Women Techmakers Scholars

Program Applications
Open for Pakistan



What is it?

Also known as the Google Anita Borg Memorial Scholarship Program, Google WTM is acting on creating gender equality in the field of computer science by encouraging women to excel in technology and become active leaders and role models in the field.



Where did it all come from?

Kicked off in 2012, as a once-per-year event at I/O by Megan Smith, Women Techmakers is now led by Natalie Villalobos and a global team of Googlers who are passionate about empowering women in technology.



What's in it for us?

- 1. Scholarship
 - 2. Retreat
- 3. Community



How many people participate annually - and from where?

More than 100 Participants each from:

- 1. North America
- 2. Europe, the Middle East and Africa
 - 3. Asia Pacific



When did Pakistan join?

2015! More than 10 talented women from Pakistan have been selected for WTM since then!



What is the acceptance rate?

Estimated from 1000s of Applications received annually from Asia Pacific - the acceptance rate must be < 10%.



Is the selection process in any way biased?

Not at all! These scholarships will be awarded based on the strength of each candidate's impact on diversity, demonstrated technical skills, leadership and academic accomplishments.



What does the application require?

- 1. General Background Info
 - 2. Academic Transcripts
 - 3. Proof of Coding Competition Participation
 - 4. Current Resume
 - 5. Response to Answers



What is the eligibility criteria?

- Identify as Female
- Enrolled in Uni for 2019-20
- Studying Computer Science or closely related technical field
- Good Academic/Technical Skills
 - Show Leadership and Passion for Female Inclusion in CS



Where can I apply?

Apply here

(Deadline - May 31st, 2019):

https://cseduapplication.withgoogle.com/applications/wtmapac2019



What if I'm not successful this year? Can I apply next year?

Yes! Past Applicants and Finalists are welcome to apply again!



Wanna reach out to participate / volunteer?

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