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## INTRODUCTION

Committed to maintain the role of Mexico as an actor with global responsibility, as well as to strengthen the bonds of academic collaboration with partner countries; the training of human resources and the internationalization of Higher Education Institutions (HEIs), the Ministry of Foreign Affairs (SRE), through the Mexican Agency for International Development Cooperation (AMEXCID), invites foreign citizens who are interested in studying a specialization, master's degree or doctorate, conducting graduate-level research, or taking part in an undergraduate or graduate-level academic mobility program in Mexico, to participate in the "2018 Mexican Government Scholarship Program for International Students".

The Scholarships are offered to more than 180 countries through a series of bilateral conventions, multilateral programs and special agreements. More than 90 Mexican HEIs participate and all offer academic programs registered in the National Program of Quality Graduate Degrees (PNPC) of the National Council for Science and Technology (CONACYT). These programs demonstrate the advancement that the country has achieved in the fields of sciences and humanities.

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**SHARING** THE BEST OF MEXICO  
TO FACILITATE THE TRAINING OF  
FUTURE **LEADERS** WHO BUILD THE WORLD

## GENERAL TERMS AND CONDITIONS

All scholarships awarded under this Call will be to conduct academic activities from 1<sup>st</sup> of March to 5<sup>th</sup> of December, 2018<sup>1</sup>, in the following modalities:

| Academic Studies                                     | Maximum Length of the Scholarship                            |
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| Undergraduate and Graduate Mobility Programs         | One Academic Term<br><i>(trimester, quarter or semester)</i> |
| Graduate-level research and postdoctoral fellowships | 12 Months<br><i>(1 month minimum)</i>                        |
| Specializations                                      | 1 Year   |
| Master's Degree                                      | 2 Years  |
| Doctoral Programs                                    | 3 or 4 Years<br><i>(according to the program)</i>            |
| Medical specializations and subspecializations       | 3 Years  |

### **UNDER NO CIRCUMSTANCES THE MAXIMUM LENGTH OF THE SCHOLARSHIP WILL BE EXTENDED<sup>2</sup>**

The present Call includes the [institutions and academic programs of Annex 1](#), and it is open to the [countries of Annex 2](#).

**Scholarships are not granted for direct Ph.D. programs (combined M.A. and Ph.D. programs), distance learning programs, open or online education.**

The following academic programs are not eligible for scholarships: Business Administration, Plastic Surgery, Accounting, Marketing, Advertising, Dentistry and Odontology, as well as related fields.

<sup>1</sup> The deadline to initiate academic studies is the 5<sup>th</sup> of December, 2018.

<sup>2</sup> The SRE/AMEXCID scholarships are granted only for the maximum lengths indicated in this scholarship program. If the course of study is longer, the student must pay the difference.

- If the academic program requires a thesis and an exam in order to obtain the degree, **the student must finish the thesis and present the exam within the specified end date of the scholarship.** This will be indispensable mandatory condition for receiving the last scholarship support payment.
- If the Degree Certificate is through a thesis, it must include the following legend:  
<<This thesis corresponds to the academic studies realized under the Merit Scholarship granted by the Mexican Government, through the Ministry of Foreign Affairs-Mexican Agency for International Development Cooperation.>>
- Individuals already studying in Mexico at a higher education institution and in an academic program included in the scholarship program may apply for a scholarship.
- **There is no extension to the scholarship period initially granted. If the scholarship period ends and the student does not finish his thesis project or his degree process, all expenses related to his stay in Mexico to finish these academic activities must be solved by the student.**
- **The Ministry of Foreign Affairs/AMEXCID scholarship is not retroactive. That is, it will not cover any expenses incurred before the scholarship is awarded.**

#### *a. Application Deadline*

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Applications for the scholarship will be accepted from **August 4<sup>th</sup> to September 28<sup>th</sup>, 2017, at 15:00** (Local Time in Mexico City).

