

NN Future Matters Scholarship

Format motivation letter

Your motivation letter forms an important part of your scholarship application. It will have a central part in the assessment and selection phase. Please tell us why you are applying for the scholarship and why you should be selected.

Also tell us how you are planning to finance your studies as stated in the format below.

Motivation

Your motivation letter must address **all** of the following questions:

- a) What is the educational background of your family?
Please explain if you meet the criteria 'first-generation academic, i.e. your parents/guardians don't have a bachelor's degree'.
- b) Why do you need financial support to follow the master's degree programme?
- c) What do you want to contribute to society in the near future?
- d) How will the Master's programme and the scholarship help you achieve this?
- e) Why did you choose this Dutch institution and why did you choose the Netherlands?
- f) Why do you think it's important to have a mentor during your study period?

Finances

Please specify in the table below your expected study and living expenses and income.

Expenses	Amount in EUR	Income	Amount in EUR
tuition fee		contribution parents	
application fee		savings	
travel costs		NN Future Matters scholarship	
housing costs		loan	
food, etc.		other scholarships	
study material		other income	
other costs			
Total		Total	

Give details on 'other costs' and 'other income' (if applicable).

Other costs	
Other income	

What other scholarships have you applied for? (specify each individual scholarship)

Name of scholarship programme	When will you know if you will get the scholarship?	Amount