



ISLAMIC DEVELOPMENT BANK

MERIT SCHOLARSHIP PROGRAMME FOR HIGH TECHNOLOGY

ANNOUNCEMENT

1432H/ 2011-12 Academic Year

1. The Islamic Development Bank (IDB) is delighted to announce that scholarships under the IDB Merit Scholarship Programme for High Technology for the year 1432H (2011-12) are open for application. The scholarships will be awarded to successful applicants in September 2011.
2. The Programme is designed to help promising research students to pursue a full-time three-year Ph. D study or a six-twelve month post-doctoral research work in scientific disciplines that enhance development in IDB member countries; for instance, health/medicine, agriculture/food production, water resources/desertification, energy/infrastructure development, nanotechnology and development-focused ICT. Some scholarships are also available for studies and research in invention-related abstract sciences.
3. The scholarship comprises tuition fees, living allowance, health insurance, round-trip air-ticket and conference participation allowance in general, and computer and dependency allowances for Ph.D. students;
4. The applicant must be a citizen of an IDB member country, must be a permanent employee of an academic institution or a research centre of his/her country and must satisfy all the eligibility requirements of the Programme;
5. The successful candidate must secure admission to one of the universities listed in the Times Higher Education Supplement (THES). The list is available on the IDB website: www.isdb.org.
6. Priority shall be given to applicants who have secured admission at universities that have concluded a cooperation agreement with the IDB such as Cambridge University, Nottingham University and Birmingham University in the UK or from the top 50 universities on the THES list.
7. The prospective applicants should visit the IDB website: www.isdb.org to download the Programme's application form and to read full information about the eligibility requirements, how to apply, the Programme's benefits and facilities as well as the names of universities.
8. The applicant must complete the application form and send it together with all the requisite documents, as mentioned on the concluding page of the form, through the office of the IDB Governor for the applicant's country, and not directly to the IDB Headquarters in Jeddah. The application must reach the concerned IDB Governor's Office or its designated office by Monday 11/2011. Applications received directly at the IDB will not be entertained.

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**IDB Merit Scholarship Programme
Final Selection
for the Year 1431H(2010-11)**

