



THE UNIVERSITY OF THE WEST INDIES

School for Graduate Studies and Research

ADVERTISEMENT FOR THE:

KAMAU BRATHWAITE POSTGRADUATE BURSARY 2023-2024

Faculty & Dept.	Humanities and Education: Department of Literary, Cultural and Communication Studies
For: Taught Degree Programmes in LCCS Dept only	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• MA Communication Studies,• MA Literatures in English and• MFA Creative Writing students only
Commencement of Award	This award is being offered with effect from Semester 1 2023-2024 academic year i.e. students will be offered for this award with effect from September 2023.
Value of the award	The value of each award is TT\$6,000.00. <ul style="list-style-type: none">• One (1) Bursary for MA Communication Studies• One (1) Bursary for MA Literatures in English• One (1) Bursary for the MFA Creative Writing This Bursary is for one year only and it is not renewable
Bursary covers:	Tuition, compulsory fees and books
Eligibility /Criteria	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• This Bursary is open only to new (first time) local and regional students pursuing the MA Communication Studies, MA Literatures in English or MFA Creative Writing degree programmes. New (first time) MA or MFA candidates must have submitted a degree application for entry into the degree programme with effect from September 2023.• Students who are completing their final year of their undergraduate degree and commencing their postgraduate degree in September 2023 are eligible to apply for the Bursary.• Both full-time and part-time students are eligible to apply.• This Bursary is tenable only at the St. Augustine campus of The University of the West Indies and will be awarded for only one (1) academic year. The Bursary is not renewable.• Applicants accepted into the degree programme as a Qualifying student are not eligible for this Bursary• Applicants are required to:<ul style="list-style-type: none">○ complete an application form for this Bursary (see below)○ attach a copy of the confirmation receipt as evidence of the submitted degree application for commencement of their MA or MFA degree with effect from September 2023.○ should possess at least a Lower Second Class Honours○ submit their student undergraduate and or postgraduate(where applicable) transcript(s)○ Curriculum Vitae○ evidence of financial need (job letter from employment/parent's employment)
Submission of Forms and Supporting documents	Kindly submit the completed (signed) application forms and supporting documents via email on or before October 20, 2023 to pgscholarships@sta.uwi.edu . Should the documents exceed 5MB, kindly forward your documents to pgscholarships@sta.uwi.edu via a google link. NB: All documents are to be submitted altogether by the deadline date. Incomplete application/applications missing documents will not be considered resulting in your application becoming null and void.

APPLICATION FOR THE KAMAU BRATHWAITE POSTGRADUATE BURSARY

INSTRUCTIONS TO APPLICANTS: Completed signed application forms and supporting documents are to be submitted via email to pgscholarships@sta.uwi.edu

Name of Applicant _____ Student I.D. Number (if UWI Student) _____

(Surname) **BLOCK LETTERS** (First Names) (Middle Name)

Mr. Ms. Mrs. Other: _____ Male Female

Mailing Address: _____

Date of Birth: _____ Telephone contact/s: _____

Email(s): _____ Full-time Part-time

Faculty in which you are **registered:** _____

Department _____ Date of First Registration: _____

Degree (Please tick): MA MFA _____

Title of Degree: _____

UNDERGRADUATE DEGREE

Name of University: _____

Degree and Major: _____ Date of Award: _____

Class of Degree or GPA: _____

GRADUATE DEGREE

Name of University: _____

Degree and Title: _____ Date of Award: _____

Field of Research/Title of Thesis: _____

ARE YOU EMPLOYED? Yes No If yes, please provide details:

List of Publications if applicable (Attach an additional page if necessary):

AREA OF PROPOSED RESEARCH PROJECT FOR THIS DEGREE PROGRAMME: (Attach additional pages if necessary)
Research Proposal Format (see link) http://sta.uwi.edu/resources/documents/postgrad/Research_Proposal_Format.docx

DECLARATION OF APPLICANT / STUDENT

I certify that the information stated above is correct and I declare that I am willing to abide by the Regulations of The University of the West Indies and the Sponsors of this Bursary.

Applicant's Name (CAPITAL LETTERS)

Applicant's Signature

Date