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Objectives:

- Address the glossary of terms pertaining to higher education and funding
- Address the role a student's passport status and secondary school leaving certificate could play in their pursuit of different forms of aid
- Address the role of access in terms of institutional financial aid based on the institution's own application model

Glossary of terms:

Financial aid

Need-based

Merit-based

Tuition scholarship

Loan

Governmental subsidies

Stipends



Africa

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Asia



Africa

- 1,225 Universities
- Most are government owned
- Some are free for their citizens
- 601- Private
- Merit-Based admission and Scholarship
- MasterCard Scholarship Programs

Asia

- 5,984 officially recognized higher-education institutions
- Private and public institutions
- Merit-Based admission and scholarship
- Government funded scholarships

Ghana



- Ministry of Higher Education requires 3 A-Levels or student must have completed high school in their own country.
 - Submit school leaving certificate from country of application
 - MasterCard Scholarship available
 - Institutional funding available for international students

Examples

- Kwame Nkrumah University of Science and Technology
- Ashesi University
- Academic City

South Africa



- Most universities are private institutions
- School equivalency required for application
 - NSFAS -Government Loan
 - Mastercard foundation scholarship
 - Institutional financial aid
 - Part time jobs
 - University of Cape Town
 - University of Pretoria

Other Institutions to consider in Africa

- ALU- Rwanda, Conservation
 - Secondary school leaving equivalency required
- ALC- Mauritius, Engineering
 - 3 A-Levels Required
 - Full scholarships available via MasterCard
- Kepler & Southern Hampshire University- Rwanda
- International University of Grand-Bassam Cote D'ivoire
- Satellite Colleges in Mauritius
- University of Botswana - Free for citizens, scholarship is available for students from the Southern African region

Japan



- Diplomatic relations
- Merit-Based scholarship
- MEXT Scholarship for students from developing countries
 - Tuition Waiver
 - Travel cost
- Need to Cover living expenses
 - Part-time jobs
- Example: Asian Pacific University, International Christian University, Doshisha University

South Korea



- Tuition Waivers are available
- Global Korea Scholarship
 - Needs to be nominated by a South Korean Embassy
- Merit-Based scholarship are available
- Employment Exhibitions are held every year to assist foreign students employment.
- Part and Full time jobs
- KAIST, UNIST & Yonsei (Underwood College)

Hong Kong



- Merit-based scholarships
 - He for she Impact Champion Scholarship
 - Hon-ping for Nigerian Students
 - Hong-kong Belt and Road scholarship
 - Hong Kong for future leaders
- Apply early for best results
- A-Levels & SAT Score required for scholarship
- Large deposits for enrollment
- Hong Kong Baptist University, Hong Kong University, Hong Kong Polytechnic University

EUROPE

- UK
- EU zone
- non-EU countries
- EEA countries



EUROPE

Defining Access -

- Nationality/passport (EU vs. non-EU)
 - Cost brackets
- Entry pathways
 - Degree selection
 - Secondary School Leaving Certificate (IB, AP, US HS Diploma, National Diplomas)

Defining Selectivity -

- Nationality/passport (EU vs. non-EU)
 - Quotas by countries for entry into programs
- Entry pathways
 - Points based system in regards to Secondary School Leaving Certificates
 - Selection at the gate (testing)

Europe

- How affordable is an EU Higher education for a non-EU passport holder?
- What financial aid/scholarship resources are available to EU vs. non-EU passport holders?



Europe:

Low & No Tuition Fees for EU passport holders

- [Denmark](#)
- [Estonia](#)
- [Finland](#)
- [Latvia](#)
- [Lithuania](#)
- [Norway](#)
- [Sweden](#)



EUROPE and “full rides”

- Mostly available through institutions that are usually private.
- Selectivity a factor - holistics-based type of admissions.
- Looking for a specific kind of a candidate, apart from academic rigor (e.g., first generation, etc.)
- If a country-wide type of scholarship, then it is based on bilateral agreement stipulations (e.g., Hungary).
- Consider “family ties” (e.g., Lithuania)

Institutions that practice merit-based kind of scholarship aid:

[Jacobs Bremen](#) (merit plus loans; also 5 full scholarships 2020-2021)

[Bard College Berlin](#)

[Stipendium Hungaricum*](#)

[University College Utrecht*](#)

[Tallinn Institute of Technology](#)

[University of Tartu](#)