Annex - I

A) Member Countries

#	Country	SN	NAME	Gender	Program	Field of Study	Total Score
1	Afghanistan (1)	1	Mohammad Iqbal	M	Ph.D.	Medicine	839
2	Algeria (1)	2	Aouatif Belkhiri	F	Ph.D.	Medicine	645
3	Azerbaijan (1)	3	Rasim Jannataliyev	M	Ph.D.	Energy	726
4	Bangladesh (5)	4	Shamsun Nahar Khan	F	Post-Doc	Medicine	977
	Bangladesh	5	Md Ashraful Haque	M	Post-Doc	Agriculture	963
	Bangladesh	6	Zaid bin Mahbub	M	Ph.D.	Medicine	976
	Bangladesh	7	Mohammad Ali Moni	M	Ph.D.	ICT	893
	Bangladesh	8	S M Raouibul Hasan	M	Ph.D.	Medicine	857
5	Benin (1)	9	Sena Peace Hounkpe	F	Ph.D.	Water Resources	629
6	Cameroun (1)	10	Albert Kanga	M	Ph.D.	Telecommunication	750
7	Chad (1)	11	Souleyman Ahmat Issaka	M	Ph.D.	Chemical Engineering	958
8	Comoros (1)	12	Mouhoyvouldine Ali	M	Ph.D.	Environment	853
9	Cote D'ivoire (2)	13	Meite Ladii	M	Post-Doc	Environment	867
	Cote D'ivoire	14	Abdoulave N'golo Traore	M	Ph.D.	Biotech/Agriculture	923
10	Djibouti (2)	15	Hassan Husein AlAlleh	M	Ph.D.	ICT	814
	Djibouti	16	Hassan Elmi Robleh	M	Ph.D.	System Engineering	779
11	Egypt (5)	17	Abdel Fattah M A Mahrous	M	Post-Doc	Energy	962
	Egypt	18	Mona Farag Ali ElAzab	F	Post-Doc	Medicine	837
	Egypt	19	Ibrahim M Ali ElSohaby	M	Ph.D.	Agriculture/Veterinary Sci	971
	Egypt	20	Eman Zidan M Ghallab	F	Ph.D.	Medicine	866
	Egypt	21	Hanan Reda Hassan Elsaveid	F	Ph.D.	Medicine	846
12	Guinea (2)	22	Oumar Moussa Keita	M	Ph.D.	Metallurgy	930
	Guinea	23	Aminata Diallo	F	Ph.D.	Medicine	722
13	Indonesia (5)	24	Wahyu Utami	F	Ph.D.	Medicine	965
	Indonesia	25	Yazdi Ibrahim Jenie	M	Ph.D.	Space Sci	962
	Indonesia	26	Marwati Widi	F	Ph.D.	Medicine	957
	Indonesia	27	Sentin Puii Asturi	F	Ph.D.	Environment	897
	Indonesia	28	Betty Suryawati	F	Ph.D.	Medicine	885
14	Iran (5)	29	Mohammad Reza Sanji	M	Post-Doc	Energy	927
	Iran	30	Majid Golkar	M	Post-Doc	Medicine	908
	Iran	31	Hanif Rast Gofiar	M	Ph.D.	Energy	962
	Iran	32	Peyman Gifani	M	Ph.D.	Medicine	899
	Iran	33	Reza Habibian	M	Ph.D.	Water Resources	896
15	Iraq (4)	34	Entissar M Abdul Rasool	F	Post-Doc	Medicine	920
	Iraq	35	Fadhil Ismail Altaie	M	Post-Doc	Nuclear Physics	851
	Iraq	36	Hani Mhedi M Salih	M	Ph.D.	Medicine	968
	Iraq	37	Omar Turath Tawfiq	M	Ph.D.	Electronics	927
16	Jordan (5)	38	Taha Mohammad Rababah	M	Post-Doc	Agriculture	961
	Jordan	39	Nesrin Riad Mwaft	F	Ph.D.	Genetic Eng/Medicine	956
	Jordan	40	Jalal Ibrahim Al-Aziz	M	Ph.D.	Telecommunication	944
	Jordan	41	Abd Al-Hadi Ibrahim	M	Ph.D.	Medicine	864
	Jordan	42	Sana'a M M Al-Aqqad	F	Ph.D.	Environment	710
17	Kyrgyz Rep. (2)	43	Zuhra Mamasheva	F	Post-Doc	Medicine	830
	Kyrgyz Rep.	44	Cholpon Rustem Kyzv.	F	Ph.D.	Nanotechnology	620
18	Malaysia (5)	45	Mohd Yusoff Alias	M	Post-Doc	ICT	936
	Malaysia	46	Noor Azwani Zainol	F	Ph.D.	Agriculture/Food Tech	976
	Malaysia	47	NURJUANIS Zara	F	Ph.D.	Energy	956
	Malaysia	48	Khairul Nisak Md Hassan	F	Ph.D.	Energy	929
	Malaysia	49	Azlina A Razak	F	Ph.D.	Biotech/Medicine	884
19	Maldives (1)	50	Mohamed Adil	M	Ph.D.	ICT	870
20	Mauritania (1)	51	Ahmedou Ould Irevine	M	Ph.D.	ICT	716
21	Morocco (3)	52	Omar Idrissi	M	Ph.D.	Genetic Eng/Agriculture	972
	Morocco	53	Beniken Lhou	M	Ph.D.	Agriculture	896
	Morocco	54	Fouad Mokrini	M	Ph.D.	Agriculture	857

Approval

Date: 2/2/11

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IDB MSP FINAL SELECTION 1431H(2010-11)

