



MINISTRY OF
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The MACI Scholarship Could Lead to Dynamic Career

Cayman has a rich maritime history – boat building, seafaring, serving in the merchant marine and in various navies, even in times of conflict. The islands' many dedicated and respected seafarers are mostly all the older generation now, with stories of adventures on the high seas and experiences in ports around the world reminiscently told to their grandchildren.

The port of George Town was established as a British port of registry in 1903 and today Cayman has become the most prestigious flag state, and world leader, in the registration of super yachts, although the register also caters to merchant ships, super tankers, container vessels and even submarines.

Cayman Maritime (formally known as the Maritime Authority of the Cayman Islands), the parent organisation of the Cayman Islands Shipping Registry (known simply as the Cayman Registry) offers a broad range of career opportunities. For example, a staff of about 30 located at George Town Headquarters, perform vessel registration, crew compliance matters, maritime policy development, accounting, communications, human resources management, information and technology, in addition to surveying and naval architecture, and they often travel across the globe to many of the world's most exotic ports of call. There are offices and representatives in 14 separate parts of the world (Offices: Headquarters – Cayman Islands and European Regional Office – UK; Representative Offices in the US, France, Greece and Singapore; and Representatives in Japan, Holland, Italy, Hong Kong, China, Philippines, Australia and Brazil), which give the organisation a highly visible worldwide presence, and the opportunity to satisfy client services needs wherever they may be in a competitively cost-effective manner. Additionally, cross-training amongst all staff members provides other opportunities for travel to those venues, as well as technical fora, and trade shows around the world.

Once again, as it does every year, in its effort to help ensure that the islands' rich maritime heritage and administration is carried forward into the future, Cayman Maritime, in partnership with the Ministry of Education, Employment and Gender Affairs, is conducting its annual campaign to attract individuals of 18 years of age and up, who demonstrate an interest in maritime affairs, to apply for the scholarship currently being offered. The two organisations are actively seeking dynamic individuals who wish to pursue a rewarding and exciting career in today's modern-era maritime industry.

Consideration will be given for the pursuit of under-graduate, post-graduate or professional qualifications in the disciplines of naval architecture, marine engineering, marine survey, maritime administration and nautical studies. Further consideration will be given to applicants in related areas such as specialist maritime legal services, human resource management, accounting, information technology and other areas which support the maritime sector.



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**APPLICATION FOR THE MARITIME AUTHORITY OF THE CAYMAN ISLANDS
(MACI) OVERSEAS SCHOLARSHIP**

APPLICANT CHECKLIST

Application Period: 15TH Nov – 31ST Jan annually

- Completed Application Form One passport size photograph Completed Medical Form
(medical not required for online study)
- Personal Statement (encl.) Transcripts from all high school and post-secondary institutions
- Copies of any degrees or certificates achieved
- Proof of completion of work experience relevant to course (Post graduate applications only)
- Letter of Acceptance from college or university (provisional or unconditional)
Note: Unconditional offer must be produced prior to disbursement of funds
- Correspondence from the institution regarding successful transfer of credits (if req'd)
- Official documentation from college/university stating specific costs per semester
- Degree Plan, outlining schedule of courses throughout programme
- Birth certificate and proof of having the Right to be Caymanian (notarized copies will suffice). If applicable, adoption papers are also required. Proof of Domicile in the Cayman Islands
- Letter from parents' employer(s) verifying salary Reference letter from parents' bank
- Letter from surety's employer, if over 21 Reference letter from surety's bank, if over 21
- 2 Character References: Academic Personal
- Applicant's cover letter, to be addressed to the Scholarship Secretariat, Ministry of Education, Employment & Gender Affairs, 3rd Fl., Government Administration Building, 133 Elgin Avenue, P.O. Box 2256, Grand Cayman, KYI-9000, CAYMAN ISLANDS

FOR OFFICIAL USE ONLY

- Copy of Offer Letter
- Financial Statement for Surety
- Contact Details Form Student Bond
- Authorisation of Release of Grades



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Section I: APPLICANT DETAILS

Degree Type: ASSOC BACH MAST PhD

Name of Applicant: _____
(last/family) (first) (middle)

Date of Birth: _____ Marital Status: _____
(dd/mm/yyyy)

Local Mailing Address: _____
Local Postal Code: _____ Email Address: _____
Local Telephone: _____ Alternate Telephone: _____
Local Physical Address: _____

Overseas Mailing Address: _____

Overseas Telephone: _____ Alternate Telephone: _____
Email Address (if different from above): _____

