



# Global Alumni Association of Bengal Engineering and Science University, Shibpur

## GAABESU Scholarship Programme: 2018-19

It is the vision of the alumni of IEST to project it as a successful and a leading institution of learning and research. One of the main components towards fulfilling that goal would be to recruit the best minds as students. In order to attract the best candidates to IEST, the educational opportunity at IEST needs to be based purely upon merit and not on one's financial background.

These scholarships have been created by contributions from the alumni globally since 1998. The number of scholarships varies yearly depending on the funds available and the number of qualifying applicants. A Scholarship Sub Committee has been formed by GAABESU Executive Committee, where representatives from all participating Alumni Chapters in India and abroad co-ordinate with IEST faculty & administration. A scholarship management procedure has also been developed by GAABESU to bring about a documented, fair and a transparent selection process.

### Scholarship Announcement for Academic Year 2018-19

GAABESU is hereby announcing **74 Full Scholarships** of **Rs 12,000/-** each, **16 Half Scholarships** of **Rs 6,000/-** and in addition there will be at least **8 Book Grants** of **Rs. 2,000/-** each. Total committed amount for this year till date is **Rs. 9,96,000/-**. The numbers might increase as & when more donors join this programme. A list of available Scholarships will be displayed at GAABESU notice board and it will be updated time to time.

### Eligibility/Minimum Requirements:

- The applicant must be a current IEST undergraduate student, with minimum 2 semester results in IEST. Scholarships can not be awarded based on any examination result prior to joining IEST. Therefore students currently in 2<sup>nd</sup> year and above are eligible to apply for this scholarship.
- Applicant's family income does not exceed **Rs. 2,00,000/-** (Rupees Two Lakh) per year.
- Applicant must have scored average **CGPA more than 8.00** for the last 2 semesters.
- SPECIAL CASE: Applicant with annual family income less than Rs. 50,000/- (Rupees Fifty Thousand) can apply for Scholarship, even though CGPA is less than 8.00
- Applicant does not receive scholarship from any other source in this academic year

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- No disciplinary action had been taken against the applicant in IEST
- Applicant understands that the scholarship is given on a yearly basis. The applicant should apply afresh if he/she is looking for scholarship in the present year. Getting the scholarship for a particular year may not influence the decision in subsequent years.
- Applicant agrees that the scholarship money is to be used towards his/her educational expenses only. He/she shall be fully responsible for maintaining his/her accounts regarding usage of the fund received. Donor of the scholarship has the right to ask details of accounts any time and the recipient has to furnish the same immediately.
- **NO SHOW:** 'No show' by the applicant during the scholarship award distribution ceremony, shall automatically lead to rejection of the scholarship, even if the name is published by GAABESU on notice board/website. Should there be any valid reason for absence on specified date, it shall be informed to GAABESU Office in advance and by written application, for consideration.
- **PLEDGE:** All Scholarship recipients need to give a signed pledge to GAABESU that:

“On graduation from IEST, I shall join GAABESU as a life member. After my graduation, my caution money deposited with IEST administration shall be transferred to GAABESU as first the instalment of my membership fee. I shall pay up the rest of my life membership fee, as & when they are due, as notified by GAABESU”.

In case this pledge is not submitted by the student, it shall automatically lead to rejection of the Scholarship.

### **Declaration from GAABESU:**

The Scholarship Sub Committee does not discriminate applicants based on gender, race, religion, caste, political affiliation, medical history, family background, domicile state, nationality, etc. However scholarship specific criteria (specified by respective Donors) shall apply during the selection process.

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## Application Process

### Application Form:

Scholarship Application Forms will be distributed from GAABESU Office. Last date of issuing application form will be 3<sup>rd</sup> December 2018.

### Supporting Documents:

The following documents need to be submitted along with the application for Scholarships:

- A certificate from IEST indicating annual family income of the applicant, as per IEST record.
- Copies of mark sheets of all previous semesters/years in IEST
- Recommendation by concerned Head of the Department in IEST and also to certify that no disciplinary action is pending against the student.

### Application Submission:

Candidates must submit completed application forms along with the supporting documents to GAABESU Office. The application shall be addressed to:

**The Chairman, Scholarship Sub Committee,  
GAABESU Office, Alumni Guest House,  
Indian Institute of Engineering Science and Technology, Shibpur  
P.O. Botanic Garden, Howrah – 711 103 (INDIA)**

Web site : [www.gaabesu.org](http://www.gaabesu.org) , E-mail: [gaabesu@gmail.com](mailto:gaabesu@gmail.com), Phone/Fax: 033-2668-4564/7436

**Deadline:** The scholarship applications must be received at GAABESU Office on or before **10<sup>th</sup> December 2018**

**Interview:** The candidates will need to appear for an interview at GAABESU Office on **15<sup>th</sup> December 2018** (Sat) between **2 – 5 PM**. Please check GAABESU Office notice board for confirmation & timing for each category.

### Scholarship Distribution Ceremony:

The date and schedule of Scholarship Distribution Ceremony will be intimated later. Exact date & other details will be displayed at GAABESU Office notice board in due course.