#	Country	SN	Name	Gender	Program	Field of Study	Total Score
22	Nigeria (5)	55	Muhammad Nurudeen	M	Ph.D.	Chemical	972
	Nigeria	56	Muhammad Bashir Bolajoko	M	Ph.D.	Agriculture/Veterinary Sci	959
	Nigeria	57	Akilu Sada Abdullahi	M	Ph.D.	Biotech/Medicine	828
	Nigeria	58	Abdulrahman Miiinwawa	M	Ph.D.	Energy	798
	Nigeria	59	Fatimah Adamu Fika	F	Ph.D.	ICT	795
23	Pakistan (5)	60	Asma Gul	F	Post-Doc	Biotech/Medicine	721
	Pakistan	61	Aneela Anwar	F	Ph.D.	Polymer Science	976
	Pakistan	62	Faraz Janan	M	Ph.D.	ICT	943
	Pakistan	63	Farhat Nazir	F	Ph.D.	Biotech/Agriculture	922
	Pakistan	64	Muhamad Assad Aslam	M	Ph.D.	Biotech/Medicine	813
24	Palestine (5)	65	Osama M F Dawoud	M	Ph.D.	Water Resources	981
	Palestine	66	Zivad Mohamed Abu Nada	M	Ph.D.	Water Resources	965
	Palestine	67	Basem O F Alijla	M	Ph.D.	ICT	851
	Palestine	68	Maid Khalid Esbraya	F	Ph.D.	Environment	799
	Palestine	69	Sana' Mahmoud Hasan Alaaad	F	Ph.D.	Medicine	788
25	Senegal (1)	70	Serigne Mamour Dion	M	Ph.D.	ICT	731
26	Sudan (5)	71	Marmar Abdel Rahman	F	Post-Doc	Biotech/Plant	931
	Sudan	72	Wafa Isam Abdel Rahman	F	Ph.D.	Telecommunication	970
	Sudan	73	Hind Omer Elfaki	F	Ph.D.	Energy	963
	Sudan	74	Ahmed Ali Hassab	F	Ph.D.	Environment	953
	Sudan	75	Fatima Abd Elmutaal	F	Ph.D.	Genetic Eng/Medicine	897
27	Syria (4)	76	Salaheddin Khabbaz	M	Post-Doc	Biotech/Plant	890
	Syria	77	Anas Hasan Dameriha	M	Ph.D.	Biotech/Plant	953
	Syria	78	Murfak Al-Hammadi	M	Ph.D.	Medicine/Pharmacy	903
	Syria	79	Iman Bilto	F	Ph.D.	Agriculture/Food Tech	839
28	Tajikistan (1)	80	Makhlivo Normatova	F	Ph.D.	Medicine	742
29	Togo (4)	81	Tomertv Mensah Folly	M	Ph.D.	Environment	910
	Togo	82	Djiwa Ovetounde	M	Ph.D.	Environment	872
	Togo	83	Avimba Essoh	M	Ph.D.	Medicine	779
	Togo	84	Anissou Bawa	M	Ph.D.	Environment	748
30	Tunisia (5)	85	Yassine Mabrouk	M	Post-Doc	Biotech/Medicine	972
	Tunisia	86	Mustapha Ennaieb	M	Post-Doc	Biotech/Agriculture	967
	Tunisia	87	Kaouthar Saadallah	F	Post-Doc	Biotech/Agriculture	836
	Tunisia	88	Neihb Hasnaoui	M	Ph.D.	Biotech/Food Tech	916
	Tunisia	89	Sarra Jlassi	F	Ph.D.	ICT	747
31	Turkey (1)	90	Gokcen Cekic	F	Ph.D.	Biotechnology	790
32	Uzbekistan (4)	91	Shakhlo Miralimova	F	Post-Doc	Biotech/Medicine	941
	Uzbekistan	92	Jahonzir Gafurov	M	Post-Doc	System Engineering	808
	Uzbekistan	93	Shukhrat Kayumov	M	Ph.D.	ICT	919
	Uzbekistan	94	Sarvar A Abdullaev	M	Ph.D.	ICT	897
33	Yemen (2)	95	Abdullah M A Khamis	M	Ph.D.	ICT	920
	Yemen	96	Abdulsalam Kaed Ahmed	M	Ph.D.	ICT	882

Total: 96; Phd= 73; Post-Doc=23; Male=61; Female=35

B) Non - Member Countries

#	Country	SN	Name	Gender	Program	Field of Study	Total Score
1	India (1)	1	Andleeb Khan	F	Ph.D.	Medicine	817
2	Kenya (1)	2	Hussein Ali Osman	M	Ph.D.	Medicine	831
3	Muritius (1)	3	Naila Gooda Sahib	F	Ph.D.	Agriculture	850
4	Nepal (1)	4	Md Jahangir Ali	M	Ph.D.	Environment	724

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Date: 1/25/11

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ELIGIBILITY CHECK-LIST (For 3-YEAR Ph.D. STUDY)

Name	
Nationality	
Field of Study	

Please make sure that you meet all the criteria of the programme listed hereunder. Application will not be considered eligible failing to meet any of the criteria.

