

What this scholarship means to me:

This scholarship means I had a lot of supporters and I have achieved my goals so far. I have higher goals to achieve and I look forward to striving for them. A lot of people say there isn't help out there, but this shows that there is help out there. I will always have people to thank for my accomplishments and receiving financial help.

My academic career has constantly reinforced the desire to pursue data science, I thus see a plethora of career opportunities laid in front of me. Various positions such as that of a Data Scientist, Data Analyst, Data Architect and the like seem to provide the competitive and skill-based career that I envision for myself. As such, in the short term, I hope to assume an integral role such as that of a strategist or decision maker in whatever enterprise I secure a position. I hope to be amidst the hub of innovation so that I can put into force all my creative abilities. I intend to polish myself in a manner that I will be useful in whatever domain I choose to venture, be it bio-science, climate, the human mind, business, or the stock market. I shall thus make a capable team leader within the next five years and hope to have a team to train and learn from. In the long term, I hope to apply the expertise I shall achieve in this niche domain in a manner that I will be sought first when a complex problem arises. I hope to leave a positive impact in my chosen domain. For this purpose, I shall tirelessly strive to solve even the most complex and baffling problems plaguing this discipline. I thus envision a future wherein every form of data is documented, and I see myself playing an imperative role in the journey. I have always taken part in technical paper presentations, whenever I had chance. I consider myself lucky as I got the chance to present a technical paper on " Overview on Brain machine interface" in the 3rd National conference on image processing, computing communication, networking and data analytics. I was an active Volunteer for U & I organization India , where I had an opportunity to tutor the unprivileged kids for class 5 to 10. This made me realize the value of education and the need for it .

My Hobbies include singing and dancing and writing poems . I possess junior degrees in Bharathanatyam (Indian classical dance form) and music . I am very

grateful to Indian student association for granting me this scholarship award. I am absolutely honoured to be awarded this scholarship. It really showed me that hard work will pay off in the long run and to always stay focused.”

Thank you note

Dear Indian student Association and UTSA ,

I am writing to express my sincere gratitude to you for making the Indian Student Association Annual Scholarship possible. I was thrilled to learn of my selection for this honour and I am deeply appreciative of your support.

I am a masters student majoring in Computer science. I plan to pursue a career in Data Science upon graduating from UTSA. I intend to graduate in the Summer of 2021. Thanks to you, I am one step closer to that goal. I work 20 hours per week in school, Thanks to this scholarship, I will be able to reduce my work schedule and focus more on my studies. As an International student I cherish the opportunities that living in this country offers to me. During this challenging time the world is facing this sort of financial help means a lot.

By awarding me the Indian Student Association Annual Scholarship, you have lightened my financial burden which allows me to focus more on the most important aspect of school, learning. Your generosity has inspired me to help others and give back to the community. I hope one day I will be able to help students achieve their goals just as you have helped me. I promise you I will work very hard and eventually give something back to others, possibly to future students like myself.

