



# 2022-25

3rd Year Anniversary Report

**Loi Aint Education  
Group**

**Inspiring Lives Through  
Education**



# Welcome to our 3<sup>rd</sup> Anniversary of Loi Aint Education Group

## Advisory Board Chair's Message

My first visit in to the country of Myanmar was back in 2005 and the primary purpose of that trip was to investigate ways that we could help people in financially challenged areas. Since then, I have had the opportunity to visit the country over 20 times and have facilitated the construction of schools, wells, water tanks, organised micro credit for small businesses, and built numerous toilets to increase hygiene levels for various communities. Despite the diverse assistance we have been able to provide over the years, it has become evident that education is a vehicle that delivers a very substantial positive impact into the lives of both the individuals and the communities in which they live.

The needs within the country are great and you can imagine my surprise and delight to find a group of young people who have both seen and experienced the benefits of education, and have chosen to give back to others. These dedicated young people have experienced far more challenges in their short lives than most people would encounter in a very long time. Their response has been proactive and a demonstration of initiative in action as they work to provide solutions for students in conflict-affected communities of Myanmar and the Thai border region.

I am delighted and honoured to work with the Advisory Board for the Loi Aint Education Group and to endorse their work, which has included the provision of free, online English classes, scholarship boot camps, university admission preparation, teacher professional development, and a host of other resources designed to benefit those who need a helping hand. Their non-political, non-profit approach provides support to those who need it irrespective of their gender, ethnicity, or socio-economic status.

Put simply this is a work that is - both remarkable and inspirational.

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# 2022-2025 At a Glance

**70 students** ↘

have joined 3-months English Conversation Club in collaboration with **Bees' Wisdom Education Centre, Taunggyi Educational Learning Hub, Kay Phoe Du Learning Center and Career Bridge**.

**45 students** ↘

joined Scholarship Bootcamp and 6 students received Fully-Sunded Scholarship from the Child's Dream Foundation to study in Thailand.

**39 teachers** ↘

have received our 10-week Educators Empowerment Series (EES) workshop in collaboration with Innovative Education Reform Initiative (IERI).

**6 Partners** ↘

We have expanded our networks with local organizations which share the same vision with us.

**20 students** ↘

have received 3-months English training in collaboration with **Pala Tarao Ponnya Youth Learning Center** with the grant of **UnionAID**.

**27 students** ↘

received Fully-funded Scholarship from Loi Aint's Free Consultation program.

**95 students** ↘

secured university admissions with the support of Loi Aint Education Group.

**12 Sharing** ↘

We have organized 12 scholarship sharing sessions with scholars and organizations such as **Erasmus Mundus Association Myanmar, Sweden Alumni Network Myanmar and Australia Awards Alumni Myanmar**.

**Over 600 students** ↘

have joined our scholarship sharing sessions.

**4 students** ↘

have been awarded full GED scholarships in collaboration with **Salween Academy** and **Alintan Education**.

# About Us



## What Does “Loi Aint” Mean?

Loi Aint is a Burmese phrase that means **“The Joy of Learning and Sharing Bag”**. It represents more than just a name and it reflects our philosophy.

At Loi Aint, we believe that every learner carries a unique “bag” filled with life experiences, dreams, and the potential to inspire others. These personal stories and skills are valuable resources that deserve to be supported and shared.

We are committed to building a learning community where learners not only receive, but also contribute, uplift, and grow together.





## **Who we are?**

Loi Aint Education Group is a non-profit, non-political, and non governmental organization founded in 2022, led by a group of young and dedicated educators and scholarship recipients from Myanmar. We serve free and accessible educational support and resources to inspire and empower students and teachers from Myanmar through education toward academic and professional success. Through our programs, we aim to address the pressing educational challenges faced by students and teachers in Myanmar. We believe that education is a critical tool for personal and societal development.

## **Our Vision**

Loi Aint Education Group inspires lives through education for academic and professional success.

## **Our Mission**

To offer free and accessible educational support and resources to students and teachers in Myanmar for a successful future.

## **Our Slogan**

Inspiring Lives Through Education



## **Our Values**

Our works are based on the values we hold and they reflect the vision of our organization.

### **Accessibility**

We are committed to providing free and easy access to educational resources and opportunities for students and teachers from Myanmar.

### **Inclusivity**

We strongly work for diversity and foster an inclusive environment where everyone feels valued and supported.

