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Presentation of 2018/2019 De La Rue Currency Scholarships

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The annual De La Rue Currency Scholarships were presented on Thursday, September 12, 2019. Mr. Isaiah Williams and Mr. Yohance Nicholas were the recipients of the 2018/2019 Scholarships, offered by the Central Bank of Trinidad and Tobago in partnership with De La Rue of the United Kingdom.

Mr. Williams and Mr. Nicholas are both students of the University of the West Indies, St. Augustine, Mr. Williams pursuing an MSc degree in Project Management and Mr. Yohance Nicholas an MPhil/PhD in Economics.

They received Certificates of Distinction at an official ceremony to commemorate their achievement at the Central Bank's conference facilities. Mr. Williams and Mr. Nicholas received a cash award and a two-month internship at the Bank following the completion of their course of study. Since 2018, a new incentive of the programme offers our scholars an opportunity to compete for an international internship at De La Rue in the UK.

The scholarship programme is intended to strengthen the country's human resources in areas that are intrinsic to the development of our national economy. It is in its 15th year, with 22 recipients to date.

We congratulate these well deserving young men and wish them a very fruitful experience and success in future endeavours.



From Left: Governor Alvin Hilaire, Mr. Isaiah Williams, Mr. Yohance Nicholas and Mr. Gareth Evans, Regional Manager, De La Rue.



Governor Hilaire chats with Yohance and his parents.



Mr. Isaiah Williams engages Mr. Gareth Evans, De La Rue.