

JAWAHARLAL NEHRU UNIVERSITY

Appeal to all the Alumni

18 February 2020

During the last half a century, JNU alumni have succeeded in different fields starting from academics, defence, government, media to politics and it is hard to find a domain in which JNU alumni have not shone. You have occupied prestigious positions and have been recipients of many recognitions. JNU alumni will agree that JNU has made a significant difference in their lives. It is time for you to think of your alma mater and be a part of its ongoing journey.

JNU has remained as one of the top universities in India. But we cannot continue to rest upon our past achievements. Higher education today is facing many challenges. We need to critically assess where we want JNU to be in the decades to come and how to get there. If we plan JNU to be one amongst the top world universities, we need to keep abreast of technology, and build new research facilities, state-of-the-art online resources, better student accommodation and start new academic programs. More importantly we need to ensure that every qualified student wanting to benefit from JNU education is provided with assistance particularly if they come from economically weaker sections. All this needs funding.

We are hopeful that we can count on you as an alumnus of JNU to be a benefactor to make JNU a better place for the current and future students. Your contribution to JNU in the form of a scholarship, for example, does make a difference in enabling deserving students to reach their full potential. Funds raised through your contributions will transform the lives of thousands of students who come to JNU from different parts of the country. We absolutely value and look forward for your contributions.

To make the process of making donations to JNU easy, the 284th meeting of the Executive Council of Jawaharlal Nehru University held on 18 February 2020 endorsed the creation “JNU Alumni Endowment Fund”. Around the globe, higher educational institutions benefit a great deal from contributions received from their alumni. The time has come for the university to reach out to its alumni across India and around the globe to contribute to “JNU Alumni Endowment Fund.”

On behalf of JNU, I passionately appeal to all the JNU alumni to come forward and generously make your contributions to the above “JNU Alumni Endowment Fund.” Let us keep a target of raising Rs.100 crores by the end of this year. Through your continued support in the coming years, let us target to achieve near financial self-sufficiency for our University.

The bank details for making your contributions are given below:

Saving A/C Name: "JNU Alumni Endowment Fund"

A/C No: 3913 435 2690

State Bank of India

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