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MEMORANDUM FROM THE CHAIRPERSON

TO : ALL HIGHER EDUCATION INSTITUTIONS AND PERSONNEL
ALL CHED CENTRAL AND REGIONAL OFFICE DIRECTORS

SUBJECT : CALL FOR APPLICATIONS FOR THE 2022-2023 FULBRIGHT-
CHED SCHOLARSHIP PROGRAM

DATE : 02 December 2020

The Commission on Higher Education (CHED), through CEB Resolution No. 212-2020, approved the project entitled: *"Fulbright-CHED Implementation of Scholarship and Capacity Building Programs for Higher Education of the Philippine American Educational Foundation (PAEF). A Memorandum of Agreement between both parties was signed last 24 August 2020.*

One of the programs under the said collaboration is the *Fulbright-CHED Scholarship Program* which aims to: 1) provide opportunities for qualified faculty and staff from CHED-recognized higher education institutions (HEIs) in order to pursue doctoral studies in the United States, 2) fast-track the Higher Education Reform Agenda, and 3) develop leaders who can contribute to promoting better understanding between the Philippines and United States. *Aspiring candidates must be committed to render return service to their respective HEIs in the form of teaching and/or research upon completion of the program.*

The scholarship program will provide funding for a maximum of two (2) years, which includes *tuition and fees, settling-in allowance, monthly maintenance allowance, books and supplies allowance, in-transit allowance, health and accident insurance, roundtrip international airfare, and excess baggage allowance.*

For interested applicants, you may refer to the attached file for more details regarding the priority fields, eligibility criteria, and timeline of application of the Fulbright-CHED Scholarship Program. **Please take note that the deadline for the applications will be on 31 March 2021.**

We strongly encourage our faculty to take advantage of this rare opportunity to pursue further studies in the United States to help contribute to the success of this important reform. For further clarifications, you may contact PAEF through fulbright@fulbright.org.ph.

Wide dissemination of this Memorandum is desired.


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Chairman
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2022-2023 FULBRIGHT-CHED SCHOLARSHIP PROGRAM

I. Priority Fields (Doctoral Degree)

Agricultural Education	Aquaculture, Biodiversity Conservation, Capture Fisheries, Food Security, Forest Restoration, Forest and Climate Change Studies, Plantation Development, Resource Management, Watershed Management, Agri-technology and Post-Harvest Processing
Architecture, Fine Arts, and Related Programs	Future Cities, Urban and Regional Planning, Public Works Planning and Development, Transportation Studies, Ecological Landscape - Architecture, Land Use Planning, Landscape Ecology, Tropical/Cultural Landscape Architecture, Urban and Countryside Landscape
Business Management	Business Analytics, Business Ethics, Entrepreneurship, Finance, Human Resource Management, Organizational Development, Tourism Management (Ph.D level)
Criminal Justice Education	Administration of Justice and Security, Cybersecurity, Forensic Science
Engineering	Chemical Engineering, Civil Engineering, Computer Science and Engineering, Electrical Engineering, Electronic and Communications Engineering, Materials Engineering / Synthetic Products, Mechatronics and Robotics, Materials Science Engineering, Metallurgical Engineering, Mining Engineering, Petroleum Engineering, Sanitary Engineering, Transportation Engineering
Health Profession Education	Health and Life Sciences; Health/Medical Informatics; Health Communications; Epidemiology; Health Innovation and Translational Medicine; Health Regulatory Sciences (including Pharma & Medical Device Law, Regulatory Compliance); Health Financing; Medical Anthropology; Mental Health, Medical Technology; Occupational Health; Pharmacogenomics; Public Health; Radiology; Water, Sanitation and Hygiene (WASH), Sports Science
Information Technology	Interactive Media, Data Science, Digital Animation, Game Development, Digital Innovation and Creativity, Systems Analysis
Maritime Education	Maritime Affairs and Diplomacy; Maritime Evaluation and Assessment, Naval Architecture, Ship Design and Construction, Ship Superintendence
Science and Math	Biotechnology, Climate and Atmospheric Sciences, Computational Biology and Quantitative Genetics, Disaster Risk Reduction and Management, Energy Studies, Environmental Sciences, Geosciences, Geology, Marine Biology, Math and Applied Math, Meteorology, Molecular Biology, Nano Sciences, Renewable Energy Studies, Risk and Vulnerability Studies, Statistics and Applied Statistics
Social Sciences	Anthropology, Archaeology, Conflict and Development, Demography and Population Studies, Ethics and Human Rights, Economics and Applied Economics (e.g. Behavioural Economics, Development Economics, International Economics; Environmental Economics;

	Health Economics, etc.), Gender Studies, Studies of Ethnicity and Religions, Ethnology and Linguistics, Humanitarian Studies, Communication and Applied Studies in Communication (e.g. Media Research, Broadcast Communication, etc.), Convergence Media, Media and Information Literacy, Psychology, Social Welfare and Development
Education	Alternative Learning System/Distance Education, Adult Education, Early Childhood Education, Higher Education, Curriculum Studies, Education Policy, Educational Leadership, Lifelong Learning, Education Technology and Innovation, Special and Inclusive Education
Public Management and Governance	Government and Peace Building, International Relations and Transnational Issues, International Business, International Law, International Development, Public Policy

II. Eligibility Criteria for Master's and PhD Scholarships

The scholarships herein described are intended for Filipino faculty and staff relative to CHED K to 12 Transition Program. The scholarship is provided to the degree seeking candidates only, and no dependents will be supported.

Each applicant must:

1. Be a Filipino citizen;
2. Not be more than 42 years old for applicants to master's degree programs, not more than 40 years old for applicants to PhD degree programs;
3. Hold at least a bachelor's degree (for applicants to master's degree programs) or a master's degree (for applicants to PhD degree programs) relevant to the graduate degree being sought;
4. Have a record of academic excellence, and show evidence of outstanding potential for professional advancement in teaching and/or administration;
5. Be in good health and of good moral character;
6. Have no pending criminal charges, and must not have been convicted for violation of any Philippine Law;
7. Be conversant in English (TOEFL and/or IELTS results are required by Sciences Po); and
8. Be committed to return to their home institution after completion of the degree

III. Admission timeline for Doctoral Studies.

DATE	ACTIVITY
December	Start of call for applications <i>Interested applicants should apply directly to the portal of PAEF (https://apply.iie.org/ffsp2022)</i>
31 March 2020	Application Deadline
August 2020	Start of Semester