

STATEMENT OF PURPOSE

University: University of the West of England

Course: BSc Nursing

My name is Sona Mathew and I hail from India. I wish to undertake BSc Nursing with University of the West of England. I have a good academic record of 90% in my secondary school education, completed in 2018 and I scored 94% in my higher secondary education which I completed in 2020. I have selected my major as science with Biology with a view to pursue a career in Nursing as I always wanted to be a Nurse.

WHY THIS COURSE?

Becoming a Nurse is a passion of me since childhood and I was always commented for being a caring person with selfless attitude. I have lived with my grand parents and had observed my parents looking after them during their end of life and I did whatever I could to help them as a child. All my clans have appreciated me for this which has reinforced my passion for Nursing career and improved my confidence in taking up the same. Moreover, I was touched by an incident which took place during my childhood when I had to visit a hospital with fever. Like any other child I was scared of injections but the nurse who administered treatment to me was so caring and she was successful in deviating my mind and took my attention away. I still remember my mother congratulating her for being so kind to me. It touched my heart and the passion inside me had grown with me. When I became an adult I realized that it is one of the noble profession and I am a person who likes to interact with people which is one of the key attractions of nursing. I can involve in direct patient care as well as console the family and work with in a team in any health care setting. I believe there is nothing more rewarding than providing service to the needy. Nursing is all about the patient. It's a career that helps you save lives, bring happiness to individuals and their families, and comfort to those in need. From mental health and aged care to rehabilitation and midwifery, there are many areas where you can make a positive impact. Upon reflection, many patients who have gone through the healthcare system remember the above and beyond efforts of their nurses for the rest of their lives. I am a compassionate, strong-valued person

with an urge to help others, studying nursing in UK is a great career move. While caring for patients fighting for their life can be a challenging experience, nurses still report a high level of job satisfaction. Also, Thanks to a growing population, the health and medical sector is set to experience extremely promising growth in the coming years .

WHY UWE?

During my research about UWE I have found that the institution is focused in solving future global challenges through outstanding learning, world leading research and culture of enterprise. I was struck by the fact that the students are empowered to make a choice and international students are given additional support to adapt to the new learning environment. I am certain that I will be able to accomplish a globallyperceived capability and exposure to education, work culture and language. University of the West of England has an effective scholastic staff and gives quality training to the understudies to help scholars accomplish their desire and fabricate a decent profession. Students at this University come from all around the globe, permitting me to blend with individuals from various parts of the world and study in a multicultural environment. More than 100 different Nationalities are studying in the campus, so that I can meet and make international friends I also find from the students that , UWE one of the rare University in UK having more number of Guest Lecturers, and the University has won TEF gold rank for its teaching Excellence. My course requires a lot of practical assessment and teaching methods, University has very well equipped Lab for the same, also tie up Hospitals for the clinical practices. University is located in a beautiful Green city of Bristol where I can enjoy the typical British culture and food.

WHY UK?

From my research, I found that University in the UK have globally recognized teaching learning standards. They have made their place known with world rankings. They also provide the best infrastructural facilities incorporating clinical and practical learning in each specialty. It has been my dream to get such exposure. The UK and its Universities offers high quality education and excellent facilities for international students. From my perceptive, UK is such a lovely and safe place to study. Especially their short duration of course with more knowledge in practical's and theories as well as affordable fees fascinated me to choose UK as a best destination for my higher studies. In addition, we can meet people from different parts of the world and can experience a multiple culture. In the UK, an enormous part of the crisis facilities is under NHS trust, so it is fundamental to appreciate the NHS's

seven indispensable qualities. It incorporates working together for patients, respect and dignity, commitment to quality of care, compassion, improving lives, and counting on everyone to ensure the best possible care for patients with these values help. UK is considered as a safe place for Indian Students, specifically for young girls, so my parents will be very comfortable too. The fees structure of my courses is very economical compared to other countries like Australia and Canada. Climate conditions are moderate too. UK system of teaching and assessment is more practical oriented, so that I can improve my practical skills, interpersonal skills, presentation skills, communication skills, and language ability. UK degrees are world renowned, and is widely getting good acceptance and demand all over the world, specifically in the Middle East, where most of the Indian students will look for jobs after graduation. There are lots of Indians in every city of England and restaurants, Indian grocery shops, So I will feel it like my second home.

FUTURE PLANS

There has never been a more exciting time to be a nurse. Not only is the number of clinical technologies designed to help make nursing easier and improve patient care constantly increasing, but the opportunities for growth as a nurse are increasing as well. The healthcare environment is dynamic, with medical breakthroughs emerging every day. To stay ahead of the game, nurses must stay up to date with the latest trends as well as potential future healthcare developments. I wish to complete my graduation in UK and to return to my country to start a career in the same. The education from UK will attract employers in my country to place me in their organisation without hesitation. I can also look into the opportunities in Middle East, where Indian students are earning much higher salary, the demand for UK graduates in Middle east is high. I believe my exposure in a foreign country would equip me with necessary skills and adaptability to new environment and practice my profession with confidence. This way I can stay close to the rest of my family. I wish to go up on my career ladder and want to become a nurse practitioner which is my long term goal. I have two elder sisters who are nurses and has motivated me to take up this profession and I can see them leading a happy and successful career which in turn motivate me to take up this profession.

I can also expect an average Monthly salary of 50K to 75k in India and around 1.75K to 2 Lakhs in the Middle east. I can look in to the job positions such as Staff Nurse, Nursing Service Administrators, Assistant Nursing Superintendent, Industrial Nurse, Department Supervisor, Nursing Supervisor or Ward Sister, Nursing Superintendent, Community Health Nurse (CHN). Since I am very passionate about my

profile as a nurse , I will also look into my opportunities of doing a Masters and then a PhD after earning sustainable career experience.

CONCLUSION

I hereby declare that the aforementioned things are true and real reflection of myself. I can confirm that I will be bound to the university regulations and will be upholding the reputation of the esteemed institution. I thank you in advance for considering my application and giving me the chance to present a statement of purpose before you. I look forward to being a part of the UWE student community soon.

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