

The Narotam Sekhsaria Scholarships for Higher Studies: 2012-13

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The Narotam Sekhsaria Scholarship is a merit-based loan scholarship programme designed for the best and brightest minds who wish to pursue their post-graduation studies, in India and abroad.

The selected scholars will have the unique advantage of being a part of our mentoring programme which assists in nurturing their potential and motivating them to achieve their desired goals in life.

The amount of the scholarship, up to a maximum of Rs.15 lakhs, will be decided as per the assessment of the Foundation.

Short-listed candidates will have to attend a mandatory personal interview in Mumbai during June 2012.

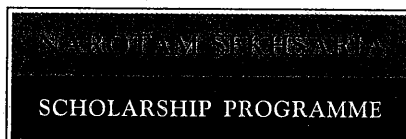
Applications are invited for scholarships for the academic year 2012-13.

Procedure for application

Online application form and eligibility criteria are available at www.nsfoundation.co.in/pg

- Opening date: January 10, 2012
- Closing date: March 31, 2012

Incomplete applications will not be accepted.



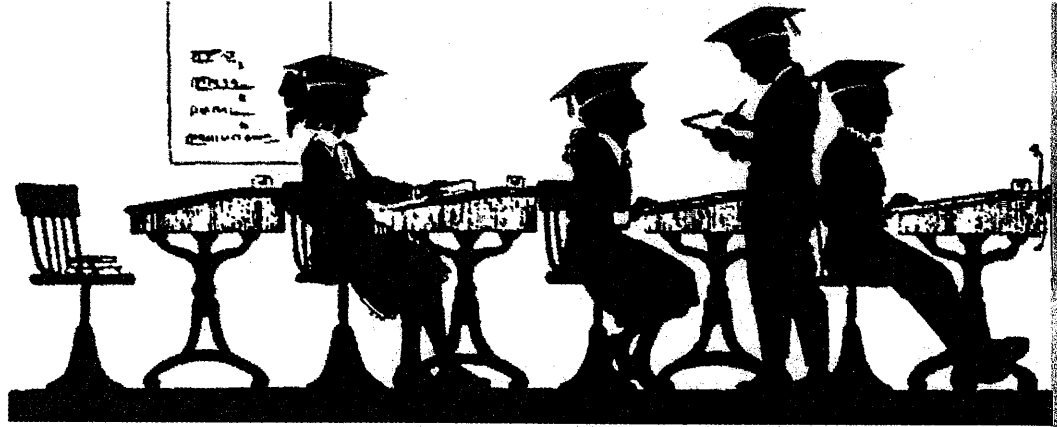
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SCHOLARSHIP PROGRAMME

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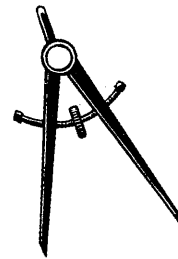


FOR THE SELECT FEW, A CHANCE TO FULFILL YOUR DREAMS!

The Narotam Sekhsaria Scholarship Programme has been specially designed for students of conspicuous merit who wish to pursue postgraduate studies at prestigious institutions in India or abroad. It is a merit based interest-free loan scholarship which is awarded to a select few 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 propose to create a community of scholars, where every member can draw on each other's strengths and tap each other's knowledge.

SCHOLARSHIP AMOUNT

This is an interest-free loan scholarship. The amount of the scholarship, up to a maximum of Rs.15 lakhs, will be decided as per the assessment of the Foundation.

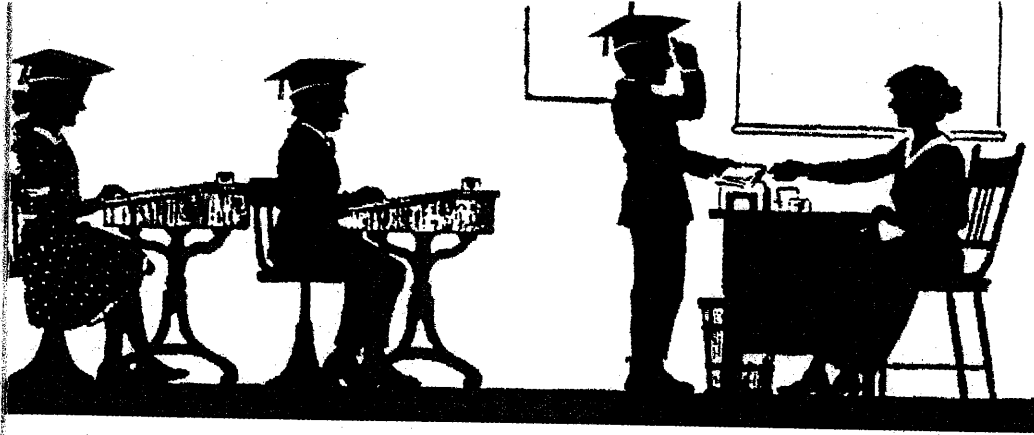
WHO IS ELIGIBLE?



1. Indian nationals, residing in India
2. Students below 30 years of age (as on 31st Jan 2012)
3. Graduates of a recognised University (Students in the final year of the degree course, or those awaiting results are also eligible)
4. Students planning to pursue post graduate studies at prestigious institutes from the Fall-2012 semester (Students awaiting admissions are also eligible, but the award of scholarship is subject to securing admission)

HOW TO APPLY?

