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KILLIE CAMPBELL BURSARY

The Killie Campbell Bursary is awarded to post graduate students in the discipline of History who are attending a University in South Africa. Their area of research, or dissertation, needs to be on a topic relating to South Africa. Preference has always been given to deserving students who have an excellent academic record.

The Bursary has been awarded almost annually for well over 30 years. The South African National Society (SANS) is proud to say that many winners have enjoyed successful careers and gone on to play a leading role in South African society.

The amount to be awarded is discussed by the committee each year and then paid in two instalments, the first generally between September and December - the second only being paid after a written submission by the candidate's supervisor.

This year, the SANS Bursary Committee has made the unprecedented decision not to award the bursary.

A combination of disruptions early in the academic year and the COVID-19 virus lockdown as from March, has led to this decision being made. It was felt that studies as a result of these events will have severely affected progress being made on any dissertation currently being undertaken by a postgraduate student at this time.

Under the circumstances we would be most grateful if you would distribute to Heads of Department at your institutions and also circulate generally for information.

Hopefully circumstances in 2021 will again allow for the Bursary to be awarded.

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