

GOAL — Guyana's National Scholarship Programme Building Local Talent for the Oil, Gas and Maritime Economy

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Quality score: 62/100

Evidence strength: Descriptive / self-reported

Summary

Guyana's government-funded GOAL programme has awarded more than 39,000 free scholarships since 2021 — from vocational certificates to PhDs, including dedicated oil, gas and maritime tracks — to build a domestic skilled workforce as the petroleum sector booms.

Key dimensions

Dimension	Score
Evidence of impact / measured results	1/3
Transferability / demonstrated replication	2/3
Scalability	3/3
Sustainability / continuity	2/3
Innovation	2/3
Inclusiveness / equity	2/3
Multi-stakeholder collaboration	1/3

Evaluated by C-NAPSE

Data sources

[C-NAPSE web research](#) — accessed 2026-08-17

[Government of Guyana — Guyana Online Academy of Learning \(GOAL\)](#) — accessed 2026-08-17

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[iKnowGuyana: GOAL — Oil and Gas Training in Guyana](#) — accessed 2026-08-17

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