### **Quality**

We try to ensure the highest standards of our educational support and resources as well as services we provide.

### **Empowerment**

We are committed to empowering individuals with the knowledge, skills, and opportunities to achieve their personal and professional goals.

### **Community**

We build a strong, supportive learning community to support each other.

### **Partnership**

We build a strong, supportive learning community to support each other.

# Our Global Targets



Loi Aint Education Group's work strongly aligns with Sustainable Development Goal (SDG) 4: Quality Education, which aims to *"ensure inclusive and equitable quality education and promote lifelong learning opportunities for all."*

Our work specifically addresses SDG 4's targets:

## **SDG 4.4**

By 2030, substantially increase the number of youth and adults who have relevant skills, including technical and vocational skills, for employment, decent jobs and entrepreneurship.

## **SDG 4.b**

By 2020, substantially expand globally the number of scholarships available to developing countries, in particular least developed countries, small island developing States and African countries, for enrolment in higher education, including vocational training and information and communications technology, technical, engineering and scientific programmes, in developed countries and other developing countries.

## **SDG 4.c**

By 2030, substantially increase the supply of qualified teachers, including through international cooperation for teacher training in developing countries, especially least developed countries and small island developing States.

# From Myanmar to Global Impacts



## How do our activities support SDG 4.0?

### 1. Inclusive Education

- Free educational services (English classes, scholarship consultations, webinars) ensure that students from underprivileged and conflict-affected communities in Myanmar have access to learning.
- Focus on students of all backgrounds, particularly those affected by political and economic instability.

### 2. Equitable Access

- All programs are offered free of charge and are online, reducing barriers related to geography, finance, and political restrictions.
- Support is provided regardless of gender, ethnicity, or socio-economic status.

### 3. Quality Learning Resources

- The organization delivers:
  - a. Online English language courses
  - b. Scholarship Bootcamps
  - c. University admission preparation
  - d. Webinars with scholarship alumni sharing best practices and tips
  - e. Well-structured academic and professional mentoring

