

2021 EXTERNAL BURSARY PROGRAMME FOR UNDER - GRADUATE STUDIES

The Head of Department of the Gauteng Provincial Department of Human Settlements hereby invites admitted under-graduate students to apply for bursaries to undertake full-time studies in the 2021 academic year. The Department of Human Settlements is offering **limited number of bursaries** to full-time 1st-year students pursuing under-graduate studies in the following fields:

- **Information and Communication Technology**
- **Civil Engineering**
- **Construction Management**

BURSARY COVERS: Tuition and registration fees, student accommodation, prescribed books and/or study material for the 2021 academic year.

REQUIREMENTS: Applicants must be South African citizens between the ages of 18 and 35, completed grade 12, applicants must reside in Gauteng, already registered or in possession of admission letter from an Institution of Higher Learning within Gauteng Province.

INSTRUCTIONS: Selection of successful candidates will be strictly based on academic merit. Applicants are expected to study at an accredited South African tertiary institution within Gauteng. It is the student's responsibility to seek/obtain admission with a tertiary institution. The bursary is for under-graduate qualifications of no less than 360 NQF Credits. Successful candidates will be required to enter into a Bursary Contract. Applicants should not hold concurrent bursaries or financial study assistance from other organizations/institutions. Therefore, preference will be given to candidates from **disadvantaged backgrounds** – e.g. attended Township School, house hold **income of R 3 500 or less and so forth**. Late or incomplete applications will not be considered. Failure to provide any of the required documents in a manner that is prescribed will result in disqualification of the application and as such deemed non-responsive.

NOTES: Applications must be in an envelope clearly marked APPLICATION FOR GDHS EXTERNAL BURSARY PROGRAMME 2021, indicate the field applying for. Pre-selected applicants will be required to provide parents'/guardians proof of income. Bursary application forms are available from: Reception Areas, Ground Floors in the following offices:

- No. 11 Diagonal street, JHB, Department of Housing (Blue glass building). No. 129 Fox Street, JHB, Gauteng Rental Housing Tribunal.
- No. 56 Corner Kruger & Burger Street, Krugersdorp.
- No. 50 Hamilton Street, Arcadia, Gauteng Dept of Human Settlement Tshwane. No. 68 Voortrekker Road, Nevada Building, Alberton.
- No. 01 Loch Street, Department of Human Settlement, Meyerton

Certified copies of the following must accompany applications: Most recent academic record. South African Identity Document. Proof of residency in Gauteng (Statement of Water and Lights, Rates and Taxes). Proof of income (or an affidavit stating that parent/s or guardian are unemployed), Copy of the parent/s or guardian bank statement Completed application forms can be hand delivered Department of Human Settlements and Regional Offices mentioned. **Applications can be e-mailed to the address below; only completed applications and certified copies will be considered.**

PEOPLE WITH DISABILITY ARE ENCOURAGED TO APPLY.

ENQUIRIES: Mr P. Mlaba OR Mr P. Mukumela, Tel. No. 082 601 7471 / 082 562 4641
nkosana.mlaba@gauteng.gov.za or philemon.mukumela@gauteng.gov.za

Email: GDHSbursaryapplications@gauteng.gov.za

CLOSING DATE: **25 March 2021**

Due to the large number of applications we envisage receiving, only successful applicants will be contacted.