THIS DEADLINE IS NON-EXTENDABLE; THE APPLICATIONS SUBMITTED  
EXTEMPORANEOUSLY, WILL NOT BE PROCESSED.

The results will be announced as of 29<sup>th</sup> of November, 2017, through the Mexican diplomatic offices abroad.

### *b. Candidate Profile*

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Requirements for all applicants:

- Bachelors<sup>3</sup>, Master's or Ph.D. Degree, as required by the program for which the scholarship is requested.
- Minimum grade point average of eighty (80), on a scale of 0 to 100, or the equivalent, for the last academic degree received.
- Be accepted or currently enrolled in a program of the participating Mexican institutions in this Call.

### **REQUIRED DOCUMENTS**

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- Documents in any language other than Spanish must be accompanied by a simple Spanish translation (need not be certified).
- Applicants with more than one nationality may only submit one application. The nomination must come from the same country as the nationality chosen by the applicant to use while in Mexico.

### *a. File Applications*

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The entire scholarship application process must be done through the [Mexican Embassy](#) in the applicant's country or at the concurrent Embassy.

**NO APPLICATIONS WILL BE ACCEPTED DIRECTLY FROM THE APPLICANTS**

It is mandatory for applicants to submit their documents in the following order:

- I. [Application form](#) (download), dully completed and including a digital photograph.
- II. Statement of purpose indicating the reasons for which the applicant is interested in studying or conducting research in Mexico. (Maximum of 2 pages, written in Arial font size 12, with single spacing).
- III. Curriculum vitae. (Maximum of 3 pages, written in Arial font size 12, with single spacing).

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<sup>3</sup> For Undergraduate Mobility Programs, it will not be necessary to present a degree, only an academic transcript for the last period that should clearly indicate the grades obtained. It should be stamped or signed by the home institution.

- IV. [Affidavit of assurance to return](#) to his/her home country or country of residence. Must be completed and signed.
- V. [Acceptance letter from the Mexican host institution](#):
  - signed by the responsible party (Director of the International Affairs Office, Director of Academic Exchanges, Head of the Graduate Studies Department, Graduate Studies Coordinator, etc.);
  - stating the length of the studies with the start and end dates (format: DD/MM/YYYY);
  - specify the type of studies.<sup>4</sup>
    - For research, the acceptance letter should also state that the candidate will receive the mentoring needed for the research project and, if possible, the name of the advisor.
- VI. Copy of the diploma of the highest degree received.<sup>5</sup>
- VII. Copy of the transcript of the last degree received showing a minimum grade point average (GPA) —or accumulated for the cases of Undergraduate Mobility Programs—, on a scale of 80/100. **If a different scale is used, the equivalent on a 100-point scale must be submitted.**
  - **For mobility scholarships**, a letter from the applicant's institution agreeing to give academic credit for the classes or course of study that will be taken in Mexico.
  - **For research grants**, a copy of the academic document showing the applicant has finished or is currently enrolled in a Master's or Doctoral program.
- VIII. Copy of birth certificate.
- IX. Copy of a valid passport or an official ID with applicant's photo and signature.<sup>6</sup>
- X. Original medical certificate issued by a public or private institution, with no more than three months prior to submitting the documents. It must indicate that the applicant is in good health and certifies that is able to travel abroad and carry out his studies. Independent health certificates and clinical tests will not be accepted.
- XI. 4 (four) recent original photographs (not digital), full face on a white background, 3cm x 3cm, with name and nationality noted on the back.
- XII. [Letter of acceptance](#) of the General Terms and Conditions of the program, with the candidate's handwritten signature.

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<sup>4</sup> Applicants can submit a contact letter from the institution with the scholarship application and continue with the procedures and requirements of the host institution.

<sup>5</sup> For Undergraduate Mobility Programs, it will not be necessary to present a degree, only an academic transcript of the last term that should clearly indicate the student's grades. It must be stamped or signed by the home institution.

<sup>6</sup> The scholarship recipient will be responsible for processing his/her passport, whose costs must be covered with own resources.

