



CHINESE GOVERNMENT SCHOLARSHIP – INTERNAL APPLICATION

Personal Information

Applicant Name: _____ Birth Date: _____

Student ID #: _____ E-mail Address: _____

Street: _____

City: _____ State: _____ Zip Code: _____

Phone Number: _____

Degree & Discipline: _____

Date of expected degree completion: _____

Chinese institution preferences (refer to the list of Chinese universities at www.csc.edu.cn/laihua).
Indicate if you are applying for Chinese language study or research in an academic discipline.

1. _____
2. _____
3. _____

List any foreign language study, period of study, and level of proficiency:

List any previous foreign travel or study and duration:

(e.g., China, Spring 2015 Semester Abroad; Europe, 2 weeks, Summer 2016 vacation; United Kingdom, 2-month internship, June – July 2017)



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Nomination Materials

1. **Application form, current resume, and permission form and waiver.**
2. **Statement of purpose:** A double-spaced statement of 500-800 words discussing your reasons for applying and how studying in China relates to your future study and career plans. Include your reasons for choosing the institutions you have selected and the specific programs of study you wish to pursue at those institutions.
3. **Two letters of recommendation:** List the name and contact details of the two references who will provide letters of recommendation. Recommendation letters can be from professors, employers, internship supervisors, or other individuals with first-hand knowledge of your academic and/or professional competency relevant to this opportunity.
Referees:
 - a. Full Name: _____ E-mail: _____ Phone: _____
Organization or UR School/Dept/Office: _____
Relationship to Applicant: _____
 - b. Full Name: _____ E-mail: _____ Phone: _____
Organization or UR School/Dept/Office: _____
Relationship to Applicant: _____
4. **Transcript(s):** UR transcripts will be obtained by the Fellowships Office. Graduate students should include the transcript from their undergraduate institution.
5. **Invitation letter(s):** In some instances, a student may have a relationship with a Chinese university, which may have been established during previous study. If this is the case and this university is among those selected by the student, then a letter or email inviting you to study there should be included. This is **not** required in order to apply for the scholarship, but may be included as an optional item.

Please submit this form along with other application materials electronically to fellowships@rochester.edu. Letters (signed, dated, and on letterhead) should be sent directly by letter writers to fellowships@rochester.edu.

Deadline for ALL NOMINATION MATERIALS is 3:00 pm Tuesday, February 20, 2018.

University of Rochester
Student Fellowships Office
Dewey 4-209B 585.276.5869

FELLOWSHIP/SCHOLARSHIP NOMINATION PERMISSION FORM AND WAIVER

By my signature below, I acknowledge my understanding that both my personal reputation and the reputation of the University of Rochester can benefit from the manner in which I represent myself. I therefore affirm my wish to be considered for formal nomination or endorsement by UR for a national student fellowship or award.

To that end I hereby grant the following permissions and waivers, with the understanding that the purpose of this release is for the University of Rochester to consider my application or nomination for a merit-based national scholarship or fellowship.

1. I waive my right to view recommendation, nomination, or endorsement letters written for the purpose of the fellowship competition. While the authors may provide copies of these letters to me, I understand that this is a courtesy by the author and does not affect this waiver.

2. As required under the Family Educational Rights and Privacy Act, commonly known as FERPA, I give permission for my grade point average (GPA), transcripts, individual course grades, and individual assignment grades to be used and discussed as a part of the award competition. I give permission for the Fellowships Office of the University of Rochester to request official and unofficial copies of my transcript(s) as part of the application process.

3. I grant my consent to the Fellowships Office of the University of Rochester to check my official college records for any violations of either the University's academic or conduct policies.

a. I waive my rights of confidentiality in my Board on Academic Honesty records and authorize the Board to report to the Fellowships Office any record of violations for which I have been found responsible.

b. I waive my rights of confidentiality in regards to any UR conduct offense violations and authorize the Fellowships Office to obtain a copy of any disciplinary report(s) from the Office of the Dean of Students. The ODOS may also provide contextual information as to the severity of those offenses.

4. I consent to the Fellowships Office sharing selected information about my fellowship/scholarship application for the purpose of publicity, especially as to any success I may have in the competition.

OPTIONAL: I understand that by checking this box, I agree that the Fellowships Office may also use an anonymized version of my application essay(s) for the purpose of training other applicants.

In signing this Agreement, I acknowledge that I have read this form, understand it, and agree to be bound by its terms. I further acknowledge that I sign this agreement voluntarily and I am at least eighteen years of age. I understand that this consent will remain in effect until either 1) the end of the current academic year, 2) through the end of the award competition, if later, or 3) it is revoked by me in writing.

Name of Applicant (printed or typed):

UR ID Number:

Date:

Signature of Participant: