ASAHI GLASS SCHOLARSHIP FOUNDATION

International Students Scholarship Provisions for Fiscal Year 2017

- 1. Number of students
 - (1) Applicant

1 student from each of Thailand, Indonesia, China, Korea (hereinafter "designated countries") in each university

- (2) Expected grantees Total 12 students (3students from each designated country)
- 2. Scholarship payment
 - (1) Stipend: ¥100,000 / month
 - (2) Period: For the regular school years of the enrolled university, starting April, 2017 (For the maximum of 2 years for master's and 3 years for doctoral course)
 - (3) Method: Through a bank transfer on the set date of each month
 - *The Foundation pays the benefit and the students owe neither obligation of refund nor the obligation to enter its mother company, Asahi Glass Co., Ltd. and any other obligations.
- 3. Qualification
 - (1) Those who are the citizen of any of the designated countries
 - (2) Those who have come to Japan for study or research purposes and who is enrolled in the 1st year of the master's program or in the 1st or 2nd year of the doctoral program at the designated universities (those received this provisions) as of April 2017
 - (3) Those who have not awarded scholarships from the Governments of the designated countries or from any other foundations
 - (4) Those with good conduct and high scholastic ability, and in good health
 - (5) Those who have difficulty in paying the tuition
- 4. Selection

Awardees are selected based on the documents and interviews.

(1) Document screening

Screening will be conducted based on the submitted documents.

(2) Interviews

Interviews are scheduled on the weekdays from Monday, April 10 to Friday, April 14 at around Tokyo Station. The detailed information on the interview will be informed to those who passed the document screening by Friday, April 7, using the e-mail address indicated in No. 10 of the Application.

(3) Result

The result for every applicants will be informed to each university by the end of May.

- 5. Application
 - (1) Applicant

Please recommend 1 student from each designated country

(2) Application

Please submit the following documents for each applicant by mail.

Please prepare the documents in single-side printing. Please gather up the documents by a clip for each applicant. PC use is preferred, especially for A and C.

- A. Application (designated format) [PC use is preferred]
- B. Income proof (as the supplemental document for No.18 and 19 of the Application) (copy)

Please submit the income proof of 2016 of the parents and/or those who supports the household, issued by the authority or the employer. The proof for having no income is also required.

*Please add either Japanese or English translation of the proof as necessary.

- C. Research proposal (designated format) [PC use is preferred]
- D. Recommendation from either the principal or the dean (free format)
- E. Recommendation from either the head of department or the applicant's academic advisor (free format)

Please include the possibilities of development and usefulness of the applicant's research

- F. Certificate of enrollment (original)
- G. Certificate of academic record (copy)

Please submit the record of the last attained degree.

Please indicate the percentage of "A" evaluation in the margin.

H. Passport (copy)

Please submit the copy of the photograph page.

(3) Closing date

Not later than Friday, March 31, 2017

(4) Place of submission and inquiry

Asahi Glass Scholarship Foundation

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Email : <u>info-scholarship@agc.com</u>

No application or inquiries from the applicant him- or herself is accepted. Please make sure to proceed the process through universities.

- 6. Personal Information Management of the Foundation
 - The Foundation will manage the collected personal information properly in line with Personal Information Protection Policy of the Asahi Glass Scholarship Foundation.
 Please refer to the attached Personal Information Protection Policy of the Asahi Glass Scholarship Foundation (prepared in Japanese only).
 - For any confirmation, question or information about the collected Personal Information, please contact to the below.

[Asahi Glass Scholarship Foundation Secretary Tel: 81-3-3218-5285]

Frequently-asked questions

- Q1. Can students of fall enrollment apply?
- A. Yes, they can apply if he/she is enrolled in either the 1st grade of the master's course or the 1st and 2nd of the doctoral course as of April 2017.

Please be noted that our scholarship do not retroact before the April of 2017.

- Q2. Is it acceptable to use other format or to use graphic style to explain the research?
- A. It is acceptable to use other format as long as it is prepared in accordance with our original questions and made in A4 size. You can add pages, but please make the content specific and simple. Graphs or images can be used for explanation.
- Q3. Can the applications be later than the closing date?
- A. We proceed the selection process on the next day of the closing date, thus, please submit the documents within the closing date. We do not include applications that arrive after the closing date.

Q4. Is there any criteria for No. 23 of the Application?

A. Anyone who live in Japan may be the contact person for the applicants. Many applicants seem to indicate their academic supervisor in this item.

Q5. What is the percentage of passing the interview?

A. About 70 percent of the applicants who proceed to interview will be adopted.