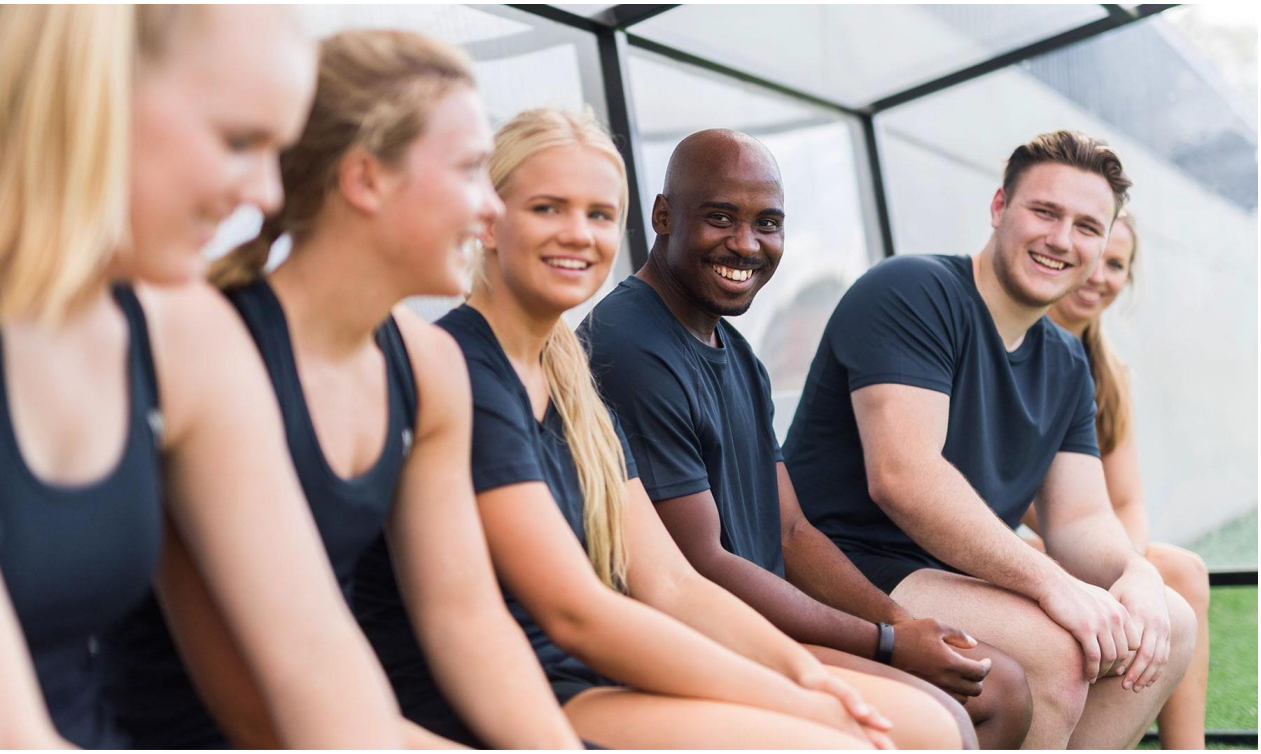
# INTERNATIONAL SPORT COLLEGE AUSTRALIA

**APPLICATIONS CLOSE: FRIDAY 15 JANUARY 2027**

# WOMEN IN SPORT ISCA SCHOLARSHIP APPLICATION FORM

FEBRUARY 2027



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ISCA offers students an innovative blend of both classroom and practical components of study. The Diploma covers three units that are run over 13 week periods (including examinations) for each of the three study periods. This includes one high performance unit in each study period. Please review the ISCA brochure for further information.

The 2027 Women in Sport ISCA Scholarship is open to new students commencing the Diploma of Sport Management (High Performance) in February 2027*. Students must have a leadership role or be seeking a leadership role in sport. The Women in Sport ISCA Scholarship rewards performance, dedication, passion, community contribution and academia. The Women in Sport ISCA Scholarship represents a professional advantage to your CV and a very valuable endorsement of you as an individual.

If you are a passionate person with lots of energy and interest in Sports Management and High Performance, we believe that you should apply.

**Value: UP TO** $10,000 tuition waiver*

*PLEASE NOTE – Partial Scholarships are likely to be awarded when application numbers are high.

