# CONCEPT NOTE: FUNDING INITIATIVE FOR EDUCATIONAL EMPOWERMENT -BON-PRO'S EDUCATION TRUST FUND-

## Introduction:

The Bong Professionals Network (Bon-Pro) has embarked on a transformative journey aimed at fostering educational opportunities for deserving students in Bong County, and Liberia at larger. Through our Partial Scholarship program, we are extending a generous **50% waiver** to eligible candidates to pursue their studies at esteemed institutions in India: (Synetic Business School (SBS), Synetic College (SC), and Synergy Institute of Management Technology and Arts (SIMTA). This initiative aims to empower talented individuals with the necessary tools and resources to excel in their academic pursuits and contribute meaningfully to society upon graduation.

### **Objective:**

**Bon-Pro** is committed to bridging the gap in educational accessibility and affordability for Liberian students by signing a Memorandum of Understanding (MOU) with the Zayn Educational Trust that manager Synetic Business School (SBS), Synetic College (SC), and Synergy Institute of Management Technology and Arts (SIMTA) in India. This strategic partnership opens doors for Liberian students aspiring to pursue higher education by offering them opportunities to enroll in graduate and undergraduate programs at institutions affiliated with the Zayn Educational Trust in India on a Partial Scholarship program (50% of tuition fees waiver). However, our primary objective now, is to secure funding for the remaining 50% of tuition fees, as well as dormitory expenses, for ten deserving and challenged students wanting to pursue Bachelor's or Master's degrees at the above top universities in technical and specialize areas in India.

#### **Breakdown of Expenses:**

No.	Description	Quality	Unit	Amount
1	Total remaining 50% Tuition	10 students	\$2,450	<mark>\$24,500</mark>
	Fees for Entire Program (3			
	years):			
2	Total dormitory Fees for <b>3 years</b>	10 students	\$1,800	\$18,000
	for 10 students (\$50 per			
	month)			
	GRAND TOTAL:			<mark>\$42,500 USD</mark>

### **Program Overview:**

Our initiative targets students from challenging backgrounds who demonstrate exceptional academic potential but lack the financial means to pursue higher education independently. By providing comprehensive support, including tuition and accommodation assistance, we aim to enable these students to access quality education and unlock their full potential, thereafter returning to contribute to the development of Liberia in every means possible.

## **Partner Universities:**

The selected students will have the opportunity to enroll in Bachelor's and Master's degree programs at renowned institutions in India, including Synetic Business School (SBS), Synetic College (SC), and Synergy Institute of Management Technology and Arts (SIMTA). These institutions are recognized for their commitment to academic excellence and holistic student development, making them ideal partners for our educational empowerment initiative.

## Funding Requirements:

Our mission to empower deserving students through education relies heavily on the support of generous sponsors and donors. We are seeking to raise **\$42,500** to cover the remaining **50% of tuition fees and dormitory expenses** for ten deserving individuals in three years. Your contributions will directly impact these students, providing them with more than just financial assistance – you will be opening the doors to life-changing educational opportunities.

By investing in these students, you are not only supporting their academic journey but also nurturing the future leaders of Liberia. Your support will empower them to overcome financial barriers and realize their full potential, enabling them to contribute positively to their communities and beyond. Each donation is a step towards breaking the cycle of poverty and building a brighter future for Liberia. Your generosity will leave a lasting impact, transforming dreams into reality and shaping the future of our nation.

## Application Process and Selection Criteria:

At Bon-Pro, we maintain a stringent yet fair application process to identify the most deserving candidates for our scholarship program. Candidates are required to submit a comprehensive set of documents, including official academic transcripts, certificates, and proof of good conduct, followed by interviews conducted by our experienced Selection Committee at our Office. Throughout this process, we prioritize academic excellence, financial need, leadership potential, and demonstrated commitment to community service. We seek individuals who not only excel

academically but also show a strong desire to make a positive impact in their communities. By carefully evaluating these criteria, we aim to select candidates who will benefit most from our scholarship program and contribute meaningfully to society.

Our goal is to provide life-changing educational opportunities to deserving students while fostering a new generation of leaders and change-makers in Bong County, and Liberia at larger. Through a transparent and rigorous selection process, we ensure that our scholarship recipients embody the values of academic excellence, leadership, and service. We invite all eligible candidates to apply and join us in our mission to transform lives and build a brighter future for Liberia.

### **Conclusion:**

Through this funding initiative, **Bon-Pro** endeavors to create a tangible impact in the lives of disadvantaged students in Liberia. By providing access to education, we empower these individuals to pursue their aspirations and play an active role in shaping a brighter future for themselves and their communities. We believe that education is a powerful tool for transformation, and by investing in the potential of Liberia's youth, we can break barriers and create pathways to success.

We extend an invitation to supporters and sponsors to join us in this noble endeavor. Together, we can make a meaningful difference in the lives of Liberia's youth, fostering educational empowerment and unlocking opportunities for growth and development. Your contribution will not only change the trajectory of individual lives but also uplift communities and contribute to the overall prosperity of our nation. Join us as we embark on this journey to empower Liberia's youth through education.