

THE CLINTON SCHOLARSHIP FUND INFORMATION SESSION

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ACCESS FUNDING TO STUDY IN
THE USA THROUGH THE NEW
CLINTON SCHOLARSHIP FUND.



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**CAREERS,
EMPLOYABILITY
AND SKILLS**

The Clinton Scholarship Fund

- Eligibility
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Eligibility

To be eligible you must:

- FT UG student (Inc Integrated Masters degrees e.g. MSci or MEng)
- be a year 1, 2 or a penultimate year student (**Current Final year students are not eligible to apply**)
- be 'ordinarily' a resident of Northern Ireland and qualify for NI Fee status
- not previously received an International Mobility Grant for a study or work placement abroad or participated on a funded international opportunity through Queen's Global Opportunities Team e.g. Queen's Global Leadership Programme, Utrecht Summer School

In addition, applicants must meet at least one of the following eligibility criteria:

- Be a participant on the Queen's Pathways Programme
- be a participant on the Queen's Senior Academy Programme
- have an annual household income of £25,000 or less
- Care Experienced: Queen's University define care experienced as any student who has been or is currently in care or from a looked after background for period of three months or more at any age

Why are we offering this opportunity?

- Launched in April 2023
- Ensure International mobility is more accessible for local students
- Develop Queen's students as Global Citizens- Queen's Strategy 2030
- Student Employability from a Global Perspective
- Cultural Awareness
- Global Networking
- Enhancing your student experience

The Clinton Career Insights Programme (Strand 2)

- International Career Development Programme
- On campus workshops, events and speakers (outside of teaching time)
 - 25 & 26 March 2026 (1st week of Easter break)
 - 1 & 2 June 2026 (After exams)
- 1-week visit to a US City to meet Queen's Alumni, International Organisations and Senior leaders (New York in August 2026)
 - Saturday 29 August- Sunday 6 September 2026 (am)
- Team Projects (Professional & Cultural)



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The Clinton Career Insights Programme (Strand 2)

- Networking events
- 15 Undergraduate students (Open to all subject areas & 1st to penultimate year)
- Funded (Includes: Flights, accommodation, airport transfers, some meals, travel card etc.)
- Applications close Friday 30 January (12 noon)



Costs

- Strand 2: The Clinton Career Insights Programme includes:
 - Return Flights
 - Accommodation- hotel/ shared room
 - Airport transfers & 7-day city travel card
 - Visa
 - Insurance
 - Breakfast
 - Students cover some meals & sightseeing expenses



Application Tips

This a competitive application process, revolving around motivation, reflection and eligibility for the programme.

- Review the eligibility criteria
- Do your research
- Read each question attentively and in its entirety
- Ensure that your answer covers all aspects of the question
- Be mindful of the word count, but use it
- Focus on your motivations and future plans
- Be specific



Questions?