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Agency No. of Zhejiang University is 10335.

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- 5. Applicants should have strong scientific research ability.
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# **Zhejiang University Scholarship for International Postgraduate Students 2020**

## I. Application Deadline:

March 31st 2020

# II. Announcement of Scholarship Review Results

Zhejiang University will examine all the application materials. Decisions for granting the scholarships will be made on the basis of the applicant's competitiveness, academic record and other preset standards. List of Scholarship awardees is expected to be announced in mid- or late July 2020.

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# III. Application Fee & Bank Account:

**Application Fee:** 800 RMB yuan

\* You ONLY need to pay one application fee for both the admission to Zhejiang University's post-graduate programs and Zhejiang University Scholarship for International Postgraduate Students.

#### **Bank Account:**

Beneficiary: Zhejiang University

Account No: 374065939298

Name of the Bank: Bank of China, Hangzhou, Zheda Sub-Branch

Swift Code: BKCHCNBJ910

Address: No. 28, Qiushi Road, Hangzhou, China 310013

# IV. Scholarship Categories and Duration

Study Program	Duration of Degree Program
Doctoral degree	3-4 academic years
Master's degree	2-3 academic years

- 1. Scholarship Type A (Full scholarship)
- Tuition waiver
- Free accommodation on campus

- Stipend
- Comprehensive Medical Insurance and Benefit Plan for International Students in China
- 2. Scholarship Type B (Partial scholarship)
- Free accommodation on campus
- Stipend
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#### Please note:

- 1) Costs of the laboratory experiments or internships that beyond the university's arrangements should be self-afforded.
- 2) Monthly living allowance is granted to the students at the following rates (CNY per month):
- Doctoral degree students: CNY 2,000
- Master's degree students: CNY 1,700

Scholarship students shall receive their monthly living allowance after registration. New students who register before the 15th (15th included) of the registration month will get the full amount of living allowance of that month, and those who register after 15th will get half the amount of that month. Upon graduation, students will get a living allowance for another 15 days after the graduation date set by the university. The allowance will be terminated from the following month after students suspend, terminate or complete their studies at the university. Monthly living allowances cover school holidays. Scholarship students who missed the monthly living allowance during holidays may be reimbursed upon their return on campus. The allowance will be suspended for at least one month for those students who do not register on time without permission from the university, who are on leave for non-health reasons, or are absent from the university for over a month.

4) A Comprehensive Medical Insurance and Protection Program for International Students in China is provided for the scholarship students in China in case of hospitalization for serious diseases and accidental injuries. Please link <a href="https://www.lxbx.net">www.lxbx.net</a> to find the details.

## V. Eligibility Requirements

- 1. Applicants must meet the requirements prescribed in <u>Doctoral Degree Programs</u> Admission 2020 or <u>Master's Degree Programs Admission 2020</u>.
- 2. Applicants should have a competitive academic record and display a strong scientific research ability.
- 3. Applicants may not be beneficiaries of any other scholarships at the time of application.
- 4. Education background and age limit:
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- Applicants for doctoral degree program must have master's degree and be under the age of 40.

## VI. Application Materials

Applicants shall submit the following application materials to the Admissions Office (postgraduate program) of the International College of Zhejiang University by post or in person.

1. Application Form for Admission to Zhejiang University and Application Form for Zhejiang University Scholarship for International Postgraduate Students.

Applicants must first log on the online application system (<u>link</u>) to fill in the information, and then print and sign both of the two forms, pasted with a recent photograph (white background, 35mm×45mm in size).

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Chinese or English. (Professors' signature, contact phone number and email address

must be put on the letter.)

8. Published academic papers or other academic achievements. (If any)

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# **Zhejiang Provincial Government Scholarship for Graduate Students**

Self-paying graduate students including both master's degree and doctoral degree students, who are finally enrolled into Zhejiang University, after completing your registration procedures and making full payment of the tuition fees in time, can apply for financial aid from Zhejiang Provincial Government Scholarship.

Amount of Scholarship: 30,000 RMB yuan (a lump sum grant, once a year at present)

More detailed information about the scholarship, including the deadline of the application and the application form, will be issued in further notice after student's completion of registration and payment of tuition fee.