

THE SAF SCHOLARSHIP

LEAD OUR PEOPLE,
SECURE OUR FUTURE

The SAF Scholarship (formerly known as SAF Overseas Scholarship – SAFOS) is for those who see the honour in service and duty – the noble purpose of being there where it matters most. Second in prestige only to the President’s Scholarship, it provides excellent opportunities for personal and professional growth, as well as grooming for the highest levels of command and management. The SAF Scholarship offers you opportunities to be involved in operations that directly contribute to the peace and security of Singapore. Through a series of command and staff appointments, you will hone your skills as a leader, manager, planner and strategist.



“This profession allows for a diversity of experiences, from being out in the field leading men to complete operational missions, to being in the office analysing issues and making policy. As a leader, I am also responsible for the training, welfare and discipline of my soldiers as we develop to become an effective fighting unit of the SAF.”

LTC Wu Jianmin

APPLICANTS

Opening: September of each year
Closing: Mid-March of the following year



Scan QR code to submit your application.

THE SAF SCHOLARSHIP

SAF MERIT SCHOLARSHIP

DEVELOP YOUR EXPERTISE,
FULFIL YOUR ASPIRATION

The SAF Merit Scholarship equips you with a world-class education and exposes you to training that will develop your operational know-how and expertise relevant to the organisation. You will be trained to meet the challenges of the new security environment and to lead your people to fulfil the mission.



“This profession gives us different types of exposure by letting us hold different appointments on a ship as well as in the Headquarters. Aboard a ship, I get to hone my leadership and warfighter skills. At the Headquarters, I get to handle wider policy and strategic planning issues for the SAF.”

COL Goh Jerica

FOR MALE APPLICANTS

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Closing: April of the following year

FOR FEMALE APPLICANTS

Opening: April of each year
Closing: August of the same year



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SAF MERIT SCHOLARSHIP

PSC SCHOLARSHIP (ENGINEERING)

LEAD DEFENCE INNOVATIONS,
DEEPEN YOUR EXPERTISE

The PSC Scholarship (Engineering) – Defence and Security is awarded to those intent on pursuing a fulfilling engineering career in the Public Service to move our nation forward in technological innovation. The scholarship offers you a specialised engineering career proposition from the start with opportunities for deployment in MINDEF/SAF agencies whose core business lies in engineering. As specialised engineers, you will be at the forefront of cutting-edge technology, and key to developing the deep technical capabilities vital to meet future defence and security challenges.

SAF ENGINEERING SCHOLARSHIP

INNOVATE WITH TECHNOLOGY,
ENGINEER OUR FUTURE

The SAF Engineering Scholarship is for aspiring military engineers, who are ready to serve the nation and be groomed as leaders with specific deep specialisation in engineering. The scholarship equips you with a world-class education and training to spearhead in-depth engineering studies, as well as design and operationalise high-end technological capabilities for the SAF.

As military engineers, you will assume a range of challenging appointments in MINDEF/SAF. In addition, there will be opportunities to be rotated to the Defence Technology Community to augment the build-up of engineering expertise in the Defence-technology ecosystem.



“Not only do I get to work on state-of-the-art military aircraft, I also lead teams during operations and exercises to achieve organisational objectives. Knowing that we play a larger part in securing the country makes every day even more rewarding.”

ME5 Ng Wei Rong

PSC SCHOLARSHIP (ENGINEERING) APPLICANTS

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FOR SAF ENGINEERING SCHOLARSHIP MALE APPLICANTS

Opening: September of each year
Closing: April of the following year

FOR SAF ENGINEERING SCHOLARSHIP FEMALE APPLICANTS

Opening: April of each year
Closing: August of the same year



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PSC SCHOLARSHIP (ENGINEERING) / SAF ENGINEERING SCHOLARSHIP

DEFENCE MERIT SCHOLARSHIP

STRATEGISE OUR DEFENCE,
SHAPE OUR FUTURE

The Defence Merit Scholarship is a prestigious scholarship offered by MINDEF for civilian appointments in the organisation. Awarded to a select few each year, the Defence Merit Scholarship paves the way to a world-class education at some of the world’s most eminent universities. Upon graduation, Defence Merit Scholars enjoy a highly-rewarding and challenging career as a Defence Executive Officer (DXO) within MINDEF.

As a DXO, you will play a strategic role in the defence and security of Singapore. You will be at the forefront of the Ministry to shape defence policies, manage our defence budget as well as administration and management of our Human Resource pool.



“MINDEF empowers DXOs to explore the diverse range of roles, seek new challenges, acquire new skills, and further their careers in a fulfilling environment.”

Kenneth Soo

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DEFENCE MERIT SCHOLARSHIP

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If you are keen on a MINDEF/SAF Scholarship and would like us to contact you, please take a few minutes to complete this interest form and leave us your contact details.

Name:

Email:

Mobile No.:

Mailing Address:

NRIC No.:

Gender: Male Female

School: Year of Study:

I am interested in the following scholarship(s) / award(s):
You may tick more than one.