**Applications Due:** 5pm Friday 15 January 2027 for the February 2027 study period.

*applicable to online enrolments also unless otherwise informed

## Applying for a Scholarship with ISCA

- The scholarships listed above are open to Australian and New Zealand citizens/permanent residents who have completed year 12 (NZ: year 13) or equivalent studies.
- Applicants must ensure they have submitted a Direct Application and returned their signed Acceptance Declaration to college admissions prior to being considered for a Women in Sport ISCA Scholarship.
- The presentation, content, relevance and creativity of the application and the academic merit of applicants will be considered.
- Applications close 5pm Friday 15 January 2027.
- Late applications will not be accepted.
- Applications can be submitted in hard copy or email.
- Applications will not be returned to the applicant, please do not include any original documentation and make copies of all references.
- Applications will be reviewed by the Scholarship Board led by the Chairperson of the Professional Scholarships Program.
- Finalists will be chosen based on stages one and two of this application.
- Finalists will be required to sit a Panel Interview and must be available in person. (Refer Stage 3 information on the following page).
- Scholarship winners will be chosen from the group of finalists and following the interview stage.
- It is preferable for students that have registered with UAC to place ISCA as their highest possible preference.

***NOTE:*** *Scholarship submissions* ***will not be returned****. Unsuccessful applications are not retained and will be securely destroyed.*

## Application Process

### STAGE 1 - REFERRAL

As an applicant, you must include a referral from a school principal, career advisor, sports manager or coach (or similar). Your referee must complete the attached form including a written reference with information about your personal qualities, academic ability, achievements in the school or sporting community and any other relevant information. You may include more than one referral in your application, provided one of the above listed referees is one of those.

Please ensure the attached Referral Form is complete and signed by your referee.

### STAGE 2: REPORT

Please submit a detailed report addressing the following points. (Minimum 500 words)

1. How will you personally benefit from an education at ISCA?
2. Outline your experience in working in teams and how you intend to apply that experience during your time at ISCA.
3. What do you think are the biggest challenges facing women in leadership roles in sport and what steps can be taken to overcome these hurdles?
4. Consider your career goal for the future. You have graduated from ISCA. Describe your position and explain how your experiences at ISCA have helped you reach this level.
5. How do you describe balancing sport and study? What are the key lessons you can share?

## TIPS…

- Visit www.iscaustralia.edu.au/
- Be creative and realistic
- Interviews with industry professionals may assist you with developing your ideas

The following documents must also be submitted with the report.

- Last set of high school transcripts and/or trial results
- School, community or sporting awards and/or leadership roles
- References (personal and/or work)
- ISCA Application form (if submitted online, please print a copy of the submission OR your Letter of Offer received by the Admissions department)

## STAGE 3: INTERVIEW

Based on the results of Stages 1 & 2, a short list of finalists will be selected for a Panel Interview by the Scholarship Board. The Interview will be conducted at the ICMS campus in Manly, NSW, will be used to further ascertain the candidates.

## STAGE 4: ACADEMIC

The final scholarship recipients will be selected based on the results of Stages 1 through 3, and final Year 12 (NZ: Year 13) results. All interviews will be held on zoom or on campus at ICMS, 151 Darley Road, Manly, NSW.

If you are selected as a finalist, and have completed year 12 you will be required to submit your final Year 12 results to the attention of the Scholarship Board within 48 hours of receipt by email to icmsscholarships@icms.edu.au

