



Announcement

Faculty of Graduate Studies, Mahidol University

“2020 Mahidol Postgraduate Scholarships” for international students

Under “The 60th Year Supreme Reign of His Majesty King Bhumibol Adulyadej
Scholarship” Academic Year 2020

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1. Rationales

Faculty of Graduate Studies, Mahidol University, in collaboration with the graduate programs of Mahidol University, acknowledges the importance of opportunities for deserving students to pursue their education at graduate levels.. The “*2020 Mahidol Postgraduate Scholarships*” has been initiated to offer international students for scholarships which cover tuition fees and other expenses while studying in the graduate programs of Mahidol University. Those students who have satisfactory academic records and are in need of financial support shall have a chance to study in Mahidol University. This scholarship program aims to increase the number of scholars and researchers in various disciplines as well as will create the relations and ties between Mahidol University and grantees’ countries of origin.

2. Objectives

2.1. To promote and support international students with excellent academic records in pursuing their study for master’s and doctoral degrees at Mahidol University

2.2. To support the University policy on increasing the number of highly qualified master’s and doctoral international students in various fields of study

3. Participating programs

The list of the programs participating in this scholarship is listed at <https://graduate.mahidol.ac.th/inter/?p=scholarship>. This webpage will provide up-to-date information about the participating programs and any other announcement related with the scholarship.

4. Scholarship Types and contribution

There will be 2 categories of scholarships to be provided to the students, type 1 (full scholarship) and type 2 (partial scholarship). In general, type 1 is the scholarship that provides all the program study fee as well as living allowance to the student. The scholarship type 2 (partial scholarship) will provide the program study fee only. There will be no living allowance provided to the student in the scholarship type 2, except that some programs may sponsor stipend depending on funding in type 2.1. The scholarship type 2.1 will provide the student all the program study fee; the students who receive this type of scholarship do not need to pay program study fee. Scholarship type 2.2 will provide 50% of the program study fee to the student. The student who receive this type of scholarship have to pay 50% of program study fee at the international rate. Scholarship type 2.3 will provide the research supply fee, Special Equipment Fee/Work-Site Study Fee/Work-Site Training Fee/ and other fees (if any), 50% of the education and related services fees, and subsidize of program study fee for the student. The student who receive scholarship type 2.3 has to pay the rest of the program study fee at the same rate as Thai student. The coverage of each type of the scholarships are mentioned detail in the tables below.

Table 1. Coverage of the full scholarship (Scholarship type 1).

Items	Doctoral degree		Master degree	
	Scholarship coverage	Student to pay	Scholarship coverage	Student to pay
1. Education Services Fee 2. Student Activities Fee 3. Graduate Studies Fee 4. Internet Service Fee (12,600฿/Year)	Covered	-	Covered	-
5. Health insurance (3,500฿/year)	-	√	-	√
6. *Graduate Tuition Fee (9,000฿/Credit) (only for the courses that are listed in the program curriculum)	Covered	-	Covered	-
7. Thesis Registration Fee	Covered	-	Covered	-
8. Equipment Fee 9. Work-Site Study Fee 10. Work-Site Training Fee 11. Special Program Fee and other Fees	Covered	-	Covered	-
12. Research Supplies Fee	Covered	-	Covered	-
13. Qualifying Examination Fee	Covered	-	-	-
14. Living allowance (10,000baht/Month)	Covered	-	Covered	-

Coverage of the partial scholarship both Master and Doctoral Degree (Scholarship type 2)

Items	Type 2.1		Type 2.2		Type 2.3	
	Scholarship coverage	Student to pay	Scholarship coverage	Student to pay	Scholarship coverage	Student to pay
1. Education Services Fee 2. Student Activities Fee 3. Graduate Studies Fee 4. Internet Service Fee (12,600฿/Year)	Covered	-	50% covered	50%	50% covered	50%
5. Health Insurance (3,500฿/year)	-	√	-	√	-	√
6. *Graduate Tuition Fee (9,000฿/ Credit) for type 2.1 and 2.2; fees similar to the rate charged to Thai students for type 2.3 *(only for the courses that are listed in the program curriculum)	Covered	-	50% Covered	50%	-	√
7. Thesis Registration Fee	Covered	-	50% covered	50%	Not covered	√
8. Equipment Fee 9. Work-Site Study Fee 10. Work-Site Training Fee 11. Special Program Fee and other Fees	Covered	-	Covered	-	Covered	-
12. Research Supplies Fee	Covered	-	Covered	-	Covered	-
13. Qualifying Examination Fee	Covered	-	50% covered	50%	Not covered	√
14. Living allowance	Not covered	√	Not covered	√	Not covered	√

4.1 *Graduate tuition fees description

For type 1 and type 2.1, graduate tuition fees will be calculated at 9,000 Baht/credit.