(failing to tick the appropriate boxes in each of the following items may lead to cancellation of your application)

- 1 My age is not over 35 years Yes No
- 2 I have an M.Sc. degree in the field of my research proposal in science and technology related to or listed under the programme Yes No
- 3 My academic background and grades are at least 'very good' Yes No
- 4 I have minimum of 2 years of post-Masters degree research/work experience in the field of my proposed research project Yes No
- 5 My proposed research/study is toward development of my country/region and I can demonstrate its scientific and development relevance in my research proposal Yes No
- 6 I have proven proficiency in English/French or both languages Yes No
- 7 My application is nominated by my institution and the concerned section of the application form is signed and stamped by the Head of the institution Yes No
- 8 My application is being submitted through the Office of the IDB Governor for my country Yes No
- 9 Have declined or not availed any IDB scholarship awarded to me before Yes No
- 10 Has any of your family members offered or availed the IDB scholarship? Yes No

Please do not detach this page from the Application Form



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APPLICATION FORM **(FOR 3-YEAR Ph.D. STUDY)**

Write in **BLOCK LETTERS** and use only the space available for each information item, and do not use any separate sheet. Your application is assessed on point system, so if you knowingly leave any item/part incomplete or ignore given instructions, you may either lose points or your application be considered ineligible.

A. THE APPLICANT

- Name in full:** Mr/Mrs/Ms _____
(circle appropriate title)
- Date and Place of Birth** _____
- Religion** _____
- Nationality:** Present _____; at birth: _____
(As proof of nationality - birth certificate or passport copy - must be submitted)
- Marital Status** *(please circle as appropriate):* Single Married Divorced Widow
Number of Children _____ **Age range of children** _____
- Home address:** _____
Town/City: _____ Postal Code _____ Country _____
Telephone *(with country and city codes)* _____
Fax _____ e-mail: _____
(Correspondence with you will be mainly by e-mail, so you must have an e-mail address)
- Alternative Contact:** *(name, relationship, address, tel/fax, and e-mail):* _____

B. ACADEMIC BACKGROUND

- M.Sc Study: Degree obtained** _____
Name of University: _____
Town/City: _____ Country: _____
Field of study: _____ Length of study: _____ years
Date of graduation: _____ Grade/GPA obtained _____
obtained Grade/GPA stands as Excellent Very Good Good
- Masters' Thesis title:** _____
Field: _____ Year approved: _____ Published? *(Yes/No)* _____

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2. **B.Sc Study:** Degree obtained _____
 Name of University: _____
 Town/City: _____ Country _____
 Field of study: _____ Length of study: _____ years
 Date of graduation: _____ Grade/GPA _____
 obtained Grade/GPA stands as Excellent Very Good Good

3. **Scholarship awarded for any of the above programmes/studies: Yes/No, if Yes,**
 Name of the Scholarship _____
 Programme/Study _____

4. **Language Proficiency** (you must tick/cross all the columns, as relevant):

<u>Language(s)</u>	<u>Reading</u>	<u>Writing</u>	<u>Speaking</u>	<u>Certificate</u>
English	_____	_____	_____	_____
French	_____	_____	_____	_____
Other _____	_____	_____	_____	_____

Note: In case of mentioning of holding certificate, a copy must be attached. Placement at the university accepted by IDB will be cleared only on the basis of language proficiency on the medium of language of the university. If selected, you must arrange to produce an internationally recognized language proficiency certificate, such as IELTS, TOEFL, etc.

