

Press Release

Mitsubishi Electric Thai Foundation Continually Support Engineering Students with THB 1.3 million in Scholarships

Mitsubishi Electric Thai Foundation, represented by Mr. Tetsuya Shinohara, Vice Chairman, offer a series of full, non-binding scholarships for 2024 to engineering students at 5 universities – Chiang Mai University, Chulalongkorn University, Kasetsart University, Thammasat University and King Mongkut's Institute of Technology Ladkrabang (KMITL). The Foundation is now implementing this initiative for the 32nd consecutive year to promote the development of quality human resources and academic excellence for the country with KMITL, a new addition to the scholarship program.

Mr. Tetsuya Shinohara, Vice Chairman of Mitsubishi Electric Thai Foundation, said, *"The Mitsubishi Electric Thai Foundation firmly believes that education is the key to sustainable development. The Foundation has contributed to the development of Thai education its establishment under the concept of sustainable development, no one is to be left behind. We are convinced of this and is committed to this goal. The Mitsubishi Electric Thai Foundation has been offering scholarships to engineering faculties continually for 32 consecutive years. We believe that what we offer is not just monetary support, but catalyst to foster a better society. Thus, we encourage the students to carry forth the spirit of promoting education as a generational responsibility. We also encourage all to give back to society whenever you can. Each person needs to strive to achieve their own goals and be successful, but do not forget that upon your journey to success, there are others who are behind you. Congratulations to all students who received these scholarships, and we hope that you will give back to society and become valuable forces to drive the country forward."*



Mr. Krittin Karawapong, 2nd year mechanical engineering student at Kasetsart University, said, *“I am glad and proud to receive the scholarship from Mitsubishi Electric Thai Foundation because this help relieve the burden on tuition fees on my parents. In the future when I have stable income I would want to give back to the new generation.”*



Mr. Noraphat Ornhangwa, 2nd year mechanical engineering student from Thammasat University, said, *“This scholarship will help me to improve myself and become a more valuable person for the society. I am very proud to receive the scholarship and wish to tell my juniors who want to be eligible for scholarship like this to excel in studies and participate in extra-curricular activities for self-aspiration.”*



“I am very glad that Mitsubishi Electric Thai Foundation offer me this scholarship and I reckon it is because they see my potential to give back to society in the future. One secret to get the scholarship is that you need to participate in social activities and do well in your studies too,” said Mr. Kittinat Kitcharoenwong, 2nd year computer engineering student from Chulalongkorn University.



Ms. Wanida Limsakul, 2nd year IoT System and Information Engineering student from King Mongkut’s Institute of Technology Ladkrabang, said, *“I applied for this scholarship hoping to do internship with Mitsubishi Electric in the future because it seems like a great workplace to build a career at due to the company's long-standing stability and reputation. My parents also suggested I apply for this scholarship.”*



Mr. Peerapat Bunnad, electrical engineering student at Chiang Mai University, said, *“I am very honored and glad to receive this scholarship from Mitsubishi Electric Thai Foundation. I believe this will help pay for so many things I cannot afford and help further on projects want to do in the future. After graduation I would like to further my skills in electrical engineering and from earnings help contribute to scholarships for the new generations. I wish to thank Mitsubishi Electric Thai Foundation for this kind opportunity.”*

Mitsubishi Electric Thai Foundation, as an organization dedicated to support corporate social responsibility to foster sustainable development, regularly offer non-binding, full scholarships to engineering students. The initiative began in 1993 with scholarships offered to Chulalongkorn University, Kasetsart University and Thammasat University. In 2012, it is extended to Chiang Mai University and in 2024 to King Mongkut’s Institute of Technology Ladkrabang. The aim is to support the human resources development in science and technology in Thailand as per Mitsubishi Electric Group's commitment of “Changes for the Better” in which we strive to support our society in line with our business operations.

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