

SCHOLARSHIP ALERT

S V CIRIACYWANTRUP POSTDOCTORAL FELLOWSHIPS

The fellowships will be awarded for the 2010-2011 academic year to support advanced research at the University of California, Berkeley. For the purposes of this fellowship, natural resources are defined broadly to include environmental resources. There is a (i) one-year postdoctoral award with a salary of \$ 54,192 renewable for a second year; and (ii) a one-year award with a salary of \$ 54,192 to support a professional or sabbatical leave from an academic or professional position, without option to renew. Both types of fellowships include \$ 2,000 toward research-related expenses and one-way economy airfare to Berkeley for each fellow and his/her immediate family.

Requirements: (a) Applicant will possess a doctorate or equivalent conferred within the past five years (ii) Applicants for visiting scholar fellowships must have received their doctorate or equivalent within the last ten years. Applicants must provide documentation of the home institution's or agency's concurrence of their leave. Visit research.chance.berkeley.edu/page.cfm?id=184 for further information.

To apply: Link for the application form at research.chance.berkeley.edu/page.cfm?id=184. One hard copy of the complete application must be submitted to the office of the Vice Chancellor for Research, c/o Jackie Jones, 119 California Hall, University of California, Berkeley, CA 94720-1500

Submission: December 11

DR MANMOHAN SINGH SCHOLARSHIPS 2010

St. John's College, the University of Cambridge launched the Dr. Manmohan Singh Scholarships to enable Indian students to come to St. John's College, University of Cambridge to study for doctoral studies in subjects like science and technology, economics and social sciences. Applications in aerospace engineering and energy studies will be of particular interest. The scholarships are fully funded, and cover academic fees, international airfare, monthly stipend to cover living expenses and UK visa.

Requirement: Applicant should hold a valid Indian passport, and currently based in India, below 35 years of age as on December 15; hold a postgraduate degree from a reputed/recognized Indian university/institutions with a first class award (UG and PG) in the relevant subject/field; keen to pursue and have identified a full time doctoral research degree from the University of Cambridge commencing by September/October 2010; be fluent in spoken and written English, able to fulfill any other admission criteria laid down by the university, and not had significant exposure to UK education or received UK government funding.

To apply: Identify a suitable doctoral programme and supervisor at the University of Cambridge; visit the Board of Graduate Studies (BoGs) website www.admin.cam.ac.uk/univ/gsprospectus/ and make a formal application to the university; select St. John's College as first choice college

on the BoGs application form. Indicate on the BoGs form that you are applying for the Dr. Manmohan Singh Scholarships, but also complete the section applying for funding from the university Format of application on [www. British council.org/india-scholarships=drmanmohansingh.htm](http://www.BritishCouncil.org/india-scholarships=drmanmohansingh.htm). submit application to the British Council, 17, Kasturba Gandhi Marg, New Delhi 110001

FULBRIGHT-NEHRU-CII FELLOWSHIPS FOR LEADERSHIP IN MANAGEMENT

Fulbright-Nehru-CII Fellowships for Leadership in Management for the academic year 2010-2011 by the United States-India Educational Foundation (USIEF) and the Confederation of Indian Industry (CII) for Indian business managers to attend a specially designed 10-weeks management programme at the Carnegie Mellon University's Tepper School of Business (TSB), Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania, US, from June 1 to August 9, 2010. Fellowship benefits include (i) J-1 visa support (ii) Economy class air tickets from the executive's home town/city of work in India to Pittsburgh and back; (iii) tuition fees (iv) maintenance allowance in the US (v) settling-in allowance (vi) accident and sickness coverage per US Government guidelines.

Requirements: Responsible Indian citizen; a graduate degree; at least five years of managerial experience in an industry; present in India at the time of submitting the application and for the interview; not residing in the United States; not applying for or holding permanent residence (green card) in the United States; not have been in the US during the past three years on a teaching, research, study or professional assignment for a continuous period of three months or more, at the time of submitting the application; and give an undertaking to return to India on the completion of the fellowship; procedure an undertaking from the employer that it would be willing to bear 50% (\$15,800) of the total cost.

To apply: Visit www.usief.org.in/ through relevant links. For more information, contact Amarpreet Kaur, executive, Confederation of Indian Industry (CII), 249, F, Udhyog Vihar Phase-IV, Gurgaon 122015, Haryana or Sudarsan Dash. Applications, along with your curriculum vitae, photo copies of certificate/mark-sheets must be submitted to Amarpreet Kaur at the above address.

Submission: December 15

EDUCATION FAIR

The QS World MBA Tour will be held in the Capital on November 28. The event will give MBA candidates an opportunity to meet face-to-face with admissions officers from around the world. It offers US \$1.6 million worth of scholarships during the Fall 2009 session. The scholarships for B-Schools like Wharton, Chicago and Cass are available only to attendance of the fair. Also, the graduate education fair, part of the QS World Grad School Tour, will be held in the Capital on November 29. In its ninth year of operation, the QS World Grad School Tour will take schools such as UCL, King's George Washington University, University of Melbourne, Carnegie Mellon, IE and Bocconi University to 46 cities in 29 countries around the globe. For details, visit www.topgradschool.com

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