## Terms & Conditions (please read carefully before signing the declaration)

1. The Scholarship Board's decision is final.
2. ISCA reserves the right to terminate the Scholarship at any time for poor sports or academic performance or inappropriate conduct (see ICMS Student Handbook).
3. Scholarship Applicants may only apply for one Scholarship per study period – Multiple scholarship applications will not be accepted.
4. The Women in Sport ISCA Scholarship offers a tuition waiver UP TO the value of $10,000. Partial scholarships are likely to be awarded when application numbers are high. Subject to approval by the ICMS Scholarship Board.
5. The scholarship amount awarded will be credited to tuition as a portion of the fees in each study period for the duration of the course of their study or until the scholarship credit is exhausted. Scholarship credit can and may be applied to a later study period than the commencement study period.
6. College fees are subject to change.
7. ISCA scholarships are not refundable and non-transferrable, meaning the scholarship cannot be converted to another program, education provider, or recipient nominated by the original recipient.
8. The Scholarship is not available to students using any other scholarship, bursary or discount at ISCA.
9. The applicant must ensure they have a submitted Direct Application and returned their signed Acceptance Declaration to college admissions prior to being considered for a Women in Sport ISCA Scholarship.
10. The recipient of the scholarship agrees to abide by all admissions criteria and rules and regulations prescribed by ISCA while enrolled.
11. The recipient of the Women in Sport ISCA scholarship must commence the program in the February 2027 study period and is not able to defer study at any time during their scholarship. It is the responsibility of the recipient to contact the Admissions Manager at ISCA to apply for commencement within the specified period.
12. Once the successful recipient has been notified of the scholarship value, that value is not negotiable and not changeable.
13. If the recipient of the Women in Sport ISCA scholarship fails a subject, the recipient is obliged to retake the subject at their cost.
14. The Scholarship is a tuition waiver that can only be used for the purpose of attending ISCA for the Diploma of Sport Management (High Performance). The balance of remaining fees, including accommodation, uniforms, books and any other program related costs for each enrolling study period must be paid in full prior to study period commencement. Where relevant accommodation scholarships may be considered.
15. It is suggested that the Scholarship recipient complete Contribution hours each week* for the duration of the Scholarship.
16. The Scholarship recipient should consider participating in at least one student committee.
17. The Scholarship recipients must be 18 years of age within six months of commencing the ISCA Diploma of Sport Management (High Performance).

18. ISCA scholarships may be discontinued by the College, dependent upon termly review of sporting and/or academic standing, and/or professional conduct.

19. Academic Integrity will be reviewed regularly. Any academic misconduct can inhibit your current scholarship or your scholarship application. Academic misconduct registered greater than one level 1 incident, or, a single level 2 or 3, will result in immediate discontinuation of the scholarship or a non-acceptance of any scholarship application.

20. The Women in Sport ISCA Scholarship cannot be deferred.

** Contribution Hours can be discussed with the Chair ICMS Scholarships.*

## Women in Sport ISCA Scholarship – Referral Form

To be completed by your Year 12 (Year 13) Adviser, Dean of Studies or similar

The school or coach's referral/recommendation is an important part of the professional scholarship application process. Each applicant is required to have a referral from an influential member of this school community. We ask that you complete and sign this page and attach a written reference for the applicant. Once complete, please return it to the applicant for inclusion in the application.

The reference should provide information about the student's personal qualities and academic capability as well as details about leadership roles and achievements. All information you provide will be held in confidence.

Please provide the full name of the student whom you are referring for this Scholarship:

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Please indicate if the student named above has attained the following (tick all that apply)

☐ Leadership positions or achievements. Please specify

Please attach your reference or recommendation to this application (feel free to leave additional comments below)

## Declaration

I declare that the information provided in this form is true and correct.

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| Name: | School Stamp: |
| Position Title: | |
| Signature: | |
| Date: | |

Please return this completed form to scholarship applicant to include in their application. For questions please email icmsscholarships@icms.edu.au

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**FEBRUARY 2027**

## Key Information:

- **Applications Close: 5pm Friday 15 January 2027**
- Successful Applicants will progress to Panel Interview.

## Program:

☐ Diploma of Sport Management (High Performance)

## Personal Details:

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| First Name: | Surname: | |
| Nationality: | Date of Birth: / / | |
| Address: | | |
| Suburb: | State: | Postcode: |
| Telephone: | Skype Email: | |
| Email: | | |

## You are required to submit the following documentation:

☐ Completed Scholarship Application Form
☐ Last school academic transcript, including awards and/or certificates
☐ Headshot photograph (a school picture is acceptable)
☐ Stage 1: referral from your school or sporting club (see attached form)
☐ Stage 2: report
☐ Other documents that may supplement the application i.e. work and/or personal references
☐ Completed ISCA Application Form (or submission of an online application)

## Declaration

I wish to be considered for the Women in Sport ISCA Scholarship to undertake a program of study at ISCA and declare that the information submitted is correct and complete. I understand that ISCA may obtain official records from any school or university I have previously attended. I understand that ISCA reserves the right to vary or reverse any decision made on the basis of incorrect or incomplete information. I have read and understood the ISCA Terms and Conditions. I understand that Women in Sport ISCA scholarship will provide the necessary funds only to cover the tuition fees. I understand that the scholarship does not cover any allowance or teaching assistance to support my living costs and I have made appropriate arrangements to support myself during the period of my studies.

| Signature of applicant: | |
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| | Date: / / |

## Please submit your completed application to:

Attention: ICMS Scholarship Board

Email: icmsscholarships@icms.edu.au – Subject Line: Women in Sport ISCA Scholarship Application