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1. The performance at the G.C.E. Advanced Level Examination (London or Equivalent) namely passing three subjects in the specified stream (see appendix 3) at one and the same sitting or acquiring eligibility to gain admission to a Bachelor's Degree programme of the nominated discipline in a University in the home country, and

2. The official nomination by the home country

Note- In the case of non-availability of the G.C.E. Advanced Level Examination Certificate, a certified letter from the Education Authority of the relevant country is requested upon the minimum qualification acquired by claiming that the student is eligible to enter a state university of that particular country.

B. Terms and Conditions

o The duration of the scholarship shall be three (03) years in case of a three year degree programme and four (04) years in the case of an Honours degree programme of SLIIT.

- The value of a 04 year SLIIT SAARC Scholarship will be in the range of US$ 15,200/= in the Information Technology degree programmes, US$ 15,200/= in the Business Administration degree programme and US$ 20,800/= in the Engineering degree programmes.
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1. International student primary application (attached)
2. Copy of the G.C.E Advanced Level Certificate and Transcript (London or equivalent) in proof of the successful completion of the admission requirement stipulated. [In case of a qualification equivalent to the London Advanced Level, the certificate/transcript shall be accompanied by a certification by the Examination Board of the country concerned that the holder has satisfied the admission requirements to a Bachelor's Degree Programme in a University in the home country].
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- Overseas travel expenses and other related costs will have to be borne by the student.

C. Selection and Visa application procedure
- Selection of candidates from among the nominees will be based on merit.
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o The application for the extension of the Visa will be subject to the following conditions.
1. Maintenance of a satisfactory level of attendance as determined by SLIIT throughout the study programme.
2. Maintenance of satisfactory level of attainment in the examination conducted, and
3. Display dedicated studentship

D. SLIIT Student Accommodation

o Off campus accommodation options are available for both male and female students within easy reach of SLIIT Malabe campus. SLIIT International Office facilitates the student accommodation process.
o Available accommodation normally include modern day facilities including 24/7 Wi-Fi access.

E. Commencement of study programmes

The first year first semester of 2019 Academic year will be preceded with a compulsory orientation programme of 03 month duration.

F. Closing date for SLIIT SAARC Scholarship applicants will be 5th of October for the 2018/2019 Intake

Appendix 1

Degree programmes on offer for students from the SAARC Region

The following programmes are on offer at SLIT as illustrated below in the table:

	Faculty	Degree Awarded	Area of Specialization	Duration
Offered by SLIT (Conducted in Sri Lanka)	Computing	Degree of Bachelor of Science in Information Technology	• Information Technology • Information Systems Engineering • Interactive Media • Computer Systems and Network Engineering • Cyber Security • Data Science • Software Engineering	4 Years
		Degree of Bachelor of Science in Information Technology		3 Years
	Business	Degree of Bachelor of Business Administration (Special) (Honours)	• Human Capital Management • Accounting and Finance • Marketing Management • Logistics and Supply Chain Management • Business Analytics • Management Information Systems • Business Management	4 Years
	Engineering	Bachelor of Science of Engineering in Electrical and Electronic Engineering Bachelor of Science of Engineering in Mechanical Engineering Bachelor of Science of Engineering in Civil Engineering Bachelor of Science of Engineering in Materials Engineering		4 Years
Offered by Curtin University, Australia (Conducted in Sri Lanka)	Computing	BSc. (Computing)	• Information Technology • Software Engineering	3 Years
		BSc. Computer Systems Networking		
	Engineering	B Eng (Hons)	• Civil and Construction Engineering • Electrical and Electronic Engineering	4 Years

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			• Mechanical Engineering	
Offered by Liverpool John Moores University, UK (Conducted in Sri Lanka)	Architecture	BSc. (Hons) in Architecture		3 years
	Quantity Surveying	BSc. (Hons) in Quantity Surveying		3 years
	Business	BBA (Hons) in Business Administration		3 years

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Appendix 2

Value of SAARC Scholarships

**The Royalty fees for off shore foreign degree programs are subject to revision. Payable at the beginning of each semester (2 semesters per year). Royalty fees as specified is for the current year as determined by the partner university. Please kindly note that the amounts are subject to change.

