Personal Statement

My name is Malak Alayed, and I'm an ambitious Saudi woman with MA Special educational needs degree from University of Exeter, United Kingdom, and BA Special Education degree from King Saud University, Saudi Arabia.

To achieve such an objective in 2014, I decided to pursue my education in an advanced educational setting and as I believed, and I still do, that the UK inhabits such an environment, and so I chose to pursue my studies there, I chose University of Exeter since its reputable university and it meets my needs to study a Master degree in Special Educational Needs through an effective and strong program, I covered everything required for my study and life allowances by myself. Thankfully, after one year of continuous hard work I completed the program and returned to my country with Master of Education in Special Educational Needs with Merit.

In Oct 2017 I was accepted as special education teacher at the Ministry of Education. Since then, I have a teacher working with children with special needs. Unfortunately, I was faced with an unexpected obstacle for I discovered that the Ministry of Education had implemented a new policy that not accepting any degree earned before getting the job. Disappointed but not discharged, I viewed the unfortunate circumstance as a challenge I would accept. Hence, I decide to apply for a governmental scholarship and return back to the UK and obtain another Master 's degree in one of the specific major related to my field and accepting by the Ministry of Education in order to correct my job title.

Concluding, I seek the opportunity to continue my studies at your respected establishment, for my personal, professional and academic experience. I ask that you grant me with the opportunity to achieve my ambitions, and I thank you for considering my application.