Narotam Sekhsaria Scholarships for Higher Studies: 2025-26

# Choose the university of your dreams. We'll pave the way.

NAROTAM SEKHSARIA SCHOLARSHIP PROGRAMME

An initiative of the Narotam Sekhsaria Foundation.



### 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 scholarship programme with a legacy of 20 years 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**

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.

### WHO IS ELIGIBLE TO APPLY?



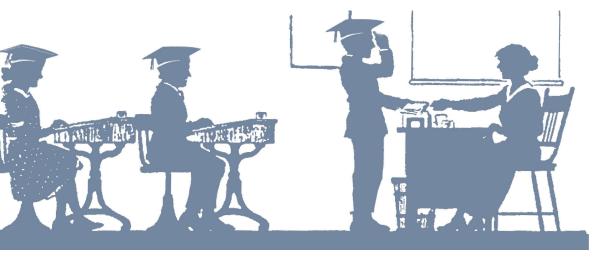
- 1. Indian nationals, residing in India
- 2. Applicants below 30 years of age as on January 31, 2025
- 3. Graduates of an accredited Indian University (students in the final year of the degree course, or those awaiting results are also eligible)
- 4. Applicants planning to pursue postgraduate studies at top ranking institutions from Fall 2025
- 5. Applicants 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

### **APPLICATION DATES**

Opening date: January 06, 2025 Closing date: March 17, 2025

### **HOW TO APPLY?**

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



- 3. A registration 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:

- Attested copies of the mark sheets of all years/semesters of the under-graduate study and post-graduate study, if any
- Attested copies of score cards of any qualifying examination taken. (E.g. GRE, GMAT, CAT, GATE, etc.)
- 3. University 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**

Shortlisted candidates will need to attend interviews online, which will be scheduled between April and June 2025. Selected scholars will also be required to attend an Orientation Programme in-person in July 2025. Attendance is mandatory for both the interviews and the Orientation Programme, and will be considered as a requirement for the scholarship.

### **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), CAS (in case of admission to universities in the UK) 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-person in July before the commencement of their course
- Scholars will have to sign an MOU with the Foundation and agree to its terms and conditions
- 4. Scholars will have to take an LIC 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.

1 <sup>st</sup> year after course completion	Beginning 2 <sup>nd</sup> year after course completion	Beginning 3 <sup>rd</sup> year after course completion	Beginning 4 <sup>th</sup> year after course completion
NIL	30% of the	35% of the	35% of the
	scholarship	scholarship	scholarship
	amount	amount	amount

## **Contact Address:**

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