



# Tertiary Scholarship and Loans Board

“Building a Smarter Fiji”

## Overseas Scholarships 2019

The Tertiary Scholarship and Loans Board (“TSLB”) wishes to invite applications for the following overseas scholarships:

### 2019 Chinese Government Scholarship

Applications are now open for the 2019 Chinese Government Scholarship (“CSC”) administered by the China Scholarship Council for studies in the Republic of China from 2019 academic year for the Undergraduate, Masters and Doctorate Programs.

### Application Process

1. Applicants must apply to the China Government Scholarship via the Online Application System. For more information, please refer to <http://www.csc.edu.cn/laihua> or [www.campuschina.org](http://www.campuschina.org)
2. Applicants must then print a duly completed copy of the online application and send it to TSLB on the following address, together with the requirements as per No. 3 below:  

Tertiary Scholarship Loans Board  
Private Mail Bag  
Government Buildings  
Suva, or  
Hand Delivered to the TSLB Office located at 26 McGregor Road, Suva
3. The applicants must submit the following documents (in duplicate) to TSLB by **no later than 4.00 PM on Monday 11<sup>th</sup> March 2019.**
  - Hard copy of completed application form:
  - Detailed resume
  - Certified copy of full academic transcripts;
  - Certified copy of all Higher Education certificates;
  - Statements of intent for the preferred program of study and institution;
  - Other Application Documents (visit [www.tslb.com.fj](http://www.tslb.com.fj) for further details).
4. Fill details on the eligibility criteria, application document requirement and the step by step guideline for the online application, visit [www.tslb.com.fj](http://www.tslb.com.fj) or other website details provided in the documents.
5. For further queries, students are to email TSLB on [scholarships@tslb.com.fj](mailto:scholarships@tslb.com.fj).

***Incomplete and late applications will not be considered by TSLB***

**Mr. Dixon Seeto**

**Chairman**

**Tertiary Scholarship and Loans Board.**

## **Application Procedure**

Step 1 Apply to the dispatching institutions (TSLB) for Chinese Government Scholarship opportunity;

Step 2 Apply to your target university for the Pre-admission Letter once recommended as an eligible candidate (NOTE: This is not necessary, while holding a pre-admission letter will increase the chances be placed in your target university);

Step 3 Complete the online application procedure at CGS Information Management System for International Students (Visit <http://www.csc.edu.cn/studyinchina> or <http://www.campuschina.org> and click “Application Online” to log in), submit online the completed Application Form for Chinese Government Scholarship, and print a hard copy.

Step 4 Submit all of your application documents before the deadline.

## **Scholarship Confirmation**

a) Application documents of recommended candidates from the Embassy will be considered by CSC for eligibility and qualification. Ineligible or incomplete applications will not be considered.

b) Qualified applications will be sent to universities for placement. Based on various factors, such as the different scholarship funding requirements of every country, the host university's teaching capacity, study length and applicants'

criteria, CSC reserves the right to make necessary adjustments/changes to the candidate's host university, field of study, supporting categories and duration of scholarship. Applications enclosed with the Pre-admission Letter will be sent to the universities who issued that Letter for placement confirmation.

c) After placement confirmation by Chinese universities, scholarship recipients will get Chinese government scholarships to study in China with approval by CSC.

d) CSC reviews the placement results, approves the List of Scholarship Recipients and sends the admission documents to the Chinese Embassy by late July or early August. The Chinese Embassy will send the admission documents (List of Scholarship Recipients, Admission Letter and Visa Application Form for Study in China (JW201)) to scholarship recipients.

e) Scholarship recipients shall not allowed to change their host university, field of study, or duration of study stipulated on the Admission Letter after their coming to China.

f) Scholarship will not be reserved if the scholarship recipient cannot register before the registration deadline.

## Chinese Government Scholarship Application

Chinese Government Scholarship is now open for application. Online application and the corresponding application documents should be submitted to application receiving agency. For more information, please refer to <http://www.csc.edu.cn/studyinchina> or [www.campuschina.org](http://www.campuschina.org)

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

- be a citizen of a country other than the People's Republic of China, 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

- a) Application Form for Chinese Government Scholarship (in Chinese or English) .
- b) Notarized highest diploma: 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.
- c) Academic transcripts: Transcripts in languages other than Chinese or English must be attached with notarized Chinese or English translations.
- d) 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.)
- e) 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.
- f) Applicants for music studies are requested to submit their own works. Applicants for fine arts programs must submit their own works which include two sketches, two color paintings and two other works.
- g) Applicants under the age of 18 should submit the valid documents of their legal guardians in China.
- h) Applicants planning to stay in China for more than 6 months must submit a photocopy of the Foreigner Physical Examination Form completed in English (the original copy should be kept by the applicant. The form designed by the Chinese quarantine authority can be downloaded from <http://www.csc.edu.cn/studyinchina> or [www.campuschina.org](http://www.campuschina.org). The physical examinations must cover all the items listed in the Foreigner Physical Examination Form. Incomplete records or those without the signature of the attending physician, the official stamp of the hospital or a sealed photograph of the applicants are invalid. Please select the appropriate time to take physical examination as the result is valid for only 6 months.

### Please submit the following documents if applicable

- i) Pre-admission Letter from Chinese Government Scholarship universities.
- j) Language qualification certificate. e.g., HSK certificates, IELTS or TOFEL report.