无锡职业技术学院留学江苏政府奖学金管理办法

Measures of Wuxi Institute of Technology for the Management of Jiangsu Government Scholarship

In order to further standardize the award of Jiangsu Government Scholarship, enhance the international attractiveness of higher education of Jiangsu, and attract and encourage outstanding foreign students to receive academic education in Jiangsu regular institutions of higher learning, the *Measures of Wuxi Institute of Technology for the Management of Jiangsu Government Scholarship* is formulated according to the *Measures for the Management of Jiangsu Government Scholarship* of Jiangsu Provincial Department of Finance and Jiangsu Provincial Department of Education.

Chapter 1 General Provisions

Article 1 In order to build the education brand of "Overseas Study in Jiangsu" and enhance the international influence of Jiangsu education, the People's Government of Jiangsu Province establishes the Jiangsu Government Scholarship (hereinafter referred to as "the Scholarship"). In accordance with the Budget Law of the People's Republic of China, the Measures for the Management of Provincial-level Special Financial Funds of Jiangsu Province (Decree No. 63 of the Provincial Government) and relevant laws and regulations, as well as the actual situation of Jinagsu province and the college, these measures are hereby formulated.

Article 2 The scholarship is established by the provincial-level finance and is included into the management of provincial-level budget, which mainly rewards and subsidizes the outstanding foreign students who know China and are friendly to China and have good character and academic performance to study in Jiangsu. The scholarship is jointly managed by the Provincial Department of Finance and the Department of Education according to their respective responsibilities. The Department of Finance is responsible for fund allocation and budget issuance, and organizes the Department of Education to prepare the medium-term financial planning and annual budget draft of the scholarship. The Department of Education is responsible for improving the student information management system, strengthening the management of academic status and information of students, organizing audit and submission of basic data, proposing budget allocation proposals,

supervising and managing the use of funds and policy implementation in conjunction with the Department of Finance and carrying out performance evaluation. The college is the main body responsible for the use of scholarships, so it should effectively fulfill the responsibility of legal persons, build sound internal management mechanism, and organize the implementation of budget. The college shall implement the use of funds and policy, and carry out performance evaluation to the Department of Finance and the Department of Education.

Article 3 The students to which the scholarship is awarded in these measures refer to foreign students who receive full-time academic education in Jiangsu full-time regular institutions of higher learning and junior colleges (hereinafter referred to as colleges and universities) approved to be established according to relevant national regulations. They accept long- or short-term project agreement or receive special funding.

Chapter II Classification, Criteria, Content and Payment

Method

Article 4 The scholarships are divided into three categories: Agreement Scholarship, Outstanding Students Scholarship and Special Scholarship.

The Agreement Scholarship refers to the scholarship explicitly provided in the agreements of sister-state and other friendly cooperation agreements signed by province and its foreign counterpart to serve the needs of national overall situation and local economic development.

Outstanding Student Scholarship refers to the scholarship selected by the college every year among the academic students according to the quota allocated by the provincial education department.

Special Scholarship refers to the scholarship for long and short-term projects established by the provincial education department according to the needs of foreign students' education work.

The Agreement Scholarship, Outstanding Student Scholarship and Special Scholarship can be obtained at the same time.

Article 5 Criteria, Content and Payment

- (I) Agreement Scholarship
- 1. Criteria: 40,000 yuan/student/year for junior college students with a period of 3 years; 2,000 yuan/student/month for students attending advanced studies/exchange students with a period of 1-12 months.

2. Content

Tuition fee refers to the expenses related to teaching, internship, practice, cultural experience, cultural and sports activities of international students according to the teaching plan. It is used by the college. The college will use no less than 10% of the total tuition fee for organizing public welfare activities, cultural experience, social practice, cultural and sports activities for students receiving scholarships.

Accommodation fee refers to the financial support for accommodation expenses given to international students. International students are provided with accommodation by the Schools providing scholarships and the accommodation fee is used by the college.

