AARDO-SIET

Partial Scholarship

AFRICAN-ASIAN RURAL DEVELOPMENT ORGANIZATION (AARDO)

SHOBHIT INSTITUTE OF ENGINEERING AND TECHNOLOGY (SIET)

AARDO AND SHOBHIT INSTITUTE OF ENGINEERING AND TECHNOLOGY (SIET) PARTIAL SCHOLARSHIP PROGRAMMES

BACHELOR OF SCIENCE (B.SC.)/ BACHELOR OF TECHNOLOGY (B.TECH)/ MASTER OF TECHNOLOGY (M.TECH)/ MASTER OF BUSINESS ADMINISTRATION(MBA)

The African-Asian Rural Development Organization (AARDO) and The Shobhit Institute of Engineering and Technology (SIET) are pleased to invite applications through the SIET and AARDO ,Partial Scholarships to Bachelor of Science (B.Sc.)/ Bachelor of Technology (B.Tech)/ Master of Technology (M.Tech)/ Master of Business Administration (MBA) Programmes' offered by SIET.

The programmes offered by AARDO and SIET under Engineering & Technology (B.Tech/ M.Tech) are designed to enable students to Gain sufficient knowledge and understanding of the appropriate scientific and mathematical fundamentals necessary to develop their professional skills. Business Studies (MBA) is designed with extensive industry consultation and academic experts' advice drawn from premier management institutes and emphasis of curriculum rests on the premise of grooming leaders with thought, vision and knowledge. B.Sc. (Hons)- Agriculture to bridge the developments gaps in human resources for Agricultural and Rural Development Sector, through higher education.

Scholarship Benefits

50% waiver on the total tuition fees	→	Hostel fees up to an upper ceiling of Rs. 20,000/- only* (approximatelyUS$250)	→	One Time Both Way Air Tickets**

* each year for the period of study programme (2/4 years as applicable).
**only for five candidates based on the merit list to be provided by the selection committee of SIET and on status of membership contribution of participant's country.

Scholarship Eligibility

- Citizens of an AARDO member country.
- Only applicants living/working in AARDO countries are eligible
- Applicants should be enrolled in the programme full time
- All applications will be screened and evaluated by a selection committee

COURSES OFFERED UNDER EACH PROGRAMMES AT SIET

Under Graduate Programmes

Details	Bachelor of Science (B.Sc.)	Bachelor of Technology (B.Tech)
Duration	4 Years 8 Semester	4 Years 8 Semester
Courses	. Agriculture	. Agricultural Technology (Agri-Information) . Computer Science & Engineering · Biomedical Engineering · Biotechnology

Master Degree Programmes

Details	Master of Technology (M.Tech)	Master of Business Administration (MBA)
Duration	2 Years 4 Semester	2Years 4 Semester
Courses	· Agricultural Technology (Agri-Information) · Computer Science & Engineering · Biomedical Engineering · Biotechnology	. Agri-Business Management

Eligibility

Minimum qualifications:

B.Sc. Agriculture Honors – Bachelor of Science (4 Years)

Admission to B.Sc. (Hons) Agriculture Programs is open to candidates who have Passed (10+2) / Intermediate / Higher Secondary from any approved Board with Physics, Chemistry, and Mathematics / Physics, Chemistry, and Biology/Agriculture.

B.Tech. -Bachelor of Technology (4 Years)

Admission to B.Tech. Programs is open to a student who passed / appeared Intermediate / Higher Secondary (10+2) from any approved Board with minimum 50% marks in Physics, Chemistry, and Mathematics /Physics, Chemistry, and Biology.

M.Tech. –Master of Technology (2 Years)

Admission to M. Tech Programs is open to a student who passed B.Tech. or an equivalent degree in the

allied branch of Engineering with a minimum of 55% marks from a recognized University or MCA or degree in a related branch with 60% or higher aggregate marks from a recognized University.

MBA – Master of Business Administration (2 Years)

Admission to MBA Program is open to candidates who have passed a Bachelor's degree or its equivalent in any discipline from a recognized university with at least 50% aggregate marks.

