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OFFICE OF THE PRESIDENT
COMMISSION ON HIGHER EDUCATION



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MEMORANDUM FROM THE OFFICE OF THE CHAIRPERSON

**TO : PRESIDENTS/HEADS OF HIGHER EDUCATION INSTITUTIONS
CHED CENTRAL AND REGIONAL OFFICE
DIRECTORS/OFFICERS-IN-CHARGE**

**SUBJECT : CALL FOR APPLICATIONS: AUSTRALIA AWARDS
SCHOLARSHIPS 2023 INTAKE**

DATE : 17 March 2022

The Commission on Higher Education is pleased to inform interested parties of the call for applications for the Australia Awards Scholarship for the 2023 intake.

The Australia Awards Scholarship are prestigious international awards offered by the Australian Government to the next generation of global leaders for development. The program has two categories:

1. **Open category** - offered to Filipino leaders from both public and private sector who are interested to pursue postgraduate studies in Australia and implement a development project in the Philippines.
2. **Targeted category** - offered to Australia's key partner agencies delivering priority development initiatives.

Applicants are required to accomplish the Re-Entry Action Plan (REAP) which gives returning Filipino scholars the opportunity to use the competencies acquired in Australia to meaningful programs which will contribute to Philippine development.

Interested applicants may visit the official Australia Awards Scholarships website at <http://www.australiaawardsphilippines.org/> for more information about the eligibility criteria and the admissions process.

Deadline for applications is on **29 April 2022**.

Wide dissemination of this Memorandum is desired.


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