Andrew Beacham International Sports Scholarship 2027
Terms and Conditions

Eligibility Criteria

To be eligible for an Andrew Beacham International Sports Scholarship, applicants must:

- Hold an offer to study a full-time undergraduate degree, undergraduate top-up degree, MSc or MRes programme at Hartpury University commencing in September 2027.
- Be classified as an international student for tuition fee purposes.
- Meet all conditions of their offer and any applicable admissions requirements.
- Demonstrate sporting ability, potential and commitment, as assessed by Hartpury University's scholarship selection panel.
- Be enrolling in one of Hartpury's recognised Sports Academies: **Equine, Men's Rugby, Women's Rugby, Men's Football, Women's Football, Golf, Cricket, Netball, Rowing or Athlete Performance**.
- Exceptionally, postgraduate applicants in receipt of a Hartpury sport studentship may also be considered, including those undertaking non-playing roles, where the Andrew Beacham International Sports Scholarship represents the higher-value award. In such cases, only the award of the highest value will be applied.

Scholarship Award

- The Andrew Beacham International Sports Scholarship comprises:
  - A **£4,000 tuition fee discount**; and
  - A **£1,000 sports development bursary**.
- International Sports Scholarships are awarded for the standard duration of the programme, subject to annual review and continued satisfaction of the eligibility and continuation requirements set out below.
- Continuation of the scholarship beyond the first year is conditional upon:
  - Satisfactory academic progression.
  - Continued engagement with the relevant Sports Academy.
  - Good disciplinary standing and compliance with University regulations.
- To secure the scholarship, recipients must:
  - Accept their academic offer.
  - Pay any required tuition fee deposit by the relevant deadline.
- The tuition fee discount will be deducted from the remaining balance of tuition fees due and applied to the second tuition fee instalment. A revised invoice will be issued following confirmation of the scholarship award.
- The £1,000 sports development bursary will be paid directly to the student following arrival on campus and completion of enrolment.
- Successful scholarship applicants will be notified in writing and must confirm acceptance of their scholarship within 14 days of notification. Hartpury University reserves the right to withdraw and reallocate any scholarship that is not accepted within this timeframe.

Allocation Process

- Scholarships are allocated using a phased rolling-window model:
  - Between **3 and 6 awards** released between September and December.
  - Between **4 and 8 awards** released between January and March.
  - Between **3 and 6 awards** released between April and June.
- Any unallocated awards may be carried forward to the next allocation phase.

- Applications are assessed using a formal scoring matrix which considers:
    - Sporting ability and playing standard.
    - Potential contribution and impact on the relevant Sports Academy programme.
    - The likely impact of the scholarship on the applicant's ability to study at Hartpury University.
- Decisions are made jointly by the Head of the relevant Sports Academy and the Director of Elite Sport. For Rugby scholarship applicants, decisions will also involve the Head of Performance Rugby and the Head of Rugby Operations.
- Scholarship recipients and award values are determined at the sole discretion of Hartpury University.
- All decisions are final and there is no right of appeal.

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- Scholarships are available only to students studying programmes delivered by Hartpury University at its Gloucestershire campus. Programmes delivered wholly online, through a partner institution, or at an overseas location are not eligible unless otherwise stated.
- Applicants whose tuition fees are fully funded by an external sponsor are not eligible for this scholarship.
- Applicants may only hold one Hartpury scholarship. Where a student is eligible for more than one Hartpury scholarship, only the scholarship of the highest value will be awarded. Other Hartpury bursaries, funding or discounts may not be combined with this scholarship unless expressly stated otherwise.
- Scholarship awards cannot be applied towards a tuition fee deposit. Any required tuition fee deposit must be paid in full by the relevant deadline, irrespective of any scholarship award.
- Recipients are expected to engage fully with their Sports Academy programme and act as positive ambassadors for Hartpury University.
- Hartpury University reserves the right to withdraw a scholarship where a recipient withdraws from their programme, leaves their Sports Academy, fails to meet the continuation requirements of the scholarship, or is subject to disciplinary action.
- If a student defers entry, the scholarship offer will be withdrawn. Students may be considered under any scholarship scheme applicable to their new year of entry.
- Hartpury University reserves the right to amend, suspend or withdraw the scholarship scheme and/or these terms and conditions at any time.

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