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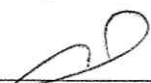
From: Secretary for Public Service

To: Supervising Officers in charge of Ministries/Departments

Scholarship for Youth of Excellence Scheme of China Program

The Chinese Government is inviting applications from qualified Mauritian public officers for consideration under the scholarship for Youth of Excellence Scheme of China Program. The programme comprises 62 subprogrammes as highlighted in the Annex.

2. The programme is of 12 months duration and leads to a Master's degree. The course contents, application requirements as well as the list of Universities and subprograms are enclosed.
3. The prospective applicants should –
 - (a) be holder of a bachelor's degree or higher degree with at least 3 years of work experience. Those with professional training or work experience related to the proposed program will be given priority of choice;
 - (b) be under the age of 45 years, in good health both mentally and physically;
 - (c) fall into one of the following four categories:
 - (i) a government official at the Division Chief Level (or equivalent level) or above;
 - (ii) a senior manager of an institution or enterprise;
 - (iii) an administrator of a university or scientific research institution; and
 - (iv) those who have relevant employment or internship experience in international organisations.
4. The Chinese Government will cover full scholarship in respect of the selected participants.
5. Interested candidates should –
 - (a) seek clearance as mentioned at paragraph 8 below and thereafter apply online for the respective course through the link <https://studyinchina.csc.edu.cn/#/login>

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(b) submit, **through their respective Supervising Officers**, a printed copy of their application together with the relevant documents listed below to the Human Resource Development Division of this Ministry (attention Miss D. Bissoondoyal), by **Monday 03 April 2023, at latest**, for onward transmission to the Chinese Embassy for consideration –

- (i) Application Forms (Original + 2 copies);
- (ii) Survey Forms and Undertakings by the Applicants (available on this Ministry's website on <https://civilservice.govmu.org/Pages/Services/Human-Resource-Development-Division.aspx>) (Original + 2 copies);
- (iii) Medical certificates and X-ray reports (Original + 2 copies);
- (iv) Copies of highest educational, professional and birth certificates and copy of passport (3 sets); and
- (v) Any other documents required by the Organiser.

6. Applications should be submitted by the prescribed deadline to enable the donor country/ agency to process the application on time. **The final decision for the selection of applicants rests solely with the donor agency/ country.**

7. All necessary clearances, as appropriate, should be sought by the nominating Ministry/ Department and the procedures set out in this Ministry's Circular Letter No. 41 of 2016 should be strictly complied with.

8. In view of the fact that **nominations for any of programmes are subject to exigencies of the service**, applicants should imperatively seek and obtain approval from their respective Responsible Officers that they would be released in the event they are awarded the scholarship. The conditions for the release of an officer are as follows:-

- (a) an officer shall be eligible for study leave with pay in accordance with paragraph 16.4.81 of the 2021 PRB Report where he is nominated for an open scholarship which is considered as in service training and the course is a priority field of study;
- (b) where an officer is granted study leave with pay, he will be required to enter into a bond with the Government of Mauritius in accordance with the provisions laid down in this Ministry's Circular Letter No. 1 of 2022; and
- (c) where the officer does not satisfy the conditions for the grant of study leave with pay, he may opt for leave without pay for study purposes in accordance with paragraph 16.4.94 (G) of the 2021 PRB Report.

9. For all overseas (face to face) training, the conditions imposed by the Ministry of Health and Wellness and issued in this Ministry's Circular Letter No. 50 of 2021, should be strictly complied with.



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10. It would be appreciated if the content of this Circular Letter could be brought to the attention of all eligible public officers serving in your Ministry/Department including those in Local Authorities, Statutory Bodies and State-Owned enterprises falling under the purview of your Ministry/Department.



K. Conhye
Secretary for Public Service

Copy to: Secretary to Cabinet and Head of the Civil Service

Youth of Excellence Scheme of China Program

Chinese Government Scholarship

1. Introduction

In order to train global governance talents with a broad international perspective, superior comprehensive quality, outstanding leadership and multicultural background. China Scholarship Council implements the Youth of Excellence Scheme of China Program.

2. Contents

- 1) Number of students to be enrolled: 200
- 2) Supporting Candidates: Master students
- 3) Teaching language: English
- 4) Training approach and duration:

In principle, the curriculum leads to a master's degree and lasts 12 months. Some programs follow the "1+1" paradigm, which requires students to do their full-time basic course work and research in Chinese universities in the first academic year while finishing up their dissertation preparations. Before traveling to China to defend their dissertations as required by the universities, they must work in their home countries during the second academic year and finish their dissertations based on studies and actual work. A degree will be awarded to those who successfully complete the defense.