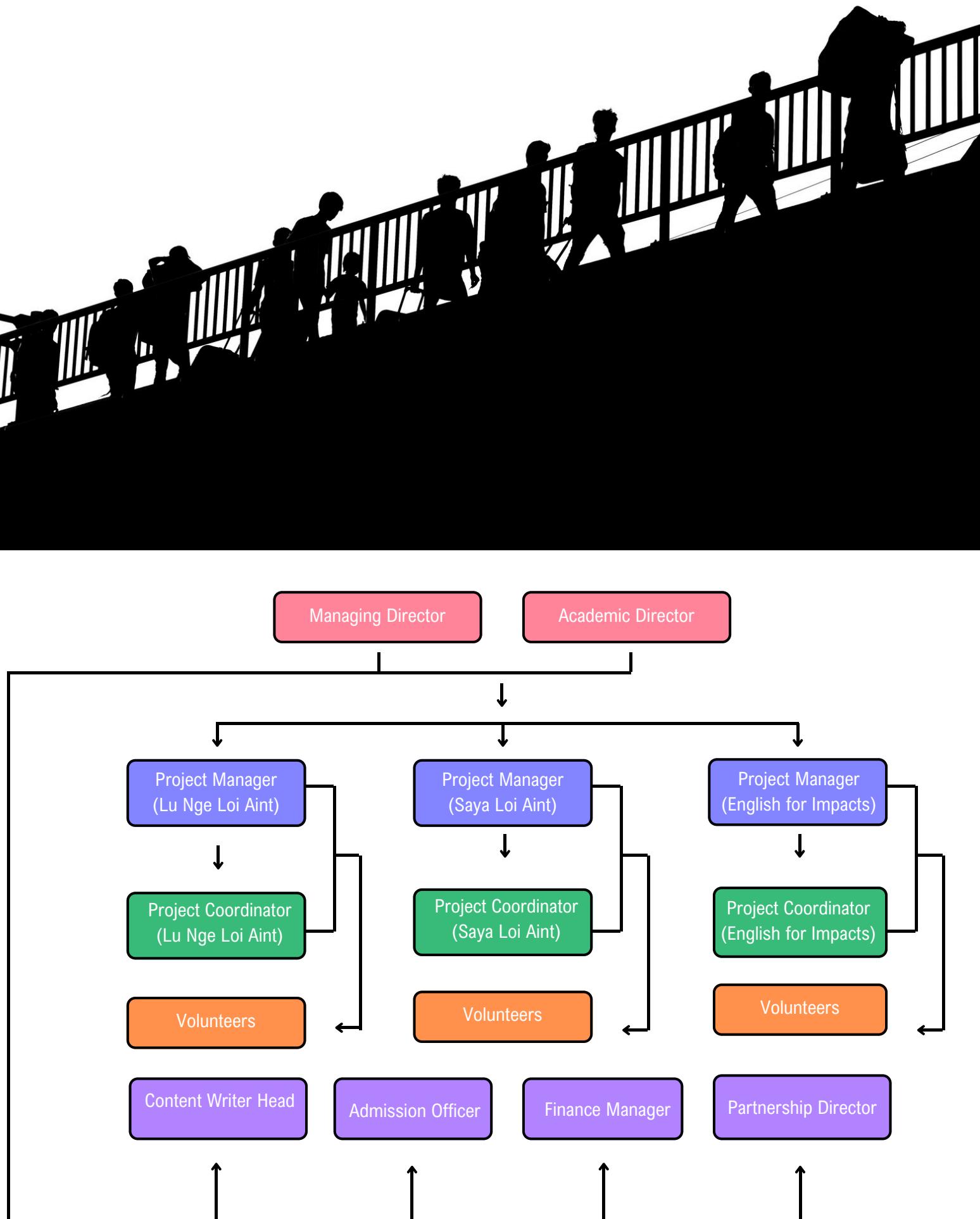
### 4. Lifelong Learning

- Our services promote skills development, higher education, and career empowerment — core to lifelong learning.
- By helping students obtain international scholarships, they contribute to sustainable personal and community development.

### 5. Teacher Empowerment

- Loi Aint Education Group also supports educators through training and resource sharing, expanding the multiplier effect of quality teaching within communities.

# Organizational Structure





## Meet Our Partners from Myanmar



Salween Academy



Letters to You by Joe



Kyauk Thin Pone Institute



Alintan Education



Suriyasanta Learning Zone

**Loi Aint Education Group provided 4 volunteers from Myanmar full GED scholarships in collaboration with Salween Academy and Alintan Education.**

# Meet the People

At Loi Aint Education Group, our strength lies in our diversity. Our team is made up of people from different backgrounds, ethnicities, ages, and genders from all over Myanmar. We all share a strong passion for helping our communities through education. Each of us has a deep connection to our local communities and understands the unique challenges in education in Myanmar. Because of our diverse experiences, we can create educational programs that are inclusive and meaningful for everyone.

**We bring unique bags from diverse backgrounds to inspire the lives through education.**



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# Our Projects

## English for Impacts (EFI)

English for Impacts (EFI) is an online program to help them improve their English proficiency for university and career development.

English for Impacts has three programme.

### 1. English Conversation Club

The English Conversation Club is a structured program aimed at providing participants with regular practice in speaking English. Each session is designed to cover different themes and topics relevant to daily life, work, and academic environments by the different speakers from local and international students or teachers. The program is usually conducted online (once per week), making it accessible to participants from various locations. Activities will include interactive discussions, group activities, and presentations, ensuring an engaging and dynamic learning experience.

### 2. Free Online English Class

English for Success (EFS) is an online program to offer free English classes from basic to upper-intermediate for Myanmar students to help them improve their English proficiency for university and career development. We focus on practical language skills that enable our students to communicate effectively in real-world scenarios, empowering them to achieve academic success and professional advancement. Through interactive and engaging lessons, we aim to build confidence and competence in English communication.

### 3. English Awareness

At Loi Aint Education Group, we are also committed to supporting English learners through our “English Awareness Program”. This program is designed to raise awareness and provide essential resources to help

individuals enhance their English language skills. Through our “English Awareness” program, we regularly share accurate resources, including recommended English learning apps, websites, and practical guides. Our aim is to equip learners with the tools and knowledge they need to succeed in their language journey, making a positive impact in their personal and professional lives.

### 4. English Private Class

At Loi Aint Education Group, we've listened to our students' needs and created a dedicated space for English private classes. Due to increasing requests, we now offer to all levels from beginner to upper-intermediate. Our goal is to provide a personalized learning environment where students feel comfortable and motivated to improve their English skills. Whether you're looking to enhance your proficiency, our private classes are designed to meet your individual needs and help you achieve your language goals.



