NED Alumni Association of Tri-State (NEDATS) Scholarship Program 2022-2023

Web address: <u>www.nedats.org</u>

Contact us at info@nedats.org

Pursuing a higher education has many academic and financial challenges. Since 2010 with the help of generous sponsors, NEDATS has established a scholarship program to assist NEDians and their children on tackling financial challenges and in turn help achieve their goals.

Who is eligible?

The applicant shall either be a graduate of NED University of Engineering & Technology (NEDUET), Pakistan who is enrolled in an accredited institution in the United States to acquire a Master's Degree or the child of alumni of NEDUET who is either enrolled in a four-year accredited program in the United States to obtain a Bachelor's Degree or studying to acquire basic degree in Law, Medical, Dentistry and Pharmacy immediately after Bachelor's degree. All the applicants must have a GPA of 3.0 or better and shall be enrolled in upcoming Fall 2022 semester.

Are only NEDATS member and their children eligible?

No. Any person, who fulfills the criteria of eligibility above, qualifies to apply for this scholarship but <u>NEDATS paid</u> <u>members and their children will get precedence over others based on their association with NEDATS</u>. Preference due to participation in NEDATS sponsored events is given regardless of membership status.

How is this scholarship publicized?

NEDATS will publicize the scholarships on its website, on Notice Boards of NEDUET and through e-mails to its mailing list and members of other NED Alumni Associations.

Who is NOT eligible?

NEDATS Board of Directors and their children do not qualify for this scholarship. Also, students whose tuition is entirely covered by other scholarships/grants but not by loans do not qualify for this scholarship. Students who have already applied four times during bachelor's degree and two times during master's degree are not eligible.

How can I apply?

Submit the completed application forms Part A & Part B, copy of transcript, tax returns, other relevant documents and the MANDATORY essay. This year topic for the essay is "IMPACT OF COVID-19 ON EDUCATION".

What is the last date for submission of Application?

The completed application along with all required documentation should be received by NEDATS and the Accounting Firm no later than <u>APRIL 20, 2022 by 11.59 pm</u>. Make sure to give ample time for our receipt by mail.

How and when will I be notified?

The selected candidates will be notified through email latest by May 08, 2022.

If I am selected, how I am going to receive the check?

Scholarship checks are strictly to be handed over in a ceremony to be held on <u>Sunday, May 22, 2022</u> following the announcement of the selected candidates. Your presence in the event is mandatory with the exception of living and studying out of Tri-state. The check will be in the name of institution where you are enrolled. We will forward the check as part of your tuition fees for the Fall Semester of 2022. The check can only be cashed by the institution. If for any reason, you decide not to study in the institute for the said semester, the money shall be returned to NEDATS.

How will the selection be made?

The application is divided into two parts; PART A – Personal Information and Part B – Financial Information. NEDATS shall receive Part A and review it along with the required documents and essay. Part B of the application shall be directly <u>emailed</u> to the Independent Accounting firm hired for this purpose. This firm will evaluate the financial documents of each applicant and grade it based on the family income and liabilities and will notify the NEDATS of its evaluation. *Part B application and supporting documents will not be shared with NEDATS Board of Directors and will remain in possession of the accounting firm*. Amongst all the applicants, the best candidates will be selected based on educational and financial criteria adopted for the award of scholarship.

Attach the following documents with your application forms, whatever applies to you:

