

# Information Session





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### **MQF Level 7**

- Postgraduate Certificate
- Postgraduate Diploma
- Master's Degree

#### • PhD





## More info: Regulations Clause 4.1.16 Areas of Study



\*These are considered priority areas for TESS.

# **Application and** Regulations

Visit our website at myscholarship.gov.mt

Click Servizzi, and then TESS Tertiary **Education Scholarships Scheme**.

The application link, Regulations, and other documents can be found there.





## **Please read the**

## **2025 Regulations**

# before applying.



# More info: Regulations 2025 Section 4 **Prerequisites**



Have been residing in Malta for the past five (5) years

AND

either be a Maltese citizen

**or** be a national of an EU or EEA state and have permanent residence in Malta

**or** be a third country national that has been granted long-term residence status

### Sign In

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#### Sign in with your e-ID Account\*

- ID Number (view sample)
  - Enter your ID Card number
- Password
- Enter your password

Sign In

### More info: Regulations 2025 Section 4 Further Points

- Must be applying for a course at MQF Level 7 or 8 which ends in 2026 or later
- Those with a Master's can apply for Master's or PhD
- Those who already have an MQF Level 8 qualification cannot apply
  - If applying for a Level 8 course, must have either a Bachelor's or a Master's degree.
- For applicants starting a new course, it must start by the 31st of December 2025
  - Applicants whose course started before 9th May 2025 may still apply provided that it ends in 2026 or later



### More info: Regulations 2025 Section 4 Further Points

If still in a different course, you may still apply provided it ends before Dec 2025

If starting a course leading to Level 7, but part of it is at Level 6 or below, you will not be eligible to apply, but may be eligible for the Malta Government Undergraduate Scheme or Student Maintenance Grant.

Those with National / EU / Commonwealth public grants or scholarships for the same course shall be deemed ineligible if not notified and approved by the TESS Board.





### **First Deadline**

13th June 2025, Noon (Local Time)

Applications will **not** be accepted past this deadline

10th October 2025, 4:00 p.m. (Local Time)

For those who have **already** submitted their application, but have further documents to submit



### **Second Deadline**

### More info: Regulations 2025 Section 8



#### Work and Education Form

A list of your employment and education history

#### Appendix I

MQF 7: approx. 300 words MQF 8: 500 - 1000 words

#### **Appendix II** MQF 7 and 8: approx. 300 words

#### Appendix III

MQF 7 and 8: approx. 300 words

The Board will disqualify applicants who fail to submit these appendices with the application form.

Titles can be found in Clause 8.1 of the 2025 Regulations

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#### Work and Education Form

 SURNAME
 NATIONALITY
 GENDER
 MOBILE

Job Title & Position Description	Start Date	End Date	Part / Full Time	Nun of Mo

### More info: Regulations 2025 Section 8 **Documents** Second Deadline

#### ULA

Unconditional Letter of Acceptance

Even if submitted, we must be provided with the Original ULA (not a copy) by the day of agreement signing. It is **mandatory** that the ULA has the following information:

- The university is unconditionally accepting the applicant
- Course start date
- Course end date
- Modality (full time, part time, distance learning or blended)
- Number of Credits/ECTS
- Number of obligatory visits on university campus\*
- The tuition fees for the entire course duration
- The bench fees\*
- Whether the applicant is receiving a waivering of fees or bursary from the university

\*where applicable



### More info: Regulations 2025 Section 8

### Documents Second Deadline

#### **Transcript of Highest Qualification**

Will be used to determine part of marks received for ranking purposes. Only the highest submitted qualification of MQF Level 5 or above will be considered.

#### **MQRIC Report of Highest Qualification**

This **must** be submitted if:

• Your course was **not** at UoM, MCAST, or ITS

#### AND

 Your course is **not** found on MEHEA's List of Accredited Courses Offered by Licensed Institutions at mfhea.mt

#### **MQRIC Report of Prospective Course**

Same as above



Ref No: MQRIC 2023/05044

Date of Award:

MQF/EQF Level:

Additional Remarks:

This statement is an informed opinion based on information made available by the applicant and the research undertaken at the time of issue of this statement, and is not a confirmation of the authenticity of the submitted certificates.