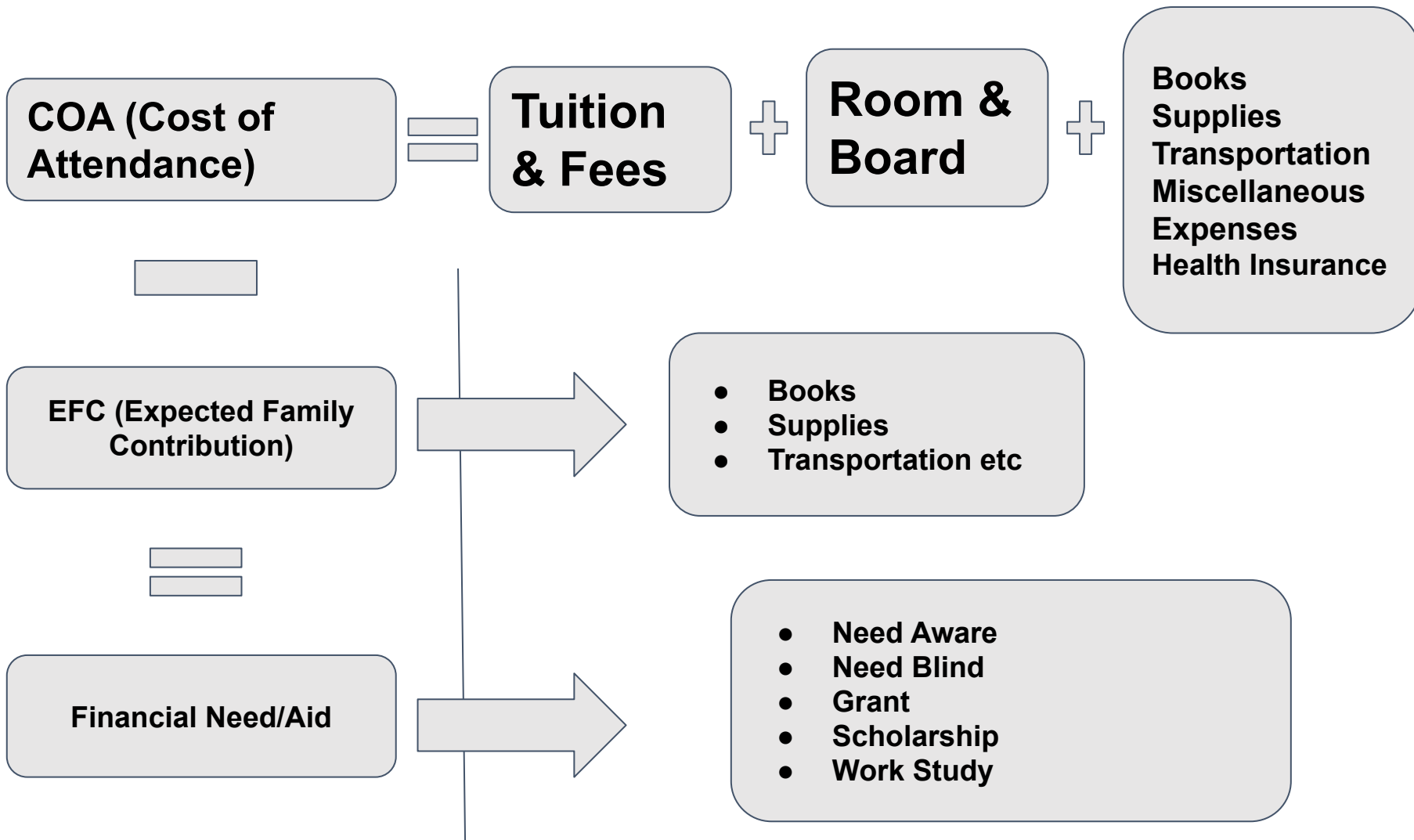
[Aalto University](#) (Finland)

Kaunas University of Technology (LT)

[LCC International University \(LT\)](#)

US Higher Education Financial Aid Landscape:

- Need-blind and meet full demonstrated need
- Need-sensitive/aware plus meet full demonstrated need
- Need-blind plus do not meet full demonstrated need (gapping)



	<i>Year 1</i>	<i>Year 2</i>	<i>Year 3</i>	<i>Year 4</i>	<i>Total</i>
Kofi Annan Scholarship	\$48,456	\$49,315	\$50,209	\$50,938	\$198,918
Turck Honor Scholarship	\$12,500	\$12,500	\$12,500	\$12,500	\$50,000
Campus Residence Grant	\$1,194	\$1,236	\$1,280	\$1,326	\$5,036
MCISL Loan	\$3,000	\$4,000	\$5,000	\$6,000	\$18,000
Student Employment	\$3,100	\$3,600	\$4,100	\$4,800	\$15,600
Total	<u>\$68,250</u>	<u>\$70,651</u>	<u>\$73,089</u>	<u>\$75,564</u>	<u>\$287,554</u>

The Charles J. Turck Presidential Honor Scholarship is awarded to a limited number of international students who demonstrate special potential to excel academically at [REDACTED]. In the 1940s and 1950s President Charles J. Turck gave new emphasis to the College's internationalism by recruiting international students, creating overseas study opportunities, and hiring faculty from diverse backgrounds. As a symbol of commitment to international harmony, he raised the United Nations flag on campus in 1950, and it has flown every day since then, just below the United States flag. Under his leadership, the College also broadened its base of community service and intensified its continuing interest in civic and national affairs. See [REDACTED] policies applicable to this scholarship.

[REDACTED] of trustees will set 2020-2021 prices in early 2020. The estimates shown below are subject to change. Final prices will be posted at www.macalester.edu/financialaid/tuition as soon as they are available.

Full-Time Tuition	\$58,248	Other Estimated Costs:	
Room	\$7,026	Books & Supplies	\$1,213
Board	\$6,058	Personal Expenses	\$996
Activity Fee	\$230	Health & Accident Insurance	\$2,511
Comprehensive Fee	<u>\$71,562</u>		

US Institutions and “full rides” - flagship merit-based scholarships

[University of Virginia - Jefferson Scholars](#)

[University of North Carolina Chapel Hill - Morehead Cain](#)

[University of Richmond - Richmond Scholars](#)

[Washington and Lee University - The Johnson Scholarship](#)

[Duke University - The Karsh International Scholarship](#)

[Davidson College - Belk Scholarship](#)

[Babson College - Global Scholarship](#)

[Centre College - Lincoln Scholars Program](#)

[University of Notre Dame - The Hesburgh-Yusko Scholars](#)

Canada: Further Considerations

- Select substantive scholarships
 - University of British Columbia
 - [International Leader of Tomorrow](#)
 - University of Toronto
 - [Lester B. Pearson Scholarship](#)
- Low fees + scholarship combination ([Memorial, U of Alberta](#) IB Scholarship)
- Co-Op programs

Questions and Thank You!