- Documents to be submitted along with Application PART A (Please submit the documents as applicable in your case)
 - Copy of BE degree from NEDUET along with transcript showing your GPA/ Percentage
 - Copy of BE degree from NEDUET of your alumnus parents
 - Copy of transcripts and diploma certificates from High School/ Intermediate College showing your GPA/ Percentage
 - Copy of transcripts from College/University showing your latest GPA
 - Copy of results of SAT/ ACT/ GRE/ MCAT/ TOEFL/ IELTS or any other applicable standardized test
 - Birth certificate, if born in USA, showing the name of both parents
 - If not born in USA, copy of US Passport or copy of foreign Passport along with copy of Green Card or valid US student visa.
 - If the applicant is a child of alumnus/alumni of NEDUET, he/she must provide prove of so in the form of birth certificate or another official document.
 - Proof of enrollment in College/University in Fall 2022 Semester with information of institute where check need to be mailed in case of selection of the applicant.
 - Statement showing costs of your study in college/university and any scholarships, grants or loans you have.
 - Submit an essay of about 300-350 words on the topic given above. This is a **mandatory** requirement
 - Any additional information or documentation you want to submit to help this application
- Documents to be submitted along with Application PART B
 - Submit copies of tax returns for the household including Schedules, W2s, etc. for the last 3 years. If you are coming from Pakistan, still you need to submit the tax returns.
 - If you cannot provide copies of tax returns, submit a statement explaining the reason for not doing so.
 - Submit all Bank Statements, Investment Statements, 401k Plan Statements, 529 Plan Statement etc.
 - Submit Copy of Mortgage statement showing the amount of loan owed and monthly payment including taxes and insurance. In case of living in rental property, provide copy of lease document.
 - Submit a statement to the effect that applicant is in receipt or not of any grant/scholarship from any source or in case of receipt of such grant/scholarship, detail of the source & amount. This is **mandatory** requirement.
 - Submit additional documentation to substantiate information given on the form.
 - Make sure to mention and document all incomes and assets.
 - Any additional information or documentation you want to submit to help this application.

Send application:

- PART A: Must send Personal Information Application with Supporting Documents (By Postal Mail) Please mail your application (Part A) with related supporting documents to: Scholarship Application NED Alumni Association of Tri-State 151 Serpentine Drive
 - Morganville, NJ 07751
- * PART B: Must send Financial Application with Supporting Documents (By Email)

Please <u>Email</u> application (Part B) along with related supporting documents to <u>Asif@KhanArndt.com</u> Following Accounting firm is hired to evaluate financial portion of your application.

Khan, Arndt & Associates, P.A. 701 94th Avenue N, Suite 120 St Petersburg, FL 33702 Phone: 727-548-4400 Fax: 727-548-4407

NOTE:

- 1. Please make sure that all the questions in forms A & B are answered. If not applicable write "N.A."
- 2. All documents must be submitted with this application even if submitted previously.

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PART A – PERSONAL INFORMATION

COMPLETE APPLICATION & SUPPORTING DOCUMENTS MUST BE RECEIVED BY <u>APRIL 20, 2022</u> (SEE ATTAHED INSTRUCTIONS FOR INFORMATION ON MAILING ADDRESS AND SUPPORTING DOCUMENTS)

1. PERSONAL INFORMATION (Write in BLOCK LETTERS)

NAME		GENDER:
		\mathbf{M} / \mathbf{F}
CURRENT ADDRESS (Address that may be	e used for correspondence)	
PERMANENT ADDRESS		
PHONE NO. (HOME)	PHONE NO. (CELL/ MOBILE)	EMAIL ADDRESS
DATE OF BIRTH (Month/ Day/ Year)	COUNTRY OF CITIZENSHIP	DO YOU HAVE A GREEN CARD?
FOR NON US CITIZENS AND GREEN C	ARD HOLDERS	
If you are already in US, what is your visa state	1s? How long it is valid?	
If not already in US, did you secure visa for U	S? Which visa?	
EDUCATIONAL INFORMATION		

Grade/ Class		l /College/ iversity	Addre Institu			Major	Year Attended	GPA(on a scale of 4 / Percentage
High School								
Bachelor's Degree								
NAME OF INSTITUTION ADMITTED/ STUDYING			EZ	EXPECTED DEGREE MAJOR		MAJOR		
ADDRESS OF INSTITUTION ADMITTED/ STUDYING								
EXPECTED DATE OF GRADUATION		-	CURRENT GPA IF CURRENTLY ENROLLED		*	IF ENROLLED IN BACHELORS, IS THIS 4 YEAR PROGRAM?		ORS, IS THIS 4 YEAR
		ACT SCORE: YEAR TAKEN:	GRE SCORE: YEAR TAKEN:		J:		ANOTHER STANDARDIZED TEST & SCORE	

3. OTHER INFORMATION

2.