# English Conversation Club - 1

English Conversation Club - 1 was run from August 16th, 2024 to November 1st, 2024, with structured activities to maximize participants' learning experience in collaboration with **Bees' Wisdom Education Centre** and **Taunggyi Educational Learning Hub**. The session was usually run every Friday from 8:00 pm to 10:00 pm.



Full Impact Report can be found [here](#).

Link : <https://loaintedu.org/2025/05/05/impact-report-of-english-conversation-club-1/>

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## English Conversation Club - 2

The English Conversation Club was run from January 18th, 2025 to April 5th, 2025, with structured activities to maximize the learning experience in collaboration with **Kay Phoe Du Learning Center** and **Career Bridge** in Myanmar. The sessions ran every Saturday from 7:45 pm to 9:45 pm.



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# Our Projects

## Lu Nge Loi Aint

Lu Nge Loi Aint is designed to guide students and professionals through their academic and career journeys. We offer personalized counseling, skill development workshops, scholarship sharing webinars, interview tips and resources to help individuals identify their strengths, set achievable goals, and navigate their paths to success.

Lu Nge Loi Aint has three programme.

### **1. Scholarship Sharing**

We usually organise Scholarship Sharing sessions by inviting scholars from different backgrounds to share their preparation about scholarship journeys and insightful experience.

### **2. Scholarship Bootcamp**

Loi Aint Education Group organizes Scholarship Bootcamp every year. Scholarship Bootcamp is a program of Lu Nge Loi Aint to polish and equip students from Myanmar with essential knowledge and skills to apply for scholarships, especially Child's Dream and Prospect Burma scholarships.

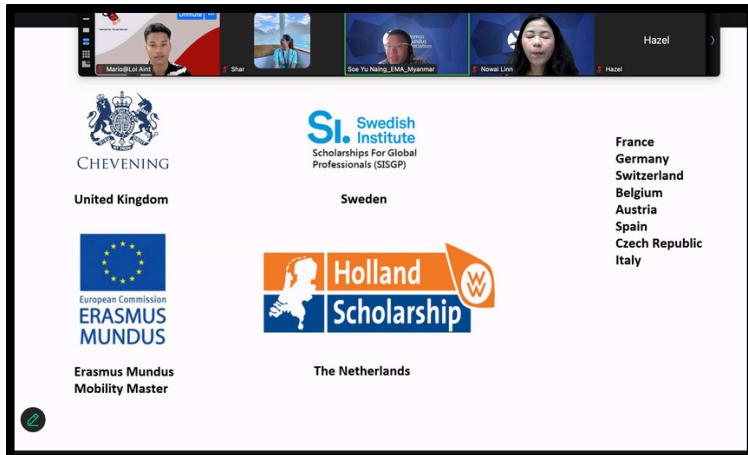
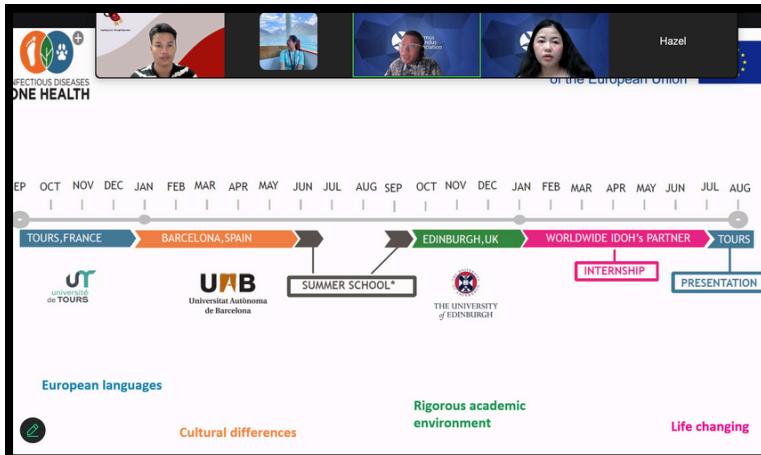
#### *Rationale*

- To develop their personal and professional skills to be a scholar
- To address educational challenges that Myanmar students are facing due to post-COVID 19 and political turmoil in Myanmar.
- To provide intensive training on essential knowledge and skills that they need to apply for Child's Dream and Prospect Burma scholarships
- To bring and broaden a professional network with Child's Dream and Prospect Burma scholars.
- To provide mentoring and consultation opportunities with scholars.

### **3. Career Development Training**

Loi Aint Education Group also provides career development opportunities such as workshop, training and others for students and teachers in Myanmar.

