



Kuiper-Overpelt Study Fund Scholarship I Terms and Conditions

1. The Kuiper Overpelt Study Fund Scholarship is intended for students who wish to follow the Master of Laws: Advanced Studies programme in International Children's Rights and meet all criteria for admission.
2. The student is a national of a country with medium (113-151) or low (152-189) ranking in the HDI Index (see: www.hdr.undp.org/en/countries), lacks the financial means to follow the study programme without the assistance of a scholarship and is highly motivated to follow the Master of Laws: Advanced Studies programme in International Children's Rights.
3. The applicant must have the firm intention of returning to his or her home country after graduation and bringing into practice the knowledge obtained during the programme, in order to improve the implementation of international children's rights in their home country. The applicant must be willing to sign a letter of intent to this effect.
4. The Kuiper Overpelt Study Fund Scholarship is only valid for the period the student is registered at Leiden University as a full time student within the time frame of the study programme. The maximum study period for a 1-year programme (60EC) is 12 months.
5. A Kuiper Overpelt Study Fund scholarship granted for the academic year as specified in the decision letter cannot be transferred to another academic year or to a later intake within the same academic year. If a student has been awarded a Kuiper Overpelt Study Fund Scholarship for the September intake and decides to postpone their participation in the study programme, the Kuiper Overpelt Study Fund scholarship will be revoked.
6. The student is not permitted to receive any additional full scholarships for the same study programme. Partial scholarships can be permitted in some cases but only with advance written permission from Leiden University. If a student is awarded and accepts another full scholarship, for example a government-funded scholarship or the Jean Monnet scholarship, they must notify Leiden University immediately.
7. A student is permitted to submit multiple scholarship applications. However, they may not accept more than one scholarship provided by or sponsored by Leiden University (including the CEU Praesidium Libertatis scholarship). It is also not possible to combine the Kuiper Overpelt Study Fund scholarship with scholarships provided via bilateral agreements with other educational institutions.
8. The Kuiper Overpelt Study Fund scholarship will not be awarded to students who are admitted to a second Master programme at Leiden University.
9. The student must comply with Dutch visa and residence permit regulations. In the event that the student lives outside The Netherlands during (part of) their studies, Leiden University reserves the right to adjust the amount of living expense allowance accordingly (if applicable).
10. The student must notify Leiden University immediately in case of any changes to their nationality or type of residence permit during the course of the academic year.
11. If the student terminates their studies prematurely, they must notify the programme coordinator, Ms. Esther Uiterweerd, immediately. The student must also submit a request for termination of student registration via Studielink. If applicable, the student will subsequently receive a reimbursement of the tuition fee less the scholarship on a pro rata basis. Tuition fee reimbursements are subject to Leiden University's Regulations for Student Registration, Tuition Fees, and Examination [Fees](#)



12. The Kuiper Overpelt Study Fund the form of a contribution towards the tuition fee of 21.600,00 euro. The Kuiper Overpelt Study Fund scholarship is not a full scholarship that only covers part of the tuition fee. Non-EEA recipients must still submit 'proof of sufficient funds' for their student [visa/residence permit application](#).
13. During their studies at Leiden University, the student will play an active role in activities to promote the Kuiper Overpelt Study Fund scholarship.
14. Kuiper Overpelt Study Fund awardees must accept their scholarship in the uSis scholarship portal by the deadline stated in the communication sent to them via uSis. If the awardee does not accept the scholarship before the deadline stated, the Kuiper Overpelt Study Fund scholarship will be withdrawn.