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Date of Application Submission: _____ Confirmation Receipt Sent: _____ Date: _____
Date of Interview: _____ Panel Recommendation: _____
Panel Comments: _____

Date of Council Review : _____
Council Decision: _____
Council Comments: _____

Decision Notification Letter Sent: _____ Date: _____
Programme available locally: _____
Is the institution: accredited?: _____ competitive?: _____ better than competitive?: _____
Is the programme accredited? : _____



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Section 2: INSTITUTION AND PROGRAMME OF STUDY

(If you have applied to more than one institution, please complete a Section 2 form on each university)

Name of Institution: _____
 Physical Address: _____
 Telephone Number: _____ Website Address: _____

Proposed Start Date: _____ Estimated Graduation Date: _____

Proposed Major: _____ Minor: _____

Total length of Programme: _____

Number of Semesters Completed (if any): _____

Graduation Requirements: _____

If, it is **US** Institution the minimum accreditation rating is **Regional**

Please name the Accrediting Body: _____

Ranking of University (i.e. competitive, highly competitive etc): _____

Total Programme Cost: _____

(*Please complete the **University Cost Excel Spread sheet** and attach official university documentation to verify the amounts.)

How do you intend to cover remaining costs not covered under scholarship? Or how do you intend to cover costs if scholarship application is not successful?

Have you submitted application for private sector scholarship funding: YES / NO

(* If yes, please give details of where applications have been submitted to. Award letter copies will have to be provided to the Secretariat once received)



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Section 3: EDUCATIONAL BACKGROUND

SECONDARY SCHOOLS(high schools)

NAME OF SCHOOL	SCHOOL MAILING ADDRESS	SCHOOL TELEPHONE	DATES ATTENDED

SECONDARY SCHOOLS EXAMINATION RESULTS

EXAMINATION	SUBJECT	GRADE	DATES

POST-SECONDARY SCHOOLS (A levels/ CIFEC)

NAME OF SCHOOL	SCHOOL MAILING ADDRESS	SCHOOL TELEPHONE	DATES ATTENDED

POST-SECONDARY SCHOOLS EXAMINATION RESULTS

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GPA/SAT/ACT/IB results are recorded on following page



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TERTIARY INSTITUTIONS (Undergrad/Postgrad Studies)

NAME OF INSTITUTION	SCHOOL MAILING ADDRESS	SCHOOL TELEPHONE	DATES ATTENDED

GPA RESULTS (most recent, should be from last school attended)

Year: _____ Semester: _____ Semester GPA: _____ Cumulative GPA: _____

SAT SCORES

Year Taken: _____ Critical Reading: _____ Math: _____ SWE: _____ Total: _____
Year Taken: _____ Critical Reading: _____ Math: _____ SWE: _____ Total: _____

**ACT SCORES
SAT II**

Year Taken: _____ Score: _____
Year Taken: _____ Score: _____

International Baccalaureate (IB) Year Taken: _____ Date of Completion: _____

IB Scores: _____

*Please note that original transcripts, official SAT scores, certified copies of diplomas or certificates verifying the information stated, must be attached to this application.

Extracurricular activities/community service/awards received: _____

UNDER GRADUATE AND POST GRADUATE DEGREES IN PROGRESS OR COMPLETED:

Under Graduate Degree in progress or completed: _____

Area of Study: _____ Final Cum GPA: _____ Class (UK): _____

Post Graduate Degree in progress or completed: _____

Area of Study: _____ Final Cum GPA: _____ Class (UK): _____

Signature of Applicant

Date



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CHARACTER REFERENCE (Confidential)

(To be completed by someone who's known the applicant for at least one year and is not an immediate family member)

Name of Applicant: _____

Proposed Course of Study: _____

Name of Referrer: _____

Referrer Mailing Address: _____

Referrer Telephone: (work) _____ **(mobile)** _____

How long have you known the applicant? _____

What is your relationship to the applicant? _____

Please give your assessment of this applicant's likelihood for success in the program applied for.

To your knowledge, how does the applicant typically handle challenging situations?

Please comment on any other personal or general characteristics of this applicant.

 Signature

 Date

*Please return this reference by email directly to the:

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ACADEMIC REFERENCE (Confidential)

(To be completed by someone who's known the applicant for at least one year and is not an immediate family member)

Name of Applicant: _____

Proposed Course of Study: _____

Name of Referrer: _____

Referrer Mailing Address: _____

Referrer Telephone: (work) _____ **(mobile)** _____

How long have you known the applicant? _____

What is your relationship to the applicant? _____

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