- XIII. **Applicants already in Mexico** must have a current immigration document, with a Temporary Resident Student Visa (card).
- XIV. **Applicants already studying in Mexico**, it's necessary to present an official document certifying an accumulated minimum average of 80, on a scale of 80/100, issued by the institution in which the student is currently enrolled (signed and stamped by the appropriate authorities).
- XV. **If Spanish is not the applicant's native language**, include certificate of an advanced level of proficiency in Spanish from a university or language center.<sup>7</sup>
- XVI. **For research grants in a language different from Spanish**, it is mandatory to submit an official communication from the host institution, stating the commitment to provide tutoring in a different language, specifying the language and the name of the tutor.
- The communication must be submitted with the signature of the responsible party (Director of the International Affairs Office, Director of Academic Exchanges, Head of the Graduate Studies Department, Graduate Studies Coordinator, etc.).
  - Also, the candidate must provide a certificate of an advance level of proficiency in the language, in which he/she will receive the tutoring, that ensure a minimum level of B2, according to the Common European Framework of Reference for Languages (CEFR).

**Incomplete files and original documents will not be accepted** (except for the medical certificate, which must be submitted in the original).

### **THE FILES OF UNSUCCESSFUL CANDIDATES WILL NOT BE RETURNED**

#### *b. Online Applications*

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Citizens from Argentina, Australia, Belize, China, South Korea, Spain, and Republic of the Philippines, India, Indonesia, Israel, Japan, Jordan, New Zealand, Singapore, Thailand and Vietnam must apply online through the Academic Cooperation Management System (<https://sigca.sre.gob.mx>).

The application period will remain active between August 4<sup>th</sup> and September 28<sup>th</sup>, 2017. Also, the SIGCA portal will remain open until 15:00 on September 15<sup>th</sup>, 2016 (Mexican Central Time). The required documents should be submitted as indicated in the system.

Applications submitted through means which are not SIGCA will not be considered (paper applications, faxes, e-mails, in person, or other).

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<sup>7</sup> A Spanish course is offered for some countries prior to the beginning of the academic program. For more information, see the [list of countries](#).



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## SELECTION PROCESS

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Preference will be given to applicants that:

- Have not previously received a scholarship from the Mexican Government.
- Select a program on issues that are a priority for the development of their country and of strategic interest to Mexico (priority will be given to academic programs related to the education, energy, environmental and/or telecommunications sectors).
- Apply for academic programs or research not available in their country.
- Study or do research at institutions located outside of Mexico City's metropolitan area.
- Hold faculty or research positions at public universities and scientific research centers in their country.
- Are public officials in charge of areas or programs of special interest for their country.

Applications that meet all of the requirements may be subject to review by authorities from the applicants' respective countries as part of the selection process.

**The Mexican Government will only review the pre-selected candidates.**

### *a. Selection Criteria*

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- Academic excellence of the candidate in the intended area of study.
- The intended field of study or specialization in Mexico is related to the applicant's academic and job history.
- The area of study is important to and has a direct impact on the development of the applicant's country.
- The program must relate to specific current or approved projects that have an impact on the development of the applicant's country.

**The following are not eligible:**

- i) Foreign diplomats accredited in Mexico or their relatives;
- ii) Foreign citizens with temporary or permanent residence in Mexico;
- iii) Foreign citizens with Mexican nationality;
- iv) No scholarships will be awarded for two or more people from the same family or spouses;
- v) Foreign citizens who hold a family reunification Mexican visa or aspire to obtain it.



