



UNIVERSITY GRANTS COMMISSION

NALINI MADUGALLE SCHOLARSHIPS SCHEME FOR UNIVERSITY ENTRANTS FOR THE ACADEMIC YEAR 2015/2016

The University Grants Commission invites applications for the above scholarships from eligible candidates.

1. One Scholarship per academic year will be awarded to a deserving student studying for the MBBS Degree awarded by the **Faculty of Medicine, University of Peradeniya**.
2. The value of the scholarship will be Rs. 25,000/- per year which will be paid in 10 installments.

3. **Eligibility Criteria**

- i. Students who are in the Academic Year 2015/2016, based on the results of 2015 GCE A/L Examination.
- ii. Student should be a Kandyan Sinhala Buddhist defined as follows:
 - a) A student born from a marriage contracted between a male and female born in anyone of the Kandyan Province, who is governed by Kandyan Law as their personal law.
 - b) A student born from a marriage contracted between a male born in anyone of the Kandyan province, who is governed by Kandyan Law as his personal law and a female not subject to Kandyan law.
 - c) A student born from a marriage contracted in binna between a female born, in anyone of the Kandyan province who is governed by Kandyan law as her personal law and a male not subject to kandyan law.
 - d) If the religion is not stipulate in the Birth Certificate/ School Leaving Certificate, the candidate should provide a letter from the Chief Priest of the nearest Buddhist temple to indicate that the candidate is a Buddhist.

Note:

"Kandyan Factor" in the above eligibility criteria will not be considered if there are no candidates who qualify on the basis of the stipulated criteria.

- iii. Annual Parental income.

(A letter from the employer certifying the salary particulars of the applicant's parents or in the case of unemployed parents a letter or a certificate obtained from the Divisional Secretary on the recommendation of Grama Seva Niladhari of the area of the candidate's permanent residence and income should be submitted.)

- iv. Performance at GCE A/L Examination.

- v. Students who are not receiving any financial assistance by way of **Mahapola, Bursary or any other scholarship.**

4. Selection will be based on above criteria and the decision of the Fund Management Committee will be the final.
5. Format of the application is available on UGC web: www.ugc.ac.lk.
6. Closing date for duly filled applications is **on or before 10th March 2017** and must be forwarded to University Grants Commission through the Registrar of the University.

Chairman
University Grants Commission