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In 2019 the Foundation disbursed RM80 million in scholarships to more than 6,000 students at the scholarships and awards ceremony.



In total, JCF has contributed more than RM 482 million in scholarships, along with education grants, and donations to Malaysian schools in an effort to provide all with access to quality education.

Apart from making quality education more accessible, JCF is committed to advancing knowledge and enhancing Malaysia's credentials as a regional hub of excellence in education and research. Active partnerships and collaborations with Cambridge, Harvard and Oxford universities as well as University of California, Berkeley are testament to that mission.



This year, JCF established two new scholarships in the area of entrepreneurship; it also established the Chevening-Jeffrey Cheah Foundation scholarship for the 2019/20 and 2020/21 academic years pursuing a medical, physical or life sciences related Masters course at either the University of Cambridge, the University of Oxford, or Lancaster University. To promote the appreciation of arts, the Jeffrey Cheah Foundation launched the RM10 million Tun Dr Siti Hasmah Mohd Ali Scholarship for Creative Arts & Music.

JCF's mission mirrors that of JCF Founder and Trustee Tan Sri Dr Jeffrey Cheah AO, who once again made the list of Forbes Asia Heroes of Philanthropy; he is the only Malaysian philanthropist who made the list this year. He has contributed more than RM25 million funding school developments across Malaysia

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