</a>	August 2025 – May 2026	1 October 2024 – 15 January 2025	
Nanyang Technological University (NTU)	Nanyang Fellows MBA <a href="https://www.ntu.edu.sg/business/admissions/graduate-studies/nanyang-fellows-mba/home">https://www.ntu.edu.sg/business/admissions/graduate-studies/nanyang-fellows-mba/home</a>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- African government official with at least <b>8</b> years of working experience.</li> <li>- Director-level and above</li> <li>- Bachelor’s Degree or equivalent.</li> <li>- Proficient in spoken and written English.</li> </ul>	August 2025 – May 2026	Now – 15 January 2025

## Application Timeline

Table 2

<b>Date</b>	<b>Action</b>	<b>Remarks</b>
From now until: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• 30 November 2024 for RSIS</li> <li>• 31 December 2024 for LKYSPP</li> <li>• 15 January 2025 for NUS and NTU</li> </ul>	NFPs to publicise information about the SAPP scholarship to <u>suitable</u> African government officials.  <b>Applicants to apply directly to the school</b> through the respective online portals for the selected programme of studies (one of the above six Master programmes) <b>by the respective deadlines indicated in Table 1.</b>	More information about each programme's application can be found on the respective school's websites (please refer to the links in Table 1).  The schools <b>will not</b> accept late programme applications.
By 6 January 2025	<b>Applicants to apply for the MFA postgraduate scholarship application by 6 January 2025</b> at the following URL: <a href="https://go.gov.sg/mfapostgraduate">https://go.gov.sg/mfapostgraduate</a>  <b>Applicants to also submit their CV via the URL above.</b> The CV should include the applicant's name, country, work experience (including designation, department and organisation) arranged in reverse chronological order, and a short write-up about the applicant.	SCP <b>will not</b> accept late applications for the MFA scholarship.
January – February 2025	SCP to send the list of applicants to the respective NFPs for endorsement.	In between the submission of application forms and the announcement of the scholarship outcome, SCP may request the applicants to submit additional information or to participate in online selection interviews.
June 2025	SCP to inform NFPs and applicants on the outcome of scholarship applications.	Only successful applicants will be notified.

## Terms of Scholarship

- Programme fees
- Return-trip airfare
- Single-room accommodation at university's housing
- Monthly stipend

### **Important Points to Note**

- Applicants must qualify for the Master programme on their own merit.
- Due to the limited number of scholarships, **acceptance into the programme of study does not guarantee the award of scholarship.**
- Late application will not be considered, and only shortlisted applicants will be notified.
- Please direct any queries on the SAPP scholarship to the following email address: [mfa\\_scp@mfa.gov.sg](mailto:mfa_scp@mfa.gov.sg) with the subject line: **“SAPP scholarship query”**.