**The submission of an acceptance letter of the Mexican Institution, application form, and/or all of the required documents does not automatically result in a scholarship. All applications go through the selection process described in this Call.**

**THE FINAL DECISION ON THE SCHOLARSHIPS IS MADE SOLELY BY THE MEXICAN GOVERNMENT.**

**NONE OF THE DECISIONS RELATED TO THE SELECTION PROCESS ARE SUBJECT TO APPEAL AND WILL BE ADJUSTED TO THE BUDGET AVAILABILITY OF THE AMEXCID.**

*b. Scholarship Benefits*

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- Monthly stipend of 4 (four) times the value of the Unit of Measure and Actualization (UMA) for Undergraduate mobility scholarships, Specializations, Master's degrees or Master's-level research, Spanish language or Mexican culture courses. During 2017, the stipend was calculated with the minimum salary in Mexico City and was equivalent of \$9,604.80 pesos (approximately USD \$529.77)<sup>8</sup>.
  - Monthly stipend of 5 (five) times the value of The Unit of Measure and Actualization (UMA) for Doctoral programs and Research periods, Postdoctoral fellowships and Medical specialties and subspecialties. During 2017, the stipend was calculated with the minimum salary in Mexico City and was equivalent of \$12,066.00 Mexican pesos (approximately USD \$665.52)<sup>9</sup>.
- **MONTHLY STIPENDS ARE NOT DIVISIBLE OR PARTIAL. THE SCHOLARSHIP WILL BE PAID AT THE END OF EACH MONTH.**
- Registration fees and tuition, as established by the program at each institution (see the [academic programs](#) offered by the participating HEIs), subject to the final decision of the participating HEI, established in the letter of acceptance.
  - Health insurance from the Mexican Social Security Institute (IMSS), starting the third month of the scholarship. **The scholarship recipient must have health insurance that covers both major and minor medical expenses**

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<sup>8</sup> Exchange rate as of 7<sup>th</sup> of July, 2017 (Source: Mexican Central Bank).

<sup>9</sup> Exchange rate as of 7<sup>th</sup> of July, 2017 (Source: Mexican Central Bank).

**and provides international coverage for the first three months in Mexico.**<sup>10</sup>

- The cost of the temporary resident/student visa issuance, for stays longer than 180 days.
- *Depending on the reciprocity with the partner country*, it will be included a round-trip international airfare at the beginning and/or satisfactory term of the scholarship. The air ticket will be purchased in economy class and will be considered the most convenient flight route for the Academic Exchange Office.<sup>11</sup>
- Should the recipient of the scholarship is pursuing studies outside Mexico City, transportation from Mexico City to the host institution and back will be provided, at the start and end of his/her academic activities.<sup>12</sup>

**THE BENEFITS ARE EXCLUSIVE FOR THE SCHOLARSHIP RECIPIENTS AND WILL NOT BE EXTENSIVE TO SPOUSES OR OTHER FAMILY MEMBERS OR RELATIVES.**

*c. Expenses Not Covered by the Scholarship*

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- Costs incurred to obtain the passport, or related expenses.
- Expenses incurred for the trip to the nearest Mexican Embassy or Consulate for the visa issuance.
- Academic costs (registration and tuition) if not waived by the academic institution or granted by the Ministry of Foreign Affairs.
- Laboratory fees, workshops, language courses or other academic activities that are part of the academic program and are not waived by the academic institution.
- Fees for transferring academic credits and course revalidation.
- If the graduate studies program requires a preparatory or introductory course, the student must cover the cost, as it is not included in the Ministry of Foreign Affairs/AMEXCID scholarship. The scholarship initiates at the beginning of the first academic term (quarter, trimester, semester), once the student has successfully completed the preparatory course, if required.
- Installation or accommodation expenses.
- Transport from the airport to the AMEXCID offices for the scholarship recipient documentation.

<sup>10</sup> When the scholarship recipient does not have an international health insurance, it must cover the expenses of any medical eventuality.

<sup>11</sup> For all the cases, the Academic Exchange Office will acquire the air ticket; **any purchase made by the scholarship recipient will not be refunded.** It is the responsibility of the scholarship recipient to review the clauses established in the air ticket, regarding the number and weight of the luggage. For more information, consult the [list of countries](#).

