The London Neighbourhood Scholarship supports aspiring young architects from the heart of London’s communities.

We directly tackle the architecture profession’s lack of diversity by awarding architecture scholarships to disadvantaged young people from London’s neighbourhoods.

Applications are now open

About the scholarship

• Scholars studying an undergraduate architecture degree will receive £10,000 per year (£30,000 in total) to cover material costs and living expenses.
• Scholars will be supported by LNS ambassadors who will offer mentoring and work experience opportunities.
• We actively encourage applications from under-represented groups including those from minority backgrounds.

Eligibility criteria

• You must hold a September 2022 course offer from a London school of architecture for a full-time undergraduate degree in Architecture.
• You must have lived in London for at least 3 years
• You must be able to demonstrate a household income of below £25,000
• You must be under the age of 25 at the time of applying

Key dates

• Applications open: February 2022
• Applications close: 8 July 2022
• Shortlisted candidates notified: July 2022
• Interviews: July-August 2022
• Successful candidates notified: August 2022
• Confirmation of scholars: August-September 2022

How to apply

You need to:
• Complete the application form
• Submit a CV
• Submit a sample portfolio

In the application form we ask you to respond to these questions:

• How do you think this opportunity could improve your student experience? (maximum 200 words)
• Describe a space or place in your neighbourhood that benefits the local community and is special to you. (maximum 200 words)

We also ask you to provide evidence of:

• Offer/s to study architecture at a London school of architecture
• Evidence that you have lived in London for at least 3 years (eg letter from your school)
• Evidence that your household income is less than £25,000 (eg confirmation that you are eligible for free school meals, or student finance application status)

Full instructions on how to apply can be found at:
www.neighbourhoodscholarship.london/students

Contact the LNS team on: team@neighbourhoodscholarship.london or 02036178725