- 5) Coverage: Full scholarship

3. Application requirements

- 1) An applicant must be a citizen of a country, other than the People's Republic of China and be under the age of 45 in good health both mentally and physically.
- 2) An applicant must have a bachelor's degree or higher degree and at least three years of work experience. Those with professional training or work experience related to the proposed program will be given preference.
- 3) An applicant must fall into one of the following four categories:
 - ① A government official at the division chief level (or equivalent level) or above;
 - ② A senior manager of an institution or enterprise;
 - ③ An administrator of a university or scientific research institution;
 - ④ Those who have relevant employment or internship experience in international organizations.
- 4) The pre-admission letter given by the university must contain all of the necessary information of registration, such as personal information, the admission date and major's information. It cannot contain any information about having received or promised to receive Chinese government scholarships.

4. Application approach

1) Online application

Applicants should log on to the Chinese Government Scholarship System for online application ([http:// studyinchina.csc.edu.cn/#/login](http://studyinchina.csc.edu.cn/#/login)) and submit application materials before April 30, 2023.

Applicants should have received a pre-admission letter from one of 72 subprograms at least

when they apply. When applying online, select "Type A" for "Scholarship Type". The agency code is 1563, and applicants need to select "Youth of Excellence Scheme of China".

2) Handling of applications

The China Scholarship Council accepts individual applications directly, and reviews the materials submitted by applicants then arranges expert review.

5. Assessment and enrollment

1) The application materials will undergo a preliminary examination by the China Scholarship Council.

2) China Scholarship Council will arrange a second examination by a panel of experts. The final enrollment results will be announced after expert review.

6. Time and steps

No.	Time	Steps	Requirements
1	January through April 2023	Application preparations	Applicants prepare application materials as required and apply for pre-admission letter from the intended university.
2	By the end of April	Online application	For online application, applicants need to log in through https://studyinchina.csc.edu.cn/#/login .

3	May	Documents review	A panel of experts arranged by the China Scholarship Council review the application documents to determine who to enroll.
4	June	Enrollment announcement	Admissions outcomes are publicized and documents for admission are sent.
5	July & August	Visa to China application	Those who have been accepted go to Chinese embassies or consulates to obtain study visas and prepare to study in China.
6	September	Commencement of study in China	Students arrive at the university, complete registration and obtain the residence permits.

7. Universities and subprograms

No.	Universities	Subprograms	Links
1	Peking University	Yenching Academy of Peking University "China Studies" master's program	
2	Peking University	Master's Program in International Relations	
3	Peking University	Master's Program in "Laws of China"	
4	Beihang University	"Technology, Law and Governance" Program	http://is.buaa.edu.cn/en/info/1475/2731.htm
5	Beihang University	Executive Master of Global Outstanding Management Talents in China Program	
6	Beihang Institute of Technology	Master's Program of Mechanical Engineering	
7	Beihang Institute of Technology	Master's Program of Computer Science and Technology	https://isc.bit.edu.cn/eventsnotices/94207217bd8f447683dea56a033b4907.htm
8	Beihang Institute of Technology	Master's Program of International Organizations and Global Governance	
9	University of Electronic Science and Technology of China	Master of Digital Public Governance for Developing Countries Program	https://en.uestc.edu.cn/info/1081/4039.htm

10	University of Electronic Science and Technology of China	Master of Computer Capability Upgrading for Developing Countries Program	https://en.uestc.edu.cn/info/1081/4040.htm
11	Southeast University	English-language master's program in "Infrastructure of Smart Transportation and New Transportation"	https://cis.seu.edu.cn/2023/0201/c14041a434179/page.htm
12	Southeast University	English-language master's program in "Global Public Health"	https://cis.seu.edu.cn/2023/0201/c14041a434183/page.htm
13	Fudan University	Program in Chinese Business Law	https://iso.fudan.edu.cn/isoenglish/57/88/c17458a481160/page.htm
14	East China Normal University	Master's program in education in developing countries	
15	East China Normal University	Program for Management Elite in Russia and Eurasia	http://xs.ecnu.edu.cn/EN/msg.php?id=1122
16	East China Normal University	Master's program in international business (with focus on global management and China studies)	
17	Huazhong University of Science and Technology	International Master of Public Administration	
18	Huazhong University of Science and Technology	Master of International Economics and Business	http://iso.hust.edu.cn/info/1194/4329.htm
19	Jilin University	Northeast Asia Legal Talents Program	https://cie.jlu.edu.cn/info/1079/3227.htm

