

1. What kind of donation can I make?
 - a. You can make a donation of any amount to the scholarship capital fund which will be deposited together with savings allocated by PUAAViC. The interest from the deposit will be used to give continuously studentships each year.
 - b. You can make a donation to sponsor a specific student by giving \$100 before 31st December and a scholarship for Rs.12,000/= will be given to a student next year. You will be informed of the student receiving the benefit.
 - c. You can make a donation to sponsor a specific student by giving \$200 before 31st December and a scholarship for Rs. 24,000/= will be given to a student based on economic excellence next year. You will be informed of the student receiving the benefit.
 - d. You can sponsor a three year research scholarship. Please discuss this with us.
2. How can I make a donation?

Please fill out a form and make the payment today or transfer the funds by internet transfer or send us a cheque.
3. Who selects the students?

The parent alumni, the AAUP will advertise, vet the applications against the applicant's needs and select the students.
4. Can I select the student?

You cannot select a student. If you are making a sponsoring donation by payment of \$100 or \$200, you can specify the faculty and course.
5. What happens to any money that may be left over at current exchange rates?

At the current rate of Rs 136 per dollar about \$12 out of \$100 or \$24 out of \$200 will be left over. Any leftover funds will go into the general scholarship fund and interest from this fund will continue to provide scholarships in subsequent years.
6. Can these funds be used by PUAAViC?

PUAAViC will not use any funds donated for any other purpose other than building a reserve and granting scholarships with annual interest. PUAAViC operates separate accounts for scholarship funds and funds for general purposes.
7. Can we contribute by instalment or by credit card? Not at present but will be made available.

Please lodge your interest by filing out that part in the donation form.
8. Can I find out more about how the fund will operate?

Please visit our website www.peradeniya.com.au and examine the draft document of the charter under which the scholarship scheme will operate.
9. How can I make a suggestion or air any concerns I have regarding the scheme?

Please write to us at scholarships@peradeniya.com.au.