# Lu Nge Loi Aint : Scholarship Sharing



What is SISGP?

- SISGP is highly competitive global scholarship program.
- Only 2-6% of applicants received scholarship offer.
- Round about 300 candidate selected annually for SISGP.

What is Prospect Burma?

- Founded in 1989, following the 8888 democracy protests and closure of Burma's universities
- To assist the people of Burma through education
- Focuses on three categories of education: Access to learning, Learning to leadership, & Change in community

At higher education level:

~1500	95%	47
higher education scholarships abroad awarded since 2000	of international students returned to Myanmar pre-coup	Ethnicities represented among our beneficiaries

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A total of 12 Scholarship Sharing Sessions have been organized with scholars and organizations.

## 2025

SS-2025-1 | Daughters Rising Scholarship Sharing Session

SS-2025-2 | Australia Awards Scholarship Sharing Session

## 2024

SS-2024-5 | Child's Dream Scholarship Sharing Session

SS-2024-4 | Prospect Burma Scholarship Sharing Session

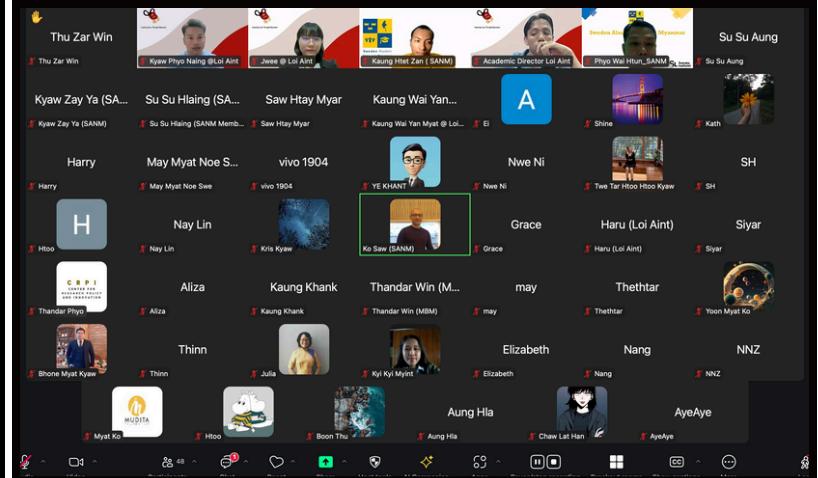
SS-2024-3 | SI Scholarship for Global Professionals Sharing Session

SS-2024-2 | Erasmus Mundus Joint Master's Degree Programme [EMJMD] Sharing Session

SS-2024-1 | Chevening Scholarship Sharing Session

## 2023

SS-2023-1 | Chevening Scholarship Sharing Session



**2022**

- SS-2022-1 | Child's Dream Scholarship Sharing Session
- SS-2022-2 | Prospect Burma Scholarship Sharing Session
- SS-2022-3 | Prospect Burma Scholarship Sharing Session
- SS-2022-4 | Child's Dream Scholarship Sharing Session

## Collaboration with Other Organizations

Loi Aint Education Group connects with professional networks to give the most reliable information about particular scholarships.



Erasmus Mundus Association  
Myanmar



Sweden Alumni Network  
Myanmar



Australia Awards Alumni  
Myanmar

## 12 Scholarship Sharings

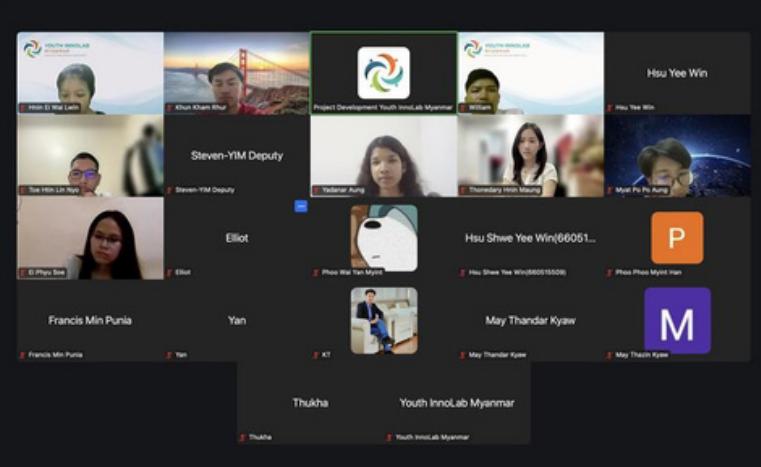
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Three Organizations

