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***Merit-cum-Means  
Scholarship***

***Report AY 2024- 25***

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# **PALS Is an Educational Initiative by Volunteers from Alumni Fraternity of various IITs, for the benefit of Students and Faculty at Engineering Colleges.**

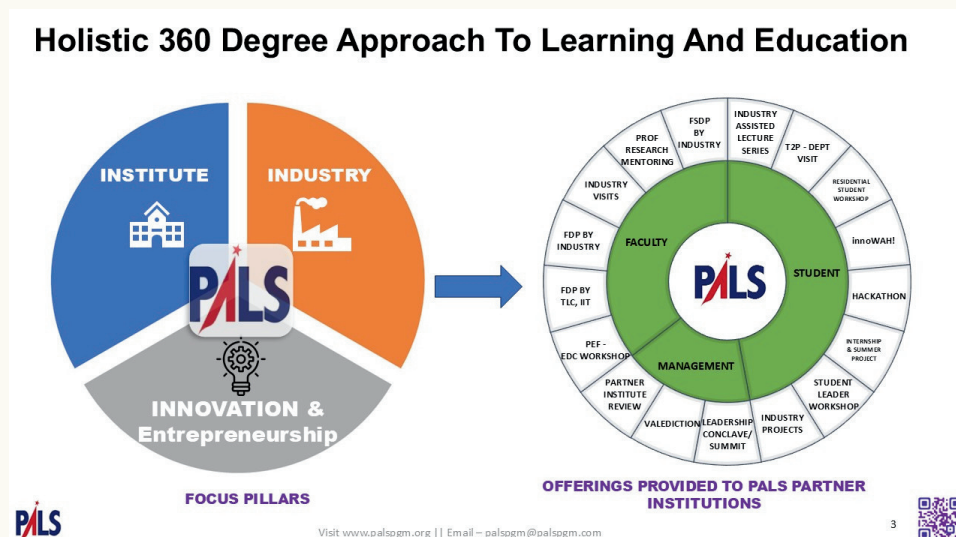
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## **Vision**

To provide a unique experience in the sphere of engineering education to all its partner institutes, nurturing a holistic evolution of their teaching fraternity and students, preparing institutions, faculty and students to be able to provide technology solutions for industry and society

## **Mission**

- Provide a platform wherein IITs, the premier technical institutes of India, can share their knowledge and resources with other colleges/institutes
- Provide a platform where industry experts can share their experiences and viewpoints
- Provide a forum wherein students can bring out their potential and technical prowess
- Provide a platform for mutually beneficial dialogue between academia and industry



# PALS GOVERNING BOARD MESSAGE



**Ms. Alamelu N,**  
**PALS Governing Member**



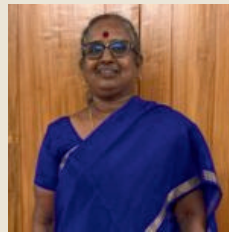
**Mr. Mohan Narayanan**  
**PALS Governing Member**

We are inspired by the Laxmi Charities Trust's commitment to empowering students and fostering the next generation of engineers. Your investment in their education is not only helping them achieve their dreams but is also contributing to the advancement of technology and society as a whole.

## PALS CHAIR MESSAGE



**Mr. C N Chandrasekaran**  
**PALS Chair**



**Ms. Vijayalakshmi Sankar**  
**PALS Vice-Chair**

### A FUTURE FORGED BY OPPORTUNITY: OUR GRATITUDE FOR YOUR SCHOLARSHIP PROGRAM

On behalf of about 240 aspiring engineering students across 16 PALS Partner institutes, we would like to express our profound gratitude for Laxmi Charities Trust's generous merit-cum-means scholarship program. Your unwavering commitment to fostering the next generation of engineers is truly transformative, and we've witnessed its powerful impact firsthand.

In today's landscape, the financial burden of higher education can be a significant barrier, even for the most talented and dedicated students. Your unique approach, combining academic merit with financial need, ensures that deserving individuals from diverse backgrounds have the opportunity to pursue their dreams in engineering. This isn't just about providing funds; it's about investing in potential, breaking down barriers, and building a more equitable future.

