

Sekisho Scholarship Foundation

AY2018–19 Applicant Guidelines for students of University of Tsukuba

In case of many applicants, we select 1 student from them. When you are selected to be a candidate of this scholarship, you are not able to be selected for scholarship through University Recommendation

1. Qualification and Condition

I . Nationality and Academic situation

Applicants must be Privately Financed International Students with Vietnamese nationality (*1) who are enrolled in a ①Doctoral program, ②Master's program, or ③Undergraduate student as of April 1st, 2018(*2) .

Priority: ①、②、③

II . Other Situation

(1) Has distinguished personality and academic achievement and is regarded as a person who needs financial support by our organization.

(2) Low-income student has high priority, but we do not set an upper limit on income.

(3) Is able to participate in formal events or exchange meeting which are held by our Foundation twice a year in the term of scholarship.

Exception: If the student provides an acceptable reason to the Foundation, they may be excused from attending.

(4) Is able to cooperate with exchange activities as an alumnus after scholarship.

(*1): Privately Financed International Students:

1) International Students who study at University or Graduate course in Japan and hold the visa status of "College Student" which is defined in the Appended Table 1 of the Immigration Control and Refugee Recognition Act

2) Is allowed to get scholarship.

(*2): Only students who entered in spring semester may apply.

2. Number of accepted recipients: 1

3. Allowance

Total: ¥600,000 * ¥50,000 per month

Payment schedule: 25th of June, September and December

The Foundation will transfer ¥200,000 to the student's bank account on each scheduled date.

*The first payment will be transferred after it is decided that you are selected.

4. Term of scholarship

1 year (April of 2018 to March of 2019)

The period can be extended every year while you are a registered student.

The maximum period is as below.

·Undergraduate students: 4 years

·Master's students: 2 years

·Doctoral students: 3 years

Applicants who want to extend the period are required to hand in 1) Scholarship Extension Application form and 2) Academic transcript by the end of February.

5. Required Documents

- a. Scholarship Application Form
- b. Recommendation from a mentor or academic adviser
- c. Certificate of Enrolment
- d. Copy of foreign residence card (Both side are required)

※After elected

- a. Bank transfer request form
- b. Copy of bankbook

Deadline for Application

(1) The deadline in the university: June 21st (Thu)

**(2) Submission: Division of Student Exchange
University Hall (9P Bldg, 2nd floor))**

6. Deadline of application June 29th, 2018

7. Selection and Notification

After submission, the university will review your application. Applicants who receive the university's approval will be invited to a social for scholarship candidates (date to be announced later). At this social, you will have the opportunity to discuss your research and living conditions with the president of the Foundation, who will select the scholarship recipient afterwards.

8. Contact

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