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## IMPORTANT ANNOUNCEMENT FOR STUDENTS REGARDING INTERNATIONAL SCHOLARSHIP SCHEMES 2019

Attention of students is invited to the Commonwealth Scholarships Schemes in the United Kingdom (UK) for pursuing Master's and Doctoral Degree Programmes commencing from September /October 2019 as follows-

- Commonwealth Masters Scholarships
- Commonwealth Ph.D. Scholarships

The Scholarships shall be offered by the Commonwealth Scholarship Commission (CSC) United Kingdom. Please refer Website <http://cscuk.dfid.gov.uk/apply/applicants/> for other relevant details

**Applicants are required to apply online on both the following portals:**

- Ministry of Human Resource Development portal by 10<sup>th</sup> January, 2019  
Link for online application: <http://proposal.sakshat.ac.in/scholarship/>
- Commonwealth Scholarship Commission's Electronic Application System (EAS) by 19.12.2018 at 16.00(GMT)  
Link for EAS: [http://fs29.formsite.com/m3nCYq/form62/form\\_login.html/](http://fs29.formsite.com/m3nCYq/form62/form_login.html/)

### Eligibility:

- (i) The candidates who have received the offer of admission, from any of the university listed with the Commonwealth Scholarship Commission are only eligible to apply. Please refer [url:http://csuk.dfid.gov.uk/apply/uk-universities/part-funding/](http://csuk.dfid.gov.uk/apply/uk-universities/part-funding/) for the list of concerned Universities .
- (ii) The applicant must be a permanent resident in India.
- (iii) The applicant must be available to start his/her academic studies in the UK by the start of the UK academic year in September/October 2019
- (iv) The applicant must NOT be registered for a PhD, or an MPhil leading to a PhD, at a UK University or India University or elsewhere before September / October 2019.
- (v) The Applicant must not be able to afford to study in the UK without this scholarship. (Candidates are compulsorily required to sign a declaration that they do not have access to sufficient funds to study in the UK).
- (vi) Candidates who have already been abroad for studies/training/specialization either on scholarships or on their own, for a period exceeding six months are eligible to apply, if they have been in India for at least two consecutive years as on 10<sup>th</sup> January 2019 after returning from abroad.

### Minimum qualifications:

- (i) For Master's course:  
One should have completed or is expected to complete the Bachelor Degree by October, 2019. The academic qualification must have direct and applied relevance to the development theme selected by the candidate.
- (ii) For Ph.D. degree:  
One should have completed or is expected the Master Degree/Qualifying Exam, by October, 2019. The academic qualification must have direct and applied relevance to the development theme selected by the candidate.

Please refer to [www.mhrd.gov.in](http://www.mhrd.gov.in) scholarships for further announcement after the applications are submitted.

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