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**The Netherlands Fellowship Programs (NFP) – 2014/2015**

Government of Netherland has invited nominations for the Netherlands Fellowship Programs (NFP) 2014/2015.

Accordingly, the applications for the Netherlands Fellowship programs are processed in two phases.

**Phase 1 :** Applications for Admission: The applicants who wish to avail the Netherlands Government fellowships should first obtain a placement from a university/institution in the Netherlands. The application forms for the relevant courses should be downloaded from the website of the relevant institution. Program details are available at the website: <http://www.nuffic.nl>. This has to be completed before academic deadline of the respective programme.

**Phase 2 :** Application for fellowships: The applicants who have obtained the admission to respective courses in the Netherlands will only be considered for the fellowship. Nuffic website will then be open for them to upload the fellowship application form with necessary documents including the letter of ERD endorsement on line. This has to be done before the deadline of the fellowship. To obtain the ERD endorsement, applicant has to submit a copy of application form and ERD Form 2 (can be downloaded from [www.erd.gov.lk](http://www.erd.gov.lk)) with your recommendation to this Ministry. The details of different programmes can be downloaded from the website: [www.nuffic.nl/nfp](http://www.nuffic.nl/nfp).

Accordingly, you are kindly requested to circulate this opportunity among the confirmed managerial level officers in your district under the purview of this ministry. If they need further clarification in this regard please inform them to contact HRD Division by Tel: 0112688124 / 0112698464.

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