

K. C. MAHINDRA EDUCATION TRUST

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APPLICATION FORM FOR K.C.MAHINDRA SCHOLARSHIPS FOR POST-GRADUATE STUDIES ABROAD

A Photograph With Signature

Application No. _____

Subject _____

(Above two entries to be left blank by Applicant)

All details asked below must be clearly stated by the Applicant and no column must be left blank.

Full Name _____

Present Address of correspondence _____

Telephone: _____ Mobile _____ E-mail address: _____

Permanent Address _____

Age _____ Date of Birth _____ Marital Status _____

DETAILS OF SCHOOL CAREER:

Name of School	University/Board	Last Examination Passed	Year	UNIVERSITY/BOARD		
				Class	Rank	Percentage

DETAILS OF UNIVERSITY CAREER:

Name of College	University	Degree/Diploma Examination Passed	Subject	Year	UNIVERSITY		
					Class	Rank	Percentage

Any special distinctions / scholarships obtained _____

Post-Graduate and research work (if any) _____

Experience / Practical training (if any) _____

Employer's name (if any) _____

Present salary: Rs. _____ Per Month

Proposed course of study	Years required

Admission has been { Sought at _____
_____ Secured at _____

Total amount of scholarship required from K. C. M. E. Trust Rs. _____

Other sources of financial help : _____
(State source and amount)

Details regarding person who will guarantee payment of premia and repayment of the loan:

Name and full address _____
Occupation _____

Income per month: Rs. _____ Relation to Applicant _____ Telephone: _____

Date _____
(Signature of Guarantor)

Name and addresses of three Referees – under at least two of whom the Applicant has studied or worked:

1. _____
2. _____
3. _____

The following documents must be enclosed with this Application: (Please DO NOT send any originals)

1. A copy of Admission letter (attested copy).
2. A signed testimonial (letter of recommendation) from any one of the three referees mentioned above. This letter should be on the letterhead of the institute or company.
3. A short statement as to the general aptitude and interest, the type of vocation the candidate would like to pursue and his/her ambitions and aspirations in life.
4. A copy of GRE/GMAT Score.
5. Evidence of course and degree certificates along with Mark-sheets (attested copies).
6. A copy of SSC & HSC mark sheet & School Leaving Certificate (attested copies).
7. Evidence of age (attested copy).

If I am selected I agree to abide by the terms and conditions of K. C. Mahindra Education Trust.

Date _____
(Signature of Applicant)

Particulars regarding Parent/Guardian:

Name and permanent address in full _____

Occupation: _____ Income per month _____
Date _____
(Signature of Parent/Guardian)

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K. C. MAHINDRA SCHOLARSHIP FOR POST-GRADUATE STUDIES ABROAD

GENERAL INFORMATION & RULES

In the year 1953, late Mr. K. C. Mahindra established this Trust for promoting education among Indian nationals in Engineering, Natural Sciences, Humanities, Medicine and Business Management including the study of Military, Naval and Aviation Sciences.

Interest-free loan scholarships for higher education abroad are being awarded since the year 1956. Announcements offering scholarship appear every year in all leading newspapers of the country. In the year 2010, the trust announced the KC Mahindra Fellows Fund where the 3 most deserving candidates selected are awarded an interest free loan scholarship where the maximum amount will be Rs. 8 lakhs per scholar, based on merit and need.

Govt. and Quasi-Govt. officers with a creditable academic record, going abroad for specialised qualification are also eligible to apply.

Preference will be given to students who are interested to pursue their studies in subjects important for the development of the country, such as Survey and Prospecting of the mineral resources of the country, alternate Sources of Energy, like Solar, Wind and Tidal Energy, and Bio-Gas Technology for rural areas, Oceanography, Off-shore Drilling, Harvesting of ocean wealth, like Sea-bed Mining, Fisheries and Exploration of other oceanic products, Water Management, Agricultural Research and Engineering, Transportation Economics, High-Tech. Electronics and any other emerging areas and industry.

The decision of the Trustees, with regard to the annual awards is based on the recommendation made by the Selection Committee. These recommendations are made on the basis of merit, but the character, aptitude and ambition of each individual candidate are also the guiding factors while making the selection.

Duration

Duration of studies abroad would be for a maximum of two years unless specific approval of the Trust is obtained by the scholar to extend studies exceeding this period.