C. PROFESSIONAL BACKGROUND

1. **Name of Institution/Organization where you work: now**

(Please do not use abbreviations)

Type: Academic Research Public/Private Govt. Organization

Town/City _____ Province/State: _____

Telephone (with country and city codes): _____ Fax _____

E-mail: _____ working since _____

Your current position: _____

Level of the position: Junior/Assistant Mid-level Senior

2. **List previous employments, if any**

i. Name of institution _____

Address: _____

Type of institution _____ Position _____

Field/Type of work _____ Duration _____

ii. Name of institution _____

Address: _____

Type of institution _____ Position _____

Field/Type of work _____ Duration _____

3. Total years of experience in your field of study: _____ years
(evidence of research/work experience must be submitted)

4. Extra curricular activities _____

D. PLAN OF STUDY AND RESEARCH PROPOSAL

1. Your current area or field of expertise: _____

2. The field of your research proposal? _____

(Research proposal must be related to your academic background and current area of expertise)

3. Title: _____

4. Objective: (write below, not in a separate sheet, one brief paragraph on the development relevance of your research to the needs of the country/region)

5. Admission Offers: Yes _____ No _____. If yes, furnish the following information:

University _____

Department/Faculty _____

Place/Country _____

(copy of offer/ acceptance letter, as mentioned above, must be submitted herewith)

Note: An admission offer mentioned here is not an automatic choice for you to commence the programme by this admission. It will be subject to meeting the admission/university criteria. Also, if awarded, the scholarship requires you to commence the research/study from the beginning rather than for completion that you have already commenced with other funding.

E. NOMINATION / ATTESTATION BY THE HEAD OF YOUR INSTITUTION

The applicant is hereby nominated for IDB Merit Scholarship. On award of the scholarship to the applicant, we declare to abide by the following:

- 1. He/she shall be facilitated with study leave for the duration of study/research;*
- 2. He/She shall be regarded as an active employee and continue to receive salary/ allowance(s) during the said study leave;*
- 3. His/her study leave duration will be counted within the length of service and will maintain the seniority for entitlement to promotion, etc.;*
- 4. On return, his his/her new degree/research outcome will be recognised and every effort will be made to fully utilize his/her enhanced knowledge and expertise.*

Name/Title of Head/Director: _____

Signature: _____ **Date:** _____

Official Stamp:

F. DECLARATION OF THE APPLICANT

I hereby solemnly declare that all information given in this application is complete and correct.

Signature

Date

G. HOW TO APPLY

1. **Submit one (1) copy of each required documents below (tick if you have them and have included them in your package):**

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|-----|---|--|
| 1.1 | Application Form | <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No |
| 1.2 | Curriculum vitae or CV | <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No |
| 1.3 | Copies of B.Sc. degree and transcript | <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No |
| 1.4 | Copies of M.Sc. degree and transcript | <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No |
| 1.5 | Two (2) Passport-size pictures (put in a transparent/plastic pouch) | <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No |
| 1.6 | Proof of nationality (birth certificate/relevant pages of passport) | <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No |
| 1.7 | Language certificate or test score (if any) | <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No |
| 1.8 | Copies of work experience certificate | <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No |
| 1.9 | Letter or evidence of pre-admission (if any) | <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No |

2. **Organize your documents** so that each item is separated by a white/colour separator. Clip or staple, number them (1.1 - 1.9) and write the titles as above on the separators. If any item is missing, your application will be considered as ineligible.
3. **If any of your documents are not in English, French or Arabic, please have them translated or describe the content(s) briefly in English/French. Failing to submit the English/French translation will be considered non-recognition of the document and may lead to cancellation of your application due to not meeting the eligibility criteria.**
4. Send your application along with all the above required documents to/through the Office of the IDB Governor for your country to arrive at the IDB **before the deadline (31 December).**
5. Keep a copy of the completed application form along with the above documents you are attaching with the application form. You may be asked to send these documents once again.

PLEASE DO NOT SEND ANY ADDITIONAL DOCUMENT NOT ASKED HERE

Important Note

- **This Application form is the first information sheet to assess your eligibility as a candidate for the programme. If you are found eligible and qualify for the next phase selection process, you will be asked to send another set of documents.**
- **You will be contacted only if you qualify for the next phase. No other letter/intimation will be given to you if you do not qualify for the next phase.**

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ELIGIBILITY CHECK-LIST (FOR POST-DOCTORAL RESEARCH)

Name	
Nationality	
Field of Study	

Please make sure that you meet all the criteria of the programme listed hereunder. Application will not be considered eligible failing to meet any of the criteria.

