



SOIL SCIENCE SOCIETY OF SOUTH AFRICA

Bursary in Soil Science 2025



The Soil Science Society of South Africa annually awards one or more bursaries to deserving final year undergraduate and/or postgraduate South African students who study full-time for a degree in the broad area of Soil Science (Soil chemistry; Soil physics; Soil biology; Soil fertility; Soil genesis, classification & mapping; Soil mineralogy; Soil technology) at a South African University.

Number of bursaries available: **1 (One)**

Amount of each bursary: **R 30,000.00 (Thirty Thousand Rand)**

Application forms available on the SSSSA website should be completed and submitted with the supporting documents to admin@soils.org.za

Closing date: 31 October 2024

Supporting documents to be submitted with the completed application form:

1. Only final year or post graduate students in soil science in 2025 will be considered, therefore a confirmation letter from the university will be required.
2. Academic record of the previous year of study at the tertiary institution
3. Proof of registration for the current academic year
4. Motivation letter for applying for the bursary
5. Reference letter from study leader/ Head of Department
6. Copy of South African ID or proof of South African permanent resident

Personal Particulars

Title		Surname		ID No	
First names				Date of birth	yyyy/mm/dd
Postal address				Age	years
				Cell	
Postal code		E-mail			

Details of Study Area

University attending			Degree	
Current academic year		Department / Major subject		
Title of proposal (Post graduate study)				

Study Leader details:

Study Leader			Head of Department		
Title		Surname		Title	
E-mail			E-mail		
Recommended	Signature		Recommended	Signature	

Declaration:

I, the above-mentioned applicant, hereby confirms that the information here above is truthful and accurate. I understand that the decision of the Council of the Soil Science Society of South Africa is final and will not be liable for awarding any bursary to any applicant(s) at all.

Applicant	Signature	Date: yyyy/mm/dd
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Indemnity

The Soil Science Society of South Africa as well as its council or employees, their executors, administrators and / or any other legal successors, are hereby indemnified by the applicant for any impression or promise of awarding a bursary to any applicant and will therefore not be liable of paying out any funds to any applicant.

Approval (President: SSSSA)	Signature	Date: yyyy/mm/dd
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