



KEI - Excellence in Science Scholarship (KEISS) - 2013

Kashmir Education Initiative invites applications for the IInd Annual **KEI- Excellence in Science Scholarship (KEISS)** from students of Kashmiri origin, who intend to apply to **Master's and Ph.D programmes at universities/ institutes in the United States** for the academic year **2013-2014**. Prospective students must have taken or intend to take the examinations, Graduate Record Examination (GRE) and Test of English as a Foreign Language (TOEFL) that are required for admission to the PhD programmes in the USA. The award will include the **applicant's examination fees (GRE and/ or TOEFL), application fees for up to 5 Universities** in the United States and subsequent mentoring throughout the application process.

Applicants must send their **curriculum vitae, names and contact information of three referees, scanned copies of mark-sheets and relevant documents, and 1-2 page statement of purpose (SOP)** describing their interest in pursuing Doctorate studies in the United States. Short listed students will be invited for interview. Students from Science, Life Science, Agriculture, Medicine, and Engineering faculties are eligible.

Eligibility: Students of M.Sc 1st/ IInd year from basic sciences and BSc/ BE/ BTech Engg III yr and higher are eligible. Students who have passed out from their respective courses are not eligible.

- The deadline for the receipt of applications is **25th July, 2013**.
- The names of selected students will be announced on or before **10th September, 2013**.

Further information about the scholarship can be found at www.kashmirei.org
Please send your application via email to: phd.keiss@kashmirei.org

Candidates can also submit their documents in the KEI office at the following address:

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