IndiaAI Fellowships for B.Tech and M.Tech Students

Guidelines:

i. The nominations must be submitted with endorsements from the professor under whom the project/thesis is being undertaken and the head of the department/registrar/head of the institution.

ii. Nominations must be submitted on https://indiaai.gov.in/article/proforma-for-submission-of-nominations-for-indiaai-fellowship-under-the-indiaai-mission in the prescribed format.

iii. Students are expected to publish research papers emerging from the project work in leading academic journals.

iv. If a student fails to achieve the required minimum grade as per the guidelines, the disbursement of subsequent tranches of funds will be withheld.

Eligibility Criteria:

The nominations must meet the following eligibility criteria:

i. Pursuing full-time B.Tech. having completed their 3rd year. OR

ii. Fresh enrolments in full-time M.Tech.

iii. B.Tech. students should have completed at least 3 full-time courses till the last semester that are AI-related, e.g., Fundamentals of Artificial Intelligence, Data and Data Management Systems, Computer Vision, Neural Networks, Machine Learning, Natural Language Processing, etc.

iv. B.Tech. students should have attained an overall 80% marks or equivalent grade until the last completed semester. In case any student with less than 80% marks is recommended by the institute, the justification for the same may be provided. Such an application will be considered based on justification provided and availability of fellowships.

v. M.Tech. students should be pursuing postgraduate studies in AI-related courses.

Disbursement of Fellowship:

The IndiaAI Fellowship will be provided to the nominated students in tranches during the 4th year of B.Tech.:

1) Tranche 1 – When the nomination is accepted by the IndiaAI, an amount of INR 50,000 will be transferred to the student.

2) Tranche 2 – An amount of INR 25,000 will be transferred when the 7th semester for B.Tech is completed. The student must submit the grade sheet with a minimum of 80% marks or an equivalent grade.

3) Tranche 3 – An amount of INR 25,000 upon submission of the project report and the grade sheet of the final semester.

4) All transfer of funds will be through Direct Account transfer.

The IndiaAI Fellowship will be provided to the nominated students in tranches starting from the 1st year of M.Tech.:

1) Tranche 1 – After enrollment, once the nomination is accepted by the IndiaAI, an amount of INR 50,000 will be transferred to the student.

2) Tranche 2 – After the end of the 1st semester, upon submission of the grade sheet having achieved a minimum of 80% marks or an equivalent grade, an amount of INR 50,000 will be transferred to the student.

3) Tranche 3 – After the end of the 2nd semester, and upon submission of the grade sheet having achieved a minimum of 80% marks or an equivalent grade, an amount of INR 50,000 will be transferred to the student.

4) Tranche 4 – After submission of the final project report and grade sheet, with having achieved a minimum of 80% marks or an equivalent grade, an amount of INR 50,000 will be transferred to the student.

5) All transfer of funds will be through Direct Account transfer.