Funding sources for masters degrees

The Dan Walker Journalism Scholarship

Degree course: MA Broadcast Journalism  
Students: UK and European Union  
Value: £10,000  
Deadline: tbc

As well as £10,000 in funding, the scholarship includes personal mentoring from the BBC's Dan Walker, who completed our Broadcast course to prepare for his career in journalism. The award is open to high-achieving students and those from social groups that are underrepresented in higher education.

www.sheffield.ac.uk/journalism/masters/funding/dan-walker-scholarship

Scott Trust bursaries

Degree course: MA Journalism  
Students: UK  
Value: £6,000 + tuition fees  
Deadline: tbc – 2020 awards will be open in February

The Scott Trust Ltd, owner of Guardian Media Group plc, offers bursaries at the University of Sheffield each year for aspiring journalists to study for a postgraduate qualification in journalism. These awards actively seek applicants from groups who are underrepresented in the profession.

https://workforus.theguardian.com/entry-level-opportunities/scott-trust-bursaries/

The Gavin Reeve-Daniels magazine scholarship

Degree course: MA Magazine Journalism  
Students: UK
Value | tuition fees + work experience expenses  
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Deadline | tbc

This funding award, made available by Time Inc UK and Bauer Media UK, is available to students taking our magazines course. It covers course fees and expenses for two work experience placements.

If you apply for a place on the Magazine Journalism degree and receive an offer, we'll email to let you know when the scholarship opens for applications.

[www.sheffield.ac.uk/journalism/masters/funding/reeve-daniels-scholarship](http://www.sheffield.ac.uk/journalism/masters/funding/reeve-daniels-scholarship)

### BAFTA Scholarship Programme

**Degree course** | MA Broadcast Journalism  
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**Students** | UK/China/Hong Kong  
**Value** | up to £12,000 (UK)/up to £24,000 (China)  
**Deadline** | tbc – register your interest in advance using the links below

This award from the British Academy of Film and Television Arts (BAFTA) also offers mentoring support from a BAFTA member and free access to BAFTA events around the UK.

[www.bafta.org/initiatives/supporting-talent/scholarships/uk-programme](http://www.bafta.org/initiatives/supporting-talent/scholarships/uk-programme)  
[www.bafta.org/asia/initiatives/scholarships](http://www.bafta.org/asia/initiatives/scholarships)

### Journalism Diversity Fund

**Degree course** | MA Journalism  
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**Students** | UK  
**Value** | tuition fees + some living expenses  
**Deadline** | 1 April 2020

The Journalism Diversity Fund seeks to widen the social make-up of professional journalism. The fund offers financial support to students who may be unable to pay for NCTJ training courses.

[www.journalismdiversityfund.com](http://www.journalismdiversityfund.com)

### The George Viner Memorial Fund

**Degree course** | all  
**Students** | all  
**Value** | various  
**Deadline** | tbc
The George Viner Memorial Fund was set up by the National Union of Journalists specifically to help broaden the ethnic diversity of journalists working in the media in the UK and Ireland. The funding round opens in May and the deadline for applications is in August each year.

www.nuj.org.uk/rights/george-viner-memorial-fund

Orwell Society Bursary for Journalism

**Degree course** all  
**Students** UK  
**Value** £3,000  
**Deadline** tbc

The Orwell Society offers a bursary of £3,000 to the winner of a competition focusing on journalistic writing in an ‘Orwellian’ style.


Sheffield Postgraduate Scholarship

**Degree course** all  
**Students** UK and European Union  
**Value** £10,000  
**Deadline** 11 May 2020

The University of Sheffield awards more than 100 scholarships to students who either belong to a group that’s underrepresented in taught postgraduate study or achieve a first in their undergraduate degree.

www.sheffield.ac.uk/sps

Sheffield scholarships for international students

**Degree course** all  
**Students** international  
**Value** various  
**Deadline** 4 May 2020

The University's web pages include a list of scholarships and funding sources specially for talented international students. Check these to find out if you’re eligible.

www.sheffield.ac.uk/international/enquiry/money/scholarships
Postgraduate student loans

**Degree course** all  
**Students** UK and European Union  
**Value** up to £10,609  
**Deadline** see link below

Repayable loans similar to those available for undergraduate study are now available from the Student Loans Company for taught postgraduate study.

[www.sheffield.ac.uk/ssid/finance/pg/pg_loans](http://www.sheffield.ac.uk/ssid/finance/pg/pg_loans)

Alumni Rewards

**Degree course** all  
**Students** University of Sheffield graduates  
**Value** 10% of tuition fee  
**Deadline** see link below

The University of Sheffield offers a 10 per cent fee reduction to postgraduate students who have taken an undergraduate degree at the University.

[https://www.sheffield.ac.uk/postgraduate/alumni-rewards](https://www.sheffield.ac.uk/postgraduate/alumni-rewards)