

College of Graduate and Postdoctoral Studies

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SASKATOON, SK S7N 5A2 Email: grad.recruit@usask.ca**UofS-China Supplemental
Entrance Scholarship****INFORMATION**

The College of Graduate and Postdoctoral Studies (CGPS) offers a **supplemental entrance scholarship** for graduate students who attend the USASK on a scholarship from the **China Scholarship Council (CSC)**.

The CGPS will provide up to twenty (20) UofS-China Supplemental Entrance Scholarships and the first ten (10) scholarships will be awarded to top candidates from partner Chinese universities. The remaining 10 scholarships are open to applicants from any Chinese university. Our partner universities are listed at: <http://grad.usask.ca/funding/china.php>

Applicants are assessed according to a combination of academic record, current and potential contributions to research, language proficiency and other technical experience.

UofS-China Supplemental Scholarships are for \$16,000 CDN paid out over four years in 12 monthly installments totaling \$4,000 per year. Funding for year two through four is dependent upon the student making satisfactory progress towards the completion of their degree.

ELIGIBILITY - STUDENTS MUST

1. Be a new international student, who holds a four-year scholarship from the China Scholarship Council for study abroad at the post-graduate level;
2. Be recommended for admission as fully qualified to a PhD program in the CGPS;
3. Nominated for the supplemental scholarship by the Graduate Chair or Department Head;
4. Hold equivalent to first-class standings - GPA of 80% over the cumulative weighted average for courses taken for their master's program plus the last year of their undergraduate degree.
5. Meet the minimum English language proficiency requirements as set by CGPS policy at the time of recommendation;
6. Attend the GSR 981: Canadian Academic Acculturation and Literacy for International Students prior to and during their first term in program;
7. Register full-time, and remain registered full-time, for the duration of their program;

APPLICATION PROCESS

1. Departments may submit the recommendation form (on following page) at the same time as making the recommendation to admit to CGPS, **but no later than March 20th**.
2. The form, and required supporting documents, must be submitted electronically to grad.recruit@usask.ca. Original documents are not required.
3. Either the faculty supervisor or the department must make the commitment to pay the tuition on behalf of recommended students who hold a CSC post-graduate scholarship.
4. Forms must be signed by the Department Head, or Graduate Chair.
5. Specific questions may be directed to Ana Maldonado at 966-6133.

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**Recommendation Form
 UofS-China Supplemental
 Entrance Scholarship**

Students who have been admitted to a PhD program, and who attend the USASK with a scholarship from the China Scholarship Council (CSC) must have their tuition paid by either the faculty supervisor or the department. These students are also eligible for a Supplementary Entrance Scholarship of \$16,000 paid out over four years, from the CGPS. Please use this form to recommend students for this scholarship.

Forward form and attachments to International Recruitment, College of Graduate and Postdoctoral Studies at:
grad.recruit@usask.ca

_____ Family/Surname _____ First/Given Name(s) _____ Student Number

RECOMMENDED BY: Department: _____ Supervisor: _____

ACCEPT PhD PROGRAM (Yes/No)	
ACCEPT FULLY QUALIFIED (Yes/No)	
CONFIRM WHO PAYS TUITION SCHOLARSHIP (Dept. / Supervisor)	
CONFIRM CSC SCHOLARSHIP (Awarded/Applied)	

INSTITUTION WHERE STUDENT IS
 COMPLETING HIS/HER MASTER'S DEGREE: _____

GPA - LAST TWO YEARS CUMULATIVE MASTERS, PLUS, LAST YEAR OF UNDERGRADUATE: _____

LANGUAGE PROFICIENCY: TOEFL IELTS OVERALL: _____

Reading: _____ Writing: _____ Listening: _____ Speaking: _____

ATTACHED PLEASE FIND STUDENT'S:

COMPLETE RESUME

RESEARCH EXPERIENCE: Attached Included on Resume

PUBLICATIONS: Attached Included on Resume

RESEARCH PROPOSAL or PERSONAL STATEMENT

UNIT HEAD: _____

Signature: _____

Date: _____

You can submit this form at the time of recommending admission, but no later than March 20th.