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From: Senior Chief Executive, Ministry of Civil Service and Administrative Reforms  
To: Supervising Officers, in Charge of Ministries/ Departments

**Chinese Government Scholarships 2016/2017**

The People's Republic of China is inviting applications for scholarships in the academic year 2016/2017 for Doctor's and Master's Degree or Short Term Courses (General Scholar Programs and Senior Scholar Programs).

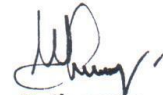
2. All costs of the Scholarship programs will be borne by the Chinese Authorities except for international airfares. Interested candidates should submit the following duly completed documents (in triplicate) to the Senior Chief Executive, Ministry of Civil Service and Administrative Reforms, Sicom 2 Building, Corner Chevreau & Reverend Jean Lebrun Streets, Port Louis:

- (i) Application form
- (ii) Survey and undertaking forms
- (iii) Other required documentary evidences as mentioned at Annex I (Eligibility and Application Documents).

For course requirements, course contents and application form, applicants can access: <http://www.csc.edu.cn/iaihua>. The closing date for submission of applications is **Friday 04 March 2016**.

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3. Applicants should imperatively obtain confirmation from their respective Supervising Officers that they would be released in the event they are selected for the scholarship.
4. Upon selection, the officer would be governed by paragraph 4.10.1 of the Human Resource Management Manual (HRMM) and the awardee would be required to enter a bond in accordance with the provisions laid down in the HRMM.
5. This circular letter together with Annex I may be downloaded from this Ministry's website: <http://civilservice.govmu.org>.
6. It would be appreciated if the contents of this circular letter could be brought to the attention of all eligible public officers serving in the different Divisions of your Ministry/Department, including those in Statutory Bodies falling under the purview of your Ministry/Department.



**P. Jhugroo**  
**Senior Chief Executive**

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



## 2016/2017 Chinese Government Scholarship Application

The 2016/2017 Chinese Government Scholarship is now open for application. The corresponding application documents should be submitted to the Cultural Office of the Embassy of China in Bell Village, Port Louis no later than March 10, 2016. For more information, please refer to [www.csc.edu.cn/laihua](http://www.csc.edu.cn/laihua).

### **Eligibility: To be eligible, applicants must**

- be a citizen of Mauritius, and be in good health.
- be a high school graduate under the age of 25 when applying for undergraduate programs;
- ✓ - be a bachelor's degree holder under the age of 35 when applying for master's programs;
- ✓ - be a master's degree holder under the age of 40 when applying for doctoral programs;
- be under the age of 45 and have completed at least two years of undergraduate study when applying for general scholar programs;
- be a master's degree holder or an associate professor (or above) under the age of 50 when applying for senior scholar programs.

### **Application Documents (All in duplicate)**

- a) Notarized highest diploma (photocopy): Prospective diploma winners must submit official proof of student status by their current school. Documents in languages other than Chinese or English must be attached with notarized Chinese or English translations.
- b) Notarized Academic transcripts: Transcripts in languages other than Chinese or English must be attached with notarized Chinese or English translations.
- c) A Study Plan or Research Proposal in Chinese or English. (A minimum of 200 words for undergraduates, 500 words for non-degree students, and 800 words for postgraduates.)
- d) Recommendation letters: Applicants for graduate programs or senior scholar programs must submit two letters of recommendation in Chinese or English from professors or associate professors, or from the Institution /Organization where the students studied or worked. The recommendation letters should be focusing in the student's ability of study or research.

e) Applicants for music studies are requested to submit a CD of their own works. Applicants for fine arts programs must submit a CD of their own works which include two sketches, two color paintings and two other works.

f) Applicants under the age of 18 should submit the valid documents of their legal guardians in China.

g) Applicants with Admission Letter from designated universities should enclose the letter in the application package.

h) Applicants with valid HSK Certificate should enclose it in the application package.

NOTE: The above documents should be bound on top left corner (in duplicate). No application documents will be returned.