<sup>12</sup> Five hours or less journeys will be done by ground transportation, as well as those where there is no available route from Mexico City. More than 5 hour journeys and with available routes will be done by air transportation, for which the Academic Exchange Office will purchase the ticket. **Any purchase made by the scholarship recipient will not be refunded.**

- Cost of printing the thesis.
- Fees for obtaining the diploma and/or certificate.
- Registration in the National Registry of Foreign Citizens.
- The Ministry of Foreign Affairs/AMEXCID does not cover additional baggage reimbursement, not established in the air ticket purchase by the Academic Exchange Office.
- If it's necessary to obtain a Transit Visa for travel to Mexico, the Ministry of Foreign Affairs/AMEXCID does not cover the issuance costs or any related expenses.
- Any other expense not mentioned above.

#### *d. Responsibilities of the Scholarship Applicants*

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- Complete the required forms fully and correctly and submit the required documentation within the acceptance period for applications.
- Demonstrate an ethical behavior during the application and selection process.
- Follow the evaluation, formalization and monitor the procedures established by the Ministry of Foreign Affairs/AMEXCID.

#### *c. Responsibilities of the Scholarship Recipients*

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- The scholarship recipients must sign all the documents related to their scholarship, when the Academic Exchange Office requests it.
- The correct visa must be obtained from the appropriate Mexican consular office before traveling to Mexico.
- The scholarship recipients must travel to Mexico with the passport used throughout the application process.
- Those whose grant includes international transportation must coordinate the purchase of tickets with the Academic Exchange Office. No unilateral purchase will be reimbursed.
- Scholarship recipients must have health insurance that covers major and minor medical issues and international medical coverage that covers the first three months in Mexico. When the scholarship recipient does not have an international health insurance, he/she must cover the expenses of any medical eventuality.
- Scholarship recipients must have the necessary financial resources to cover the stay and expenses during the first month of scholarship.
- Must update their medical certificate (2) two months before traveling to Mexico.
- If the academic program requires a thesis and an exam to obtain the degree, these must be completed within the period covered by the scholarship.

- Scholarship recipients may not change their immigration status with Mexican officials while they are receiving the scholarship.
- **All the scholarship recipients must present themselves, within the first 10 (ten) days of the month of their scholarship, in the facilities of the Academic Exchange Office**, at the Ministry of Foreign Affairs/Mexican Agency for International Development Cooperation, to conduct the procedures related to their documentation. For registration, the scholarship recipient must present his/her current passport and migration card. The facilities are located at: Plaza Juárez No. 20, 4th floor, Col. Centro, C.P. 06010, Mexico City.
  - If the scholarship recipient applied online, he/she must bring 4 (four) recent original photographs (not digital), full face on a white background, 3cm x 3cm, with name and nationality noted on the back.
- Obligation to present the required documentation by the Academic Exchange Office, after the approving term of their academic activities.
- Update contact details once they are already in Mexico.
- The Scholarship recipient must comply with the Applicable Norms for Scholarship Recipients (NABE) and manage with the Academic Exchange Office the proper closure of his/her file, sending and signing the documentation for this purpose.
- The Scholarship recipients must show not only academic excellence, but also an exemplary behavior throughout their stay.
- It is the responsibility of the scholarship recipients to consider that they are recipients of Merit Scholarship, as well as representatives of their country of origin and its collaboration with Mexico.
- **ONCE THE SCHOLARSHIP HAS BEEN AWARDED AND BEFORE TRAVELING TO MEXICO, THE SCHOLARSHIP RECIPIENT MUST ATTEND THE MEXICAN EMBASSY (CONSULAR SECTION) OR MEXICAN CONSULATE TO OBTAIN THE VISA THAT CORRESPONDS CORRECTLY TO HIS/HER LEGAL STATUS WHILE IN THE COUNTRY.**

**THE SCHOLARSHIP RECIPIENT MUST BE COMMITTED TO UPDATE HIS/HER MIGRATION STATUS**

**TRANSITORY PROVISIONS**

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- The admission process of the Mexican institution and its letter of acceptance are independent from the Scholarship Program. Applicants are responsible for applying for admission directly to the academic program of interest.
- Applicants will be advised via email by the corresponding Mexican diplomatic office or AMEXCID, if he/she has been awarded a scholarship.

