<u>Resources for Sudanese scholars 9/2024 - will continue to be updated as resources are identified. If you would like to add to the list, send information to amsarc2017@gmail.com</u>

Scholars at Risk Programs

Themis Mobility Program, Fondation Maison des Sciences de l'Homme https://www.fmsh.fr/en/funding/themis-programme

The FMSH supports the intellectual community in countries marked by various obstacles to academic freedom. The Themis mobility program is dedicated to researchers whose fields and research are hindered. The Fondation Maison des Sciences de l'Homme offers mobility grants for stays in France of 2 to 3 months for researchers of all nationalities who face obstacles to academic freedom in their countries.

This mobility grant is intended for research work in France: fieldwork, library and archive work.

International Institute of Education Scholar Rescue Fund https://www.scholarrescuefund.org/applicants/instructions-and-application/

Contact: Marc Maillot mmaillot@uchicago.edu Bruce Williams wecurb1@gmail.com who would be happy to provide reference letters upon reception of applications and guidance through the process. The fund seems to be flexible with application deadlines, as it is relief oriented.

Scholars at Risk Network

https://www.scholarsatrisk.org/get-help/

SAR and Gerda Henkel Foundation Support for At-risk Scholars from Sudan https://www.scholarsatrisk.org/the-network-archived/sar-and-gerda-henkel-foundation-support-for-at-risk-scholars-from-sudan/

Sudanese Scholarship Database

This is a curated list of scholarships exclusively tailored for Sudanese students. https://www.nasalsudan.com/scholarshipdatabase

Universities currently recruiting/supporting African/Sudanese Students

New York University Center for the Study of Africa and the African Diaspora 2024-2025 Fellowship

The CSAAD Research Fellowship invites scholars based and living in Africa and the Diaspora (outside of North America and Europe), who have completed the PhD within the last four years, to submit applications for the opportunity to spend either one or two semesters at New York University. The fellowship is open to scholars in the Humanities and Social Sciences, and the research must focus on some aspect(s) of Africa or its Diaspora.

The Fellowship will provide a studio apartment, cover airfare, and provide a stipend of \$35,000 per semester - from either September 1, 2024 - January 12, 2025; or January 16, 2025 - May 31, 2025.

Click here for link to application.

Wolfson College, Cambridge University, Pamela K. Omidyar Trust Scholarship for Students from Sudan

This scholarship of £35,000-£40,000 is intended to support students from Sudan whose education has been disrupted by the conflict in that country. It is funded by a generous gift from the Pamela K Omidyar Trust to Wolfson College. The College will seek additional partnerships in order to increase the size and number of the awards available.

https://www.wolfson.cam.ac.uk/fees-funding/scholarships-awards (Go to Wolfson Awards for Postgraduates and then click on Various Disciplines tab)

Masters in International and Regional Studies (MIRS), University of Michigan
This is an MA-only program but could be a stepping stone to applying to a funded PhD program at Michigan or elsewhere. This program is run through the "International Institute", which has centers that focus on different regions of the world. Sudanese students could apply through the African Studies Center or the Center for Middle East and North African Studies. Students in MIRS can design most of their own program of study, so it could focus on archaeology, heritage, museums, and related fields. Applications due December 15 each year.

https://ii.umich.edu/ii/students/MIRS.html. Contact: Geoff Emberling (geoffe@umich.edu)

Rice University

"We do indeed recruit African students for the PHD program in anthropological archaeology. Right now, we don't have any open grad lines and so are not currently taking students. In general, however, we recruit students who are interested in archaeology and normally those students have a post in a university or museum in their home country. I'm happy to talk to any students about the program and what it entails."

Contact: Jeffrey Fleisher ifleisher@rice.edu

Ghent University

Applications are invited for one PhD research position of one-year, starting as early as possible in 2024 and renewable once with three additional years, to carry out ethnographically informed archaeological research within the ERC-funded CongUbangi project led by Prof. Dr. Sara Pacchiarotti at the Department of Languages and Cultures at Ghent University in Ghent, Belgium (http://www.talenenculturen.ugent.be). Within this department, the student will operate in the UGent Centre for Bantu Studies (http://research.flw.ugent.be/en/bantugent), associated with the UGent African Studies program (http://www.africanstudies.ugent.be). All nationalities are welcome to apply; selected candidates are expected to relocate to Ghent, Belgium. https://www.ugent.be/en/work/scientific/doctoral-fellow-6

Universities supporting Sudanese faculty

University of Michigan African Presidential Scholars (UMAPS)

4-5 months of funding (including travel and housing) for a faculty member to conduct research, working with a mentor at the University of Michigan. Applications due in September of each year. https://ii.umich.edu/asc/umaps.html. Contact: Geoff Emberling (geoffe@umich.edu)

Grant funding sources

Michela Schiff Giorgini Foundation for conducting research and publishing http://www.egyptologues.net/liens/fondation/foundation-schiff-giorginit.htm

Shelby White and Leon Levy Program for Archaeological Publications https://whitelevy.fas.harvard.edu/

Wenner-Gren Foundation (has several different types of grants that could be useful) https://wennergren.org/grants-fellowships/