

Faridah Awang Scholars Program, Inc.

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FOUR EXCEPTIONAL SCHOLARS AWARDED PRESTIGIOUS 2024 FASCHOLARS, INC. SCHOLARSHIPS

RICHMOND, KENTUCKY, USA, September 20, 2024--We are proud to announce the recipients of the 2024 Marcia A. Anderson Merit Scholar, Wook Ismail Merit Scholar, and Hashim Jamani Scholar awards. These outstanding individuals have demonstrated remarkable dedication to their academic and personal development, overcoming challenges and significantly contributing to their fields and communities.

Sujana Shafi has been named the 2024 Marcia A. Anderson Merit Scholar. Sujana, a Ph.D. candidate in Digital Marketing at Universiti Malaysia Terengganu, is recognized for her exceptional research on sustainable consumer behavior, particularly in eco-friendly apparel purchases. Her work reflects her commitment to promoting sustainability through Al-driven digital marketing strategies.

Iffah Syafiqah Suhaili, a Ph.D. candidate at the University of Pannonia in Hungary, has been awarded the 2024 Wook Ismail Merit Scholarship. Her research on brain oscillations using EEG techniques and her dedication to fostering academic and community growth have earned her this prestigious honor.

Arturo Cortes, a first-generation college student and sophomore at Eastern Kentucky University, was also named a 2024 Wook Ismail Merit Scholar. Arturo is recognized for his leadership as a student mentor and his dedication to supporting fellow students through his work with EL Centro and a summer bridge program for incoming freshmen.

Finally, **Sarmila Hanim Mustafa**, a Ph.D. candidate in Pharmaceutical at Universiti Kebangsaan Malaysia, has been awarded the 2024 Hashim Jamani Scholar title. Sarmila's dedication to research excellence, perseverance through financial and academic challenges, and commitment to balancing part-time work with full-time studies have made her a role model in her field.

These scholars exemplify the spirit of resilience, leadership, and academic excellence, and we are honored to recognize their achievements.

About FAScholars: Founded by Dr. Faridah Awang in 2019, the mission of the FAScholars is to facilitate access to education, especially in underserved communities on a global stage. Donations are accepted at any time to support the scholarship initiative. Donations are tax-deductible as the FASP is a 509 (a)(2) non-profit organization in the USA (Federal Tax I.D. 84-3088884) and may be made by mail to The Faridah Awang Scholars Program, 118 Castlewood Dr., Richmond, KY 40475, USA.