The status of recognition of an awarding institution or of a programme and its respective level rating is not definitive. MQRIC reserves the right to reissue statements amending its previous opinion based on newly available information regarding the awarding institution or the progamme.

The Mutual Recognition of Programmes Act XVIII of 2002 empowers Designated Authorities to make further evaluations of programmes and experience. In terms of the aforementioned Act, if the intention is of practicing a profession, one has to submit an application to the relevant Designated Authority requesting authorization to practice a profession.

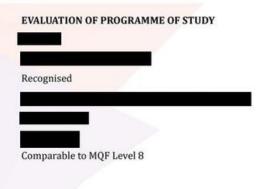
**Malta Qualifications Recognition Information Centre** Malta Further and Higher Education Authority A: J Abela Scolaro Steet, Hamrun HMR 1304 - Malta T: +356 2598 1450 E: mgric@mfhea.mt

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### MORIC



- Country of Programme:
- Name of Awarding Institution:
- Status of Institution:
- Title of Programme:
- Status of Programme



This statement does not purport to indicate whether a holder of a programme, whether recognised or otherwise, is suitable for a particular profession or eligible for any position, gain, scholarship or other benefit, and an assessment for such suitability remains with the person or entity contracting with the holder of a programme.

An appeal may be filed within 10 days from the date of issue of this statement in accordance with Regulation 8 of the Malta Qualifications Recognition Information Centre and the Mutual Recognition of Qualifications Appeals Board Regulations, which appeal should be lodged with the MQRIC Appeals Board, Office of the Permanent Secretary, Ministry of Education and Employment, Great Siege Road, Floriana VLT 2000. Alternately, appeals may be e-mailed with all pertinent attachments to mgric-appeals.mede@gov.mt

This statement was issued on the



### More info: Regulations 2025 Section 8

### **Documents** Second Deadline

#### **University Confirmation of Priority Area**

If your area of study is in:

- Education
- Environmental Studies
- Health Studies
- STEM

The university must send us a confirmation of this directly on

tess.meyr@gov.mt

#### **EU Disability Card\***

Card issued by the Commission for the Rights of Persons with Disability (CRPD).

#### **Permanent Residence Permit\***

\*where applicable



### **First Deadline**

- Work and Education Form
- Appendices I, II, and III

Any documents required by the second deadline, which you already have, may be submitted with your application by the first deadline.

### **Second Deadline**

- ULA
- Transcript of highest qualification
- MQRIC of highest qualification\*
- MQRIC of the course for which you are seeking a scholarship\*
- Confirmation of priority area\*
- EU Disability Card\*
- Permanent Residence Permit\*

More info: Regulations 2025 Section 8

\*where applicable

### **First Deadline**

Documents to be submitted with online application.

Documents to be submitted via email on:

Missing mandatory documents may lead to the application becoming ineligible!