(failing to tick the appropriate box in each of the following items may lead to cancellation of your application)

1. My age is not over 40 years Yes No
2. I have a Ph.D. degree in the field of science or technology related to or listed under the Programme Yes No
3. I have a minimum of 5 years of work/research experience in the same field, at post-M.Sc. & Ph.D. levels, of which minimum 2 years at post-Ph. D. level Yes No
4. I have not undertaken any Post-Doctoral research work in the last (previous) two (2) years Yes No
5. My overall academic standing/grades are at least "Very Good" Yes No
6. I have proven proficiency in the English/French or both languages Yes No
7. I have record of publications/research in the same field Yes No
8. My proposed research is a problem solving approach toward development of my country/region and I can demonstrate its scientific and developmental relevance clearly in my research proposal Yes No
9. My application is sponsored by my institution and the concerned page of the application form is signed and stamped by the Head of my Institution Yes No
10. My application is being submitted through the Office of the IDB Governor for my country Yes No
11. Have declined or not availed any IDB scholarship awarded to me before Yes No

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(FOR POST-DOCTORAL RESEARCH)

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3. Religion _____
4. Nationality: Present _____; at birth: _____
(As proof of nationality, birth certificate or passport copy must be submitted)
5. Marital Status (please circle as appropriate): Single Married Divorcee Widow
Number of Children _____ Age range of children _____
6. Home address: _____
Town/City: _____ Postal Code _____ Country _____
Telephone (with country and city codes) _____
Fax _____ e-mail: _____
(Correspondence with you will be mainly by e-mail, so you must have an e-mail address)
7. Alternative Contact: (name, relationship, address, tel/fax and e-mail): _____

B. ACADEMIC BACKGROUND

1. **Last Post-Doctoral:** year/length of research: From _____ to _____
Name of University _____
Town/City: _____ Country: _____
Research title: _____
Field of research: _____ Published? (Yes/No) _____

2. **Ph.D study:** year/length of study: From _____ to _____

Name of University _____

Town/City: _____ Country: _____

Research title: _____

Field of research: _____ Published? (Yes/No) _____

3. **M.Sc Study :** Degree obtained _____

Name of University: _____

Town/City: _____ Country: _____

Field of study: _____ Length of study: _____ years

Date of graduation: _____ Grade/GPA obtained _____

obtained Grade/GPA stands as Excellent Very Good Good

Masters' Thesis title: _____

Published? (Yes/No) _____

4. **B.Sc Study:** Degree obtained _____

Name of University: _____

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5. **Scholarship awarded for any of the above programmes/studies: Yes/No, if yes:**

Name of the Scholarship _____

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7. **Publications:** (only in your field of study, excluding academic reports or thesis):

<u>Type of publications</u>	<u>Total Nos.</u>	<u>distribute total nos. by place of publications</u>		
		<u>Institutional / National</u>	<u>Regional</u>	<u>International</u>
Articles	_____	_____	_____	_____
Books	_____	_____	_____	_____
Conf. Papers	_____	_____	_____	_____
Reports	_____	_____	_____	_____

Note: Face copies (first page only) of all the above publication: must be submitted

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Telephone (with country and city codes): _____ Fax _____

E-mail: _____ working since _____

Your current position: _____

Level of the position: Junior/Assistant Mid-level Senior

2. List previous employments, if any:

i. Name of institution _____

Address: _____

Type of institution _____ Position _____

Field/Type of work _____ Duration _____

ii. Name of institution _____

Address: _____

Type of institution _____ Position _____

Field/Type of work _____ Duration _____

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Objective (contd.) _____

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- 1. He/she shall be facilitated with study leave for the duration of study/research;*
- 2. He/She shall be regarded as an active employee and continue to receive salary/ allowance(s) during the said study leave;*
- 3. His/her study leave duration will be counted within the length of service and will maintain the seniority for entitlement to promotion. etc.;*
- 4. On return, his his/her new degree/research outcome will be recognised and every effort will be made to fully utilize his/her enhanced knowledge and expertise.*

Name/Title of Head/Director: _____

Signature: _____ Date: _____

Official Stamp: _____

F. DECLARATION OF THE APPLICANT

I hereby solemnly declare that all information given in this application is complete and correct.

