



Call for Applications for the ASEAN-China Young Leaders Scholarship 2023

The ASEAN-China Young Leaders Scholarship Programme (ACYLS) was established in 2019 by the People's Republic of China (PRC) and ASEAN to increase people-to-people exchanges, strengthen educational cooperation and promote academic linkages and exchanges between ASEAN and the PRC.

Funded by the ASEAN-China Cooperation Fund (ACCF), the programme provides rare and unique opportunities for ASEAN professionals and future leaders to increase their knowledge, broaden their horizon, develop work skills, and improve their competitiveness, while also enriching their life experiences during their stay in China.

In 2023, ACYLS will provide support for ASEAN nationals to pursue the following programmes in top universities in China:

- Master's degree – 2-3 academic years
- Doctoral degree – 3-4 academic years

Fifty-five (55) eligible candidates from across ASEAN will be selected, from which twenty-five (25) are for doctoral programme and thirty-five (30) for master's degree programme.

The awardees will be provided with a full scholarship covering the following expenses: (i) tuition and other school fees, (ii) accommodation, (iii) round-trip international air fare, (iv) comprehensive medical insurance, and (v) stipends.

More details about the eligibility criteria, the list of host universities, the scholarship coverage and the application procedure are available in the attached *Guidebook of ACYLS*.

Interested applicants are requested to register online and submit their applications together with related documents **by 27 March 2023**, through <http://www.campuschina.org> by clicking on "Scholarship Application for Students". Hard copies of the application form and relevant documents should also be submitted to the **Ministry of Higher Education Malaysia** by post at:

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