Gates Cambridge Scholarships

• **Purpose**
  o Gates Cambridge Scholarships are prestigious, highly competitive full-cost scholarships. They are awarded to outstanding applicants from countries outside the UK to pursue a full-time postgraduate degree in any subject available at the University of Cambridge. The program aims to build a global network of future leaders committed to improving the lives of others.

• **Eligibility Requirements**
  o Applicants must be a citizen of any country outside the United Kingdom.
  o Applicants must be applying to pursue one of the following full-time residential courses of study at the University of Cambridge: PhD, MSc or MLitt, or a one year postgraduate course.

• **Application Process**
  o To start the application process for the Gates Cambridge Scholarship, applicants must first contact the Graduate Admissions Office.
  o Students can expect the following requirements throughout the application process:
    ▪ GRADSAF application form (which includes a Gates Cambridge section)
    ▪ Academic transcripts
    ▪ 2 academic references
    ▪ 1 personal reference (for the Gates Cambridge Scholarship)
  o The application deadline is around mid October.

• **Selection Process**
  o Applications are reviewed and award letters will be mailed to students by early February.

• **Website Link**
  o For more information, please visit [www.gatescambridge.org](http://www.gatescambridge.org).