Please note:

- Foreign nationals with an eligible degree from Indian Universities will be treated on par with Indian nationals for admission.

- Foreign nationals with foreign degrees must meet the minimum educational requirements equivalent to an Indian Master's degree in the relevant disciplines.

- Foreign students are expected to have a working knowledge of English.

- If the medium of instruction for their qualifying degree was not English, applicants must produce proof of proficiency in English - IELTS with a minimum score of 6.5 (overall) or a TOEFL score of 80 (overall). Test results should be dated no earlier than 15 September 2019.

- Foreign nationals can only register as full-time scholars.

- All the applicants should have a good academic record.

- The Selection Committees may set higher evaluation criteria than the minimum eligibility criteria listed.

- The selection, admission, and award of the Bachelor/Master degree shall be governed by the ordinances of the Senate of Shobhit University.

Scanned Documents required with the online application

- Educational Qualifications – Degree Certificates and Mark sheets
- Proof of Nationality - Passport
- Curriculum Vitae
- Statement of Purpose (800-1000 words)
- Two Letters of Reference
- If employed, a Relieving Certificate from your employer
- Proof of Language Proficiency
- Photo (Passport size)
- Endorsement from AARDO

Please note:

- Incomplete applications or those submitted after the deadline will not be accepted.

- Documents submitted in a foreign language should be accompanied by a full English language translation. The translation should be certified by the translator and bear their certification credentials
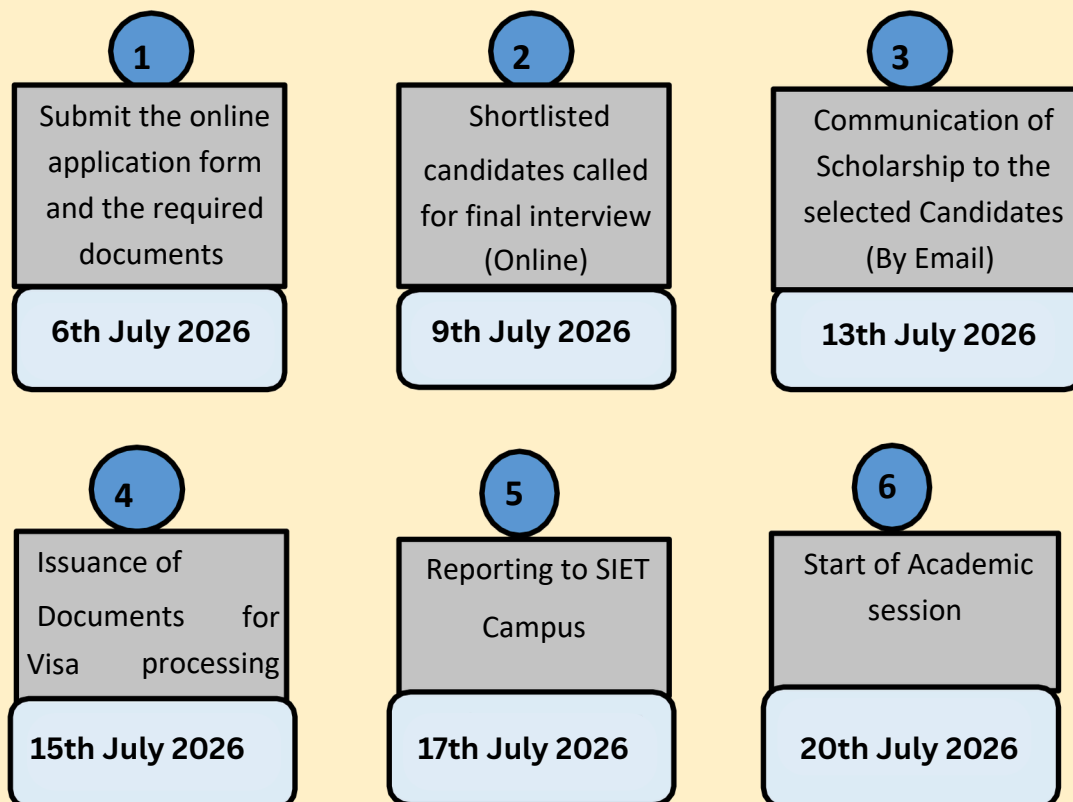
- If you have a long-term health condition, disability, specific learning difficulty or mental health condition we encourage you to disclose this in your application with any relevant information.