The SAF Scholarship PSC Scholarship (Engineering)

SAF Merit Scholarship SAF Engineering Scholarship

Defence Merit Scholarship SAF Academic Scholarship

SAF Medicine Scholarship SAF Local Dentistry Scholarship

SAF Academic Award SAF Engineering Award

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All information will be kept strictly confidential.
Thank you.

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A HIGHER CALLING. A DEEPER PURPOSE.

Discover how MINDEF/SAF Scholarships set you on a course to broaden your horizons. They grant you access to the best universities around the world, where you can pursue your academic interests and develop yourself to the fullest.

Upon graduation, the future challenges and opportunities of leadership and service await. Answer the higher calling to lead, serve and defend. After all, the preservation of our sovereignty calls for nothing short of excellence.

FOR MORE INFORMATION, PLEASE CONTACT:

The SAF Scholarship
PSC Scholarship (Engineering)
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SAF Medicine Scholarship
SAF Local Dentistry Scholarship

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SAF Academic Scholarship
SAF Academic Award
SAF Engineering Award

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Website: www.navycareers.gov.sg

Air Force Recruitment Centre
Tel: 1800 270 1010
Email: afr@defence.gov.sg
Website: careers.rsaf.gov.sg

Types of Scholarships & Awards	Benefits							Requirements					
	Salary	Tuition Fees & Approved Academic Charges	Allowances				Return Air Fare	Academic Results	Good Co-Curricular Activities Records	Qualify for Officer Cadet School	Singapore Citizenship / Permanent Residents	Career Interest	Others
			Maintenance / Study	Excess Baggage & Settling-in	Books & Computer	Clothing							
The SAF Scholarship The SAF Scholarship is the most prestigious scholarship, second only to the President's Scholarship. The SAF Scholars are individuals with academic excellence, outstanding military potential and exceptional leadership. You will be offered the opportunity to pursue an education at top universities and be groomed for key command and management positions in MINDEF/SAF.	▲	▲	▲	▲	▲	▲	▲				Only Singapore Citizens	Military Career	
PSC Scholarship (Engineering) The PSC Scholarship (Engineering) offers a specialised engineering career proposition from the start. You will be offered opportunities to develop deep technical capabilities in the Defence and Security cluster, and work in MINDEF/SAF agencies whose core business lies in engineering.		▲	▲	▲	▲	▲	▲				Only Singapore Citizens	Defence-Related Engineering Career	
SAF Merit Scholarship The SAF Merit Scholarship is offered to individuals with excellent academic records and dynamic leadership qualities. It offers an opportunity to further your tertiary studies at world-renowned universities and military academies, with highly competitive benefits during your studies.	▲	▲	▲	▲	▲	▲	▲	Good GCE 'A' Level or International Baccalaureate results, Polytechnic Diploma (with Merit) or equivalent				Military Career	
SAF Engineering Scholarship The SAF Engineering Scholarship is for aspiring engineers with the interest to join the SAF as Military Experts. As military engineers, you will assume a range of challenging engineering appointments in MINDEF/SAF and the Defence Technology Community.	▲	▲	▲	▲	▲	▲	▲					Military Engineering Career	
Defence Merit Scholarship The Defence Merit Scholarship is a prestigious non-military scholarship offered by MINDEF. It paves the way to a world-class education at some of the most eminent universities and offers a highly rewarding career as a Defence Executive Officer (DXO) within the Ministry.		▲	▲	▲	▲	▲	▲					Non-Military Career	
SAF Academic Scholarship The SAF Academic Scholarship is offered to bright and promising SAF officers who will be given the opportunity to study at either prestigious overseas universities, military academies, or local universities.	▲	▲				▲	▲					Military Career	
SAF Medicine Scholarship For those who aspire to become military doctors, the SAF Medicine Scholarship offers you the opportunity to pursue medical studies locally and prepares you as an officer for senior medical positions.	▲	▲				▲		Good GCE 'A' Level or International Baccalaureate results				Military Career	Secured a place in NUS Yong Loo Lin School of Medicine, NTU Lee Kong Chian School of Medicine or NUS Dentistry Faculty and attempted at least 10 academic units
SAF Local Dentistry Scholarship The SAF Local Dentistry Scholarship offers you an opportunity to pursue a Bachelor's Degree in Dentistry locally and develop as an officer for senior positions in the SAF Medical Corps.		▲	▲			▲						Military Career	
SAF Academic Award The SAF Academic Award is for bright young SAF officers with an interest in a military career to pursue their education in local universities.		▲	▲			▲		Good GCE 'A' Level or International Baccalaureate results, Polytechnic Diploma (with Merit) or equivalent				Military Career	
SAF Engineering Award The SAF Engineering Award is awarded to promising Military Experts in the SAF for studies in local universities.		▲	▲			▲						Military Engineering Career	