- The scholarships are non-transferable and may not be deferred for use in subsequent academic years.
- **Once the scholarship has been awarded, no changes of Institution or academic studies will be accepted.** If the scholarship recipient leaves their studies, engages in other activities which contravene the Mexican legal provisions or fails a course, the scholarship will be canceled.
- The Academic Exchange Office will not be responsible for managing another visa other than the beneficiary's visa.
- The admission at any of the Participating Mexican Institutions in this Call does not guarantee the granting of a scholarship by the Mexican Government.

**THE GRANT IS SUBJECT TO AMEXCID'S BUDGET AVAILABILITY.**

Those applicants, no matter their nationality, who are awarded a scholarship and whose stay is of more than 180 days, must apply for the VISA instructed by the Academic Exchange Office at the Embassy or Mexican Representation abroad in their country of residence, in order to obtain the required migratory documentation, once the candidate is in Mexican territory.

For more information regarding migratory matters, visit the following websites:

**Ministry of Foreign Affairs' Consular Services**

<http://www.gob.mx/sre/acciones-y-programas/visas-para-extranjeros>

**Mexican Embassies Abroad:**

<https://directorio.sre.gob.mx/index.php/embajadas-de-mexico-en-el-exterior>

Issues not covered in this document will be resolved by the Mexican Agency for International Development Cooperation.

Contact address: [infobecas@sre.gob.mx](mailto:infobecas@sre.gob.mx)

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## ANNEX 1 | PARTICIPATING MEXICAN INSTITUTIONS

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| BUAP      | Benemérita Universidad Autónoma de Puebla  |
| CIAD      | Centro de Investigación Alimentación y Desarrollo, A.C.                            |
| CICY      | Centro de Investigación Científica de Yucatán, A.C.                                |
| CICESE    | Centro de Investigación Científica y de Educación Superior de Ensenada             |
| CENTROGEO | Centro de Investigación en Geografía y Geomática "Ing. Jorge L. Tamayo", A.C.      |
| CIMAT     | Centro de Investigación en Matemáticas, A.C.                                       |
| CIMAV     | Centro de Investigación en Materiales Avanzados, S.C.                              |
| CIQA      | Centro de Investigación en Química Aplicada  |
| CINVESTAV | Centro de Investigación y de Estudios Avanzados del Instituto Politécnico Nacional |
| CIDE      | Centro de Investigación y Docencia Económicas, A.C.                                |
| CIBNOR    | Centro de Investigaciones Biológicas del Noroeste, S.C.                            |
| CIO       | Centro de Investigaciones en Óptica, A.C.  |
| CIESAS    | Centro de Investigaciones y Estudios Superiores en Antropología Social             |
| CIMMYT    | Centro Internacional de Mejoramiento de Maíz y Trigo                               |
| COLPOS    | Colegio de Postgraduados   |
| COLJAL    | El Colegio de Jalisco, A.C.  |
| CFN       | El Colegio de la Frontera Norte  |
| ECOSUR    | El Colegio de la Frontera Sur  |
| COLMEX    | El Colegio de México   |
| COLMICH   | El Colegio de Michoacán, A.C.  |
| COLSAN    | El Colegio de San Luis A.C.  |
| CMQ       | El Colegio Mexiquense  |
| ENAH      | Escuela Nacional de Antropología e Historia  |
| ENCRyM    | Escuela Nacional de Conservación, Restauración y Museografía                       |
| ENPEG     | Escuela Nacional de Pintura, Escultura y Grabado "La Esmeralda"                    |
| FLACSO    | Facultad Latinoamericana de Ciencias Sociales                                      |
| UDLAP     | Fundación Universidad de las Américas  |
| INECOL    | Instituto de Ecología, A.C.  |
| IM        | Instituto de Investigaciones Dr. José María Luis Mora                              |
| INEEL     | Instituto Nacional de electricidad y Energías Limpias                              |
| IMTA      | Instituto Mexicano de Tecnología del Agua  |
| INAOE     | Instituto Nacional de Astrofísica, Óptica y Electrónica                            |
| ININ      | Instituto Nacional de Investigaciones Nucleares                                    |



