CONFUCIUS INSTITUTE SCHOLARSHIP
For the purpose of supporting the development of Confucius Institutes, facilitating Chinese language promotion and Chinese cultural transmission in the world, cultivating qualified Chinese-language teachers and excellent Chinese-language students, Confucius Institute Headquarters / Hanban launches the “Confucius Institute Scholarship” program. The program will sponsor foreign students, scholars and Chinese-language teachers proceed to a Bachelor’s Degree or Master’s Degree in Teaching Chinese to Speakers of Other Languages (BTCSOL or MTCSOL), or study in such majors as Chinese Language and Literature, Chinese History and Chinese Philosophy in designated universities of China (hereinafter referred to as ”Host Institutes”).

Confucius Institute Scholarship Program was established in 2009. By 2013, more than 20,000 applicants from 150 countries have been funded to study in China.
一、招生类别及申请条件

I. Scholarship Category and Eligibility Criteria

奖学金招生类别是汉语国际教育专业硕士、一学年研修+汉语国际教育专业硕士、汉语国际教育本科、一学年研修生和一学期研修生。招生对象为非中国籍人士，身体健康，年龄一般在16至35周岁之间（在职汉语教师可放宽至45周岁，本科生限20周岁）。具体申请条件以当年《孔子学院奖学金招生办法》为准。

The scholarship of 2014 is divided into 5 categories:

- Scholarship for Students of Master's Degree in Teaching Chinese to Speakers of Other Languages (MTCSOL)
- Scholarship for Students of One-Academic-Year + MTCSOL
- Scholarship for Students of Bachelor's Degree in Teaching Chinese to Speakers of Other Languages (BTCSOL)
- Scholarship for One-Academic-Year Students
- Scholarship for One-Semester Students

Applicants shall be non-Chinese citizens in good health, aged between 16 and 35 (Chinese language teachers in post shall be aged below 45, and applicants for BTCSOL scholarship should be aged below 20). For more information, please refer to the Recruitment Procedures for Confucius Institute Scholarship.

二、资助内容及标准

II. Scholarship Coverage and Criteria

孔子学院奖学金资助内容包括：注册费、学费、基本教材费、一次性安置
Scholarship recipients are exempt from registration fees, tuition, fees for basic learning materials, accommodation fees on campus, and are provided with one-off resettlement subsidy, monthly allowance, outpatient medical service and comprehensive insurance for foreign students studying in China. Monthly allowances are at the following rates (CNY Yuan per month):

a. CNY 1,400 for one-semester students, one-academic-year students and students undertaking BTCSOL.
b. CNY 1,700 for students undertaking MTCSOL.

The one-off resettlement subsidy is CNY 1,500 for students who will study in China for one academic year or more; CNY 1,000 will be provided to all students who studies in China for one semester; the one-off resettlement subsidy will not be provided to those who have studied in China for more than half a year before being enrolled.

III. Recruitment Procedures

1. From the issue date of the Procedures, applicants should log on to the Confucius Institute Scholarship website at http://cis.chinese.cn, set up an individual account, read information and introduction of host institutes and majors, complete and submit the Confucius Institute Scholarship Application Form online.
2. Confucius Institutes (independently set-up Confucius Classrooms), overseas Chinese test centers, educational and cultural offices (sections) of Chinese Embassies (Consulates), host institutes and institutions of higher education in those countries with no Confucius Institutes are entrusted by Confucius Institute Headquarters to accept applications, select and recommend eligible candidates for the scholarship.

3. Host institutes are responsible for reviewing the qualification of applicants.

4. Confucius Institute Headquarters will organize an expert panel to make the final selection and publish the name list of successful applicants on the Scholarship website, which will be informed to applicants through recommending institutions.

5. Students who study at Xiamen University under Confucius Institute scholarships visiting Qufu.
由推荐机构转交申请者本人。

The host institutes will post “Admission Notice”, “Enrollment Instructions”, “Visa Application Form for Foreigners to Study in China” (JW202 Form) and photocopies of Confucius Institute Scholarship Certificate to successful applicants through their recommending institutions.

四、申请材料

IV. Application Documents

申请者须登录奖学金网站，填写《孔子学院奖学金申请表》，并附上以下证明材料的电子文档:

Applicants must log onto the Scholarship website, fill out the “Confucius Institute Scholarship Application Form”, and attach the electronic files of the following materials:

1. 护照照片页。
   Photocopy of Passport photo page.
2. HSK、HSKK成绩报告。
   Photocopy of HSK and HSKK score reports.
3. 经过公证的最高学历（毕业预定证明或在校学习证明）。
   Notarized highest education diplomas attained (scheduled graduation proof or official proof of study).
4. 推荐信及承诺书。汉语国际教育专业硕士申请者须同时提交两名副教授以上职称导师的推荐信（用中文或英文书写），以及毕业后至少从事5年汉语教学工作的承诺书。未建孔子学院国家的有关高校中文专业学生，须另提供校长签发的推荐信。
   Reference Letter and Letter of Commitment. The Master’s Degree Scholarship applicants are required to submit reference letters provided by two professors or associate professors (in Chinese or English). A written commitment stating that the applicant will be engaged in Chinese language teaching for at least 5 years after graduation (written in Chinese and sign with signature). Students attending Chinese language programs of universities in countries with no Confucius Institutes established shall attach a reference letter signed and issued by the university President.
5. 未满18周岁的申请者，须提交委托在华法定监护人的相关法律文件。
   Applications under the age of 18 shall submit relevant legal documents of entrusted legal guardians in China.
6. “汉语桥”世界大、中学生中文比赛来华复赛获奖者须提供奖学金证书。各国分赛区优胜者须提供获奖证明和赛区主办单位出具的推荐函。
   Winners of the finals of the “Chinese Bridge” Chinese Proficiency Competitions for Foreign College Students and for Foreign High School Students in China shall submit the scholarship certificate. Winners of preliminary rounds of the “Chinese Bridge” Proficiency Competitions in
their countries shall provide award proof and reference letter provided by the organizers.

7. 在职汉语教师须提交就职机构出具的在职证明和推荐信。

Chinese language teachers shall submit certificate of employment and recommendation letters provided by institutes they work for.

8. 申请“一学年研修+汉语国际教育专业硕士”连读学习的，须提交与孔子学院或拟任教单位签订的协议。

Applicants for scholarship of One-Academic-Year + MTCSOL are required to provide the agreement signed with the Confucius Institute or the institute which they will be working for.

9. 其他要求由招生学院和其他所必需的其他证明的材料。

Other materials required by host institutes.

五、年度评审

V. Annual Appraisal

按照《孔子学院奖学金年度评审办法》的规定，汉语国际教育本科生和专业硕士生（含一学年研修+汉语国际教育专业硕士生）须参加年度评审，符合条件者方可继续享受下一年度奖学金。

Students undertaking BTCSOL or MTCSOL (including One-Academic-Year + MTCSOL), shall be subject to an annual appraisal organized by the host institutes before the end of the first school year after being enrolled according to the “Annual Appraisal Procedures for Confucius Institute Scholarship”. Only the eligible students are entitled to continue to receive the scholarships in the following year.

有关孔子学院奖学金招生办法和年度评审信息，请登录http://cis.chinese.cn查询。

For contact information of host institutes and the Recruitment Procedures for Confucius Institute Scholarship, please visit the website at http://cis.chinese.cn.
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