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RE: SCHOLARSHIPS

Dear M. Herrington,

Thank you for very much for your letter to Dr. Weerapon Sriboonlue, Vice Rector for Development regarding Ph.D. Engineering Scholarships available at Birmingham University.

We have made the necessary announcements to the appropriate Faculties of the University.

I would be most grateful if you could provide suggestions as to how we could proceed with our standing agreement to cooperate in the graduate programs in Electrical Engineering and Environmental Biology. As alumni of Birmingham University, Dr. Sarawut (Electrical Engineering) and myself (Radiation Biology-Botany) we really would like to establish working relations with our alma mater as soon as possible.

Thank you for your kind attention and we would appreciate receiving other announcements of scholarships and important events.

Kindly give my regards to Mr. Nigel Relph.

Sincerely,

Prof. Dr. Ruben C. Umaly
Director Center for International Affairs



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Dear Weerapun Sriboonlue

University of Birmingham PhD Engineering Scholarships

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Please find enclosed details of our recently launched PhD Engineering scholarships, which have been specifically allocated to candidates for South East Asia.

I hope the information is of interest to you. If you know of anyone who would be interested in considering PhD study in the UK, then I hope you can pass this information to them.

Please contact me if you would like to receive further details of the scholarships.

With best wishes

Yours sincerely

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Engineering PhD Scholarships
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Postgraduate Scholarships

Special Scholarships reserved for PhD research students from Indonesia, Malaysia, Singapore and Thailand have been established by the University of Birmingham's Faculty of Engineering.

This is in recognition of long-standing and close links with South East Asia. Each year a large number of students come to take undergraduate, taught postgraduate and PhD research programmes. There are many collaborations with universities in the area.

The scholarships are each worth £5,000 per annum for three years and will assist students to follow an Engineering PhD programme at the University.

Engineering at Birmingham

The Faculty of Engineering at the University of Birmingham is one of the largest in the UK. It consists of five Schools:

Chemical Engineering

Civil Engineering

Electronic and Electrical Engineering

Manufacturing and Mechanical Engineering

Metallurgy and Materials

Each of the five Schools is dedicated to its specific branch of engineering, and there is close co-operation in areas which cross School boundaries. For example, the University's **Interdisciplinary Research Centre in Materials for High Performance Applications** brings together world class research programmes from three Schools.

The Faculty of Engineering places strong emphasis on its research activities. It has over 150 academic staff and over 125 research associates and fellows contributing to research in 40 distinct research groups. It has over 500

graduate students, the majority of whom are studying for research degrees. Its annual research income is in excess of £12 million, of which some 44% is funded through industrial collaboration.

Research Facilities and Support

The Faculty has first class laboratory provision, including facilities concerned with ceramics, electronic devices, servo-hydraulic testing, mechanical testing and mechanical property assessment. There are substantial computer (including CAD/CAM) facilities, extensive photographic services, microprocessors for data processing together with mechanical and electronic workshops for the construction and maintenance of equipment.

Other research facilities include laboratories and equipment dedicated to research areas of fluid mixing, minerals processing and particle technology. Traffic, Hydraulics and Public Health laboratories complement a whole range of other specialist research equipment, including soil, bitumen and concrete testing facilities.

All research students receive extensive support from their individual supervisor and research group, School facilities and the University's Graduate Research School.

An International Faculty

Engineering at Birmingham has an excellent record of obtaining research funding from a variety of international sources. Research collaborators include Pohang Iron and Steel Company, World Bank, Asian Development Bank, Malaysian Government, ICI, Zeneca, Marconi, British Telecom, Shell, Rolls Royce, Lucas Aerospace, BP Chemicals, and many others. The Faculty is also a major recipient of UK research council and government funding.

The Faculty has a major international research reputation and takes students from all over the world. There are currently over twenty-five nationalities represented in the five Schools.

The Scholarships

Each of the five Schools of Engineering will offer one scholarship to a PhD student registering at the University of Birmingham in September 1998. The scholarship will be worth £5,000 per annum for a three-year period (total value of £15,000). Successful candidates will be responsible for contributing the balance of fee and maintenance costs during their time at the University.

How to Apply

To apply for one of the scholarships you must

- be a national of either Indonesia, Malaysia, Singapore or Thailand, and eligible for overseas fee status
- have applied for and been made an offer of a place for a PhD programme in one of the five Schools of Engineering at the University of Birmingham.

You will need to complete two sets of forms. The first is your application form for entrance to the University, which you should complete and send, together with details of previous academic transcripts, evidence of English language proficiency, and a description of your research interests, to:

**The Admissions and Student Records Section
Academic Office
The University of Birmingham
Edgbaston
Birmingham B15 2TT, UK.**

When you have been made an offer of a place, you will be able to complete a scholarship application form which should be sent to:

**International Affairs Office (Engineering)
The University of Birmingham
Edgbaston
Birmingham B15 2TT, UK.**

Both forms can be obtained from the International Affairs Office address. The closing date for applications for the scholarship is 30th June 1998.

Further Information

If you have any further questions about the scholarship, or would like to know more about any of the activities of Engineering at the University of Birmingham, please contact Mr Dominic Herrington, Assistant Director of International Affairs, International Affairs Office at the above address.

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Information about opportunities for postgraduate study at Birmingham can be found in the postgraduate prospectus and on the internet at: <http://www.bham.ac.uk>



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