

Summer@King's Scholarship with UNHCR

King's College London is offering **10** tuition fee scholarships to forced migrant* students to study on one of the following online summer programmes running throughout July and August 2021:

- **2021 Undergraduate Online Summer School:** for current university students and graduates. Our undergraduate summer school offers a wide range of subject areas and skills from across King's faculties and areas of expertise, whether you're interested in exploring a new subject, building your CV, expanding your existing knowledge, earning academic credit, or developing your life and career skills.
- **2021 Pre-University Online Summer School:** intensive academic experiences for high school students interested in exploring a subject at undergraduate level, to prepare for their university future. These programmes combine academic classes, project work, university preparation advice and skill-building sessions, and the opportunity to meet with current King's students will give you a real insight into what it's like to study at university and in London.

All our summer programmes give students the opportunity to experience world-class teaching from experts in their fields and to connect with fellow students around the world and with Higher Education in the UK.

In 2021, our summer programmes will be delivered online. Studying online at King's is about more than just lecture streaming. Our online programmes are developed around best practices in digital education, student feedback and daily interaction between students and our faculty.

And that's not all! The Summer Society offers students additional events and activities outside of their academic study.

You can find details on each programme, eligibility and how to apply below.

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*We use the term 'forced migrant' as an umbrella term for the following immigration backgrounds:

- **Asylum seeker** is someone who has lodged an application for protection on the basis of the Refugee Convention or Article 3 of the ECHR
- **Refugee** is a former asylum seeker person who has been granted refuge in a country other than their home country. They have been able to prove that if they are returned home, they will be prosecuted because of their race, religion, nationality, social group or political opinion.
- **Humanitarian Protection** is given to people, if sent back, would face punishment due to a previously not mentioned case.
- **Unaccompanied Asylum Seeking Child** status is given in unique cases for children arriving to the country separated from their parents, for a limited period of time, usually until they turn 17.5.
- **Limited Leave to Remain** (previously Discretionary Leave to Remain) is given for applicants with unique cases to remain in the UK for a limited period of time
- **Long Residence Status** can be granted in case of demonstrating continuous residency in the UK for several years (sufficient length depends on age)

Undergraduate Summer School

The Undergraduate Online Summer School is an academically intensive, exciting 3-week programme and there are a wide range of [modules available](#). The modules take place during the day each weekday, between Monday 28 June – Friday 16 July (session 1) or Monday 19 July – Friday 6 August (session 2)

The scholarship covers the full programme tuition fee of £1,890 and the application deadline is 14 June 2021.

Who is eligible?

We are looking for excellent candidates who are passionate about thinking, learning and communicating, and keen on taking a first step back into education.

Eligible students must:

- Fulfil our standard Undergraduate Summer School admissions criteria with qualifications allowing them to study at university and offer English at level C1 in the CEFR. Full details of our entry requirements can be found [here](#). If you are unable to provide the relevant documents please contact summer@kcl.ac.uk for advice.
- Be able to provide clear documentation of their status in line with the list of immigration backgrounds listed above.

How to apply

- Complete your application for the Undergraduate Summer School via the [King's Apply](#) portal. For details on how to submit your Summer School application, please follow the instructions in our [King's Apply guidelines](#).

You must also include the following:

1. Include the statement “**I am applying for a Summer@King's Scholarship with UNHCR**” at the top of the Personal Statement section of the application.
2. Write and upload a personal statement (maximum 500 words) in the Personal Statement section. The statement should outline the reasons why you would like to attend the Undergraduate King's Summer School and how this will fit in with your wider plans for education and/or your career.
3. Upload clear documentation of your forced migrant status.

Pre-University Summer School

The Pre-University Summer School is a 2-week programme designed to help students try out a chosen course at undergraduate level. It is open to students who are about to start or who are enrolled in their final two years of high school or college, who are typically aged 16-18.

Teaching takes place during the day each weekday, between Monday 5 July – Friday 16 July (session 1) or Monday 26 July – Friday 6 August (session 2)

The list of courses available can be found [here](#).

The scholarship covers the tuition fee of £2050 and the application deadline is 14 June 2021.

Who is eligible?

We are looking for excellent candidates who are passionate about thinking, learning and communicating, and keen on taking a first step into higher education.

Eligible students must:

- Fulfil our standard Pre-University Summer School admissions criteria and offer English at level B2 of the CEFR. They must also be aged 16 by the 1st September 2021. Full details of our entry requirements can be found [here](#). If you are unable to provide the relevant documents please contact summer@kcl.ac.uk for advice.
- Be able to provide clear documentation of their status in line with the list of immigration backgrounds listed above.

How to apply

- Complete your application for the Pre-University Summer School programme via the [King's Apply](#) portal. For details on how to submit your Summer School application, please follow the instructions in our [Pre-University application guidelines](#)

You must also include the following:

1. Include the statement **"I am applying for a Summer@King's Scholarship with UNHCR"** at the top of the Personal Statement section of the application.
2. Write and upload a personal statement (maximum 500 words) in the Personal Statement section. The statement should outline the reasons why you would like to attend the Pre-University Summer School and how this will fit in with your wider plans for education and/or your career.
3. Upload clear documentation of your forced migrant status.

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Successful applicants will be notified in the week commencing **21 June 2021**. Unsuccessful applicants may request feedback by emailing summer@kcl.ac.uk

Please note: Scholarship recipients may be asked to contribute to the wider publicity of this opportunity in future years. We will on request obscure your identity.