**Funding by national institutions open to international students**

**Ghent University** provides TopUp Grants to candidates from all countries on the OESO-DAC list, who wish to obtain a master’s degree at Ghent University. Each year, a minimum of 10 scholarships can be awarded.

The scholarship fee consists of: Allowance of € 1000 per month. All-in insurance (health, civil liability, repatriation). Airline ticket and visa costs are NOT included in the grant. As a top-up grant student you pay the tuition fee as for EEA-students.

More info: <https://www.ugent.be/en/research/funding/devcoop/grants-scholarships/top-up-grants>

**Flanders Knowledge Area Master Mind scholarships**

Flanders Knowledge Area offers up to 45 scholarships for full degree students for minimum 1 year to outstanding master students from all countries.

A Master Mind Scholarship includes a grant of €8 200 + a tuition fee waiver per academic year (60 ECTS). Master Mind Scholarship holders only pay an administrative enrolment fee. The grant is paid in instalments and covers accommodation costs, insurances and a significant amount of their living expenses.

More info: <https://www.studyinflanders.be/scholarships>

**VLIR-UOS**

VLIR-UOS award scholarships to students and professionals from a number of countries to study in Flanders as well as travel grants to Flemish/European students to do fieldwork/internships in one of the 31 scholarship countries in Africa, Asia or Latin America.

More info: <https://cdn.vliruos.be/vliruos/ccae21c99a4be8da62b2b81b07ca0740.pdf>

**University of Groningen** each yearoffers the Eric Bleumink Fund to outstanding candidates from developing countries for a Master’s degree program. It is not possible to actively apply, the university will nominate suitable candidates. The grant covers tuition fee, costs of international travel, subsistence, books, and health insurance. Please note that a considerable number of students apply for this scholarship each year, whereas the University can issue only a limited number of grants.

More info: <https://www.rug.nl/education/scholarships/eric-bleumink-fund>

**Nuffic - Holland Scholarship**

The Holland Scholarship is the national scholarship programme for Dutch and international students. It is made available by the Dutch Ministry of Education, Culture and Science together with 47 Dutch higher education institutions.

More info on Holland scholarships and studying in the Netherlands in general: <https://www.nuffic.nl/en/en/subjects/holland-scholarship>

**University of Groningen - Grantfinder**

The Grantfinder helps student find a scholarship that is applicable to their situation. Besides scholarships awarded by the University of Groningen, a number of grants awarded by the Dutch government, the EU and (inter)national organizations, such as World Bank or the Ford Foundation, can be used for study or research at the University of Groningen as well.

The **Dutch government** also provides study financing (multimodal incl. loans and grants) to Dutch nationals or those who have the same rights.

More info: <https://www.duo.nl/particulier/student-finance/>

**French Government**: Each year, the Ministry of foreign affairs awards Eiffel grants of excellence. This scheme, intended for international students, offers funding for a master's-level course.

More info: <https://www.campusfrance.org/en/eiffel-scholarship-program-of-excellence>