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## WGU Scholarships 2017-18 Are Now Open



The WGU Scholarship Programme offers over 100 study/research awards every year. Opportunities are available for graduate and post graduate studies in a wide variety of academic and professional fields.

The H M Seervai Career Training Award is for SSC qualified women up to the age of 50 years, to encourage those training for a career but who are not in a position to finance their training.

Amy Rustomjee International Scholarships are extended to foreign students who are visiting India to undertake post graduate studies at the Bombay University. Free Board and Lodging is provided to the selected student for the course for one year.

Forms may be collected from the WGU office or downloaded from our website ([womensgraduatesunion.org](http://womensgraduatesunion.org))

WGU warmly welcomes applications from young women of diverse backgrounds.

Application deadline August 31, 2017

### **IFUWA RESEARCH SCHOLARSHIP**

**IFUWA** is offering a Research Scholarship for Research in any field amounting to Rs.60,000/- over three years or Rs.20,000/- per year.

Individuals receiving the Scholarship need to become ordinary members of WGU to receive the same. Also it is a singular scholarship, i.e. she should not be receiving aid from elsewhere, for example any other organization or institute etc.

**Do spread the word.**

**If interested, please contact the WGU office.**

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The WGU is happy to announce the list of Committees and the respective Chairman for the current year.

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- Silence is the best reply to a fool.
- There is no better feeling than going to bed at night and not having to set an alarm for tomorrow morning.
- Doing what you like is freedom, Liking what you do is happiness.
- One of the most profoundly human things you can do is talk to someone, instead of about them.
- We don't meet people by accident. They are meant to cross our path for a reason.
- As we grow up we realize it is less important to have lots of friends, and more important to have real ones.
- Live your life and forget your age.
- The real reason that we can't have the Ten Commandments in a courthouse: You cannot post "Thou shalt not steal, Thou shalt not commit adultery and Thou shalt not lie" in a building full of lawyers, judges and politicians. It creates a hostile work environment.
- We come to love not by finding a perfect person, but by learning to see an imperfect person perfectly.
- Promote what you love instead of bashing what you hate.
- Nothing soothes the soul like a walk on the beach.
- The best things in life are free. Hugs, smiles, friends, kisses, family, sleep, love, laughter, good memories.
- Never look down on someone unless you're Helping them up.
- Tell me again about the day you brought me home and I was all cold and hungry and you became my forever human... It's my favourite bedtime story.
- If you do not feel grateful for what you already have, What makes us think we'd be happy with more?
- I love people who make me laugh. I honestly think it's the thing I like most, to laugh, It cures a multitude of ills. It's probably the most important

The secret of genius  
is to carry the spirit of the child into old age  
which means never losing your enthusiasm.

*Aldous Huxley*

**IFUWA CENTRAL COMMITTEE**

**The International Federation of University Women's Associations (IFUWA) will be holding its Central Committee Meeting on Saturday, 26th August and Sunday, 27th August 2017 at Chennai.**

**Those members interested in attending may get in touch with the WGU Office for further details.**

**JUST PLAIN NEAT INFORMATION.....**

**Glass** takes one million years to decompose, which means it never wears out and can be recycled an infinite amount of times!

**Gold** is the only metal that doesn't rust, even if it's buried in the ground for thousands of years.

**Your tongue** is the only muscle in your body that is attached at only one end.

**If you stop getting thirsty**, you need to drink more water. When a human body is dehydrated, its thirst mechanism shuts off.

**Zero** is the only number that cannot be represented by Roman numerals.

**Kites** were used in the American Civil War to deliver letters and newspapers.

**The song Auld Lang Syne** is sung at the stroke of midnight in almost every English-speaking country in the world to bring in the new year.

**Drinking water after eating** reduces the acid in your mouth by 61 percent. Drinking a glass of water before you eat may help digestion and curb appetite.

**Peanut oil** is used for cooking in submarines because it doesn't smoke unless it's heated above 450F.

**The roar** that we hear when we place a seashell next to our ear is not the ocean, but rather the sound of blood surging through the veins in the ear.

**Nine out of every 10** living things live in the ocean.

**The banana** cannot reproduce itself. It can be propagated only by the hand of man.

**Airports at higher altitudes** require a longer airstrip due to lower air density.

**The University of Alaska** spans four time zones.

**The tooth** is the only part of the human body that cannot heal itself.

**In ancient Greece**, tossing an apple to a girl was a traditional proposal of marriage. Catching it meant she accepted.

**Warner Communications** paid 28 million for the copyright to the song Happy Birthday, which was written in 1935!

**Intelligent people** have more zinc and copper in their hair.

**A comet's tail** always points away from the sun.

**The Swine Flu** vaccine in 1976 caused more death and illness than the disease it was intended to prevent.

**Caffeine** increases the power of aspirin and other painkillers, that is why it is found in some medicines.

**The military salute** is a motion that evolved from medieval times, when knights in armor raised their visors to reveal their identity.

**If you get into the bottom of a well or a tall chimney and look up**, you can see stars, even in the middle of the day.

**When a person dies**, hearing is the last sense to go. The first sense lost is sight.

**In ancient times** strangers shook hands to show that they were unarmed.

**Strawberries and cashews** are the only fruits whose seeds grow on the outside.

**Avocados** have the highest calories of any fruit at 167 calories per hundred grams.

**The moon** moves about two inches away from the Earth each year.

**The Earth** gets 100 tons heavier every day due to falling space dust.

**Due to earth's gravity** it is impossible for mountains to be higher than 15,000 meters.

**Mickey Mouse** is known as "Topolino" in Italy.

**Soldiers** do not march in step when going across bridges because they could set up a vibration which could be sufficient to knock the bridge down.

**Everything** weighs one percent less at the equator.

**For every extra kilogram** carried on a space flight, 530 kg of excess fuel are needed at lift-off.

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## Women Graduates Union



# MONSOON MAGIC

Register by 30 June

Lots of Fun...Prizes to be Won!  
Bring along family & friends

\*Quick Quizzes \*Exciting Games  
\*Housie \*Lucky Dip  
And More!



Wednesday, 5 July  
Amy Rustomjee Hall  
11 am: Fellowship with Tea/Coffee  
11:30 am sharp: Programme



The event will be followed by Lunch  
Members: Rs 150 | Guests: Rs 200  
Only Registration - Members:Rs.30/- Guest:Rs.50/-



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### KEEP LEARNING

**We have to continue to learn. We have to be open.  
And we have to be ready to release our knowledge  
in order to come to a higher understanding of reality.**

**Thich Nhat Hanh**