



Society for Technical Communication India Chapter

Scholarship Details 2007

STC India Chapter is pleased to announce the scholarship program for the year 2007. This scholarship sponsors the education of individuals who may, upon completion of the intended course of study, become contributors to the technical communication profession in India. This scholarship also encourages students to take up studies in technical writing and motivate Indian universities to start more courses in this field.

The chapter funds this scholarship to a maximum of Rs. 10,000 per individual.

Purpose

The purpose of this scholarship is to assist students who are pursuing established degrees, diplomas, or certificate programs in technical communication at graduate or post-graduate levels. A technical communication degree, diploma, or certificate program is defined as a graduate or post-graduate program including, but not limited to, courses or papers such as Technical Writing, Technical Editing, Online Documentation, Desktop Publishing, or any other course that will enable students to pursue their technical communication career.

Eligibility

Applicants who are enrolled or planning to enroll in a graduate degree, post-graduate degree, diploma, or certificate course run by a college or university in India that offers any of the following options:

- A full-time, one-year post-graduate diploma with at least one dedicated paper on technical communication.
- A full-time, two-year post-graduate degree with at least one dedicated paper on technical communication.
- A short-term certificate course dedicated to technical communication. Short-term is defined as a minimum of three months and less than one year.

Amount and Number

The STC India chapter offers three scholarships for the year 2007. They are as follows:

- Two scholarships of Rs. 10,000 each for degree or diploma students.
- Two scholarships of Rs. 4,000 each for students in short-term certificate courses.

The upper limit on each type of scholarship is Rs 10,000 and Rs 4,000 each respectively.

Mode of Payment

To receive the scholarship amount, students undertaking a degree or a diploma course, selected for Rs 10,000 scholarship, have to pay the fee to the university or college, and then send a copy of the receipt to the STC India Chapter Scholarship Manager.

Certificate course students, pre-selected for Rs. 4,000 scholarship, have to send the fee receipt and a copy of their marksheet to the STC India Chapter Scholarship Manager. To receive the scholarship amount, certificate course students need to obtain an overall score of at least 75 percent.

Important Dates

Application forms and additional information must be received by July 15, 2007.

Selected candidates will be informed by September 15, 2007.

Persons Not Eligible

Members of the STC India Chapter Admin Council and their family members are not eligible to apply for this scholarship.

How to Apply

The scholarship application form is available at <http://www.stc-india.org>. This application form must reach the following address by July 15, 2007:

Ms. Susan Alexander
Write Concept
301 Sophia's Choice
7/28 St. Mark's Road
Bangalore-560001

Scholarship recipients will be notified by September 15, 2007.

For further information, contact: the STC India Chapter Scholarship Manager at susan.m.alexander@gmail.com

Selection Procedure

The Scholarship Selection Committee of the STC India chapter comprises the chapter's Administrative Council and the chapter's Scholarship Manager. The committee will review all applications received by July 15, 2007.

An applicant's educational qualifications, financial data, course of study, referrals, and write-ups submitted by the applicant will serve as the basis for evaluation. STC India Chapter reserves the right to award scholarships to those applicants whom the STC Scholarship Selection Committee finds most suitable. The chapter reserves the right to increase or decrease the number of scholarships or the scholarship amount, based on the responses received.