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Reaching over 600 participants through Scholarship Sharing (SS) program

# Lu Nge Loi Aint : Scholarship Bootcamp



## Types of Scholarship Selection

### 1. Merit-based selection

- Scholarships awarded for academic excellence, leadership or exceptional talents
- Focus on achievements like
  - High academic scores or GPA
  - Leadership roles and extracurricular activities
  - Awards, publications or innovation
- Selection Criteria
  - Academic transcripts
  - Personal statements or essays
  - CV
  - Interview performance
  - Referees



## Interview Questions

### 1. General/Personal Questions

- Aim: To learn more about the candidate's personality, background and motivations

Examples:

- Tell us about yourself
- Why did you apply for this scholarship?
- What motivates you to achieve your goals?
- How do you spend your free time?
- What are your strengths and weaknesses?



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### Application Form Information

- A completed online application form
- Please noted your application number (e.g. APP-012965)
- Required additional documents;
  - GPA transcript and graduation certificate
  - Proof of enrolment (if already registered or accepted as a student)
  - Two reference letters (1.academic, 2. professional)
  - Copy of any additional awards or grant letters
  - Copy of the personal details page of your passport

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The Loi Aint Scholarship Bootcamp is a comprehensive and practical program developed by Lu Nge Loi Aint, designed to refine and empower students from Myanmar with the requisite knowledge and skills necessary for applying to scholarships, particularly the Child's Dream and Prospect Burma scholarships.

The first bootcamp was run from December 19, 2024 to January 22, 2025, with structured activities to maximize your learning experience.

There were 46 participants.

Full Impact Report can be found [here](#).

Link : <https://loaintedu.org/2025/02/09/scholarship-bootcamp-1/>

## Key Notes:

High Completion Rate – Out of 46 participants, 45 successfully completed all the bootcamp requirements. The only absentee was due to an unavoidable security-related evacuation, not program-related issues.

# Their Testimonials

Out of 46 students, 6 students got the fully-funded scholarship from Child's Dream Foundation to continue their education in Thailand.



Kaung Khant Zaw  
2025 Child's Dream Scholarship Winner

I would like to take this opportunity to thank the Loi Aint Education Group for hosting the Scholarship Preparation Bootcamp, which I had the honor of attending and finishing successfully. This program equipped me with the skills, confidence and techniques. I'm happy to report that I was able to obtain a full scholarship from Child's Dreams using the abilities and tactics I acquired from this program. From writing essays and preparing for interviews to creating a compelling resume and professional profile, the bootcamp workshops were immensely beneficial. Each topic was not only crucial and greatly facilitated the application process but also made the application process much smoother. We appreciate the encouragement and support from all of the team members and mentors. You have a transformative effect on students like me. "The boot camp taught me how to believe in myself, not just how to apply."



Naw Cho Cho San  
2025 Child's Dream Scholarship Winner

From boot camp, I gained all the essential knowledge I needed for the scholarship application process and essay writing. I learned so much and became more confident in writing my essay. The workshop covered everything necessary for the application journey. What I loved the most was having the golden chance to receive feedback from scholarship winners — they were so kind and supportive, and their advice meant a lot to me. We also got to practice interviews with members of Loi Aint Education Group, which gave me energy and confidence. I feel like Loi Aint Education Group is so amazing, and the boot camp is very essential and valuable for youth who are eager to apply for scholarships but have lost their way. So I would like to express that this boot camp is like a bridge to help us achieve our dreams and goals or win a scholarship. They are very helpful, kind, and supportive, and I truly admire them and their energy. Thank you so much for all the support and encouragement. I really appreciate everything you have done for us.



**Kaung Khant Zaw**  
2025 Child's Dream Scholarship Winner

**"I'm really grateful to Loi Aint Education Group for all the support during my scholarship journey. The boot camp was super helpful—from giving suggestions how to write essays to reviewing my essays, the team was always there to guide and encourage me. I built my confidence and shaped a stronger application with mentors from the bootcamp. I wouldn't have felt as confident or prepared without their help. Thanks so much for being part of this achievement. I will try my best to support and assist the future students who are preparing for scholarship by collaborating with Loi Aint in the future."**



