

THE FREDERICK & SANNA MURRAY DOUGLASS & SCHOLARSHIP

Honouring a legacy of leadership and activism



Funding opportunities for eligible US applicants

UNIVERSITY OF THE WEST OF SCOTLAND (UWS) OFFERS AN EXCITING SCHOLARSHIP OPPORTUNITY FOR APPLICANTS FROM THE UNITED STATES.

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The Frederick and Anna Murray Douglass Scholarship at UWS commemorates the enduring legacy of two remarkable individuals whose courage, resilience, and dedication to social justice continue to inspire generations. Established to honour the contributions of Frederick Douglass and his wife Anna Murray Douglass, this scholarship seeks to empower promising students who embody their spirit of leadership, activism, and commitment to positive change.



This fund provides a full-fees postgraduate scholarship to applicants who belong to an underrepresented racial or ethnic minority group. For our intake in September 2025, we are delighted to offer opportunities for application for postgraduate study across our School of Business and Creative Industries; School of Computing, Engineering and Physical Sciences; School of Education and Social Sciences; and School of Health and Life Sciences.

WHO WERE FREDERICK AND ANNA MURRAY DOUGLASS?

Frederick Douglass, born into slavery in 1818, rose to become one of the most influential figures in American history. A renowned abolitionist, author, and statesman, Douglass tirelessly fought against slavery and championed civil rights for all people. His wife, Anna Murray Douglass, played a pivotal role in his life, offering unwavering support and encouragement as he pursued their mission of freedom and equality.

ELIGIBILITY CRITERIA

UWS has a proud tradition of, and is committed to, widening participation in education.

- Open to US citizens who wish to undertake postgraduate study with UWS
- Applicants should belong to an underrepresented racial or ethnic minority group

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For more information, or to register interest for the Frederick and Anna Murray Douglass Scholarship, scan the QR code opposite:

Completed applications for Term 1 (September 2025) postgraduate degree study with UWS must be submitted before 23:59 (GMT), 16 June 2025 to be considered for this scholarship.

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