Value

The maximum amount for the scholarship will be Rs. 2 lakhs per scholar, except for the 3 K.C. Mahindra fellow scholarships for which the maximum amount will be Rs. 8 lakhs per scholar

ELIGIBILITY TO APPLY

To be eligible to apply for the K. C. Mahindra Education Trust Scholarships the Applicant is required to satisfy the following conditions :-

- (a) He/She is required to possess a First Class degree or an equivalent diploma of similar standard of a recognized Indian University.
- (b) Applicant must have secured admission or atleast have applied for admission in reputable foreign Universities or Institution.

In addition to the above conditions the Applicant's character, aptitude and ambition will be the major factors in guiding the Trustees to arrive at a decision regarding the final selection.

The Applicant is required to state definitely all sources of financial help by the way of University Scholarships, College Fellowships or other financial support from relations and friends or from other Trusts.

PROCEDURE FOR APPLICATION

Announcements will be made in leading newspapers of the country of the inviting applications for the award for that particular year.

Upon receipt of the Application Form:-

- (a) the candidate is required to go through the form carefully and answer all question relevantly and in detail, taking care not leave any column blank.
- (b) where names of referees have been asked for, candidate is required to have their permission prior to giving their names as referees.
- (c) The Application Form will have to be signed by:
 - (i) the candidate
 - (ii) candidate's parent or guardian
 - (iii) the person who will guarantee the regular payment of the insurance premia and repayment of the loan.

The Application Form must reach the office of the Trust before the specified date. Forms received late will not be considered for the scholarship award.

CONDITIONS TO BE FULFILLED BY SELECTED CANDIDATES

1. AGREEMENT

The selected candidate is required to sign an Agreement, the terms and conditions of which may include any or all of the following:-

- (a) The candidate shall undertake to commence his / her studies from a date fixed by the Trustees and prosecute the same continuously with due diligence at the place of institution, as agreed upon by the Trustees.
- (b) The course of studies or training shall not be altered under any circumstances, without the prior written sanction of the trustees.
- (c) The candidate shall not be entitled to incur claim or receive any other expenditure or allowance save that sanctioned in writing at the time of award of the scholarship.
- (d) If during the period of the scholarship, the candidate receives any other scholarship or other pecuniary emoluments or comes into possession of any independent means, the Trustees shall be at liberty, in their absolute discretion, to discontinue or reduce the scholarship payable to the candidate.
- (e) The candidate shall give written acknowledgements to the Trustees of all payments to be made to him / her under the scholarship or to be disbursed on his / her behalf and such payment or disbursement shall constitute a debt by the candidate to the Trustees.
- (f) If the scholarship is cancelled or the candidate changes his / her nationality or acquires foreign citizenship, the entire amount of the said debt shall become immediately payable and the candidate shall forthwith repay the same notwithstanding the other terms and conditions applicable to the candidate.
- (g) If in the judgment of the Trustees, a candidate who is awarded a scholarship is guilty of serious misconduct or idleness or fails to maintain a reasonable standard or proficiency or ceases to pursue his / her study or training or there is any breach of the agreement mentioned above, the Trustees may deprive the candidate of his / her scholarship. The decision of the Trustees under the provision shall be final in each case and shall not be liable to be questioned in any manner whatsoever.

2. INSURANCE

Before leaving the country, the candidate is required to obtain a 20 year MONEY BACK Policy on his / her life for a sum usually equivalent to the total scholarship amount to him / her, and under such table as may be decided upon by the Trustees. This policy will be assigned by the candidate in favour of the Trustees in a manner prescribed by the Trust, All arrangement regarding the said policy will be made by the Office of the Trust.

The candidate shall obtain a guarantee acceptable to the Trustees for the due and regular payment of the premia to become payable in respect of the said policy. All such premia must be remitted directly to the insurance company and a copy of the receipt should be sent to the Trust office.

If the candidate already has a policy on his / her life he / she should submit full details regarding the same to the Trustees, who may, in their absolute discretion, waive the necessity of obtaining a fresh policy, if existing policy should meet with their approval.

Only on receipt of the duly assigned insurance policy in favour of the Trustees as stated above, will the candidate receive payment of the loan scholarship amount.

3. Repayment of the loan scholarship:

The candidate shall repay the scholarship amount to the Trust within 24 months of completing the course or 48 months of receiving the scholarship, whichever is earlier, or such other expiry period as the Trust may in its sole discretion determine

4. EMPLOYMENT

After completing the course the candidate will be free to serve any firm or institution of his / her choice. There will not be any obligation on the part of the Trustees to provide employment.