

Press Release

Mitsubishi Electric Thai Foundation Support Education Scholarships for 31st Consecutive Year with Total THB 1.2 Million

Mitsubishi Electric Group Foundation and the Mitsubishi Electric Group in Thailand continually contribute to social with belief that society is one of our core values to proceed the business operations. The initiative also communicates and responds to the stakeholders's expectations and members of the society to promote education and quality of life sustainably. Pursuant to this philosophy and for the 31st consecutive year, the foundation is offering 20 scholarships totaling THB 1.2 million to engineering students from 4 leading universities in Thailand.



Mr. Tetsuya Shinohara, Vice Chairman of Mitsubishi Electric Thai Foundation said, *“Mitsubishi Electric Thai Foundation envisages, in the long-term, that education is key to sustainable development in pursuant to the Sustainable Development Goals and that we must Leave No One Behind. We are impressed that university students study and work hard to achieve academic excellence and we suggest that they give back to society. Our rationale is that the scholarships that we offer today are not just monetary support, but also contributed to the society in long term aspect.”*



Mr. Worapol Uphariphuti, an Industrial Engineering student and as representative of Chulalongkorn University, said, *“We wish to thank the Mitsubishi Electric Thai Foundation for the support to Chulalongkorn University engineering students. Personally, in the future, I hope to give back and offer better opportunities to the next generations.”*

Mr. Chin Sriwana, a 2nd-year Industrial Engineering student and a representative of Kasetsart University, said, *“Industrial engineering covers a wide range of designing, planning, controlling and analyzing operations of various systems and I want to work in a field with a high degree of challenges. I am very proud of receiving this scholarship and grateful to Mitsubishi Electric Thai Foundation for the opportunities.”*





Mr. Worapon Sangsasri, 2nd-year Electrical Engineering student at Thammasat University, said, *“As a scholarship recipient representative, we wish to thank Mitsubishi Electric Thai Foundation for this initiative to give back to society and offer scholarships. This offering significantly reduces the financial burdens that we face to complete our studies and also helps us better focus on our studies.*

We promise to focus on our studies to become competent engineers.”

Ms. Aphisara Sahatpaeng, a 2nd-year Industrial Engineering student from Chiang Mai University, said, *“When I complete my industrial engineering study I hope to convert my learning into beneficial usages for society. The scholarship I received today greatly reduced the financial burden for my family and I wish to thank Mitsubishi Electric Thai Foundation for this opportunity. I hope to make the best use of this opportunity for myself, my family, and others.”*



This year, there are 20 scholarships in total which valued THB 1.2 million which have been allocated for engineering students from 4 universities – Chiang Mai University, Chulalongkorn University, Kasetsart University, and Thammasat University. The Mitsubishi Electric Thai Foundation has been offering scholarships since 1993 for 31 consecutive years. This activity is one of many that Mitsubishi Electric Thai Foundation has been considering and aligned with the corporate commitment of “Changes for the Better” to “always strive to achieve something better,” as we continue to change and grow.