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217	202055005	KALPANA SHARMA	MCOM
218	202055006	CHEONG NORBU BHUTIA	MCOM
219	202055009	YANNI PRADHAN	MCOM
220	202055016	AVKASH PRADHAN	MCOM
221	202055018	SWETA SHARMA	MCOM
222	202055021	KAMALA DEVI SHARMA	MCOM
223	202055022	DEEPIKA THAPA	MCOM
224	202055024	HEMA CHETTRI	MCOM
225	202055029	UMA CHETTRI	MCOM
226	202055031	ONGDEN BHUTIA	MCOM
227	201956019	ARCHANA GUPTA	B.A
228	201956020	PEMA CHODEN BHUTIA	B.A
229	202057005	JEENA CHETTRI	MA
230	202057041	PRISKILA RAI	MA

## SPECIAL SCHOLARSHIPS FOR STUDENTS OF UNDER DERVELOPED COUNTRIES

Sikkim is not only in Northeast but is also closer to the developing countries of East Asia such as Bhutan, Bangladesh & Nepal. Poverty level in this country is also high and many students prefers India for quality education as it is near and economical to them provided, we share same culture. Many students from these countries who are willing to pursue professional courses for higher education lacks financially to support those students SMU has started providing financial assistance in technical programs from academic year 2018-2019 onwards. SMU has provided financial assistance to 17 students from Nepal, Bhutan & Bangladesh till date.



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## The following are the data related to the students of Nepal, Bhutan & Bangladesh who has received scholarship in the Academic Year 2018-2022

Academic Year	No of Students from Nepal, Bhutan & Bangladesh	Total Amount of Scholarship provided in lakhs (Rs)
2018-2019	03	01.47
2019-2020	14	09.26
2020-2021	8	4.13
2021-2022	21	11.96

## DR. RAMDAS M PAI SCHOLARSHIP

On the occasion of the 86<sup>th</sup> Birthday of Dr. Ramdas Pai, a scholarship scheme was launched from 2022 by SMU for deserving meritorious students who have unfortunately lost their sole earning member (father or mother) of the family during their course of study at SMU. The scholarship is in the form of course fee waiver for the remaining duration of the study at the Universities. 22 students from SMU & its constituent units were awarded with the scholarship



Recipient of Dr Ramdas M Pai Scholarship with SMU Leadership