Basic living expenses refers to the financial support for daily living expenses for international students, which is 15,000 yuan/student/year for junior college students and undergraduate students. It is paid twice a year by the college according to the assessment of the students receiving scholarships.

Comprehensive medical insurance refers to the group comprehensive medical insurance purchased for international students. It is purchased by the college.

- 3. Payment: The scholarship will be paid twice a year according to the award standard or the agreed amount in the academic year.
- (II) Outstanding Student Scholarship
- 1. Criteria: 10,000 yuan/student for junior college students;18,000 yuan/student for undergraduate students.
- 2. Content: one or several items of the Agreement Scholarship.
- 3. Payment: the scholarship will be awarded to international students one-time in accordance with the standard.

(III) Special Scholarship

The criteria and content of Special Scholarship is defined in accordance with the requirements of each special work. It will be allocated to the Schools providing scholarship, which will be responsible for using or delivering to related students in accordance with the requirements of projects.

Article 6 The Provincial Department of Finance and the Provincial Department of Education will adjust the scholarship criteria by taking into account the cost of cultivation and living needs of international students.

Chapter III Application and Selection of Agreement-based

Scholarship

Article 7 The number of Agreement Scholarship candidate and the scholarship criteria are determined according to the friendly agreements signed by provincial departments and their counterparts in the previous year within the validity period. Applicants shall be selected and recommended by the agreement partner according to the agreement.

Article 8 The international students applying for the Agreement Scholarship shall meet the following conditions:

(I) Basic conditions

- 1. The applicant are studying at school as undergraduate or junior college student, should have obtained the degree or certificate or one equivalent to senior high school diploma in China and be under 30 years old.
- 2. The applicant are studying at school as a postgraduate student, should have a bachelor's degree or one equivalent to the master's degree, have a recommendation letter from two professors or associate professors, and be under 35 years old.
- 3. The applicant are studying at school as doctoral student, should have a master's degree or one equivalent to master's degree, have a recommendation letter from two professors or associate professors, and be under 40 years old.

(II) Other conditions

- 1. The applicant must have a valid foreign passport or proof of nationality for at least 4 years and have actually lived abroad for at least 2 years within the last 4 years (before April 30 of the year of admission) (actual overseas living record for 9 months in a year can be counted as one year, which is subject to the entry-exit stamps).
- 2. The applicant must be friendly to China and in good health.
- 3. The applicant must have good performance, no violation of college rules and regulations such as absenteeism, and no violation of laws and regulations outside the college.
- 4. The applicant must have excellent grades and be at the top of the grade or class.
- 5. The Chinese language proficiency for international students who apply for majors teaching in Chinese shall reach at least Level 4 and provide

relevant proof, such as a certificate of HSK Level 4 or above. The international students who apply for majors teaching in English shall have relatively high proficiency of foreign language and provide proof of English proficiency within the validity period, such as TOEFL, IELTS, etc.

6. The applicant has not received scholarships of full-time scholarships such as Chinese Government Scholarship and Confucius Institute Scholarship.

Article 9 The Provincial Department of Education shall examine the qualifications of the recommended applicants and issue the certificate of awarding scholarship to the qualified applicants.

Article 10 The applicant shall check the information of universities, colleges and courses in Jiangsu for foreign students through the Overseas Study in Jiangsu website and apply to the universities or colleges independently with the certificate of awarding scholarship issued by the Provincial Department of Education.

Article 11 The college will evaluate the applicants of the Agreement Scholarship according to the admission criteria, and those who meet the criteria will be given priority in the admission, and the admission list will be reported to the provincial education department for record.

Article 12 International students who have been awarded the Agreement Scholarship shall be subject to the annual evaluation of the scholarship qualification organized by the college according to the regulations. Students who fail the annual evaluation will be suspended or canceled from the qualification to receive scholarship according to the regulations. Such students can resume their scholarship eligibility if they pass the following annual evaluation. The college can select excellent international students of the same grade to replace the students whose scholarships are canceled according to the selection method formulated by the college.

