

Senate Committee: Education and Employment

**QUESTION ON NOTICE
Budget Estimates 2015 - 2016**

Outcome: Higher Education Research and International

Department of Education and Training Question No. SQ15-000549

Senator Carr, Kim provided in writing.

Endeavour Mobility Grants, and Endeavour Scholarships and Fellowships

Question

In relation to Endeavour Mobility Grants, and Endeavour Scholarships and Fellowships:

- (a) What will be the budget in 2015-16 for these activities? Can you also provide it in calendar year figures – from 2015 onwards?
 (b) For the 2015 round of scholarships how many applications were received? Can you break down the number of applications by program and country?

Answer

- (a) Budget Financial Year 2015-2016 \$46,552,000
 Calendar Year 2015 \$46,058,750
 Calendar Year 2016 \$47,255,500
 Calendar Year 2017 \$47,959,000
 Calendar Year 2018 \$47,959,000

- (b) 4106 applications were received. The distribution by program and country is below.

Country of Citizenship	Endeavour Postgraduate Scholarship (Masters)	Endeavour Postgraduate Scholarship (PhD)	Endeavour Research Fellowship	Endeavour Vocational Education and Training Scholarship	Endeavour Executive Fellowship	Endeavour Postgraduate Scholarship	Endeavour Queen Elizabeth II Diamond Jubilee Scholarship	Endeavour Australia Cheung Kong Research Fellowship	Endeavour Research Fellowship for Indigenous Australians	Endeavour Australia India Education Council Research Fellowship	Grand Total
Afghanistan	17	5		4							26
Argentina	14	3	5		1						23
Australia			110		41	36	24	4	4	1	220
Austria	3	1	1		1						6
Bangladesh	58	114	29	2	4						207
Barbados	1	1		1							3
Belgium		1	4	1							6

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Belize	1										1
Bhutan	432	28	1	194	5						660
Bolivia	4										4
Brazil	21	6	3	5	3						38
Brunei Darussalam	1	1									2
Bulgaria	3	1			1						5
Cambodia	21	17	1	4	1						44
Cameroon				1							1
Canada	8	13	23	2	5						51
Chile	17	3									20
China	20	47	104	4	14			4			193
Colombia	25	2		1							28
Costa Rica	2										2
Croatia	1		5		1						7
Czech Republic	1	2	5	1	1						10
Denmark					1						1
Ecuador	10	2									12
Egypt		1	1								2
El Salvador	3										3
Ethiopia		1									1
Fiji	8	6		3	1						18
Finland		2	1								3
France	5	13	16		1						35
Germany	11	9	13	1	4						38
Greece		1	1								2
Grenada	1										1
Guatemala	4			2							6
Guyana	2										2
Haiti				1							1
Honduras	4										4
Hong Kong SAR	4	7	4								15
Hungary		2	3		1						6

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India	37	59	206	4	38		1			1	346
Indonesia	43	35	18	12	7						115
Iraq	8	9	8	2	1						28
Ireland		1	4		2						7
Islamic Republic of Iran	11	58	29	1	2						101
Italy	15	6	26	2	4						53
Jamaica	9	2		1							12
Japan	2	2	4	1	1			1			11
Jordan	8	9	8		3	1					29
Kiribati	3	1		1							5
Laos	7	3	1	2	6						19
Latvia	2		1								3
Lebanon		1									1
Lithuania	2			1							3
Luxembourg	1										1
Macau	2										2
Malaysia	23	11	18	4	5			1			62
Maldives	10	2		1							13
Mexico	43	8	1	5	2						59
Mongolia	23	1		6	1						31
Nepal	39	23	4	3	2						71
Netherlands	1	3	10		2						16
New Zealand			7								7
Nicaragua	2										2
Norway		1									1
Oman	2										2
Pakistan	159	120	76	29	21	1					406
Panama	2										2
Papua New Guinea	13	5		13							31
Paraguay	1										1
Peru	5	1		1							7
Philippines	29	16	2	6	1						54

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Poland	2	1	14		2						19
Portugal		1	4								5
Republic of Korea (South Korea)	11	8	2	2	1						24
Romania	1	3	1	1							6
Russian Federation	12	3	9	3	1						28
Saint Lucia	2	1									3
Saint Vincent and the Grenadines	1	1		1							3
Samoa	1										1
Saudi Arabia	2		1								3
Singapore	16	7	3		1	1					28
Slovakia		1	3								4
Slovenia			1		1						2
Solomon Islands	3	2		13	1						19
Spain	8	3	14	1	1						27
Sri Lanka	27	68	14		23						132
Sweden			1								1
Syrian Arab Republic	5	2									7
Taiwan	3	5	2			1					11
Tanzania, United Republic of		1									1
Thailand	41	13	20	1	12						87
Timor-Leste	1	1									2
Tonga	1				1						2
Trinidad and Tobago	3										3
Turkey	3	1	1								5
United Arab Emirates		1									1
United Kingdom	10	10	29	2							51

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United States of America	31	23	24	1	13	1					93
Uruguay	2										2
Vanuatu	1			2							3
Venezuela	3	2	1	1							7
Vietnam	134	118	21	9	22						304
Yemen	10	3			1						14
Grand Total	1538	945	918	359	264	41	25	10	4	2	4106