

SCHOLARSHIPS
are open for Spring and Summer 2023 in
**TOP 300 QS WORLD RANKED
US UNIVERSITIES**

“ HIGHER EDUCATION COMMISSION

Offers

PHD SCHOLARSHIPS *in* US UNIVERSITIES”

US-Pakistan Knowledge Corridor Project

GENERAL ELIGIBILITY CRITERIA

- a. Pakistani/AJK nationals
- b. Minimum 4 years Bachelor's degree (BS/BSc/BE/16 years formal education)
- c. No 2nd or 3rd Division in entire academic career is acceptable for both Category – I & II
- d. Maximum age on the closing date shall not exceed:
 - i. 40 Years in case of regular Government employees/regular faculty members of public sector universities & Government colleges/regular researchers of approved R&D organizations
 - ii. 35 Years in all other cases
- e. Must not availing any other Scholarship
- f. Those having PhD Degree are not eligible

SPECIFIC ELIGIBILITY CRITERIA

1. Category I – Scholarship (Top 50 QS Ranked US Universities – Fully Funded Scholarship):

The prospective applicant must have:

- a. Secured admission in top 50 QS World Ranked OR Subject wise US University
- b. Valid GRE – General Score (Minimum 300 in total) OR HEC HAT Score (Minimum 60%)

2. Category II – Scholarship (Top 300 QS World Ranked US Universities):

A limited tuition fee up to USD 12,000/- per annum is offered in addition to stipend. For this category of scholarship, prospective applicant must have:

- a. Secured admission in top 300 (51-300) QS World Ranked US University (overall ranking). In case of QS Subject wise Ranking, must have secured admission in top 100 (51-100) universities
- b. Valid GRE – General Score (Minimum 300 in total) OR HAT Score (Minimum 60% Score). GRE - General or HAT Score is not required in case admission is secured with complete tuition waiver

Important Note

- a. Applications for scholarship are invited from those prospective applicants who satisfy both general eligibility and specific eligibility criteria.
- b. Latest QS Ranking 2022 shall apply. www.topuniversities.com website will be used as a reference for QS Ranking. QS Ranking may also include QS World University Ranking by Subject. Subject ranking shall be in terms of broad subject area only.
- c. For more details, please visit HEC website: www.hec.gov.pk/site/US-Pak-KC

FINANCIAL COVERAGE

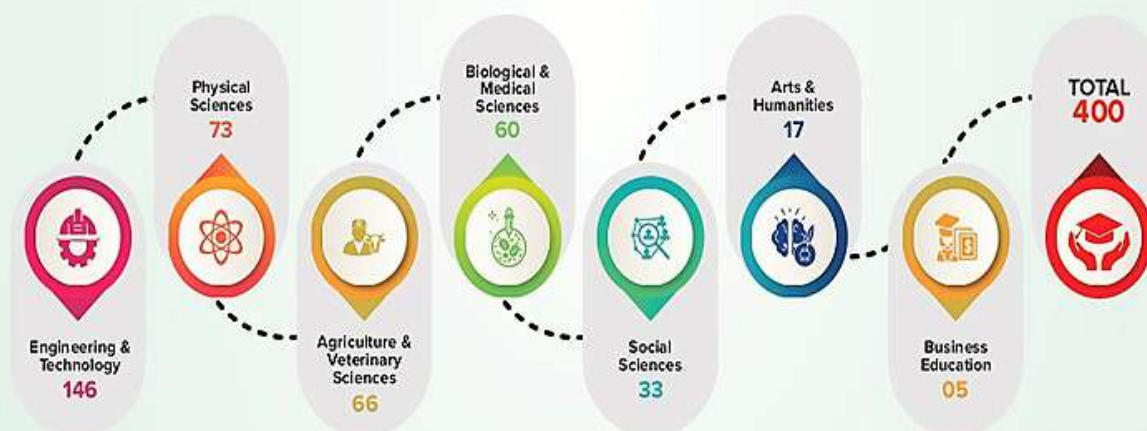
	Category I – Scholarship (QS 1- 50)	Category – II Scholarship (QS 51-300)
Annual Tuition Cost	Fully Funded	USD 12,000
Annual Stipend	USD 19,200	USD 19,200
Annual Health Insurance	USD 2,000 (or actual, whichever is lower)	USD 2,000 (or actual, whichever is lower)
Return Airfare	PKR 250,000	PKR 250,000

INFORMATION ABOUT GRE/HAT

For information regarding GRE, please visit www.ets.org
for HEC HAT visit www.etc.hec.gov.pk

ACHIEVEMENTS

400 scholars are on-board for doctoral studies under the programme



HOW TO APPLY?

Interested candidates can apply online through the link:
<https://scholarship.hec.gov.pk>

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