



Ministry of Finance and Public Service

Cuba/Jamaica Bilateral Scholarship 2025-2026

The Government of Cuba invites applications from interested persons wishing to pursue **Undergraduate** and **Postgraduate** studies in Cuba under the Bilateral Scholarship Programme commencing **September 2025**

DISCIPLINES

- **seven (7)** scholarships to pursue Medicine Studies
- **four (4)** scholarships to pursue bachelor's degrees in Health Technologies
- **one (1)** scholarship to pursue Health Technologies Studies (2-3 years)
- **two (2)** scholarships to pursue postgraduate medical studies **only** for graduates from Cuban medical schools
- **three (3)** scholarship to pursue studies in degree courses associated with the Ministry of Higher Education of Cuba
(see annex for specialized areas)

ELIGIBILITY

Candidates for Undergraduate studies:

- Be Jamaican under the age of 25 years old (**only undergraduate specialties**)
- Have completed sixth form
- Have at least two {2} "A" Levels or CAPE Units I & II in Biology, Chemistry and Physics (**for medicine studies only**)
- Have English at least at the CSEC level
- Submit certified copies of academic certificates and transcript, **school record, school leaving certificate**
- **Personal Letter of Request indicating community involvement and leadership**
- **2 References, School or Community Leader**
- Submit a certified copy of Birth Certificate & TRN
- Submit certificated copy of pages of national passport
{Passport should not expire before April 30, 2032 }

Candidates for Postgraduate studies:

- Be Jamaicans under the age of 35
- Have a Degree in General Medicine from a University in Cuba **and be interested in specializing in the indicated areas.**
- Submit certified copies of academic certificates and transcripts
- Submit a certified copy of Birth Certificate & TRN
- Submit certificated copy of pages of national passport
{Passport should not expire before April 30, 2032 }

BENEFITS

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| • Tuition | • Meals | Airfare (To & From Cuba) |
| • Accommodation | • Study materials | |
| • Stipend | • Medical Insurance | |

OBLIGATION

Successful candidates will be required to :

- Supplement at least **one year** allowance for preparatory year
- Sign a bond agreement at the Ministry of Finance and the Public Service prior to departure
- Agree to return to work in Jamaica for at least five (5) years to contribute to economic and social development of the country

APPLICATION PROCEDURE

Applications must be done online via the Ministry's website at www.mof.gov.jm/scholarships

Instructions to Apply:

Download and complete application form then

Create user profile via www.mof.gov.jm/scholarships to upload application completed form and complete the scholarship application process

A printed copy of the completed application and supporting documents must be submitted to the Strategic Workforce Planning & Improvement Branch via the Customer Service Desk

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Email: scholarships@mof.gov.jm

**CLOSING DATE FOR APPLICATIONS:
MONDAY MARCH 3, 2025 AT 2:00 PM**

WE THANK ALL APPLICANTS FOR THEIR INTEREST. HOWEVER, APPLICATIONS PRESENTED AFTER THE DEADLINE WILL NOT BE ACCEPTED AND ONLY SHORTLISTED APPLICANTS WILL BE CONTACTED