Chapter IV Application and Selection of Outstanding Student

Scholarship

Article 13 The provincial department of education shall set the allocation quota of Outstanding Student Scholarship of Jiangsu Government Scholarship for the current year based on the scale and cultivation quality of foreign academic students in colleges and universities in the previous year as well as the implementation of Jiangsu Government Scholarship, and distribute it to the college.

- **Article 14** International students applying for the Outstanding Student Scholarship shall meet the following basic conditions:
- 1. International students who are full-time students of the college at present;
- 2. Have a friendly attitude towards China, abide by the Constitution and laws, as well as the rules and regulations of the college, and pay tuition and related fees according to the regulations;
- 3. Honest and trustworthy with good moral integrity;
- 4. Have excellent academic performance, outstanding social practice, outstanding study and research ability and comprehensive quality during the study period;
- 5. Other conditions set by the college.
- **Article 15** The college shall formulate specific selection methods for scholarships according to the provisions of these Measures and report them to the Department of Education for record. The department in charge of foreign students' education in the college shall organize the recommendation work.
- **Article 16** The college shall select and publicize the applicants according to the following selection methods and report them to the provincial education department for record.
- 1. Strictly abide by Chinese laws and regulations, school rules and regulations, have good behaviors and habits, and strictly implement the international students' daily behavior code. Actively participate in group activities and perform outstandingly in various activities organized by the college.
- 2. Pass the HSK Level 4 Test and achieve a score of 85 or above in the course *Overview of China*.
- 3. Rank within the top five in the class in the academic year with no failing courses.
- 4. Participate actively in various cultural, sports and volunteer activities.
- 5. Violate no disciplines and receive no disciplinary punishment during the school year.
- 6. Pay all the tuition and fees of the academic year and have purchased the group insurance for foreign students.
- 7. Priority will be given to those who have won the first or second prize in other international competitions or national competitions organized by

the educational administration department during the academic year.

Chapter 5 Application and Selection of Special Scholarship

Article 17 The special scholarship shall be set by the provincial department of education in accordance with the needs of foreign students' education, and the content, criteria, application materials and work flow of the scholarship shall be published.

Article 18 The application for the special scholarship shall be organized by the college, and the provincial department of education shall organize experts to select and publicize the application according to the specific contents and requirements.

Chapter VI Management and Supervision

Article 19 The college shall effectively strengthen the management of scholarships, and seeking private gains through scholarship or entrusting agencies to engage in enrollment work are strictly prohibited. The evaluation, distribution and use of scholarships shall be properly dealt with. The college shall ensure that scholarships are awarded to outstanding students, and improve the effectiveness of the use of scholarships.

Article 20 The college shall organize the award-winning international students to carry out rich and colorful public welfare activities regularly or irregularly every year, in order to give full play to the positive role of outstanding international students in serving the local society and establish good images of international students.

Article 21 The college shall strictly implement the relevant financial laws and regulations of the state and the provisions of these measures, and the scholarship shall be accounted for in separate accounts and used for special purpose, and shall not be retained, misappropriated, diverted or split, and shall be supervised and inspected by the departments of finance, education, audit and discipline inspection and supervision. Those who conduct fraud, misappropriation, and retention of scholarship will be punished in accordance with the *Regulation on the Punishments and Disciplinary Actions for Fiscal Violations, Measures of Jiangsu Provincial Municipality for Financial Supervision* and other laws and regulations.

Article 22 The Provincial Department of Education and the Provincial Department of Finance will conduct a comprehensive annual evaluation of the use, management, implementation, completion and effectiveness of the college scholarships. The performance evaluation of the scholarship work in the college will be the basis for the allocation of scholarship

quotas for the next academic year by the Provincial Department of Finance and the Provincial Department of Education.

Article 23 These Measures shall be interpreted by the School of International Education.

Article 24 These Measures shall come into effect as of November 1, 2019, and the former *Interim Measures of Wuxi Institute of Technology for the Management of Jasmine Jiangsu Government Scholarshi*p shall be repealed at the same time.