**Myat Su Mon**  
2025 Child's Dream Scholarship Winner

**"Hello, I am Myat Su Mon, and I got the Child's Dream scholarship with an environmental health major at Mae Fah Luang University for 2025. During my scholarship journey, I joined the scholarship bootcamp from the Loi Aint education group, which was really helpful to me. They provided training sessions during the scholarship bootcamp, including how to prepare for interviews, portfolios and CVs; build personal branding; and write scholarship essays to apply not only for scholarships but also in real-world settings. Moreover, my mentor from this bootcamp also guided me to be concise and clear and how to use effective words for my essays. I proudly want to say scholarship bootcamp from Loi Aint Education Group was a part of my achievement, and I would like to thank everyone who is supporting me along my scholarship journey."**



**Nan Ja Du**  
2025 Child's Dream Scholarship  
Winner

**"The Scholarship Bootcamp organized by Loi Aint Education Group gave me the tools, confidence, and support I needed. Thanks to their guidance, I successfully earned the Child's Dream Scholarship. I'm truly grateful for this incredible journey."**



Naw Cho Cho San

2025 Child's Dream Scholarship Winner

Firstly, I would like to express my heartfelt gratitude for your incredible support and guidance I received during the Scholarship Bootcamp. This bootcamp not only enhanced my knowledge and skills in my scholarship journey but also was also a truly inspiring and life-changing experience for me. All the sessions in the Bootcamp were extremely helpful in many ways. I gained a clearer understanding of the scholarship application process, learned how to write professional emails when requesting recommendation letters from teachers, and greatly benefited from the one to one essay proofreading sessions with mentors. These activities gave me the confidence to express my goal, future plans and personal story more clearly. Moreover, the encouragement and motivation provided by the mentors kept me focused and determined throughout the journey. Additionally, before sitting for the Child's Dream Scholarship interview, I reviewed the recorded session on interview preparation from the bootcamp. It was incredibly supportive and helped me feel more prepared and confident to perform well. Thanks to your dedicated support, I am honored to have received the Child's Dream Scholarship. This scholarship brings me one step closer to my goal of contributing meaningfully to my community through education. In addition, if there are opportunities for me to give back or support your future programs, please do not hesitate to let me know. I look forward to the opportunity to support future Bootcamps or initiatives, and I would be delighted to contribute in any way I can. Thank you once again for your commitment and support.

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**46 Participants**

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**9 Speakers**

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**17 Scholarship Consultants**

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**6 students are awarded full-funded Child's Dream scholarship**

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**1 student got a fully-funded university scholarship**

# Our Projects

## Saya Loi Aint

We believe that excellent education starts with well-trained educators. Our Teacher Education program (Saya Loi Aint) provides comprehensive training and professional development for current and aspiring teachers. We offer workshops, certification courses, teaching awareness, and continuous support to ensure educators are equipped with the latest teaching strategies, classroom management skills, and subject-specific knowledge. Our goal is to nurture educators who inspire and make a lasting impact in the lives of their students.

### 1. Teacher Training

Loi Aint Education Group plans to organise teacher training to maximize the learning experience of teachers from Myanmar.

### 2. Teacher Workshop

Loi Aint Education Group organizes Educator Empowerment Series (EES) every year.

## Educator Empowerment Series

**Educator Empowerment Series (EES)** is a transformative 10-week workshop designed to equip basic education teachers in Myanmar with essential skills, knowledge, and tools to excel in their roles. Conducted every Sunday from February 9, 2025, the program aims to enhance teaching practices and foster professional growth.

This program is a part of Saya Loi Aint Project. EES was organized in collaboration with Innovative Education Reform Initiative (IERI).

