

APOGEE Project Grant

APOGEE Project Grant is financial assistance for the students of the EEE Department, BITS Pilani, Pilani Campus to assist the students in developing prototypes to be displayed in APOGEE Tech. Fest conducted annually in Pilani Campus.

The following are the eligibility criteria and the process for applying for the funds.

1. The project shall be proposed and to be accomplished by a team of students. One of these students should be a student of the EEE department.
2. The team can have any number of students based on the challenges and complexity involved. (Try not to exceed 5 members)
3. The students can be from various disciplines to accommodate different skill sets needed to complete the project.
4. Each team shall have a mentor(s), who is a serving member of the EEE Department, BITS Pilani, Pilani Campus.
5. All the work, purchases related to the project shall be done only under the mentorship of EEE faculty.
6. The working prototype should be presented in APOGEE for demonstration and the same shall be communicated to the committee, who might visit for inspection of the prototype.
7. The proto-type shall later be submitted to the EEE Department which can use it as a showcase/demonstration in the future.
8. The team shall discuss in detail the bill of materials with the mentor faculty and avoid those materials which could be borrowed/ already available with the institute.
9. The application for this shall be released in the first week of October or 4 months before the APOGEE schedule (whichever is the latest).
10. The students shall discuss and finalize a topic/idea in consultation with their mentor(s).
11. A small presentation shall be prepared on the idea/topic before the committee, constituted by the EEE department.
12. After this, the list of approved projects shall be intimated in person to the mentor through an e-mail.
13. The projects can be funded either partially or completely based on the feasibility, innovation, appeal, and availability of resources.

Note: The call for APOGEE project awards for the 2020-21 year is suspended due to COVID-19.