Newcastle University International Postgraduate Applicant Deposits

It was agreed that all International applicants applying for direct entry onto a 2012/13 and 2013/14 Postgraduate Programme should either pay a deposit of £1500 or submit proof of sponsorship. Once payment or proof of sponsorship has been received (and all other conditions have been met), the place on the programme will be confirmed and a CAS issued for their visa application.

Refund of Deposits

The applicants are informed that it is a non-refundable deposit which will be deducted from their tuition fees at registration. However, there are a few instances where the deposit will be refunded, these are as follows;

a. Where the applicant has paid the deposit before meeting all the conditions required by the programme (such as English language or Bachelor award) and is rejected by the University when the final certificate is received as it does not match the criteria required for the programme.

b. Where the visa application has been refused by UKBA and it is established that this was due to an error by the University (such as incomplete data on the UKBA SMS database)

c. Where the applicant's CAS for the INTO pre-sessional programme or Postgraduate programme has been issued and received too late for a visa application to be made in time to arrive for the start of the programme.

d. Where the applicant is informed that the Postgraduate programme is not running that academic year.

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