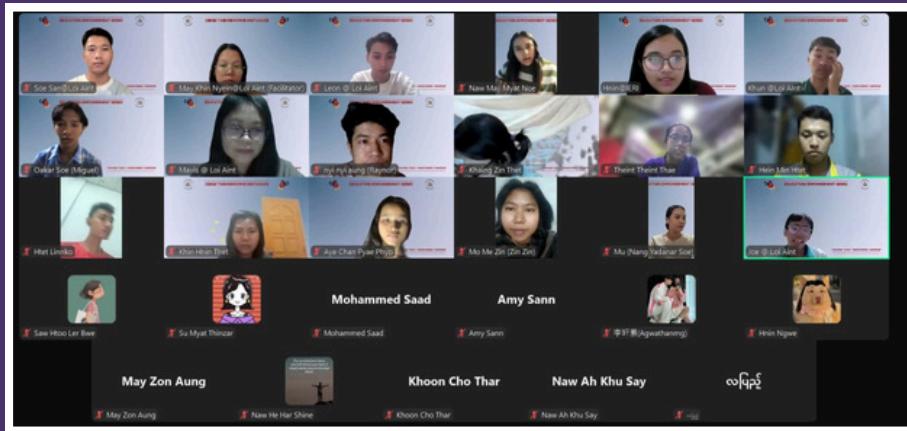
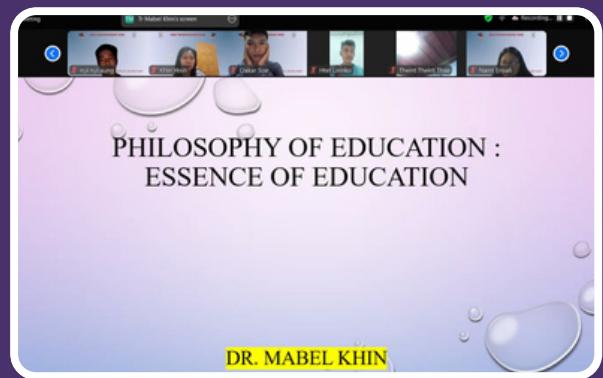
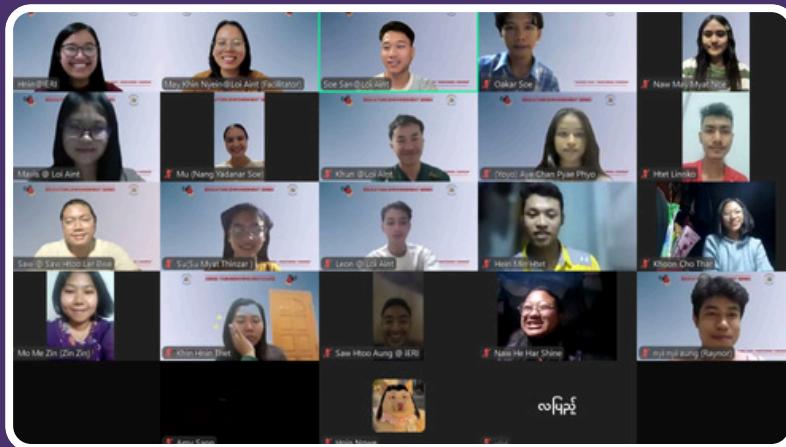
### Our Partner



Full Impact Report can be found [here](#).

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# EES Learning



## John Dewey



- Education is the development of all those capacities in the individual which will enable him to control his environment and fulfil his possibilities.

## Child Development and Learning Stages



Dr. Shwe Yee Win

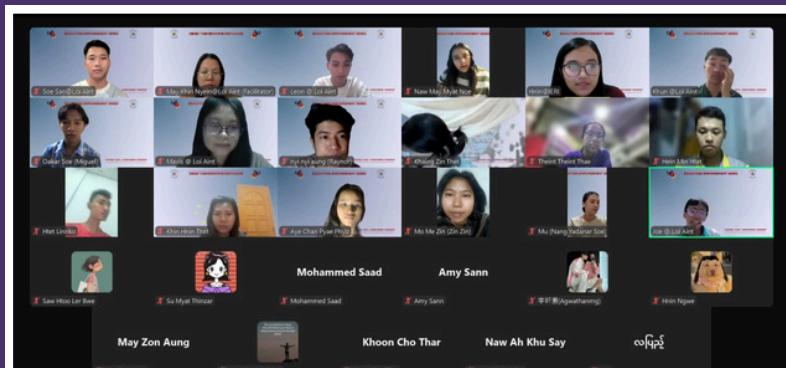
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## Aristotle



Education is the creation of a sound mind in a sound body.

How do you define education?



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# Call for Donations: Inspire Lives Through Education in Myanmar

Loi Aint Education Group aims to foster financial growth for the organization while maximizing community impact. This initiative focuses on supporting students and teachers in Myanmar by providing educational resources, training, and support systems. By enhancing access to quality education and empowering teachers through professional development, we contribute to the overall upliftment and development of the community. With the budget generated from your support, we can effectively run these programs within our organization, ensuring consistent support for the educational needs of our community. We invite you to join us in this initiative, helping us make a significant difference in the lives of students and teachers in Myanmar.

## Donate Us



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## Thai Bank Transfer

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## Myanmar Transfer

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