

Government of India
Ministry of Human Resource Development
(Deptt. of Secondary and Higher Education)
ES.5 Section

BELIGIAN GOVERNMENT SCHOLARSHIPS, 2004-2005

Typed applications in duplicate in the prescribed format are invited from Indian Nationals residing in India for the award of limited number of Belgian Government Scholarshps, of a duration of ten months from 1 st October 2004 to August 1, 2005 in the following subjects for Post-graduate studies.

1. Agronomy
2. Environmental Science
3. Technical Metallurgy

2. **QUALIFICATIONS :-**

- (a) Applicants should have obtained a first class postgraduate degree with minimum 60 % or more marks in aggregate in the related subject. Candidates with Ph.D. degree will not be considered, as they cannot have a status at Flemish Universities.
- (b) Scholarships are only valid for studies at institutions of higher education recognized by the Ministry of Flemish Community.
- (c) The applicants can mention the Flemish University they wish to carry on with their study and the name of the professors they have eventually already contacted.
- (d) The applicants should not exceed 35 years of age as on 31.03.2004.
- (e) Applicants should have given proof of previous excellent academic performance and have a good account of English or another European language.

3. **ALLOWANCES:** Accepted scholars will receive.

- (i) A monthly grant of 720 Euro during one academic year (10 months).
- (ii) Reimbursement of Tution fee 490,000 Euro maximum, if the tuition fees exceeds the amount of 490,000 Euro, the scholar will have to pay the difference.
- (iii) An extensive medical and third party liability insurance.

Travelling expenses from India to Belgium and back will be borne either by the candidate or by his/her employers/sponsors.

LAST DATE

Applications in duplicate along with the following documents must reach Section Officer, Ministry of Human Resource Development, Department of

Secondary & Higher Education, ES.5 Section, A-1/W-3 Curzon Road Barracks, Kasturba Gandhi Marg, New Delhi-110001 latest by **31st March, 2004 (5.30PM)** Application can also be downloaded from the Department's website www.education.nic.in. On line applications may be accepted provided hard copy of the application alongwith enclosures (attested copies of certificates, marks-sheet etc.) reach the Ministry not later than one week of the closing date.

ENCLOSURES:

- i) Attested Photostat copies of all educational degrees/certificate starting from Matriculation/Higher Secondary.
- ii) Attested Photostat copy of the 'No Objection Certificate' obtained from the employer.
- iii) A certificate of fluency in English or other European Language.
- iv) An extensive curriculum vitae.
- v) A Comprehensive motivation of the applicant for the scholarship.
- vi) A Comprehensive work scheme.
- vii) A recent passport size photograph of the candidate to be affixed on the prescribed application form.
- viii) Letters of recommendations from two referees preferably from Professors who have taught him/her.

NOTE :-

1. Applications received after last date will not be entertained.
2. Incomplete applications will not be considered.
3. The selected candidates will avail of the scholarships in all cases. Therefore, an undertaking that he/shall will not refuse the offer should be sent in duplicate along with the application.
4. In case of candidates qualifying from Universities/Institution which do not give class or division, requirements in lieu of first class will be **60% marks**, where grades are awarded, the candidates are required to furnish exact percentage of marks and indicate the conversion formula.
5. Applications of candidates who reside abroad will not be entertained.
6. Candidates who have already been abroad for study/specialization/training either on scholarship 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 **31st March, 2004** after their return abroad. However, scholars

under the scheme of scholarships for Study Abroad have to complete 5 years in India on their return from abroad before applying for the scholarship.

7. Candidate who are employed must apply through their employers. No Objection Certificate from the employer must be produced on or before the time of interview failing which they will not be allowed for interview failing which they will not allowed for interview.
8. The candidates should have sufficient knowledge of the geographical situatin and cultural heritage of India and Belgium.
9. Final Selection rests with the Belgium Government.
10. The decision of the Selection Committee shall be final. No representation will be entertained in this regard.
11. Candidate can apply for only one subject.
12. Candidates who do not possess the requisite qualifications need not apply.
13. No canvassing in any form will be entertained.
14. Application should be typed and complete in all respect and to be submitted in duplicate.

FORMAT

ANNEXURE – I

Affix Passport size
Photo and
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1. Name of the Scholarship Scheme : Beligum Government Scholar ship, 2004-2005
2. Subject/Category/Coruse :
3. Name of Candidate (in block letters) :
4. Full Mailing address with Tele./Fax No.
 - a) Present Address :
 - b) Permanent Address :
5. Nationality :
6. Father's Name :
7. Date of birth, age in years and months, :
State to which the candidate belongs
8. Academic record starting form High School/Higher Secondary :-

Name of the University/Board/ Institutions	Examination Passed	Year of Passing	Division/Class with position, if any	% age of Marks/equivalent of Grade

(b) In the event of selection of -----for Scholarship against the offer of scholarship by the Government of -----the cost of international travel (both ways) and local travel in Belgium will be borne by -----

(Name of the Sponsor)

Signature of the sponsor

Date :

(c) I hereby, undertake that in the event of my selection, I will await of the scholarships and will not withdraw from the same at any stage.

Signature of the Candidate

Date :

(Strike out whichever is not applicable)