

## Terms and Conditions Agreement between Scholarship Applicant and RQ Consultancy

### 1. Document Collection and Responsibilities

The scholarship applicant acknowledges and agrees that they are solely responsible for collecting and submitting all required documentation for the scholarship application. Furthermore, the applicant shall be liable for any consequences arising from the gathering and submission of these documents.

### 2. Consultation Fee

The scholarship applicant agrees to pay a non-refundable consultation fee of 20 USD to RQ Consultancy for guidance and assistance throughout the scholarship application process.

### 3. Application Fee

The scholarship applicant shall pay a non-refundable application fee, ranging from 80 to 150 USD, depending on the scholarship type, for processing their scholarship application through RQ Consultancy.

### 4. Scholarship Service Fee

The scholarship applicant is required to pay a service fee, ranging from 800 to 1800 USD, depending on the scholarship type (Type A, Type B, Type C, or Type D), as detailed below:

- a. **Type A Scholarship:** Includes free tuition, free accommodation, and a monthly stipend. The service fee ranges from 1200 to 1800 USD, depending on the university's pre-admission status.
- b. **Type B Scholarship:** Includes free tuition. The service fee ranges from 800 to 1000 USD, depending on the university's pre-admission status. The student is responsible for their accommodation and living expenses.
- c. **Type C Scholarship:** Covers 70% of tuition fees. The service fee ranges from 500 to 700 USD, depending on the university's pre-admission status. Students are responsible for paying the remaining 30% of their tuition fees and their accommodation and living expenses.

- d. **Type D Scholarship:** Covers 50% of tuition fees. The service fee ranges from 300 to 500 USD, depending on the university's pre-admission status. Students are responsible for paying the remaining 50% of their tuition fees and their accommodation and living expenses.

## **5. Submission of Fraudulent Documents**

Suppose the scholarship applicant submits fraudulent or falsified documents as part of their application, which is subsequently rejected. In that case, the applicant acknowledges and agrees that RQ Consultancy will not be held responsible for any consequences resulting from the submission of such documents. The applicant accepts full responsibility for the authenticity and accuracy of the information provided in their scholarship application.

## **6. Timely Submission of Documents and Deferral**

If the scholarship applicant fails to provide all required documents within the stipulated time frame, and as a result, the application period closes, RQ Consultancy reserves the right to defer the applicant's application to the next intake. In such cases, the applicant will be responsible for providing updated or new documents for any expired documents. The applicant acknowledges that any additional costs incurred due to the deferral or updating of documents will be borne solely by the applicant.

## **7. Admission Document Delivery**

The scholarship applicant agrees to pay the scholarship service fees after receiving their pre-admission notification. In the event that the applicant refuses or fails to pay the scholarship service fees, RQ Consultancy reserves the right to withhold the mailing of the student's admission documents and JW202 form. The applicant acknowledges that any previous payments made to RQ Consultancy will not be refunded, as this situation would be considered a failure on the applicant's part to fulfill their obligations under this agreement.

## **8. Confidentiality and Data Protection**

The scholarship applicant consents to RQ Consultancy collecting, storing, and processing their personal data solely for the purpose of providing scholarship-related services. RQ Consultancy agrees to treat the applicant's personal information with the utmost confidentiality and will not disclose, share, or sell any personal data to third parties without the applicant's explicit consent, except as required by law or to fulfill the services outlined in this agreement.

## **9. Force Majeure**

Neither party shall be held responsible for any delay or failure to perform its obligations under this agreement due to unforeseen events or circumstances beyond its reasonable control, including but not limited to, acts of God, natural disasters, pandemics, government actions, or any other event classified as force majeure. In such cases, the affected party shall promptly notify the other party in writing and make reasonable efforts to resume performance as soon as possible. Both parties agree to cooperate in good faith to mitigate the impact of any force majeure event on the scholarship application process.

## **10. Visa, Travel, and Other Expenses**

The scholarship applicant acknowledges and accepts full responsibility for all costs associated with obtaining a visa at the Chinese embassy, purchasing flight tickets, and any other travel-related expenses.

## **11. Additional Costs for Students Arriving in China**

All students coming to China must purchase travel insurance for 120 USD. Additionally, students should prepare in advance a 65 USD fee for their student residence permit in China and a medical examination fee of 60 USD, payable after their arrival on campus.

## **12. Compliance with Chinese Laws and Regulations**

The scholarship applicant acknowledges and agrees that they are solely responsible for complying with all Chinese laws and regulations during their stay in China for the duration of their studies. If the applicant engages in any criminal activities or violates any Chinese laws, the applicant understands that RQ Consultancy will not be responsible for any consequences or liabilities resulting from such actions. The applicant accepts full responsibility for their conduct while studying in China and agrees to abide by all applicable laws and regulations.

## **13. Visa Success Rate and Responsibility for Authentic Documents**

RQ Consultancy confirms that, to date, 100 percent of their scholarship applicants have been successfully awarded student visas at the Chinese embassy in Liberia. However, the applicant acknowledges and agrees that RQ Consultancy will not be held responsible if the applicant submits fraudulent or falsified documents to the embassy during the visa application process, resulting in rejection. The applicant accepts full responsibility for providing authentic documents and ensuring the accuracy of all information submitted during their visa application.

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By agreeing to these terms and conditions, the scholarship applicant confirms their understanding and acceptance of all responsibilities and fees as outlined above. The applicant acknowledges that the RQ Consultancy shall not be held liable for any issues or consequences arising from the applicant's actions or failure to comply with these terms and conditions.