1. Advertisement will be hosted in Anna University Web Portal www.annauniv.edu/cfa.

2. Applicants can register online at the Web Portal: www.annauniv.edu/cfa.
   A non-refundable Application Fee for sponsoring a candidate @ Rs.1000/- per branch (or programme) of study shall be paid by the company.

3. Company applying for sponsorship (only Public and Private Limited) and agreeing to exchange the facilities and other infrastructure available in the University and Company must have been registered under the Indian Companies Act, 1956 having works / factories within Tamil Nadu, Andhra Pradesh, Telangana, Karnataka, Kerala and Puducherry.

4. The Company shall be a reputed one and engaged in the manufacturing / productivity process or other related process of any material which shall be related to the discipline under any of the faculty viz., Civil, Mechanical, Electrical, Information and Communication, Technology, Science and Humanities, Management Science etc., imparted in the University.

5. The Company must have been registered atleast three years prior to signing of the agreement.

6. The Company shall pay a non-refundable Inspection Fee of Rs.15,000/- while uploading the required documents.

7. The Company shall upload the annual audited statement of accounts for the minimum period of three years preceding the date of agreement together with Income Tax Certificates.
8. The **application uploaded through Online mode** by the company along with all the relevant documents shall be processed by a Committee constituted by the Vice-Chancellor.

9. An inspection committee appointed by the Vice-Chancellor will inspect all the infrastructure facilities of the Company (through Video Conferencing) and interact with the Competent Authority of the company and technical staff members through Video Conferencing. The Committee will submit its recommendation (along with the recorded Video material) on the qualification of the company which includes a clear and committed projection of future exchange activities with the University, to come under the ambit of the ‘Consortium of Industries’ and the appropriate branch of study in the University for future collaborative work. The decision of the Vice-Chancellor is final in this regard.

10. The qualified companies shall be required to execute a MoU with the University, which shall contain the terms and conditions of Anna University.

11. The qualified company under the provisions of the MoU can sponsor a candidate satisfying the eligibility criteria* for admission to any of the M.E./M.Tech/M.Arch./M.Plan./M.C.A./M.B.A./M.Sc.(5 year Integrated) / M.Sc.(2 year) Degree Programmes offered in the University Departments of Anna University viz., College of Engineering Guindy, Madras Institute of Technology, A.C. College of Technology and School of Architecture & Planning.

12. The candidates sponsored by the qualified companies will be called for counseling **in the order of merit list**. The Branch of study and Institution will be allotted to the candidate through Counseling.

**Ranking / Eligibility:**

- **M.E./M.Tech./M.Arch./M.Plan.**: Merit list (TANCET 2020 percentile score) / Eligibility as per TANCA norms*
- **M.B.A. / M.C.A.**: Merit list (TANCET 2020 percentile score) / Eligibility as per AICTE norms**.
- **M.Sc. (2 year) and M.Sc. (5 year – Integrated)**: As per Anna University norms***.

13. The allotment of seats will be only to the branch of study for which the company has qualified. There will be second counseling for the candidates who do not get their opted branch in the first counseling in the order of merit wherein the candidate can choose a seat in any one of the branches falling under the same group. The branches are grouped faculty-wise except those in the Faculty of Information and Communication Engineering (ICE). The Faculty of ICE is split into two categories, namely, Computer Science & Engineering and Information Technology in one category and Electronics and Communication Engineering in another.
14. Only 5% of the total sanctioned intake in each branch of study is available for Consortium of Industries quota and no communal reservation will be followed.

15. Change of Branch or Institution will not be permitted once allotted.

16. The Company can sponsor one candidate only and only in the year of signing the MoU. The University reserves the right to accept / reject any nomination without assigning any reason on public interest or if the interest of the University is likely to be adversely affected. The company cannot sponsor any other candidate during the tenure of the MoU.

17. The Company shall pay the necessary Consortium Fee for a tenured period to the University prior to signing the MoU in the form of a Demand Draft drawn in favour of "The Registrar, Anna University, Chennai – 600 025" and this amount shall not be refunded under any circumstances. The Consortium fee for different programmes is given below.

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18. The University shall consider conducting Refresher Courses / Training programmes / Guest Lectures etc. for the benefit of the staff of the Company on payment of prescribed fees to the University.

19. The Company shall impart industrial training for at least a total of 10 students with a minimum of 3 students per year. In addition to that, the company shall arrange Industrial visits and extend support to the students of this University in the accomplishment of Industrial projects. Any default in providing such facilities may render the company liable for being disbarred from future MoUs.

20. The agreement shall, on the expiry of 2/3/4/5 years (as per the duration of the programme) from the date of execution, stands terminated without any notice, unless it is specifically extended by the Vice-Chancellor on valid reasons. Companies which fail to fulfill the objectives of the consortium will be disqualified for future MoUs with the University after the tenure period.

21. In case of any dispute, the decision of the Vice-Chancellor shall be final and binding all the parties.
DOCUMENTS TO BE UPLOADED WHILE REGISTERING THE APPLICATION

UPLOAD THE FOLLOWING SCANNED COPY OF DOCUMENTS AND CERTIFICATES
FOR ONLINE REGISTRATION (Size: 256 KB - 2 MB in PDF format for Uploading)

The Online Application should be uploaded along with all the relevant documents in time. Incomplete applications with irrelevant data will be summarily rejected. Therefore, the applicant should ensure that the following details / documents are uploaded while registering the application through Online mode.

1. Scanned copy of letter addressed to the Registrar (in the Company letter head) including
   - Name of the sponsored candidate – School studied (past 5 years).
   - Programme and Branch of Study Sponsored.

2. Qualifying Examination:
   - X, XI and XII / H.Sc. Mark sheets and Qualifying Degree Examination Mark Sheets (upto Pre-final Semester) / Consolidated Mark Sheet.
   - X, XI and XII / H.Sc. Mark sheets [for candidates who wish to apply for M.Sc. (5 year Integrated) Programme]

3. Provisional / Degree Certificate [This is not applicable for candidates who wish to apply for M.Sc(5 year Integrated) Programme]


5. Balance Sheet – Last 3 years.

6. IT Assessment – Last 3 years.

7. Scanned Copy of Company Registration Certificate.

8. Scanned Copy of Memorandum and Articles of Association of the Company.

NOTE:

Canvassing in any form for Admission under Consortium of Industries at any stage will be considered as disqualification and the candidature will be summarily rejected.