20	Jilin University	Master of Public Health	https://cie.jlu.edu.cn/info/1079/3228.htm
21	Jilin University	Master of Public Diplomacy for Developing Countries	https://cie.jlu.edu.cn/info/1079/3226.htm
22	Lanzhou University	Master Program of Agricultural Ecology	https://sice.lzu.edu.cn/hdmbi/bas/col_detail_en.php?id=813
23	Lanzhou University	Master Program of Public Health	
24	Lanzhou University	Master Program of International Relations	
25	Nankai University	“International business in the context of the new globalization pattern” elite personnel training program	
26	Nankai University	“International affairs and public policy” global elite personnel training program	https://ensie.nankai.edu.cn/info/1038/1267.htm
27	Nankai University	Master’s program in tourism management for global top talent	
28	Tsinghua University	International Master of Public Health (IMPH) Program	
29	Shandong University	English-language master’s program in global health	http://www.istudy.sdu.edu.cn/info/1291/3681.htm

30	Shandong University	Training program for management personnel of high-end internationalization projects	
31	Shandong University	English-language master's program in international relations	
32	Shanghai Jiao Tong University	Master of International Business Program (English-taught)	
33	Shanghai Jiao Tong University	LL.M. Program in Chinese Law (English-taught)	http://isc.sjtu.edu.cn/EN/content.aspx?info_id=352&flag=2
34	Shanghai Jiao Tong University	China's Politics and Economy Program (English-taught)	
35	Sichuan University	SCU Master of Tourism Management	https://www.scu.cn/article/newsinfo.asp?id=427
36	Sichuan University	SCU Master of International Engineering Management (IMEM)	
37	Tongji University	International Master's Degree Program in Environmental Management and Sustainable Development	https://study.tongji.edu.cn/info/1088/2390.htm
38	Tongji University	MIP in Industrial Property	

39	Wuhan University	Master's program in geospatial information science	http://admission.whu.edu.cn/en/?c=content&a=list&catid=230
40	Wuhan University	Master's program in China's economic development and globalization	
41	Wuhan University	Master's program in electronic information (with focus on software engineering)	
42	Xi'an Jiaotong University	Master of Digital Business Management	http://sie.xjtu.edu.cn/en/info/1224/2056.htm
43	Zhejiang University	Master program in Energy and Power Engineering	
44	Zhejiang University	Master program in China Studies	http://iczu.zju.edu.cn/admissionsen/2023/0118/c68995a2711454/page.htm
45	Zhejiang University	Master program in Chinese Economy	
46	Ocean University of China	Master's program in international business (for foreign students)	http://sie.ouc.edu.cn/english/2023/0128/c18044a422689/page.htm
47	University of Science and Technology of China	Scientific Management Leaders	https://ic.ustc.edu.cn/en/v7list.php?id=517

48	University of Science and Technology of China	Advanced Management Talents in Scientific and Technological Industry Policy	
49	China Agricultural University	The China-Africa Science and Technology Backyards (STB) Master Program	http://www.cau.edu.cn/art/2023/1/31/art_10353_896903.html
50	China Agricultural University	China-Africa Agricultural Cooperation "1+1" Master Program	
51	China Agricultural University	The International Talent for Innovative Management of Rural Vitalization Master Program	
52	Renmin University of China	Chinese Economy Program	http://iso.ruc.edu.cn/ENGLISH/Scholarship/ChineseGovernmentScholarshipCSC/21e8929b4fea412890afc9d98e2fa566.htm
53	Renmin University of China	Contemporary China Studies Program (Suzhou Campus)	http://iso.ruc.edu.cn/ENGLISH/Scholarship/ChineseGovernmentScholarshipCSC/21e8929b4fea412890afc9d98e2fa566.htm
54	Central South University	English-language master's program for training mining and metallurgical personnel	
55	Central South University	Technologies in civil engineering and infrastructure construction and maintenance	
56	Central South University	Master's program for training senior international civil service employees	https://intl.csu.edu.cn/info/1142/2435.htm

57	Minzu University of China	English-language master's program in ethnology and anthropology	https://cie.muc.edu.cn/info/1111/4229.htm
58	Chongqing University	Master of Business Administration (MBA) Program for International Students of Chongqing University	http://study.cqu.edu.cn/info/1387/1943.htm
59	University of International Business and Economics	Master of International Economic Cooperation	http://sie.uibe.edu.cn/en/Newsss/NotAm/e5cbeb2ab3d146b3ae0b9289a9a819b1.htm
60	University of International Business and Economics	Master of International Finance	http://sie.uibe.edu.cn/en/Newsss/NotAm/94881a567bc4419e93bc2d4788562d13.htm
61	East China University of Political Science and Law	L.L.M in International Economic Law Program	https://study.ecupl.edu.cn/2023/0130/c10736a195774/page.htm
62	South China University of Technology	MBA Program for Developing Countries at South China University of Technology (SCUT)	http://sie.scut.edu.cn/20889/list.htm