

Cambodia Tertiary Scholarship Program (CTSP)



Educate a girl, Educate a family.

OVERVIEW

Kampuchean Action for Primary Education (KAPE), has consolidated some of its smaller and medium-sized projects into one umbrella program called Inclusive Education Program (IEP). Its main goal is to increase access to education, especially for girls, minorities and other vulnerable and marginalized children/youth. IEP assists children and youth at multiple levels from secondary school through to tertiary, vocational, and professional training levels. There are three different projects including Cambodia Tertiary Scholarship Program (CTSP), STEM4Women project and Girls' Education Initiative project (GEI) under IEP program.

The Cambodia Tertiary Scholarship Program (CTSP), funded by the Merali Foundation and The Asia Foundation and implemented by KAPE and The Asia Foundation, enabled 111 young women in successive cohorts to attend University for a four-year degree from 2010 until 2015. They have graduated and all have found employment in companies, banks, government and NGOs.

Although there are increasing employment opportunities for many young women from the target areas, only about 5% of the 4,389,000 Cambodian youth aged 15 to 29 are currently enrolled in tertiary institutions. Of this small group of privileged youth, only about 39% are young women. In order to address these social equity concerns, the CTSP project has been extended and another 30 young women in a new cohort of students commenced their studies at Western University in Kampong Cham Town in October 2016.

Target

Poor young women graduated high school in 2015-2016 and 2016 -2017 receive a four year scholarship support to study at Western University Kampong Cham.

OBJECTIVE

The CTSP project aims to empower vulnerable young women at various exit points from the formal education system to achieve their full potential at tertiary level. The 30 young women engaged in 4-year tertiary-degrees will also participate in career path development activities that will ensure their confident entry into the workforce.



Majors of Study

- **Accounting**
- **Finance and Banking**
- **Management**
- **Public Administration**
- **English for Teaching**



Milestones of the project

Milestone 1:

Recruitment and selection

Milestone 2:

Career development

Milestone 3:

Employment Visibility Events

Milestone 4:

Alumnus Network Establishment



Activities

- English language training
- IT training
- Cultural Dance
- Club study
- Soft skill training
- Monthly progress meeting
- Alumnus Network



Scholarship Program Support Cost

- Tuition fee for Bachelor degree
- Accommodation
- Utilities
- Parental Meeting
- Study Materials
- Career Development Activities
- Stipend for Food
- Medical or Emergency



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