Faculty	Programme	Total Value of Scholarship	**Total charges to be paid by SAARC Scholarship recipient for foreign degree
Computing	Degree of Bachelor of Science in Information Technology	USD 11,400-USD 16,000	N/A
Business	Degree of Bachelor of Business Administration (Special) (Honours)	USD 14,000	N/A
Engineering	Bachelor of Science of Engineering in Electrical and Electronic Engineering	USD 20,800	N/A
	Bachelor of Science of Engineering in Mechanical Engineering	USD 20,800	
	Bachelor of Science of Engineering in Civil Engineering	USD 20,800	
	Bachelor of Science of Engineering in Materials Engineering	USD 20,800	
Computing (Curtin)	BSc. (Computing) in Information Technology	USD 11,400	AUD 4240
	BSc. (Computing) in Software Engineering	USD 11,400	AUD 4240
	BSc. Computer Systems Networking	USD 11,400	AUD 4240
Engineering (Curtin)	BEng (Hons) in Civil and Construction Engineering	USD 20,800	AUD 4240
	BEng (Hons) in Electrical and Electronic Engineering	USD 20,800	AUD 4240
	BEng (Hons) in Mechanical Engineering	USD 20,800	AUD 4240
Architecture (LJMU)	BSc. (Hons) in Architecture	USD 12,600	GBP 1200
Quantity Surveying (LJMU)	BSc. (Hons) in Quantity Surveying	USD 11,400	GBP 1200
Business (LJMU)	BBA (Hons) in Business Administration	USD 11,400	GBP 1200

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Appendix 3

G.C.E. Advanced Level Examination (London or Equivalent) requirements to be eligible for application for degree programmes on offer for students from the SAARC region.

	Faculty	Degree	G.C.E Advanced Level Requirements
Offered by SLIIT (Conducted by Sri Lanka)	Computing	Degree of Bachelor of Science in Information Technology	*Specializing in Information Technology /Information Systems/Interactive Media* Passes in three subjects (in any stream) at the G.C.E. A/L Examination (London or Equivalent) in one and same sitting. *Specializing in Computer Systems and Networking* Passes in three subjects (with a pass in either Mathematics of Physics) at the G.C.E. A/L Examination (London or Equivalent) in one and same sitting. *Specializing in Software Engineering* Same as requirements for specialization in Information Technology, along with passes for all modules up to the 2nd year and a GPA of over 2.7
	Business	Degree of Bachelor of Business Administration (Special) (Honours)	Passes in three subjects (in any stream) at the G.C.E. A/L Examination (London or Equivalent) in one and same sitting.
	Engineering	Bachelor of Science of Engineering in Electrical and Electronic Engineering Bachelor of Science of Engineering in Mechanical Engineering Bachelor of Science of Engineering in Civil Engineering Bachelor of Science of Engineering in Materials Engineering	Passes in three subjects (with 2 'C' passes for Mathematics and Physics and an 'S pass for Chemistry) at the G.C.E. A/L Examinations (or Equivalent) in one and the same sitting. Or 2 'B' passes for Combined Mathematics and Physics and a 'C' pass for Chemistry for London A/L
Offered by Curtin University Australia (Conducted in Sri Lanka)	Computing	BSc. (Computing) BSc.	Passes in three subjects (in any stream) at the G.C.E. A/L Examination (London and Equivalent) in one and same sitting. In the case of London A/L, meet **5 points** as per the Score Conversion.
	Engineering	BEng (Hons)	Passes in three subjects with a minimum of 'C' pass for Mathematics or Physics at the G.C.E. A/L Examination (London or Equivalent) in one and the same sitting. In the case of London A/L, meet the **7 points** as per the Score Conversion.
Offered by Liverpool John Moores University, UK	Architecture	BSc. (Hons) in Architecture	Passes in three subjects at the G.C.E. A/L Examination in one and same sitting. In the case of London A/L, meet the **5 points** as per the Score conversion. 'C' passes for O/L Mathematics and English

(Conducted in Sri Lanka)	Quantity Surveying	BSc. (Hons) in Quantity Surveying	Passes for three subjects at the G.C.E A/L Examination (London or Equivalent) in one and same sitting and meet the **5 points** as per the score conversion. Passes for six subjects in G.C.E. O/L with at least 4 passes including Credit passes for English and Mathematics
	Business Administration	BBA (Hons) in Business Administration	Passes for three subjects at the G.C.E. A/L Examination (London or Equivalent) in one and same sitting. In the case of London A/L meet the 5 points as per the score conversion.

Score Conversion for G.C.E Advanced Level Edexcel/Cambridge

A grade	5 points
B Grade	4 points
C Grade	3 points
D Grade	2 points
E Grade	1 point

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