APPLICATION GUIDELINES

Applications are invited through the AARDO and SIET Partial Scholarships. All candidates seeking admission to the program must submit their initial application in a prescribed form along with attested copies of relevant testimonials in the website https://www.shobhituniversity.ac.in/shobhit-aardo-scholarship-form.php of the University as per the following timeline.

1

Submit the online application form and the required documents
6th July 2026

2

Shortlisted candidates called for final interview (Online)
9th July 2026

3

Communication of Scholarship to the selected Candidates (By Email)
13th July 2026

4

Issuance of Documents for Visa processing
15th July 2026

5

Reporting to SIET Campus
17th July 2026

6

Start of Academic session
20th July 2026

TIMELINE OF SCHOLARSHIP PROGRAMME

Selected candidates shall be enrolled for the program only after submitting medical certificate and after arrival at SIET campus they need to undergo medical fitness.

Scholarship Details

Students selected to AARDO and the SIET Scholarship will be offered the following

50% waiver on the total tuition fees

Hostel charges up to an upper ceiling of Rs. 20,000/- (approximately US $250 each year) only for the period of study (2/4 years as applicable).

Both way air-tickets, sponsored by AARDO, for joining in and on successful completion of the programme, only for the five candidates on the merit list to be provided by the selection committee of Shobhit University.

*For 2/4 years from the start of the programme subject to terms and conditions

LINKS FOR FURTHER INFORMATION

- SIET Website: https://www.shobhituniversity.ac.in/ Online Application Link for partial
- scholarship : https://www.shobhituniversity.ac.in/shobhit-aardo-scholarship-form.php

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ABOUT AARDO

The **AFRICAN-ASIAN RURAL DEVELOPMENT ORGANIZATION** is a rural centric inter-governmental autonomous organization located at 2, State Guest Houses Complex, Chanakyapuri, New Delhi 110 021, India .

African Asian Rural Development Organization is mandated to develop understanding among members for better appreciation of each other's problems and to collectively explore, opportunities for coordination of efforts for the welfare and eradication of thirst, hunger, illiteracy, disease and poverty amongst rural people in the African-Asian region. The Organization comprises thirty four (34) members, which include thirty one (32) countries namely, Burkina Faso, Egypt, Ethiopia, Eswatini, Gambia, Ghana, Kenya, Liberia, Libya, Malawi, Mauritius, Morocco, Namibia, Nigeria, Sierra Leone, Sudan, Tunisia and Zambia from Africa, and Bangladesh, R.O. China (Taiwan), India, Iraq, Jordan, R.O. Korea, Lebanon, Malaysia, Oman, Palestine, Pakistan, Sri Lanka, Syria and Yemen from Asia, as the full members, and Korea Rural Community Corporation (KRC), R.O. Korea and The Agricultural Bank of Sudan (ABS), Sudan as Associate Members.

AARDO is promoting South-South Triangular cooperation in the domain of agricultural and rural development. As such, AARDO is championing and advocating more science to rural societies for inclusive transformation of rural areas in Africa and Asia.

ABOUT THE HOST TRAINING INSTITUTE SIET

Shobhit Institute of Engineering & Technology (previously known as Shobhit University) is a NAAC 'A' Grade Accredited multi-disciplinary, research-centric Deemed-to-be University notified by the Government of India, Ministry of Human Resource Development, Department of Higher Education vide its Notification No. F-9-37/2004-U.3(A) dated November 8, 2006, under section 3 of the University Grants Commission Act 1956. Under Section 3 of the UGC Act, Deemed-to-be University status is granted by the Central Government of India to those educational institutions of repute, which fulfill the prescribed standards and comply with various requirements laid down by the UGC.

On behalf of the University, we with pleasure welcome students from different friendly nations to pursue quality higher education in India at Shobhit Institute of Engineering Technology (Deemed to be University), The University is in historical city Meerut, which is the second largest city of National Capital Region after Delhi.