Students wishing to avail of this scholarship will have to visit our website and complete the online application form. An online application fee of Rs.500 is payable along with the application form. The completed forms must be submitted by March 31, 2012.



DOCUMENTS TO BE ATTACHED WITH THE COMPLETED APPLICATION FORM

Scanned attested copies/Scanned originals of:

- a) All mark sheets and degree certificates
- b) GRE/GMAT/TOEFL/IELTS/GATE/CAT score cards as applicable
- c) Award letters of scholarships/awards received
- d) Certificates of extra-curricular activities
- e) Your application to the university and/or offer letter(s) confirming your admission
- F) First four pages of your passport



SELECTION PROCESS

All applications will be screened for shortlisting. Chosen candidates will have to attend a personal interview in Mumbai during June 2012. The interview is mandatory and is the basis for final selection.

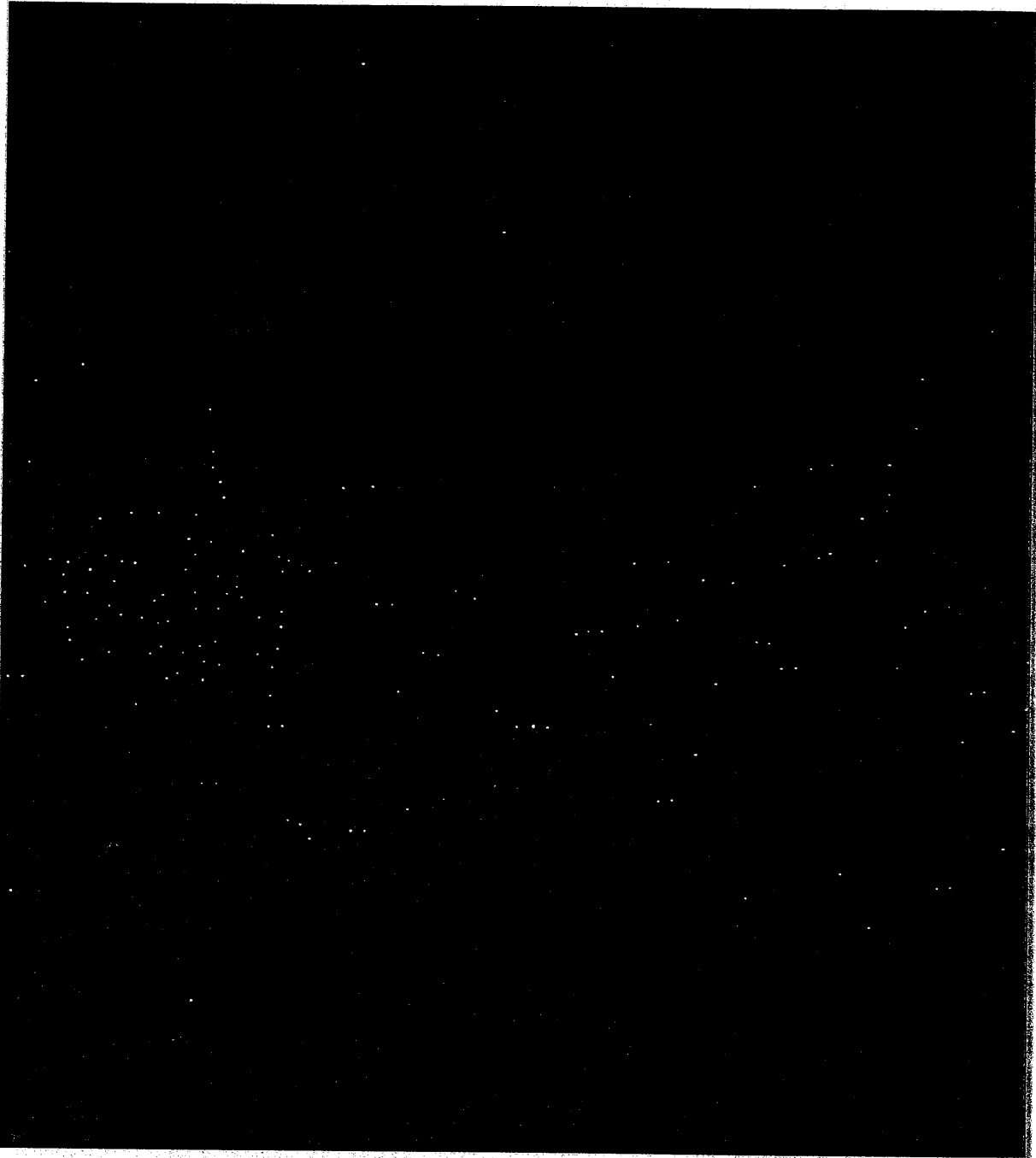
POST SELECTION FORMALITIES

1. Selected scholars will have to submit attested copies of:
 - (a) The letter confirming admission to the College/University
 - (b) Form 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 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 will commence one year after course completion as per the following schedule:

1st year after course completion	2nd year course completion	3rd year course completion	4th year course completion
NIL	30% of the Scholarship amount	35% of the Scholarship amount	35% of the Scholarship amount



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