### **Second Deadline**

tess.meyr@gov.mt

# Next Steps



#### Apply

 Application submitted correctly



#### Interview

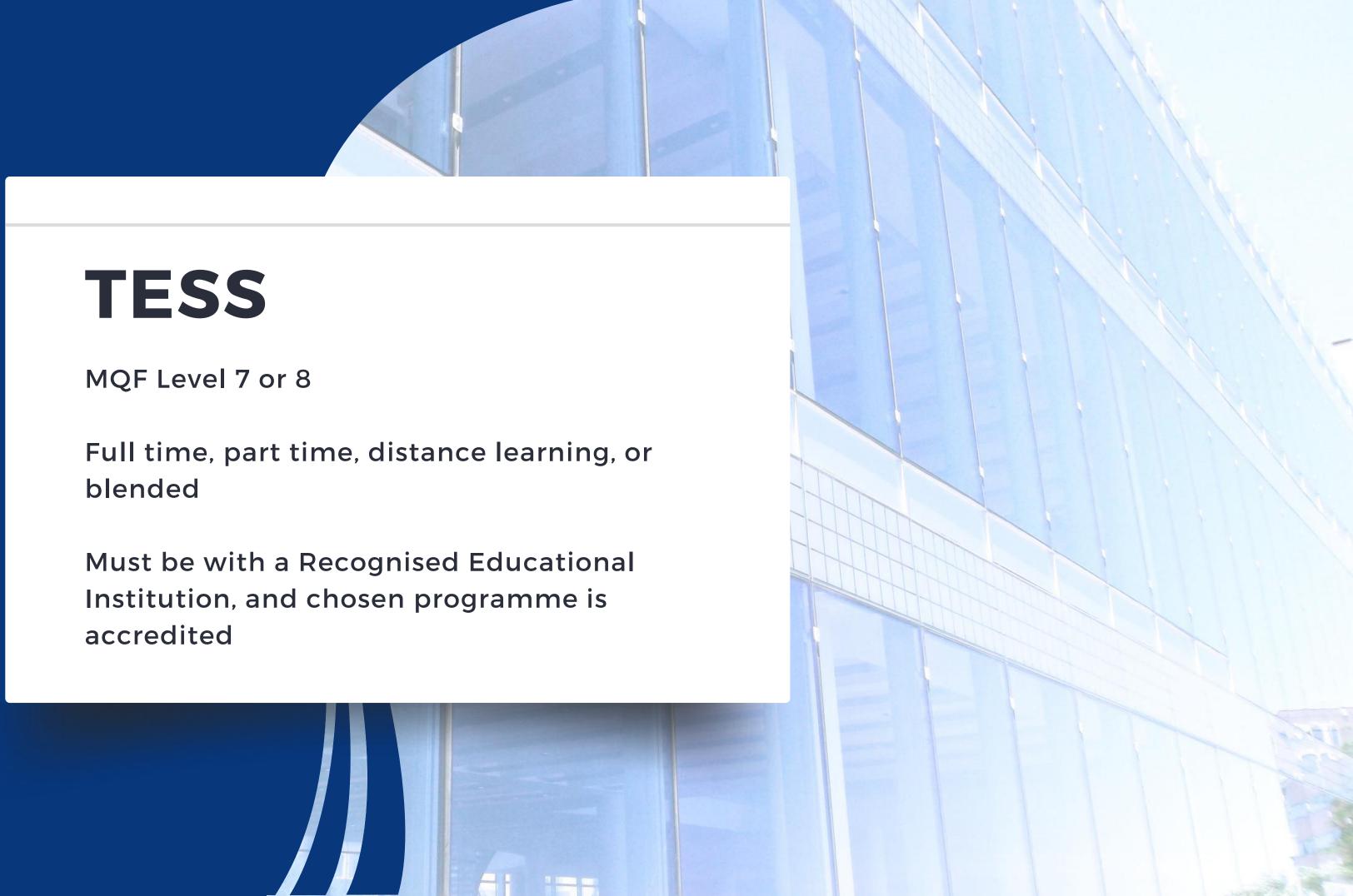
- Roughly between July and September
- Must prepare a slideshow
- Interview and slideshow are mandatory



