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ISTAC SEJAHTERA SCHOLARSHIP  
AND FINANCIAL ASSISTANTSHIP  
(ISSFA)

ISTAC-IIUM is pleased to announce that **ISTAC SEJAHTERA SCHOLARSHIP AND FINANCIAL ASSISTANTSHIP (ISSFA) PROGRAMME** is now opened for application for Semester 2, 2021/2022.

Potential candidates will be selected from applicants fulfilling the following criteria:

TYPE OF SCHOLARSHIP	MASTER OF ISLAMIC THOUGHT AND CIVILISATION	PHD IN ISLAMIC THOUGHT AND CIVILISATION
VALUE OF SCHOLARSHIPS	<p>Each scholarship consists of:-</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Entrance Fee</li> <li>Tuition fees</li> <li>Recurrent fees</li> <li>Evaluation Fees</li> <li>Hostel fees</li> <li>Allowance</li> </ol> <p>* ISTAC reserves the rights to review the value of awards at any time (and if such changes are made, the value of scholarship will be changed and the effective date will be informed to the successful candidates).</p>	<p>Each scholarship consists of:-</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Entrance Fee</li> <li>Tuition fees</li> <li>Recurrent fees</li> <li>Evaluation Fees</li> <li>Hostel fees</li> <li>Allowance</li> </ol> <p>* ISTAC reserves the rights to review the value of awards at any time (and if such changes are made, the value of scholarship will be changed and the effective date will be informed to the successful candidates).</p>
PERIOD OF SCHOLARSHIP	One (1) year subject to renewal up to one year	One (1) year subject to renewal up to two years
CRITERIA OF SELECTION	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Obtained Full Offer to ISTAC-IIUM Master programme</li> <li>Currently not receiving any other scholarship</li> <li>Bachelor with CGPA of 3.5 or above</li> <li>Priority will be given to research related to ISTAC niche areas as follows:</li> </ol>	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Obtained <b>Full Offer</b> to ISTAC-IIUM PhD programme</li> <li>Currently not receiving any other scholarship</li> <li>Minimum master CGPA of 3.5 (on a 4.0 scale) OR 85% (on a 100%-point scale), or pass with distinction or its equivalent</li> <li>Good track record in journal publications</li> </ol>

	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <i>Islamic Thought, Civilisation and Sustainable Development</i></li> <li>• <i>Religious and Comparative Civilisational Studies</i></li> <li>• <i>Epistemology, Spirituality and Intellectuality in Islamic Civilisation</i></li> <li>• <i>Malay-Islamic Civilisation and the Modern World</i></li> <li>• <i>Islam, Family and Gender Studies</i></li> <li>• <i>Peace and Security Studies from a Civilisational Perspective</i></li> </ul>	<p>v. Priority will be given to research related to ISTAC niche areas as follows:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <i>Islamic Thought, Civilisation and Sustainable Development</i></li> <li>• <i>Religious and Comparative Civilisational Studies</i></li> <li>• <i>Epistemology, Spirituality and Intellectuality in Islamic Civilisation</i></li> <li>• <i>Malay-Islamic Civilisation and the Modern World</i></li> <li>• <i>Islam, Family and Gender Studies</i></li> <li>• <i>Peace and Security Studies from a Civilisational Perspective</i></li> </ul>
<p><b>ADDITIONAL REQUIREMENTS TO BE FULFILLED</b></p> <p><b>(AFTER BEING APPROVED FOR THE SCHOLARSHIP)</b></p>	<p>i. Must maintain good performance throughout the study period</p> <p>ii. Produce at least 2 academic publications</p> <p>iii. Actively participating in ISTAC's activities</p> <p>iv. Recipients must graduate within normal study period, i.e. 4 SEMESTERS from date approved for scholarship.</p> <p>v. No disciplinary action during the study period</p>	<p>i. Must maintain good performance throughout the study period</p> <p>ii. Produce at least 2 academic publications</p> <p>iii. Actively participating in ISTAC-IIUM activities</p> <p>iv. Recipients must graduate within 3 YEARS from date approved for scholarship.</p> <p>v. No disciplinary action during the study period</p>
<p><b>APPROVAL</b></p>	<p>By ISTAC's Scholarship and Assistantship committee</p>	<p>By ISTAC's Scholarship and Assistantship committee</p>

**Important Notes**

- i. An interview session will be conducted with shortlisted candidates only.
- ii. Having fulfilled all the above criteria, priority is given to needy candidates.
- iii. Scholarship recipients must maintain the additional requirements listed above, failing which would result in revocation of the scholarship.

### **How to Apply and Submit Application**

- i. Fill in the application form. Submit the scanned copy of the duly completed form and supporting documents to [irosliza@iium.edu.my](mailto:irosliza@iium.edu.my) or [azmy@iium.edu.my](mailto:azmy@iium.edu.my).
- ii. Successful submission will be acknowledged with a reply email from the Secretariat.
- iii. All interested applicants are advised to read and understand the selection criteria before submitting their application forms to the secretariat.
- iv. Please obtain the necessary signature, stamp or approval from the relevant authorities.
- v. All completed form and supporting documents must be scanned in pdf version and send in one compressed folder.
- vi. For easy identification, please name/save the folder as follows:- Name and Matric No. e.g. SAKINAH AHMAD G192672.