



Fellowship
Programme

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**Nothing is as mediocre as only
working twice as hard.**

Dear Student

On behalf of all of us at Absa, we would like to congratulate you on being provisionally accepted to the University of Stellenbosch. We know that 2020 has not been an easy year for our matriculants, and the fact that you go for better than good enough shows us that you've got what it takes to make ground-breaking happen.

As such, we would like to provide you with an opportunity to apply for the Absa Fellowship Programme. This Programme is aimed at supporting the ambitions of aspiring SA youth through a specially curated leadership development programme developed by Absa. Here, we are looking to fund the tertiary education of individuals who excel and demonstrate extraordinary leadership capabilities within their relevant communities and who are willing (and ready) to be a catalyst for change.

We ultimately want to prepare you for the demands of the fourth industrial revolution and equip you with the leadership skill required to achieve impact within your country, and Africa.

First years studying towards a degree in Science, Technology, Engineering, Creative Arts, Mathematics, Humanities & Data/Digital Design (click here for full list) are eligible to apply.

Selected Fellows will receive:

- Full tuition
- Funds for accommodation
- A laptop
- Textbooks and educational equipment
- Meal allowance
- A monthly stipend
- A coveted spot in our leadership development programme for the duration of your studies

Benefits:

- You are not required to work or pay funds back - you just need to maintain a satisfactory academic performance and conduct for each year of study, and an active participation level in prescribed leadership programme activities
- Access to emotional and academic wellness support structures

- Becoming an Absa Fellows - for life

Not only will you receive an academic degree, but the Programme will also enable you to build a strong peer and alumni network, succeed within your respective field, effect positive change and 'pay it forward' wherever possible.

We believe that when potential meets opportunity, we achieve greatness, that's why we nurture talent and cultivate an environment where students outdo the standard to revolutionise the norm.

Your race begins at the finish line.
Apply now

Have any questions? Copy and paste this link to find out more about the application criteria and process:
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Kind Regards
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