

LADY MEHERBAI D TATA EDUCATION TRUST

Scholarship announcement (2023-2024)

The Lady Meherbai D Tata Education Trust awards scholarships to Indian women graduates of reputed universities who wish to pursue higher education abroad, as support towards their tuition fee component.

The Trust invites applications for the academic year 2023-2024 in the following fields of study:

- Sociology
- Psychology
- Law – **Specialising only** on matters related to women and children
- Education – Teachers’ training programme
- Education and welfare of children with special needs
- Gender studies – Violence against women and children (including domestic violence and by others), (meaning violence at home and by others issues concerning Indian women as singles, single mothers and married women)
- Child health – Development and nutrition
- Health policy and health education – Mental health
- Public health – Community health services, reproductive health, epidemiology
- Needs of adolescents
- Communication for development – Focus on issues related to women and children
- Research and study of social norms in communities
- Community Development, Rural Development, Public Policy, Public Administration, Social Policy, Social Development, Sustainable Development – With a focus on women and children’s issues
- Social work in areas not covered above, such as women in prison

Eligibility requirements:

- Indian woman graduate from a reputed university
- A consistent and remarkable academic record
- Candidates having ALL their results in hand are eligible to apply. Those awaiting their results are not eligible to apply.
- Must have applied for admission or preferably secured admission to reputed universities or institutions in the **United States, UK or Europe** for the year 2023-2024
- Graduates with relevant work experience of a minimum 2 years preferred

Interview:

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- Shortlisted candidates will have to attend either a personal or an online interview with the board of trustees on a designated day in June/July 2023, details of which will be conveyed at a later date

Selection and scholarship details:

- A gift scholarship towards the tuition fee component, approximately between rupees three and six lakhs per selected student, is awarded, depending on the performance of the candidate in the interview.
- Candidates selected for this scholarship will have to submit a clear copy of the 'Proof of Funds' or 'Financial Capacity' document, which will reflect the candidates' ability to support their education.

Steps to request for a link to the application form:

- In order to get the link to download the application form, kindly send an email with the requested information, and supporting documents, to igpedulmdtet@tatatrusters.org.
The link will only be sent if your area of study fits the criteria set out by the Trust. Sharing of the link will be at the complete discretion of the Trust office.
 - 1) The course and specialisation you wish to pursue and duration
 - 2) Name/s of the university/ies to be attended, in order of merit of your choice, with letter of confirmed admission, if available
 - 3) The course fee required for each university (in tabular format)
 - 4) Proof of funding to support your education (in tabular format)
 - 5) Current profile (biodata, CV, resume)
- Please upload *clear, scanned copies* of the above-mentioned documents in PDF, word or excel formats only, (no google or any other links) along with your request email. Kindly mark the documents correctly.
- Incomplete requests from candidates will not be considered by the Trust office and further correspondence will not be entertained.
- Sharing of the link to the application form with the candidate will be at the complete discretion of the Trust office.
- Requests for a link to the application form will be accepted from candidates **from Monday, March 27, 2023, to Thursday, April 27, 2023**
- No requests will be accepted by the Trust office **after April 27, 2023; all requests received after the last date will stand null and void.**
- **Last date** to accept the required documents by the Trust office on the designated email ID is **Thursday, May 04, 2023.**

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- The above-mentioned dates will be strictly adhered to.
- After scrutiny of the forms, only the shortlisted candidates will receive an email from the Trust office by early / mid-July 2023.

A specimen copy of the form, mandatory documents and the process to fill in and submit the form is attached for your reference.

Please note:

Candidates applying/ studying for part-time, short-term, correspondence courses, exchange programmes, and those who have already commenced their studies abroad or are proceeding to countries besides those mentioned above, are NOT eligible to apply.

Shortlisting of candidates for the interviews and award of scholarships would be solely at the discretion of the Trustees of the Lady Meherbai D Tata Education Trust.

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