NOTICE TO UNIVERSITY OF MAURITIUS (UoM) STUDENTS AND ALUMNI

The Global Rhodes Scholarships – 2026

The Global Rhodes Scholarships provide a fully funded full-time postgraduate award which enables talented young people from around the world to study at the University of Oxford for two or more years starting in **October 2026**. Only two (2) Scholarships are offered every year.

Details of the Scholarships including eligibility, selection criteria and information on shortlisted candidates are available at the following links:

(i)https://www.rhodeshouse.ox.ac.uk/media2/bpofztis/global_ifc_final.pdf

- (ii) https://www.rhodeshouse.ox.ac.uk/scholarships/applications/global/
- (iii)https://www.rhodeshouse.ox.ac.uk/scholarships/selection-criteria/

Applicants should be nominated by the University of Mauritius before applying online for the Scholarships. Applicants should display proven intellectual and academic quality of a very high standard. They should also demonstrate integrity of character, interest in and respect for their fellow human beings, the ability to lead, the energy to use their talents to the full and the desire to make an effective contribution to the world around them.

In order to be considered for nomination by the University of Mauritius, the following details and documents should be submitted to **The Student Welfare Office**, **Room 7.14**, 7th **Floor**, **Academic Complex Tower Block**, **University of Mauritius**, **Réduit by** <u>Friday 18 July 2025 at latest:</u>-

- 1) Name of Programme applying for;
- 2) Age:
- 3) A copy of Undergraduate award certificate/Master degree award certificate/the date to obtain the degree;
- 4) A copy of transcript, including the CPA of the last academic year of studies;
- 5) A signed Recommendation Letter from your former/current Programme Coordinator/lecturer specifying the following:-

How long has the PC/lecturer known the candidate? Reasons why a candidate should be nominated as a Rhodes Global Scholar; The candidate is very <u>highly</u> academically qualified among his/her classmates and his/her academic standing in his/her class (e.g top 1%, 5%, etc). What are the candidate's strengths and limitations as a person? What aspects of his/her character which are remarkable? Does the candidate have leadership traits and any extra-curricular accomplishments or awards (documentary evidence to be provided)?

Important Note:

- Priority will be given to brilliant UoM graduates and brilliant students (those completing their undergraduate degree by <u>July 2026</u>) who fulfill the criteria, as stipulated in the given links.
- Prior to submitting all the required documents to the Student Welfare Office, applicants should read and be fully aware of all the application procedures as spelt out in the links provided.

REGISTRAR 30 June 2025