GÉRARD BASSET FOUNDATION





Bursary Application FormWSET Level 4 Award in Wines 2025

The WSET Level 4 Award in Wines is one of the most challenging but rewarding qualifications in wine and the IWEC is proud to be able to facilitate learning for what we hope will be the new leaders in the South African wine industry. Thanks to the Gérard Basset Foundation we are delighted to offer a bursary for one deserving student.

The cost for WSET Level 4 is R145,000. This bursary is worth R100,000.

Requirements:

- You have passed WSET Level 3 in Wines with a Merit or Distinction grade.
- You are currently employed in the wine/hospitality/tourism industries.
- You are from an historically disadvantaged community.
- You can commit financially by covering the balance of the course cost of R45,000 (due by 30 June 2025).
- You are committed to attend *all* lectures and exams (dates below) held in either Johannesburg or Stellenbosch.
- You are motivated to make a difference in the wine industry in Africa.

Please note the following before you make your application:

If you need to retake the exam there will be additional charges.

This bursary cannot be combined with any other bursaries.

The bursary is only applicable for the WSET Level 4 Diploma in Wines commencing Monday 04 August 2025. Further course and exam dates are available on our website.

How to apply:

If you meet all the criteria above, please complete the below application form and return it to **bursary@thewinecentre.co.za** along with the following:

- 1. Letter of motivation explaining why you should be awarded this bursary.
- 2. CV with contactable references.
- 3. Copy of a photo ID.

Dates

- ~ Applications are open until 30 April 2025.
- ~ Shortlisted candidates will be contacted for interview.
- ~ The successful students will be informed on 16 May 2025.
- ~ Your payment balance will be due in full no later than 30 June 2025.

Please complete using BLOCK CAPITAL LETTERS

Please return the completed form to bursary@thewinecentre.co.za

SECTION A - YOUR DETAILS

First Name(s):	
Title and Surname:	
Date of Birth:	
Cell Number:	
Email Address:	
Employer:	Position:
Postal Address:	
City:	Post Code:

SECTION B – QUALIFICATIONS

	WSET LEVEL 3 Award in Wines
When passed	
Where taken	
Grade Achieved	

	qualifications and/or experience:

Do not forget to attach your motivation letter, current CV and copy of photo ID.

IWEC Terms & Conditions

1. Cancellations by IWEC.

- a. We reserve the right to cancel the course for any reason.
- b. In the event that we cancel a course prior to the date starting, we will notify all concerned parties as soon as possible and refund any monies that have been paid to us in respect of said cancelled goods and/or services. We cannot be held liable for any interest that may have been payable on said monies in the interim period nor can we be held liable for any loss or compensation resulting from the cancellation of said goods and/or services.
- c. Monies paid from overseas will be refunded at the current exchange rate or the exchange rate on the day payment was made, whichever is the lesser.

2. Cancellations by students.

a. If the student is no longer able to attend the course and/or exams, no refund or transfer of the course fees will be made.

3. Examinations and Certificates

- a. All course and exam dates are fixed, and alternatives are not available.
- b. Upon successfully passing the examinations students will receive a digital certificate and badge.
- c. Re-sit examinations costs are not included in the initial course cost. Please contact us for details.

Bank Details:

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Address:

128 Ladies Mile Service Road Account Name: Investec Meadowridge Bank Code: 580105 7806 Branch Name: 100 Grayston Drive Cape Town Account Name: The Nose Wine Bar cc South Africa Account Number: 10012514427 Contact: **Business:** W: www.thewinecentre.co.za VAT: 4360203089 E: info@thewinecentre.co.za **CC Number** 2002/002902/23 T: +27 (0)82 764 0680 Do not forget to include the following when applying: 1. Letter of motivation explaining why you should be awarded this bursary. 2. CV with contactable references. 3. Copy of a photo ID **Declaration** Please sign below to indicate you have read and agree to our Terms & Conditions. Signed at ______ the ____ day of