



## NMITE She / Her = Future Engineer Scholarship

### About

NMITE's She / Her =Future Engineer Scholarship aims to attract more women in to engineering by offering a competitive funding package specifically for undergraduates who are female or identify as female.

### Rationale

Women account for only 14% of the engineering workforce in the UK. This gender gap originates at a much earlier stage, with low levels of female representation within STEM subjects being seen at A-Level and Higher Education. In 2017, only 15% of engineering undergraduates in the UK were women, and in 2021 only 23% of students starting A Level Physics were female.<sup>1</sup>

Central to NMITE's mission is to train engineers from different walks of life so that the sector better reflects society. By recruiting a wider diversity of undergraduate engineers with greater gender representation, we can deliver creative thinking for engineering solutions to the world's problems.

### Award Level per individual:

£5,000 for the first year of study.

Award dispersed in three annual instalments.

### Number available for 2022/23: 10

### Award Criteria:

To be considered for the She / Her =Future Engineer Scholarship, applicants must:

- i. Be female, or identify as female AND
- ii. Hold a formal offer to study at NMITE

### Application Process:

1. Make an application to study at NMITE, either through our website or through UCAS.

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<sup>1</sup> [Useful Statistics | Women's Engineering Society \(wes.org.uk\)](https://www.wes.org.uk/useful-statistics)



2. You will be notified if your application to study at NMITE is successful. At this stage, you will be notified about any financial awards that are available for you to apply for. Please note that while you may apply for more than one financial award, you can only be in receipt of one.
3. To apply for the She / Her =Future Engineer Scholarship, you must tell us at this stage that you are a female or identify as female.
4. You must formally enrol on to the course before the course start date to be awarded the scholarship.
5. You will be asked to sign a scholarship agreement.
6. Leave the rest to us – we'll disperse your financial award on the specified payment dates.