



## SCHOLARSHIP OPPORTUNITIES FINLAND

### TEN (10) POSTGRADUATE RESEARCH SCHOLARSHIP OPPORTUNITIES

The Namibia Students Financial Assistance Fund is inviting Namibian applicants to apply for the 2018 – 2019 Research Scholarships offered by the Centre for International Mobility (CIMO) via the Finish Government Scholarship Pool Programme.

#### **PRINCIPLES AND CONDITIONS FOR RESEARCH SCHOLARSHIP ARE AS FOLLOWS:**

- ✓ Scholarship duration is 3 – 9 months Doctoral level Studies and Research at Finnish Universities or Public Research Institutes.
- ✓ Scholarship programme is open to young Researchers from all Academic fields.

#### **ELIGIBILITY CRITERIA**

- ✓ Applicants should be Namibian nationals.
- ✓ A letter of invitation from the academic supervisor in Finland; the invitation should also explain the commitment of the host institution to the project
- ✓ Have obtained a Masters Level Degree before applying
- ✓ Intend to pursue a post-Master's level studies as a visiting student, participate in a research project or teach at a university or public research institute in Finland; priority will be given to doctoral studies
- ✓ In order to be eligible applicant you must first apply for a study or research placement at a Finnish university/public research institute.

#### **DOCUMENTS REQUIRED FOR AN APPLICATION:**

- ✓ A completed and signed application form
- ✓ Curriculum Vitae
- ✓ Copies of latest Degrees
- ✓ Two letters of recommendation
- ✓ Study/ research plan (2-5 pages, including a statement of motivation, goals, work plan, work method, expected results)
- ✓ Invitation/expression of interest from the hosting academic supervisor in Finland
- ✓ Language certificate (Finnish, Swedish or English) or other indication of sufficient language skills.
- ✓ Application form is available and downloadable on [www.studyinfinland.fi](http://www.studyinfinland.fi)
- ✓ Application should be strictly typed, no hand written application is accepted
- ✓ Application forms can be submitted at the NSFAF Secretariat, Gutenberg Plaza, Werner List Street, Namibia
- ✓ Due date: **8<sup>th</sup> February 2018**

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