Signature

Date

G. HOW TO APPLY

1. **Submit one (1) copy of each required documents below (tick if you have them and have included them in your package):**
 - 1.1 Application Form Yes No
 - 1.2 Curriculum vitae or CV Yes No
 - 1.3 Copy of Ph.D. degree Yes No
 - 1.4 Copies of M.Sc. degree and transcript Yes No
 - 1.5 Copies of B.Sc. degree and transcript Yes No
 - 1.6 Two (2) Passport-size pictures (put in a transparent/plastic pouch) Yes No
 - 1.7 Face copies of publications Yes No
 - 1.7 Proof of nationality (birth certificate/relevant pages of passport) Yes No
 - 1.8 Language certificate or test score (if any) Yes No
 - 1.9 Copies of work/research experience certificate Yes No
 - 1.10 Letter or evidence of pre-admission (if any) Yes No
2. **Organize your documents** so that each item is separated by a white/color separator. Clip or staple, number them (1.1 - 1.10) and write the titles as above on the separators. If any item is missing, your application will be considered as ineligible.
3. **If any of your documents are not in English, French or Arabic, please have them translated or describe the content(s) briefly in English/French. Failing to submit the English/French translation will be considered non-recognition of the document and may lead to cancellation of your application due to not meeting the eligibility criteria.**
3. Send your application along with all the above required documents to/through the Office of the IDB Governor for your country to arrive at the IDB before the deadline (31 December).
4. Keep a copy of the completed application form along with the above documents you are attaching with the application form. You may be asked to send these documents once again.

Important Note

- ***This Application form is the first information sheet to assess your eligibility as a candidate for the programme. If you are found eligible and qualify for the next phase selection process, you will be asked to send another set of documents.***
- ***You will be contacted only if you qualify for the next phase. No other letter/intimation will be given to you if you do not qualify for the next phase.***



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Subject: Merit Scholarship Programme for the year 1432H (2011-12)

Excellency,

Assalamu Alaikum Warahmatullahi wa Barakatuh

I am pleased to inform Your Excellency that with the conclusion of selection process for the year 1431H (2010-11), I am taking the opportunity to announce the Merit Scholarship Programme for the next academic year of 1432H (2011-12).

For the current academic year of 1431H (2010-11), a total of 96 candidates have been selected from 33 member countries, comprising 73 Ph.D. and 23 Post-Doc candidates with a Male:Female ratio at 61:35. A list of selected candidates is attached herewith for Your Excellency's kind information.

I am pleased to inform Your Excellency that for the next academic year, 1432H (2011-12), the annual quota is maintained at **100 scholarships**. **Attached** is the Announcement Poster inviting applications for the next selection year. The poster is to be distributed to various educational and research institutions in your esteemed country. In order to attract a greater number of quality applications, I request Your Excellency to kindly also publish the announcement in leading journals and newspapers in the country. It is very important that the Announcement Poster reaches all the relevant research/academic institutions to attract the most talented candidates.

Your Excellency will observe from the announcement poster that applications are invited by specific fields of study only. This is to focus on most crucial development areas of IDB member countries as highlighted in the IDB Vision 1440II.

Your Excellency's good office or the designated Contact/Focal Point may receive applications from participating scholars and institutions until **31 December 2010**. The applications then may kindly be screened by your good office/Focal point to sort out the most suitable candidates to be forwarded to IDB **by the end of January 2011**.

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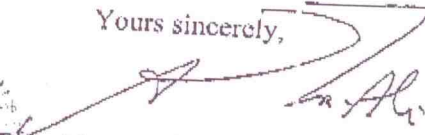
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In order for IDB to process the applications in a meaningful manner, Your Excellency may kindly instruct your good office to **submit to the IDB only up to 25** of the most **deserving** applications.

I take this opportunity to appreciate the efforts of Your Excellency's good office for fully participating in the programme and look forward that this effort will continue to attract the most eligible and talented candidates to the IDB Merit Scholarship Programme.

With my best regards.

Yours sincerely,


Dr. Ahmad Mohamed Ali
President, IDB Group

