

# Validus Scholarship

The Validus Scholarship provides financial support for full time study in undergraduate degrees at accredited universities. Awards are made on an annual basis and may be renewed. The Scholarship covers tuition and fees, room and board, and makes provision for a potential employment opportunity within the Validus Summer Student Program. Funds may be also used for travel to and from school.

Selection is based on a combination of academic acumen, financial need, character, community involvement and the interview. Validus Scholars will have a history of academic and social achievement, commitment to their community and demonstrate leadership skills.

## Eligibility:

- Candidates must have attended school in Bermuda for at least five (5) years
- Candidates must have financial need, preference is given to students who have completed their first year of university
- Preference is given to students studying Accounting, Actuarial Science, Business, Economics, Finance, Insurance & Risk management, Mathematics or Information Technology
- Candidates must possess a genuine desire to pursue a career in reinsurance
- Candidates must hold Bermudian Status or Permanent Resident Certificate

## Application Process:

Students are required to submit their application via [www.bermudascholarships.com](http://www.bermudascholarships.com) and to complete an application package consisting of the following:

- Bermudascholarships.com website profile (application form) with photo
- Resume
- Academic letter of recommendation
- Personal letter of recommendation
- Proof of Bermudian or PRC status
- Current transcript
- An essay of no more than 750 words on the topic 'The Biggest Challenge Facing the Reinsurance Industry Today'
- Financial Need Form
- Letter from college stating tuition costs

All applications must be submitted directly via [www.bermudascholarships.com](http://www.bermudascholarships.com) by Friday, April 24, 2020.

Incomplete applications will not be considered.

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