FATHER'S NAME	MOTHER'S NAME	
ADDRESS	ADDRESS	
DID YOUR FATHER GRADUATED FROM NEDUET? IF YES, YEAR GRADUATED/DISCIPLINE/DEGREE	DID YOUR MOTHER GRADUATED FROM NEDUET? IF YES, YEAR GRADUATED/DISCIPLINE/DEGREE	
ARE YOU IMMEDIATE FAMILY TO NEDATS BOD?	DO YOU HAVE FULL SCHOLORSHIP OR GRANT?	
WHICH NEDATS EVENT DID YOU OR YOUR FAMILY ATTENDED IN LAST 3 YEARS?		

I certify that all information given by me on this application is complete and accurate and I understand that misrepresentation on this application may be cause for rescinding my application or for any legal action

Applicant's Signature: _____

Date: _____

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PART B – FINANCIAL INFORMATION

COMPLETE APPLICATION & SUPPORTING DOCUMENTS MUST BE RECEIVED BY <u>APRIL 20, 2022</u> (SEE ATTAHED INSTRUCTIONS FOR INFORMATION ON MAILING ADDRESS AND SUPPORTING DOCUMENTS)

1. PERSONAL INFORMATION (Write in BLOCK LETTERS)

NAME			GENDER: M / F
CURRENT ADDRESS (Address that may be use	ed for correspondence)		
PERMANENT ADDRESS			
PHONE NO. (HOME)	PHONE NO. (CELL/ MOBILE)	EMAIL ADDRESS	

2. FAMILY & FINANCIAL INFORMATION

FATHER'S NAME (your ow	m name if you are head of family)	MOTHER'S NAME (your wife's name if you are head of family)				
ADDRESS		ADDRESS				
OWN OR RENT?	LOAN?	OWN OR RENT? LOAN?				
PAYMENT/ MONTH (incl	Tax & Insurance)	PAYMENT/MONTH (incl Tax & Insurance)				
CURRENT VALUE (IF OWNED)		CURRENT VALUE (IF OWNED)				
CURRENTLY WORKING Company: Address: Phone: ANNUAL HOUSEHOLD I		CURRENTLY WORKING AT Company: Address: Phone: HOUSEHOLD CASH BALANCE, BANK BALANCE/				
HOUSEHOLD BANK BALANCE (Aggregate of all banks)		INVESTMENTS (-) DEBT (Aggregate Estimate) HOUSEHOLD INVESTMENT VALUE (Aggregate of all account)				
HOUSEHOLD JEWELERY (Estimated Value)		VALUE OF OTHER HOUSEHOLD POSSESSIONS (Aggregate)				
DO YOU/YOUR FAMILY IF YES, WHAT IS THE VA		DEBT ON CREDIT CARDS/ OTHERS EXCEPT PROPERTY				
ANY OTHER PROPERTY (Address/ Value)		OTHERS (INVESTMENT OR DEBT)				
FATHER'S (Your own) 401K (NAME & VALUE)		MOTHER'S (Your wife's) 401K (NAME & VALUE)				
FATHER'S (Your own) PENSION PLAN (NAME & VALUE)		MOTHER'S (Your wife's) PENSION PLAN (NAME & VALUE)				
NO. OF SIBLINGS (children)	AGES OF SIBLINGS (children)	NO. OF SIBLINGSNO. OF SIBLINGS ONATTENDING COLLEGE:FULL SCHOLORSHIP?				
YOUR ANNUAL TUITION FEES: \$	ANNUAL GRANT AND SCHOL GRANT: \$ SCHOLA					

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Date: _____