



Accelerate Scholarship



Introducing Accelerate by Trade Finance Global

If you are considering starting or mid-way through a degree related to economics, politics, international trade or trade finance and interested in raising your profile, trade knowledge and gaining some experience in the international markets, then this £500 scholarship may be for you.

Accelerate

By Trade Finance Global

The TFG Accelerate Scholarship offers successful applicants a grant of £500 to contribute towards academic studies in a certain number of disciplines related to international trade.

The Scholarship also provides the chance of a 5 week Trade Finance e-learning programme, where students will gain access to our premium International Trade and Finance e-modules and a real experience of working in international trade. This will help improve their understanding of the complexities and structures of trade finance, and put them in good stead for a career in the financial sector.





What's in it for you?



Funding

Receive a £500 Scholarship Grant towards your academic studies



Networking

The opportunity to work with the experts in financial technology, commodities, and commercial finance



Learning and Development

Participate in a 5-week Trade Finance e-learning programme, which can be done alongside studies



Reputation

Boost your professional reputation and credibility as a recipient of the Accelerate Scholarship



Eligibility

You can apply for a TFG Accelerate scholarship if you are over 18 and can demonstrate that you have the potential to succeed within your chosen career.

This scholarship is International - so you can apply from any jurisdiction.

The courses which are eligible for funding include:

- International Trade
- Finance
- Politics
- Economics
- Maritime and Logistics
- Shipping

Application

There is a two stage application process for the award. After the initial screening (to ensure you are eligible), TFG will ask applicants to write a report or article on a topic of their choice within the sector. The winner will be awarded a £500 Accelerate Scholarship



Screening

Initial Screening Application (to assess participant eligibility)



Application

Invitation to Apply by submitting literature review / short journal



Judging

TFG Panel will screen successful applicants, and contact winners



Scholarship Awarded

Winner will be contacted and grant awarded, published on website

About the Scheme

The Accelerate Scholarship is organised by Trade Finance Global (TFG) and was initiated in 2018 to address the trade finance gap, due to a lack of suitably skilled and qualified specialists in the sector - in a challenging time of reduced global trade, a significant shortfall in skilled entrants in the shipping and marine space, and general confusion around the trade finance market. The scheme aims to help motivated students get ahead in their career by placing them in good stead with employers.



FAQs

What is the purpose of the TFG Accelerate Scholarship?

Trade Finance Global are one of the largest information providers on international trade and structured finance. Given the global shortage of trade finance experts and increasing skills gap within the maritime and shipping space, TFG are awarding the Accelerate Scholarship to eligible students.

Do I have to pay to enter or apply for the TFG Accelerate Scholarship?

No. TFG do not charge for applications.

What information do you require for the initial screening and why?

TFG need to validate that students are eligible for the scholarship - so proof of enrollment to an education institution, proof of age and identity will be required.

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Who are Trade Finance Global?

TFG are experts in structured trade finance, helping companies to trade, import or export goods and services.

We have a network of over 270 banks, funds and alternative lenders across different geographies, allowing us to help almost any trading company to access finance.



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Entry Rules

1. This competition is run by TFG Finance Limited (“Trade Finance Global”, “TFG”, “we” or “our”) and is open to UK residents aged 18+ who submit an application to the TFG competition page. Doing so will give you the opportunity to win the prize as described on the scholarship page.
2. Your participation in this competition is at your sole option and risk. No purchase is required to enter.
3. By entering this competition you agree to be bound by these terms and conditions.
4. You may not participate if you are a TFG employee, agent or employee or agent of a TFG affiliate company, or a family relation of any such employee or agent.
5. You may not enter this competition more than once and you are only eligible to win one (1) prize. We reserve the right to disqualify anyone ignoring this rule.
6. The competition opens on 1st April 2018 at Midday UK time. You must submit your entry by 23:59am UK time on 31st May] 2018.
7. Information submitted in this competition must not be abusive, offensive or defamatory. We will put through any relevant photo for voting but reserve the right to refuse irrelevant information as determined at TFG’s sole discretion.
8. TFG cannot accept any responsibility for any technical failure or problem which may result in any entry being lost or not being properly registered.
9. TFG will only cancel, suspend, or amend the competition if required to do so for legal, regulatory or security reasons.
10. All valid entries will be assessed by a panel constituting TFG staff and an independent judge. The panel will award points for originality, inspiration and interest and a winner will be chosen on this basis. The decision of the panel will be final and no correspondence will be entered into regarding that decision.
11. We reserve the right to substitute the prize for an appropriate alternative.
12. The winner will be contacted by email by Midday UK time on 16th June 2018.
13. The winner must confirm their acceptance of the prize by replying to our private Twitter message or email with their name, email address and telephone number.
14. If the prize remains unclaimed after five (5) days, we reserve the right to select an alternative winner.
15. The winner will receive their prize within thirty (30) days after claiming their prize.
16. TFG will use the winner’s Twitter handle when announcing the winner and you agree that your name may be announced on TFG social media for publicity purposes.
17. These terms and conditions are governed by the laws of England and Wales whose courts shall have exclusive jurisdiction.