



FAQ

Q: If I don't have an IELTS test result what can I provide in order to be eligible for an unconditional offer as required by CSC?

A: When you put in your application with QUT and CSC before 15 November 2006 you must indicate clearly when you will sit for an IELTS test. The test date must be before February 15 2007. Applicants must complete the IELTS test and achieve the required overall 6.5 (with no subscore lower than 6.0) in order to receive a Visa. QUT's unconditional offer of a place in the research program will lapse if the score of 6.5 is not achieved. If you meet QUT's requirements you will not need a revised offer as QUT will notify CSC of applicants who have met the requirements for an unconditional offer. CSC's scholarship for this round will lapse if you don't provide the IELTS report to CSC before March 2 2007.

Q: If I am a current Chinese PhD student can I apply for CSC?

A: Yes, with recommendations from your professors, supervisors and residents in PR China.

Q: How do I apply to QUT?

A: Use the FR form available on line at <http://www.studentservices.qut.edu.au/help/forms/forms.jsp> remembering to indicate QUT/CSC scholarship on page 2, section 8 of the FR form. Anais DUAN is the primary point of contact (Email : gutchina@qut.edu.au) for all applications.

Q: How do I confirm eligibility at QUT?

A: If you are eligible, and have met all of the conditions by March 2 2007, an offer will be sent to your agent.

Q: How do I find out more about this opportunity?

A: 1. The QUT/CSC scholarship information published on the CSC and QUT websites;
2. Selected QUT agents in Beijing, Nanjing, and Shanghai (with E visa) can provide advice and full support for your application with QUT and Immigration for visa issues. There will be no charges for the services you will receive for QUT admission and visa application. Please feel free to contact one of them for help.

Q: If my IELTS academic result does not meet the admission requirement of Queensland University of Technology, could I still apply for the CSC scholarship?

A: No, if that's the case, you cannot apply for the scholarship from CSC for this round; however, you may still be eligible to apply for the scholarship from Queensland University of Technology, with a self-funded language component. This will be determined on a case-by-case basis. If your case is approved, you will have to successfully complete an English course at QUT before commencing your principal course.

Q: Should I submit the referee letter and research report to QUT in Chinese and English?

A: Please submit all letters and reports in English only. Queensland University of Technology requires students to submit two referee letters and a related research proposal to the University. Please note it is helpful to include abstracts of relevant articles, together with the proposal.

Q: Can I submit academic transcripts in Chinese language only?

A: No, you should submit undergraduate and postgraduate academic transcripts in Chinese and English language. If your university cannot provide the academic transcript in English, you should ask professional translation company to translate for you.

Q: How long will it take for Queensland University of Technology to assess my application?

A: From four to six weeks.

Q: If I have completed a three year diploma certificate plus an extra two years study to get a bachelor degree, and a regular 3 years master degree can I apply for the scholarship offered by CSC & QUT?

A: Yes. You should provide the following notarised documents:

- graduate certificate of Bachelor program;
- graduate certificate of Master program;
- Bachelor degree certificate;
- Master degree certificate;
- graduate certificate of Diploma program.

Q: Am I still be eligible to apply for Scholarship offered by CSC and QUT if I am applying to become a Permanent Resident of Australia during this period?

A: Yes, but you cannot apply for the Scholarship offered by QUT and CSC once you become a Permanent Resident in Australia. Also, in order to be eligible for the scholarship, applicants must satisfy following requirements

- Hold an unconditional offer to study a postgraduate degree program at

QUT commencing in agreed semester.

- Be citizens and permanent residents of PR China at the time of application.
- Not be currently working or studying in Australia.
- Return to China at the end of the period of study.
- Satisfy the selection criteria set out by CSC by completing the CSC application form and the employer reference form.
- Satisfy QUT admission requirements.

Q: Is the \$55 QUT application fee required under this scheme?

A: No.

Q: Could I offer General IELTS report to QUT instead of Academic IELTS report?

A: No, only an Academic IELTS result is acceptable.