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PRESS RELEASE

Manaaki New Zealand Short Term Scholarships: Sustainable - Resilient and Productive Agri-Food Systems for Latin America and the Caribbean

The New Zealand Government's Manaaki New Zealand Scholarship Programme through its New Zealand International Development Cooperation Programme and the Department of Education and Digital Transformation is pleased to offer a Sustainable, Resilient and Productive Agri-Food Systems course for Latin America and the Caribbean scholars.

This fully funded scholarship covers a four (4) weeks of continuous residential course which will be held primarily at the Manawatu Campus of Massey University in Palmerston North, New Zealand. This course was created to increase the knowledge and skills of Latin American and Caribbean professionals in Agri-Food sector roles that will lead to improved knowledge of food systems, particularly in the crops and livestock sector, leading to greater efficiency and effectiveness in participants' home countries.

TIMELINE FOR APPLICATION	
Application Opens	Monday 12 January, 2026
Application Closes	Sunday 22 February, 2026
Travel to New Zealand	Week commencing 8 June, 2026
Course Start Date	Monday 15 June 2026
Course Finish Date	Tuesday 7 July, 2026
Depart New Zealand	Wednesday 8 July, 2026

Additional information on this scholarship offer please is provided at: <https://manaaki-tstts.nz/programmes/latin-america-and-caribbean/> and guidelines for application can be found at: [Qualtrics Survey | Qualtrics Experience Management](#).

All queries should be directed to manaaki-tstts@wup.nz and include the course name and your country in the subject line.

Please be guided accordingly.