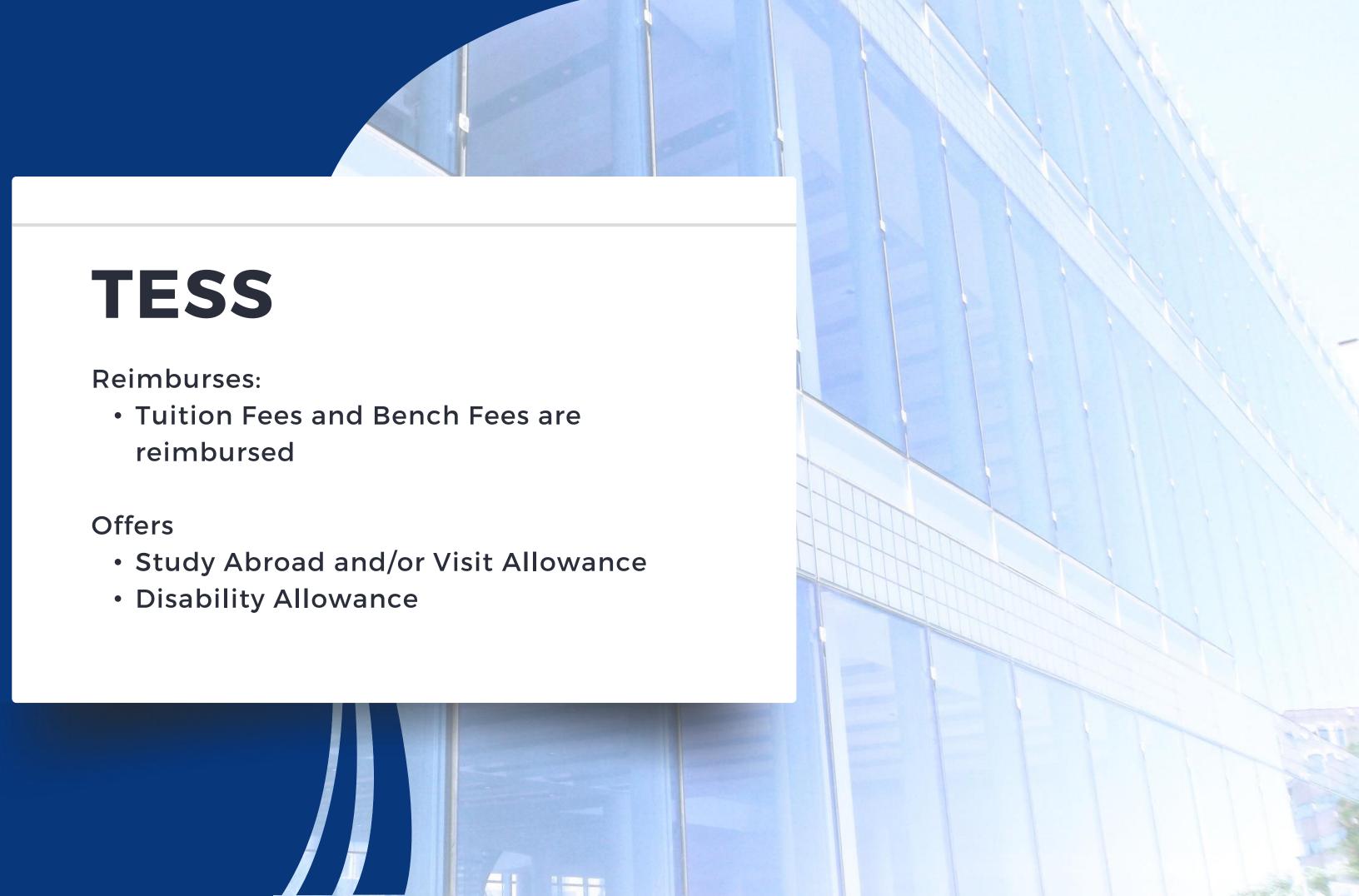
#### Rankings

- After second deadline, rankings will be published.
- Number of awardees based on overall ranking and available budget





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### **Tuition and Bench Fees**

MQF Level 7 up to €10,000 total

### **Other Allowances**

Study Abroad Allowance: €4,000 p.a.

Visit Allowance:

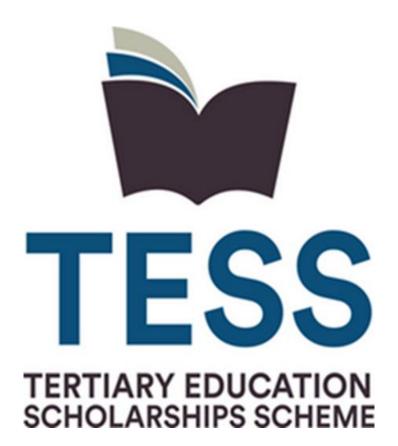
- One month or longer: pro rata up to €4,000 p.a.
- Less than one month:  $\in$  200 per visit, up to  $\in$  2,400 p.a.

Disability Allowance: €2,000 p.a.

### MQF Level 8 up to €32,000 total



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