

DTU Awards Scholarships to Outstanding Students

On January 10th, DTU celebrated the 65th anniversary of Vietnam Students' Day by awarding scholarships to outstanding students. Sixty-five years ago, in the times of Ho Chi Minh, when Vietnamese students struggled against the invasion of the French, Tran Van On sacrificed his life for the independence of our country. Today, DTU students are following that tradition by dedicating themselves to their studies and building a strong and mighty Vietnam.



A student musical performance

Opening the ceremony, Distinguished Teacher Le Cong Co, DTU President and Provost, said: *“Throughout the ages, our young people have always worked for the country. As they were born and grew up in wartime, their patriotic spirit lit a fire for my own generation to overcome huge challenges and make great contributions to the independence of Vietnam. My generation dared to sacrifice their lives for the liberation of our country. Now, as citizens of a truly independent nation, you all have more opportunities to make your dreams come true. More than ever, you must seriously think about what you have been doing and what you want to do for our country in the future. You must take advantage of your studies to contribute to our country’s development and become citizens of the world. When we love our country and have the energy to realize our dreams, we can achieve so much in our lives.”*

Over the past twenty years, DTU has become a multi-level, multi-discipline university. DTU has enrolled 700 students in seven graduate courses, 62,000 in twenty undergraduate and associate programs, 1,100 students in vocational programs and 10,000 students in junior high school programs. DTU offered its first Ph.D. programs in 2014. Over 89% of graduates are employed immediately upon graduation. This rate is even higher, at 100%, for DTU Software Technology graduates. Many DTU students have won prizes in national and international competitions. Granting scholarships and awards to outstanding students will greatly encourage them to keep working hard in their studies and research.



Dr. Nguyen Huu Phu, DTU Vice-Provost, awards the 2015 “January Star” to Ho Thu Thanh Thu

At the event, DTU gave flowers and the 2015 “January Star” Award to Ho Thu Thanh Thu. The “January Star” Award initiated by the Student Association praises those who have the best accomplishments in study and extra-curricular activities. Ho Thu Thanh Thu, a DTU student of the Architecture Faculty, became one of the top 100 students of universities and colleges nationwide to receive this distinguished award. Twenty-three other students were also honored with the “Five-Virtue Student” Award.



DTU students were honored with the “Five-Virtue Student” Award

DTU granted full and partial scholarships to students who scored the highest marks in advanced programs, including Vo Thi Hoai Tram, Huynh Nhu Hien, Nguyen My Toan and Pham Thi Ly Na.

Twenty-two distinguished students were also given scholarships, totaling 53 million vnd and the other

twenty-seven of the top students were granted scholarship by Boeing, Penn State and DTU.

DTU also offered a fifty-percent discount for two semesters to 152 K20 students who enrolled in Literature, Journalism or Tourism, totaling of 500 million vnd. A discount of thirty-percent for the first semester was given to a 146 K20 students who studied Literature, Journalism or Tourism, totaling of 287 million vnd. Another discount of twenty-percent for the first semester was given to 98 K20 students studying Environmental Engineering or Business Management, totaling of 128 million vnd. In addition, DTU granted scholarships of 1 million vnd each to 111 K20 students from Quang Tri, Quang Binh, Quang Ngai, Ha Tinh, Nghe An and Thanh Hoa studying Environmental Engineering, Business Management, Digital Design, Graphic Design, Electrical Automation or Nursing.



Distinguished Teacher Le Cong Co awards scholarships to the best students of 2014

Students who won prizes in national and international competitions in 2013-2014 were also given awards. These competitions included the 2014 Loa Thanh Tournament, the 2014 Students and Information Security Contest, the 2014 National TI CMU Design Contest, the 2014 National Informatics Olympiad and the 2014 Potential CPA Contest.

On behalf of DTU students, Tran Thi Sang said: *“Our young generation were born and raised in times of peace, so we now have the chance to study in an advanced environment and learn much at DTU. By winning important awards in national and international competitions, doing research, protecting our environment, taking social responsibility and so on, students have been working hard to prove that DTU graduates are highly-qualified and confident to realize the Duy Tan dream: Let’s Broaden Our Intellect for a Brighter Future.”*

At the event, the DTU Blood Bank and Business Club officially opened. With dedication and creativity in their studies and research, DTU students will follow their ancestors by being proud to be Vietnamese students.

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