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| INMEGEN   | Instituto Nacional de Medicina Genómica                     |
| INSP      | Instituto Nacional de Salud Pública                         |
| IPN       | Instituto Politécnico Nacional                              |
| ITAM      | Instituto Tecnológico Autónomo de México                    |
| ITA       | Instituto Tecnológico de Aguascalientes                     |
| ITCV      | Instituto Tecnológico de Cd. Victoria                       |
| ITC       | Instituto Tecnológico de Celaya                             |
| ITCH      | Instituto Tecnológico de Chetumal                           |
| ITColima  | Instituto Tecnológico de Colima                             |
| ITC       | Instituto Tecnológico de Conkal                             |
| ITC       | Instituto Tecnológico de Culiacán                           |
| ITD       | Instituto Tecnológico de Durango                            |
| ITLP      | Instituto Tecnológico de La Paz                             |
| ITL       | Instituto Tecnológico de León                               |
| ITM       | Instituto Tecnológico de Mérida                             |
| ITMorelia | Instituto Tecnológico de Morelia                            |
| ITNL      | Instituto Tecnológico de Nuevo León                         |
| ITR       | Instituto Tecnológico de Roque                              |
| ITTG      | Instituto Tecnológico de Tuxtla Gutiérrez                   |
| ITV       | Instituto Tecnológico de Veracruz                           |
| ITVO      | Instituto Tecnológico del Valle de Oaxaca                   |
| ITSM      | Instituto Tecnológico Superior de Miantla                   |
| ITSTA     | Instituto Tecnológico Superior de Tantoyuca                 |
| ITESM     | Instituto Tecnológico y de Estudios Superiores de Monterrey |
| SSA       | Secretaría de Salud   |
| TESE      | Tecnológico de Estudios Superiores de Ecatepec              |
| UAAAN     | Universidad Autónoma Agraria Antonio Narro                  |
| UAA       | Universidad Autónoma de Aguascalientes                      |
| UABC      | Universidad Autónoma de Baja California                     |
| UACH      | Universidad Autónoma de Chihuahua                           |
| UAdeC     | Universidad Autónoma de Coahuila                            |
| UAN       | Universidad Autónoma de Nayarit                             |
| UANL      | Universidad Autónoma de Nuevo León                          |
| UAQ       | Universidad Autónoma de Querétaro                           |
| UASLP     | Universidad Autónoma de San Luis Potosí                     |
| UAT       | Universidad Autónoma de Tamaulipas                          |
| UAT       | Universidad Autónoma de Tlaxcala                            |
| UADY      | Universidad Autónoma de Yucatán                             |
| UAZ       | Universidad Autónoma de Zacatecas                           |



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| UAEH    | Universidad Autónoma del Estado de Hidalgo       |
| UAEMEX  | Universidad Autónoma del Estado de México        |
| UAEM    | Universidad Autónoma del Estado de Morelos       |
| UAM     | Universidad Autónoma Metropolitana               |
| UACH    | Universidad Autónoma de Chapingo                 |
| UNICACH | Universidad de Ciencias y Artes de Chiapas       |
| UdeC    | Universidad de Colima                            |
| UdeG    | Universidad de Guadalajara                       |
| UGTO    | Universidad de Guanajuato                        |
| UQROO   | Universidad de Quintana Roo                      |
| UCSJ    | Universidad del Claustro de Sor Juana            |
| UMAR    | Universidad del Mar                              |
| UIA     | Universidad Iberoamericana A.C. Ciudad de México |
| ULSA    | Universidad La Salle México                      |
| UMSNH   | Universidad Michoacana de San Nicolás de Hidalgo |
| UNAM    | Universidad Nacional Autónoma de México          |
| UPN     | Universidad Pedagógica Nacional                  |
| UPT     | Universidad Politécnica de Tulancingo            |
| UV      | Universidad Veracruzana                          |

