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KLA Excellence Scholarship for PhD. students beginning their studies in electro-optics engineering

A. General

The scholarship is provided by KLA Israel to promote enrollment of excellent students to study PhD in Electro-Optics and Photonics Engineering.

One scholarship with amount of \$8000 will be granted for one **new student** enrolling to PhD studies in **Electro-Optics Engineering** during the 2020-2021 academic year.

The scholarship will be granted based on excellence.

B. Conditions for submitting candidacy

The scholarship is intended for incoming student beginning his/her PhD studies in Electro-Optics and Photonics Department, School of ECE, for the 2020-2021 academic year. Candidates must submit their requests for the scholarship after registering for their PhD studies in Electro-optics engineering. Unregistered candidates will not be considered by the Scholarship Committee.

C. Criteria for the granting of a Scholarship

- 1. Outstanding achievements in research (including at least one significant publication during the MSc studies).
- 2. Proven excellence in the past.
- 3. Excellent grades in prior degrees.

D. Guidelines for the submission of candidacy

The request, in the form of one PDF file, must be submitted to <u>electrop@bgu.ac.il</u> and must include:

- 1. Curriculum Vitae.
- 2. A list of publications. Mention the impact factor (IF) and ranking of the journals in which the papers were published, if relevant. Example:
 - **L. Gao**, J. Liang, C. Li, and L. V. Wang, "Single-shot compressed ultrafast photography at one hundred billion frames per second," *Nature* 516, 74-77 (2014). (IF 41.577; Journal ranking 1/64; Q1). <u>Link to article</u>

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- 3. List of conference papers.
- 4. List of submitted papers, including the abstract and the details of the journal as described above.
- 5. Grade sheets from the first and second degrees.
- 6. Names and email addresses of two referees.
- 7. A recommendation letter from the supervisor.

Submission deadline: 25 Oct. 2020

Obligations of Scholarship recipients

Scholarship recipients make the following commitments to the University:

- a) To complete their research work within 4 years from the date of their acceptance into the PhD. studies or, in the case of the direct track, within 5 years.
- b) In cases in which these studies are stopped before the PhD. is granted, the scholarship is to be refunded.
- c) Presenting their research at KLA offices in Israel.