

Profiles of FFE Scholars



Remya Swaminathan, completed her Bachelor's degree in Electrical and Electronics Engineering in June 2001. FFE scholarships assisted Remya's studies at the PSG College of Technology, Coimbatore, Tamil Nadu. Upon completion of her BE studies, Remya proceeded to the Arizona State University where she is doing a Master's degree in VLSI technology.

S Jayanthi completed her BE degree (Electronics and Communication Engineering) from Anna University. Coming from a lower middle-class family, Jayanthi is the first in her family to enter college and complete a degree.



Meenal Champanerkar passed her MBBS degree in October 2001. She studied at the Grant Medical College, Mumbai. She is currently serving as an intern. Meenal has had a brilliant academic record having obtained a 6th rank at the statewide secondary school examination.

Mohan Janarthan completed his BE (Computer Science Engineering) degree studies from the Government College of Engineering, Coimbatore, Tamil Nadu. Mohan is a son of a farmer whose family income is Rs. 18,000 per annum.



Kiran Kumar C Reddy, son of a self-employed farmer, completed his B Tech degree from the Sri Venkateswara University, Andhra Pradesh. Following his graduation, Kiran is pursuing post-graduate studies at the Birla Institute of Technology & Sciences, Pilani.

Sujata S Kurhatkar, completed her medical degree studies and internship at the Government Medical College, Nagpur, Maharashtra. She intends to pursue post-graduate studies. Meanwhile, she has joined a government hospital as house officer.



Shraddha Gandewar, a farmer's daughter, studied at the Government College of Engineering, Amravati, Maharashtra and obtained her BE (Computer Engineering) degree.

Vikas Tiwari completed his B. Tech degree from the regional College of Engineering, Haryana. Vikas hails from Bhopal, Madhya Pradesh. Following the completion of his engineering studies, Vikas is working as a lecturer in an engineering college at Bhopal.



Priti P Nalamwar, daughter of parents with education up to school level, completed her medical studies from the Amravati University, Maharashtra. Following the completion of her internship, Priti is preparing for her post-graduate entrance examinations at the All India Institute of Medical Studies, New Delhi.

Gangadhar Naravate is employed as a software engineer following the completion of his BE (Electronics and Communications) degree course from Bangalore University. The only earning member in his family is his mother, a primary school teacher.



As an Art Director **Deepa Ganediwala**, designs and executes sets for feature films, serials, and stage shows. Deepa completed her B Arch studies from the J J College of Architecture, University of Bombay.

After a brilliant performance at the 12th standard Board examination and the common entrance test for professional courses, **T V Krishnan** pursued and completed his BE studies from Anna University, Tamil Nadu.

His father passed away when Krishnan was just 16 years and he continued his education with the help of his mother's meager pension and FFE's assistance.



Raghunath Konda is the son of a billing clerk with a monthly income of Rs. 750. With FFE's assistance, Raghunath completed his B Tech studies from the Jawaharlal Nehru Technological University, Andhra Pradesh. Following his graduation, Raghunath is pursuing post-graduate studies.



Manoj Kumar Gupta is from Chattisgarh state and the son of a farmer with annual family income of Rs 18,000. Manoj completed his BVSc degree from the College of Veterinary Science and Animal Husbandry, Anjora, Durg.

Parimala B. is the daughter of an insurance commission agent and farmer whose annual family income is Rs. 12,000. After a brilliant performance at the 12th standard Board examination and the common entrance test, Parimala commenced her medical studies at the Rajiv Gandhi University of Health Sciences, Bangalore, Karnataka. She completed her MBBS and is now doing her internship.



K P S Santosh secured 94% at the 12th Board examination and a high rank at the common entrance test. Santosh, a son of a Railways pensioner with a monthly income of Rs 4300, completed his BE (Electronics and Communication Engineering) from University of Madras.

Jayaprakash Hegde comes from a large family with a meager and uncertain annual income of Rs 10,500. After passing the Central Board 10th and 12th examinations, Jayaprakash pursued and completed his BE (Computer Science) studies at the J S S Academy of Technical Education, Visveswariah Technological University, Kamataka.



Son of a low-income, Khadi Village Industries Association employee with an annual income of Rs. 12,000, **Praja M Zaverbhai** has been a recipient of FFE's scholarships for his medical studies. He successfully completed his MBBS degree from the Maharaja Sayajirao University of Baroda and is currently engaged as an intern.



Santosh Kumar Soni comes from a family with income below poverty level. After passing his diploma in electrical engineering with flying colors from the Madhya Pradesh Board of Technical Education, Santosh was directly admitted to the 2nd year BE degree course. With FFE's support, Santosh recently completed his degree studies.

Gururaj Rudagi and his five sisters lost their father at a young age. Supported by the Foundation and his mother who worked at a day care center, Gururaj completed his BE (Chemical Engineering) degree from Bangalore University in June 2000. Gururaj is currently employed with the Reliance Industries Corporation at Mumbai, India.

Arun Mohan, passed his B Com degree with a first rank from the Mahatma Gandhi University, Kottayam, Kerala in May/June 2001. Arun was granted a scholarship on the basis of his outstanding performances in the pre-degree and Secondary School Certificate examinations. Following the completion of his B Com studies, Arun is pursuing the Company Secretary and Chartered Accountancy courses.



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