**MEXICAN GOVERNMENT SCHOLARSHIPS  
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**ANNEX 2 | ELIGIBLE COUNTRIES**

**NORTH AMERICA**

Canada  
Canada/ Province of Quebec

**LATIN AMERICA**

|             |           |
|-------------|-----------|
| Argentina   | Guatemala |
| Belize      | Honduras  |
| Bolivia     | Nicaragua |
| Brazil      | Panama    |
| Chile       | Paraguay  |
| Colombia    | Peru      |
| Costa Rica  | Uruguay   |
| Ecuador     | Venezuela |
| El Salvador |           |

**CARIBBEAN**

|                     |                                  |
|---------------------|----------------------------------|
| Antigua and Barbuda | Jamaica                          |
| Bahamas             | Dominican Republic               |
| Barbados            | Saint Kitts and Nevis            |
| Cuba                | Saint Vincent and the Grenadines |
| Dominica            | Saint Lucia                      |
| Grenada             | Suriname                         |
| Guyana              | Trinidad and Tobago              |
| Haiti               |                                  |

## ASIA

Afghanistan  
Azerbaijan  
Bangladesh  
Brunei  
Bhutan  
Cambodia  
People's Republic of China  
Korea  
North Korea  
Philippines

India  
Indonesia  
Japan  
Kazakhstan  
Kirgizstan  
Kuwait  
Laos  
Malaysia  
Mongolia  
Myanmar

Nepal  
Pakistan  
Singapore  
Sri Lanka  
Thailand  
Tajikistan  
Timor  
Turkmenistan  
Uzbekistan  
Vietnam

## AFRICA

Angola  
Algeria  
Benin  
Botswana  
Burkina Faso  
Burundi  
Cape Verde  
Cameroon  
Chad  
Comoros  
Côte d'Ivoire  
Djibouti  
Eritrea  
Ethiopia  
Gabon  
Gambia

Ghana  
Guinea  
Equatorial Guinea  
Kenya  
Lesotho  
Liberia  
Libya  
Malawi  
Morocco  
Mauritius  
Mauritania  
Mozambique  
Namibia  
Niger  
Nigeria  
Sahrawi Arab  
Democratic Republic

Republic of Congo  
Rwanda  
São Tomé and Príncipe  
Senegal  
Seychelles  
Sierra Leone  
Somalia  
Swaziland  
South Africa  
Tanzania  
Togo  
Tunes  
Uganda  
Zambia  
Zimbabwe

## NON AUTONOMOUS TERRITORIES

Anguilla  
Bermuda  
Gibraltar  
Caiman Islands  
Turks and Caicos  
British Virgin Islands  
US Virgin Islands

Montserrat  
New Caledonia  
Pitcairn Islands  
Western Sahara  
American Samoa  
Santa Elena  
Tokelau

## EUROPE

Germany  
Austria  
Belgium  
Bulgaria  
Cyprus  
Slovenia  
Spain  
Russian Federation  
Finland  
France

Hungary  
Great Britain  
Greece  
Ireland  
Italia  
Latvia  
Lithuania  
Norway  
Netherlands  
Poland

Portugal  
Czech Republic  
Slovakia  
Romania  
Serbia  
Sweden  
Switzerland  
Turkey  
Ukraine

## PACIFIC

Australia  
Cook Islands  
Fiji  
Marshall Islands  
Salomon Islands  
Kiribati  
Micronesia  
Nauru

Niue  
New Zealand  
Palau  
Papua New Guinea  
Samoa  
Tonga  
Tuvalu  
Vanuatu

## MIDDLE EAST

Saudi Arabia  
Palestine  
Bahrain  
Egypt  
United Arab Emirates  
Iran  
Iraq

Israel  
Jordan  
Kuwait  
Lebanon  
Oman  
Qatar  
Yemen