Thanks to your support, these students are now able to fully immerse themselves in their studies, free from the overwhelming stress of tuition fees and living expenses. This newfound freedom allows them to excel academically, participate in crucial research, engage in extracurricular activities, and ultimately, become well-rounded individuals ready to contribute meaningfully to society. We've seen their confidence soar, their focus sharpen, and their determination solidify.

The ripple effect of your generosity extends far beyond the individual student. You are empowering future innovators, problem-solvers, and leaders who will undoubtedly shape industries, advance technology, and address some of the world's most pressing challenges. From sustainable energy solutions to cutting-edge infrastructure, the contributions of these students, made possible by your scholarships, will be immeasurable.

Thank you, Laxmi Charities Trust, for your visionary support and for believing in the power of education to change lives. Your scholarship program is not just an award; it's a lifeline, a catalyst for dreams, and a testament to your organization's incredible dedication. We are truly honored to partner with you in nurturing these bright minds.

# List of Beneficiaries

S.NO	PALS PARTNER INSTITUTE NAME	STATE	STUDENTS BENEFITTED
1	ANURAG UNIVERSITY	TELENAGA	20
2	B V RAJU INSTITUTE OF TECHNOLOGY	TELENGANA	31
3	BVRIT HYDERABAD COLLEGE OF ENGINEERING FOR WOMEN	TELENGANA	20
4	DR.M.G.R.EDUCATIONAL AND RESEARCH INSTITUTE	TAMIL NADU	20
5	G NARAYANAMMA INSTITUTE OF TECHNOLOGY AND SCIENCE	TELENGANA	17
6	JERUSALEM COLLEGE OF ENGINEERING	TAMIL NADU	2
7	KMEA ENGINEERING COLLEGE	KERALA	14
8	KPR INSTITUTE OF ENGINEERING AND TECHNOLOGY	TAMIL NADU	19
9	LOYOLA-ICAM COLLEGE OF ENGINEERING AND TECHNOLOGY	TAMIL NADU	5
10	MEPCO SCHLENK ENGINEERING COLLEGE	TAMIL NADU	18
11	MUTHOOT INSTITUTE OF TECHNOLOGY AND SCIENCE	KERALA	19
12	RAJALAKSHMI ENGINEERING COLLEGE	TAMIL NADU	23
13	SRI ESHWAR COLLEGE OF ENGINEERING	TAMIL NADU	18
14	VELALAR COLLEGE OF ENGINEERING AND TECHNOLOGY	TAMIL NADU	4
15	VIVEKANANDHA COLLEGE OF ENGINEERING FOR WOMEN	TAMIL NADU	2
16	VIDYAVARDHAKA COLLEGE OF ENGINEERING	KARNATAKA	8
	<b>Total</b>		<b>240</b>

# Testimonials

Sir / Madam,

On behalf of Velalar College of Engineering and Technology, I would like to extend our heartfelt gratitude to your generous support in providing scholarships to our students. Your commitment to education and student success has made a meaningful impact, allowing deserving students to pursue their academic dreams without financial burden. Your generosity not only provides financial assistance but also serves as an inspiration for students to strive for excellence and give back to the community in the future. We deeply appreciate your dedication to education and your belief in our students' potential.

Thank you once again PALS & Laxmi charities.

With regards,

Dr. M. Jayaraman, ME, PhD, FIE,  
Principal,  
Velalar College of Engineering and Technology,  
Thindal Post  
Erode - 638 012.



Dear Sir/Madam,

Greetings from B V Raju Institute of Technology.

We sincerely thank Laxmi Charities for awarding scholarships to 31 of our deserving students. Each student received ₹50,000, totaling ₹15,50,000. Your generous support has made a meaningful difference in their lives by easing financial burdens and helping them continue their education with confidence.

The students were extremely grateful for this opportunity. Many expressed how this support lifted a great weight off their shoulders and renewed their motivation to succeed in their educational journey.

