



Indonesia

AUSTRALIAN DEVELOPMENT SCHOLARSHIPS Information for Intakes Commencing 2009

AusAID in Indonesia

AusAID is the Australian Government agency responsible for managing Australia's overseas aid program. AusAID aims to assist developing countries to reduce poverty and achieve sustainable development in line with Australia's national interest. Australia and Indonesia have been development partners for many years – in areas like scholarships, the development partnership stretches back to the early 1950s. The partnership has grown significantly over the years, shifting and adapting to the changing development needs and the priorities of Indonesia. Australia's support to Indonesia has tripled in the last three years, with the Australian Government providing an estimated 3,4 trillion rupiah (AUD 458 million) in Overseas Development Assistance to Indonesia in 2007-08.

Today, Australia and Indonesia are working in partnership to achieve a prosperous, democratic and safe Indonesia. Australia is assisting the Government of Indonesia to achieve its priorities through sustainable economic growth, investing in people through education and health, strengthening Indonesia's legal and democratic institutions, and improving its response and capacity in handling threats and disasters.

Country Specific Information

Australian Development Scholarships (ADS) contribute to Indonesia's human resource development needs by providing Masters and PhD scholarships in areas of agreed development priority (outlined above). ADS has played a significant role in Australia's development cooperation program in Indonesia, with about 10,000 scholarships provided over more than 50 years. It continues to be a major component of the Indonesia program.

The Application Process

The guidelines and application forms for the ADS scheme are available on the Indonesia ADS website www.adsjakarta.or.id. It is anticipated that the promotion of the next selection round will commence in June 2008 and application will be open from June 16 – September 5, 2008.

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