If a scholarship recipient registers for a course which is not listed in the program curriculum, the scholarship will not cover for this particular course and the student is responsible to pay the course fees.

For type 2.2, graduate tuition fees will also be 9,000 Baht/credit.

For type 2.3, the fees charged to the students will be similar to the fees charged to Thai students.

4.2 The Fees for English courses and Prerequisite courses are not covered by this scholarship.

4.3 New Student Registration fees and fees for physical and dental examination (for 1st year students for the 1st semester) of 3,200 Baht are to be paid by the students.

4.4 Health insurance of 3,500 Baht is to be paid by the students regardless of type of scholarship.

4.5 Scholarship Duration:

- up to 3 academic years for a student pursuing Doctoral degree.

- up to 2 academic years for a student pursuing Master's degree.

5. Requirement to apply for scholarship

5.1 General requirements for master's program applicants for Type 1 (full scholarship)

1. Obtained a Bachelor's Degree with CGPA of at least 3.25 out of 4.00
2. Must not receive a scholarship or sponsored from any other scholarship provider/Government/Statutory Bodies or any other organization
3. A minimum English proficiency requirement of either IELTS 6.5, TOEFL – iBT 93 or MU Grad test with Speaking – 95 (The English proficiency score validity is counted within 2 years at the date of application submission)
4. Having a publication as a research article in a journal indexed in the database accepted by Mahidol University is an added advantage
5. Must not exceed 40 years of age at the time of application
6. Must submit an essay stating why the applicant is entitled to receive the scholarship (not more than 1,000 words)
7. Exemption from above criteria may be considered on case by case by the scholarship committee, Faculty of Graduate Studies, Mahidol University.

5.2 General requirements for doctoral program applicants for Type 1 (full scholarship)

1. Obtained a Master's Degree or Bachelor's degree with CGPA of at least 3.50 out of 4.00
2. Must not receive a scholarship or sponsored from any other scholarship provider/Government/Statutory Bodies or any other organization

3. A minimum English proficiency requirement of either IELTS 6.5, TOEFL – iBT 93 or MU Grad test with Speaking – 95 (The English proficiency score validity is counted within 2 years at the date of application submission.)

4. Must have at least one publication as a research article in a journal indexed in the database accepted by Mahidol University

5. Must not exceed 45 years of age at the time of application

6. Must submit an essay stating why the applicant is entitled to receive the scholarship (not more than 1,000 words)

7. Exemption from above criteria may be considered on case by case by the Dean of the Faculty of Graduate Studies, Mahidol University

5.3 General requirements for Type 2 (partial scholarship) applicants for both Master's and Doctoral studies

The requirements for partial scholarship may be less stringent than those for full scholarship.

5.4 The following additional criteria will be considered for all (both Master's and doctoral, full and partial) scholarship applicants.

These criteria are to assess during the interview or from record submitted by the applicant.

- Candidate's interest and commitment in research
- Quality of publication (if any)
- Candidate's ideas for further research
- Candidate's personal traits: motivation, proactivity, attitude
- Activity transcript (such as showing evidence of teamwork, leadership, communication skills etc.)
- Feedback from the referees
- Additional knowledge and skills required by the individual program

6. Selection and Evaluation Process

The interested candidate must apply scholarship together with application for admission or through active recruitment. The admission and active recruitment information are available at <https://graduate.mahidol.ac.th/inter/prospective-students/> and <https://graduate.mahidol.ac.th/ActiveRecruitment2020/> respectively.

The selection committee of Faculty of Graduate Studies will review and determine successful candidates based on the ranking for the best merit of the students and according to the number of grants provided. The decisions from the Committee are irrevocable, and no further appeal shall be made.

7. Leave or absent from study

The scholarship recipient's study leave cannot exceed 1 semester.

8. Termination of scholarship

The scholarship will be provided according to the number of years stipulated in the Scholarship Agreement or until the scholarship recipient drops out of the scholarship. However, Faculty of Graduate Studies reserves the right to terminate the scholarship anytime if:

8.1 the scholarship recipient's academic performance not achieving minimum CGPA of 3.5 for both Master's and Doctoral studies (for coursework) per academic year and not obtaining satisfactory result from thesis progress report, and the Grade Report of each semester is lower than B, or, either of I, U or F.

8.2 the scholarship recipient involves in any misconduct or infringement of rules and regulations of Mahidol University,

8.3 student status of the scholarship recipient has been terminated or the student resigns from the program or absence from the study for more than one semester, or absence without appropriate reason.

9. In case of other procedures or conditions not indicated in this announcement, the scholarship committee shall review the issue on case-by-case basis.

10. Additional inquiries

More information can be obtained at the Faculty of Graduate Studies, Tel: 0-2441-412 ext. 600-605, Fax: 0-2441-9511, or email: abhichart.sri@mahidol.ac.th.

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