**PhD Fellowship for Students Nominated by the Chinese Academy of Sciences**

Unite Arab Emirates University (UAEU) welcomes PhD applicants nominated by the Chinese Academy of Sciences to apply for the PhD Scholarship and Fellowship opportunities at UAEU. Up to 10 PhD Scholarship and/or Fellowship awards will be considered for students nominated by the Chinese Academy of Sciences each year.

The purpose of the PhD Scholarship and Fellowship program is to recruit high achieving graduate students in certain majors at UAEU and provide them with full and continuous financial support to pursue their graduate studies at UAEU.

The PhD Scholarship/Fellowship Awards are based on a competitive criteria which takes into account the credentials of the applicants (i.e. GPA, journal publications, conference presentations, patents, GRE score, recommendation letters, etc.) and where they have graduated from. Applicants are requested to submit copies of all their credentials at the time of application submission.

**Student Eligibility**

* For PhD Scholarship: Have a GPA ≥ 3.5/4.0 in Master degree.
* For PhD Fellowship: Have a GPA ≥ 3.3/4.0 in Master degree.
* Have dissertation in one of the UAE priority sectors (Renewable Energy, Transportation, Health, Water, Technology, Space).
* Meet the PhD admission requirements.

**Benefits**

* Full tuition waiver.
* Monthly Stipend.
  + For PhD Scholarship: 8,000 AED (14,850 CNY)
  + For PhD Fellowship: 5,000 AED (9,280 CNY)
* Health insurance.
* Extra Bonus:
  + Up to 3,000 AED (5,570 CNY) from supervisor’s external research project, or,
  + Up to 2,000 AED (3,710 CNY) from supervisor’s internal research project.

**Duration**

* 4 years

**Duties and Expectations**

* For PhD Scholarship: Maintain GPA ≥ 3.3 at the PhD level.
* For PhD Fellowship: Maintain GPA ≥ 3.0 at the PhD level.
* Be enrolled full-time (min. of 9 credits/semester).
* Be available at UAEU campus on full-time basis.
* Commit to a minimum of 40 hours/week on courses and/or research project throughout the year.
* For PhD Fellowship: Commit to a minimum of 5 hours/week as a Graduate Teaching Assistant (GTA) or Graduate Administrative Assistant (GAA) during the first 3 semesters of active enrollment and 10 hours/week after the 3rd semesters of joining the PhD Program.

**How to Apply**

To apply for a PhD Scholarship or Fellowship, please:

* Complete the online Admission Application.
* Complete and submit the PhD Scholarship/Fellowship application and all required documents.

**Deadline**

The deadline for applications is the same as the deadline for admission applications to the graduate program.

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