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Presenting the Narotam Sekhsaria Scholarships for postgraduate studies 2021-22.

## APPLICATION DATE

Opening Date: January 04, 2021 | Closing Date: March 15, 2021

# HIGHLIGHTS OF THE SCHOLARSHIP

A merit-based interest-free loan scholarship programme

Designed for the brightest minds who wish to pursue their postgraduate studies in India and abroad

Full and part scholarships as interest-free loans awarded at the discretion of the Foundation.

A unique mentoring programme designed for the awardees for nurturing and assisting them in achieving their desired goals

Online application forms and eligibility criteria available on our website https://pg.nsfoundation.co.in

NAROTAM SEKHSARIA
SCHOLARSHIP PROGRAMME

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### FOR THE SELECT FEW. A CHANCE TO FULFILL YOUR DREAMS!

The Narotam Sekhsaria Scholarship Programme has been specially designed for students of academic excellence who wish to pursue postgraduate studies at prestigious institutions in India or abroad. The programme offers full and part scholarships as interest-free loans, which are awarded to selected scholars who meet the high standards defined by the Foundation.

# BEYOND FINANCING EDUCATION TO NURTURING PROFESSIONAL GROWTH

Our scholarship programme goes beyond mere financial support. We have a more holistic approach to education, and believe that our responsibility to our scholars does

not end with selection, but continues through their studies and professional life. Through our mentoring programme we aim to nurture a group of young professionals and groom them to become leaders and entrepreneurs in their field, with a keen sense of values and ethics.

### MENTORING PROGRAMME

Each of the selected scholars is assigned a mentor to guide them

in their development as professionals, and motivate them to strive for excellence. We expect that in the long run, those we mentor will take on the role of mentoring the next generation of scholars. Through our mentoring programme we aim to create a community of scholars, where every member can draw on each other's strengths and knowledge.

### **SCHOLARSHIP DETAILS**

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### WHO IS ELIGIBLE TO APPLY?

- 1. Indian nationals, residing in India
- 2. Students below 30 years of age as on January 31, 2021
- 3. Graduates of an accredited Indian University (students in the final year of the degree course, or those awaiting results are also eligible)
- 4. Students planning to pursue postgraduate studies at top ranking institutions from Fall 2021
- 5. Students who have applied and are awaiting on the acceptance from the university are also eligible to apply. The award of scholarship is subject to securing admission

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### **HOW TO APPLY?**

- 1. All applications are accepted online only
- 2. The applicant must register at https://pg.nsfoundation.co.in

- A fee of ₹500/- is applicable and payable online
- 4. Incomplete applications will not be considered. The form must be submitted before the closing date.

### SUPPORTING DOCUMENTS

Only candidates selected for the next phase will be required to submit the following documents:

- 1. Attested copies of the mark sheets of all years of the under-graduate study and post-graduate study, if any
- 2. Attested copies of score cards of any qualifying examination taken. (E.g. GRE, GMAT, CAT, GATE, etc.)
- 3. Acceptance letter with the fee structure
- 4. Reference letters
- 5. Any document indicating an award of any other funding, scholarship, fee waiver, etc.

Please note: Apart from the above mentioned documents,

the Foundation may request the applicant to submit any other document required to verify the details provided.

### **SELECTION PROCESS**

Chosen candidates will have to attend an interview in Mumbai sometime during May/June 2021. Selected scholars will also attend an Orientation Programme in July 2021. The in-person interview and Orientation is mandatory and the scholarship is subject to you attending both.

### **AWARD TERMS AND CONDITIONS**

- 1. Selected scholars will have to submit attested copies of:
- a) The letter confirming admission to the College/University
- b) I-20 (in case of admission to universities in the US) or copy of letter offering financial support (in case of universities in other countries)
- 2. Scholars will be required to attend an Orientation Programme in July before the commencement of their course
- 3. Scholars will have to sign an MOU with the Foundation and agree to its terms and conditions
- 4. Scholars will have to take an insurance policy and assign it to the Foundation
- 5. Disbursement of the scholarship will be done in installments based on the fee statement from the College/University to be furnished by the scholar

### REPAYMENT SCHEDULE

Repayment of interest-free loans will commence one year after course completion as per the following schedule.

ear after	2nd year	3rd year	4th year
completion	course completion	course completion	course completion
	30% of the Scholarship amount	35% of the Scholarship amount	