

Apply for mid-term scholarship in Oct

A NEW mid-term scholarship open to second- and third-year undergraduates will help develop future leaders in sectors critical to Singapore's economic and social progress.

The mid-term Singapore-Industry Scholarship (SgIS Mid-Term), announced yesterday by Education Minister Heng Swee Keat, is open to undergraduates in local and overseas universities.

Singaporeans studying in a local autonomous university, the Singapore Institute of Technology or an overseas university can apply for it.

This comes after the full-term SgIS was announced in February.

Scholarship holders can look forward to internships, development opportunities and a career with established local companies in Singapore's strategic industries.

A total of 90 Singaporean junior-college and polytechnic graduates were awarded the full-term SgIS yesterday at the InterContinental hotel.

The scholarship is co-funded by government agencies and 28 private enterprises.

Online applications for the SgIS (Mid-Term) will open in October.

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