



Aid to the  
Church in Need

ACN INTERNATIONAL

**SCHOLARSHIP REQUEST**

**– to be submitted by the bishop or the religious superior –**

Begin of planned course of study: academic year 20...../.....

Planned arrival date in country of study \_\_\_\_\_

**Please complete fully and legibly / Please cross out as appropriate**

**1 Information about the scholarship candidate /  F  M**

- 1.1 Surname(s) ..... 1.2 First name(s) .....
- 1.3 Date of birth ..... 1.4 Place of birth (city, country) .....
- 1.5 Nationality ..... 1.6 Marital Status .....
- 1.7 Current address .....
- 1.8 Email .....
- 1.9  Diocesan priest 1.10  Religious (please underline as appropriate: priest | brother | sister | novice | with temporary vows | with perpetual vows) 1.11  Consecrated lay member of a secular institute
- 1.12  Layperson 1.13  Other status: .....
- 1.14 Rite .....
- 1.15 Name of diocese .....
- 1.16 Name of order or congregation (also initials if existing) .....
- 1.17 Name of province and provincial superior .....
- 1.18 If your congregation is of diocesan right: to which diocese does it belong? .....
- 1.19 Address in the country of study if already known, with the name of the institution ("collegio", house of religious community, etc.) .....

**2 Information on previous studies and planned course of study**

- 2.1 Academic/ecclesiastical degrees earned so far with date of graduation:
- a) ..... Subject: ..... Institution: .....
- b) ..... Subject: ..... Institution: .....
- c) ..... Subject: ..... Institution: .....
- d) ..... Subject: ..... Institution: .....
- 2.2 **Planned course of study** for which the scholarship is requested (exact name) .....
- 2.3 Name of university/study institute .....
- 2.4 Country where the studies shall take place .....
- 2.5 What academic qualification shall be earned by the scholarship candidate?  
 diploma  licentiate (S.T.L)/master  doctorate  other: .....
- 2.6 Is the scholarship candidate meant to do a sabbatical year? .....
- 2.7 Total length of the planned course of study in semesters (terms) .....
- 2.8 If the scholarship candidate has already completed semesters, how many? .....
- 2.9 Knowledge of the language of instruction:  
 excellent  good  satisfying  poor/none  
Language test(s) taken: ..... level achieved: .....
- 2.10 Language of communication:  
 German  English  French  Italian **Please tick the appropriate box(es)**

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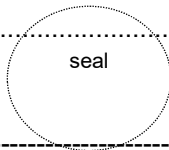
2.11 **Reasons for studying abroad** .....  
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2.12 Precise information concerning **the future responsibilities of the scholarship candidate**.....  
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**3 Information on aid provided by third parties**

3.1 Has a scholarship request been made to another Church or State organization, university, etc.? (Please indicate the name of the organization and the status of the request, or indicate the granted sum per semester in case a scholarship has been granted.).....  
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3.2 Is financial assistance for (a) board & lodging and/or (b) tuition provided by third parties (e.g. faculty, college, congregation)? - And, if so, to what extent (Please indicate sum per semester)? .....  
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**Date, signature, seal of bishop / religious superior**

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**Date, signature of the scholarship candidate**

**DOCUMENTS MUST BE RETURNED with this form by the very latest till March 1st:**

- 1) A letter of request/recommendation from the competent bishop/the person in charge of the episcopal conference (president or bishop in charge of major seminaries within the conference) or from the religious superior;
- 2) – CONGREGATIONS OF DIOCESAN RIGHT – In the case of a congregation of diocesan right: letter of recommendation from the competent bishop;
- 3) If the scholarship candidate is destined, once his studies are completed, to work as a formator in a diocesan or national/regional major seminary: signed certifications from the bishop and the scholarship candidate (enclosures 1 and 2);
- 4) The curriculum vitae of the scholarship candidate including all the tasks and responsibilities assumed by him/her up to now, in a complete and chronological order;
- 5) Copies of the academic/ecclesiastical degrees earned so far by the scholarship candidate;
- 6) The certificate of registration or other certificate issued by the university/study institute confirming that the scholarship candidate has been accepted as a regular student;
- 7) Possibly copies of negative scholarship decisions of other organizations;
- 8) A copy of the identity card or passport showing the full name of the scholarship candidate.



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Enclosure 1

## CERTIFICATION

I declare and certify that after his studies, Reverend Father

\_\_\_\_\_ will be sent to a seminary to

contribute to the formation of future priests.

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Place, date, seal and signature of bishop





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Enclosure 2

## CERTIFICATION

I declare and certify that, after my studies, I am ready to place myself at the disposal of a seminary, in accordance with the decision of the bishop or the episcopal conference, to commit myself to the formation of future priests.

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Place, date, signature of scholarship candidate

