



The Ann Browne Masters Scholarship in Conflict Transformation and Social Justice

Ann Browne was born October 18, 1949 in Strabane, Northern Ireland, and died of cancer on January 29, 2000. She read Spanish at Queen's University Belfast in the 1970s and took an MA at London's Institute of Latin American Studies, before visiting Latin America. She was inspired by Latin American Literature and the Northern Ireland civil rights movements. She fought for the rights of Latin American miners, was a Trade Unionist, and supported Chilean refugees. She moved to Brussels, where she died in 2000.

To honour her memory and spirit the Browne family set up the **Ann Browne Masters Scholarship in Conflict Transformation and Social Justice** to commemorate her life and work.

One Scholarship award is available for academic year 2020-21 and covers tuition fees.

Eligibility

This Scholarship award is open to UK, Ireland and EU students (as determined by fee status) who have applied and gained a place on the MA Conflict Transformation and Social Justice. Students from outwith these countries are not eligible to apply.

You must have already been offered a place on the [MA Conflict Transformation and Social Justice](#) degree programme. If you have not already applied for the course, you can apply through the Applications Portal [here](#).

How to apply

To apply for this Scholarship you must:

- Complete all sections of the Application Form.
- Submit an essay no more than 350 words explaining how studying the MA in Conflict Transformation and Social Justice will further your personal contribution to conflict transformation or social justice
- Submit your CV (2 pages max)
- Include your PGT Application Number on all documents

Deadline for applications

Send your completed form, essay and CV by email to mitchell.institute@gub.ac.uk by **Friday 7 August 2020**.

Application review process

The Mitchell Institute Scholarship Review Committee will review all applications. In reviewing applications, the Committee will consider the ways in which applicant's interests and activities relate to Ann Browne's achievements, and her legacy.

The award of the Scholarship will be based on the following criteria for the applicant:

- Academic interests
- Personal development
- Personal achievement
- Comparative interests
- Knowledge of the field and originality of the essay outlining future plans

The Committee will put forward their recommendations to the Director of the Institute, who will then inform the successful applicant by email by **Friday 28 August 2020**.

Application notes

- This scholarship award is available for UK/Ireland/EU candidates only (as determined by fee status) for study in academic year 2020-21
- Candidates must be classified as full-time students for fee purposes.
- Candidates must have been offered a place for the full-time postgraduate degree programme in Conflict Transformation and Social Justice, commencing in September 2020.
- The Scholarship is open to candidates enrolling in September 2020, is non-transferable and cannot be deferred.
- The scholarship will be applied as a tuition fee waiver for 2020-21.
- The scholarship will be deducted from the tuition fee payable to Queen's University Belfast, upon enrolment in September 2020.
- The University reserves the right to vary all or any scholarship awards and regulations at its sole discretion.
- If there are no suitable applicants, then the Institute reserves the right to withhold the scholarship.
- The University may publish the names of the successful applicants within the University and externally on the University website.
- Incomplete applications will not be considered

For further information, please contact **Prof Hastings Donnan**, Institute Director, by email at mitchell.institute@qub.ac.uk