We deeply appreciate your commitment to supporting education and are grateful for your support. We look forward to continuing this valuable association.

Warm regards,  
Dr. Kiran Kumar Ganta  
Associate Professor  
BVRIT

Dear Sir / Madam,

On behalf of Vivekananda College of Engineering for Women (VCEW), we extend our sincere gratitude to PALS and the TVS Group for awarding merit scholarship worth Rs. 50,000/- for the following first-year students:

1. Kanishka R - B.E.ECE
2. Dhivyadharshini G - B.Tech. AI & DS

Thank you once again for your valuable support and for investing in the future of these talented young girls. We look forward to continuing this impactful partnership in the years to come.

Dear PALS,  
Greetings from G. Narayanamma Institute of Technology and Science (GNITS), Hyderabad!

On behalf of our management, faculty, and students, I extend our sincere gratitude to PALS IITM for connecting us with Laxmi Charities, C/o Sundaram Finance Limited, Chennai. We are delighted to share that 17 of our first-year B.Tech students have been awarded a scholarship of INR 50,000 each, a gesture that will go a long way in supporting their academic journey and aspirations.

This opportunity would not have been possible without your thoughtful recommendation and the trust you placed in our institution. Your support has made a tangible impact on the lives of these deserving students, many of whom come from modest backgrounds and are now further motivated to pursue their education with renewed determination.

We value our association with PALS IITM and look forward to many more meaningful collaborations in the future.

Thank you once again for being the bridge that helped make this generous contribution a reality.

Warm regards,  
Dr.Swapna Raghunath,  
EC Member,  
GNITS, Hyderabad

Dear Sir

"We extend our heartfelt thanks to the PALS Team for their invaluable support in securing scholarships for VVCE students. We are pleased to share that eight students have been awarded scholarships by Laxmi Charities for the academic year 2024-25. Your continued support and dedication to our students' growth and well-being are truly appreciated."

Thank you

Warm Regards

Dr Ashok BC

Professor and Dean- Corporate & International Affairs

Vidyavardhaka College of Engineering

Mysuru

Karnataka

India

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Sir,

I would like to express my heartfelt gratitude for the remarkable support and opportunities you provide to deserving students through your scholarships. Thank you for considering all the 20 applications sent to you from our institution.

However, it has come to our attention that several students, owing to some miscommunication, were unable to submit their scholarship applications within the stipulated deadline. These students are equally deserving and possess the potential to benefit significantly from your program. I would like to enquire if any additional names can be added to the list shared earlier. Shall I share their details with you or should I proceed with the selected 20 students?

Awaiting a positive response,  
Reshma Prasad  
Assistant Professor & SPOC  
Department of Civil Engineering  
FISAT

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Dear Sir,

The 20 students who met the eligibility criteria were selected and 17 students received a credit of ₹50,000 on 21.03.25. We sincerely appreciate the opportunity provided by the Lakhmi Charity Organization and are grateful for the smooth processing of the support. Thank you once again.

Thanks & Regards

Ms. M. M. Shalini, M. Sc., M.Phil., PGDCA., SET(PhD)  
Assistant Professor (Sl. Gr)  
Department of Mathematics  
Sri Eshwar College of Engineering  
Coimbatore

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Respected Sir/Madam,

I am pleased to inform you that 14 out of 15 students (15th student waiting) from KMEA Engineering College have been awarded the prestigious TVS Scholarship and the scholarship recipients have individually received an amount of Rs 50,000/-.

This generous scholarship will significantly contribute to their educational pursuits and will further inspire the students to continue their hard work and dedication. We would like to extend our sincere gratitude to PALS and the TVS Group for their support.

Thank you for your continued partnership and support.

Sincerely,  
Dr. Leera Raju (EC member PALS)  
Head of the Department (HoD)  
Department of Mechanical Engineering  
KMEA Engineering College,  
Kuzhivelipady, Edathala P.O., Cochin, Kerala-



# Student Testimonials



## THANK YOU !

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