## 15-1/2021-ES.3 Government of India Ministry of Education Department of Higher Education External Scholarship Division \*\*\*\*\*

## PUBLIC NOTICE

## British Council Scholarships for Women in STEM

The British Council is offering scholarships under the aforementioned scholarship programme in partnership with UK Universities aimed at benefiting women from South Asian and other countries including India.

2. A range of programs in STEM (Science, Technology, Engineering, Mathematics) subjects or an Early Academic Fellowship are being offered by UK Universities to women from India, Bangladesh, Pakistan, Sri Lanka, Nepal, Cambodia, Indonesia, Laos, Malaysia, Myanmar, Philippines, Thailand and Vietnam. The scholarship is to study a master's degree or an Early Academic Fellowship by women who can demonstrate their need for financial support and who wish to inspire future generations of women to pursue careers in STEM.

3. Interested applicants are expected to apply to the UK University directly in the programme of their choice by end of March 2022 for their course. Detailed information on the scholarship programme and application process is available at https://www.britishcouncil.org/study-work-abroad/in-uk/scholarship-women-stem.

4. The Ministry of Education has no role in nomination/ selection of candidates. The public notice is being put for wider dissemination of information. Interested applicants are also informed that there is no need to send copy of the application to Ministry of Education.

5. For further queries, you may contact Ms. Vishu Sharma, Head Higher Education – North India, British Council at her email id: vishu.sharma@britishcouncil.org

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