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Jiangsu, one of the first provinces to admit foreign students in China, has always been taking the lead in developing education for overseas students. In recent years, Jiangsu has been promoting the reform and development of such education, with a remarkable increase in the number of schools of higher education that admit overseas students. It is continuously extending its education system and enhancing its quality and structure. Jiangsu has already become one of the major destinations for overseas students to further their education in China. The number of overseas students in Jiangsu universities has totaled 39,900 in 2017 with 57.1 percent of the students enrolled in the degree or diploma programs. Statistics showed that 88 schools of higher education have been planning to enroll approximately 20,000 overseas students in 2018—more than 9,000 of whom will receive scholarships offered by schools, including 3,000 full scholarships and over 6,000 partial scholarships. The amount of scholarships will reach 180 million RMB. To complement the Belt and Road Initiative, implement the "Double First-Class" university project, improve Jiangsu's high quality university education, meet the talent needs of local enterprises, promote "Study in Jiangsu", guide universities in improving their quality of education and developing their school's curriculum and to accelerate the cultivation of talented overseas students in China, Jiangsu, in addition to its scholarship schemes which have been granted by schools, will launch "Jasmine Talent Selection Program for Foreign Students to Study in Jiangsu (TSP)" starting from 2018. The details are as follows:

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1. Duration of the program: three years for the initial round, i.e. 2018-2020.

2. Categories: the "Talent program" will be implemented through the following three categories of projects:

Cultivating scientific innovation talents: focusing on cultivating high-level technological innovative talents. It will be undertaken by high-level universities in Jiangsu working on major projects and aims mainly at the students pursuing a master or doctorate degree.

Cultivating professional elites: focusing on cultivating talents for key industries. It will be undertaken by key universities in Jiangsu, with industry-leading edges as well as unique school features, and nurturing needed talents for the Belt and Road Initiative. The project aims mainly at the students pursuing a bachelor or a master degree.

Cultivating high-level skilled talents: focusing on cultivating high-level local skilled talents for "companies going global" and countries or institutions involved in the BR Initiative. It will be undertaken by key technical universities and vocational colleges in Jiangsu that will initiate cooperation with major domestic enterprises and overseas governments or institutions. The project aims mainly at the students pursuing a college or a vocational diploma.

3. Number of candidates: approximately 1,200 candidates will be selected for the program in 2018 with 20 candidates from each of the 60 projects. Students pursuing a vocational diploma, bachelor's or master's degree will be educated class-based while those pursuing a doctorate degree will have interdisciplinary instruction.

II Application requirements

All applicants must meet the following basic requirements for the TSP. Additional requirements may apply for specific categories of projects of the schools.

1. Applicants must hold a valid foreign passport or nationality certificates for four years or above, and have an actual overseas residential record for at least two years over the last four years (by the end of April 30th of the year application).

2. Applicants must apply from abroad. Requirements may be flexible on an individual basis if the applicant is an outstanding new graduate from universities in Jiangsu and is recommended by his or her graduating school to pursue a master's or doctorate degree in Jiangsu.

3. Applicants should be in good health according to the Exit and Entry Administration Law of the People's Republic of China.

4. Applicants should have a good knowledge of and friendly attitude toward China, abide by laws and regulations, and have no criminal record.



5. Applicants should have good grades that meet the enrolment requirements of specific cultivation projects

6. Applicants must submit two letters of recommendation from a high-level administrator and a senior teacher from the school where he or she obtained the highest degree to prove that applicant's performance at school and academic capabilities are well qualified for further education in Jiangsu.

7. Applicants should have an appropriate languages' proficiency and are expected to submit related certificates, such as the HSK certificate, or other proof of Chinese language learning or examination. Applicants from a non-English speaking country and applying for a program taught in English should submit a valid proof of English proficiency

8. Applicants pursuing a bachelor's degree should have graduated from high school and be 25 years old or under; those pursuing a master's degree should have obtained a bachelor's degree and be 30 years old or under; those pursuing a doctorate degree should have obtained a master's degree and be 35 years old or under

III Application and admission process

The TSP will release details of projects on the official website of "Study in Jiangsu" (www.studyinjiangsu.org) between Feb 1 and May 31 every year and accept applications. Applicants may choose from different categories according to their own area of expertise. Each applicant can only apply for a maximum of three projects. Both applicants and schools can make their choice of study/candidate.

The applicant should submit the following documents through the official website of "Study in Jiangsu":

1. Application Form of the TSP;
2. Personal statement (500 words above, in Chinese or English);
3. Endorsed education certificate and transcript;
4. A copy of passport and relevant residential certificates;
5. Health certificate;
6. Proof of no criminal record;
7. Certificate of Chinese or English language proficiency;
8. Two letters of recommendation from a high-level administrator and a senior teacher from the school where the applicant obtained the highest degree (for the applicant who is pursuing a bachelor's degree);
9. Letters of recommendation from two or more senior persons (for the applicant pursuing a master's degree);
10. Study plan (for the applicant pursuing a master's degree);
11. The applicant may have to take a written examination or be interviewed.

The applicant must submit scanned copies of the materials mentioned above at the time of application. Original copies must be submitted at the time of registration. Please notice that all submitted documents will not be returned.

After the submitted documents are accepted, the specific admission departments of schools will review and make recommendations. A list of candidates for the specific project that year will be sent to the review committee of the TSP for approval. Meanwhile, schools in the program will inform the aimed students of pre-admission and guide them to apply for scholarships. The list of approved candidates will be announced on the official website of "Study in Jiangsu" by June 30.

IV Advantages of the program

1. Abundant allowances for talents. In addition to various scholarships and subsidies that are able to cover tuition, accommodation, insurance and living expenses, selected candidates will also enjoy additional allowance from the Jasmine Scholarship provided by the Jiangsu government. This is granted through a one-time payment to candidates based on a unified standard in monetary terms.

2. Exclusive honorary certificate. Selected candidates will receive a "Certificate for Being Admitted to the TSP". Candidates who meet the educational requirements at the end of their study and successfully graduate will be granted a "Honorary Certificate for Having Completed TSP Program".



3. Comprehensive education program. Selected candidates will go through a comprehensive education program tailored by schools involved in the TSP. Quality supervision and regular examinations from educational administration departments will be implemented.

4. Excellent teachers. Selected candidates will receive fine education under the guidance of excellent supervisors and teachers specially assigned by schools involved in the TSP.

5. Various cultural experiences. Selected candidates will enjoy priority to take part in various activities about Chinese culture, such as "Experience China" and "A Tour to China by Youths from Countries Involved in the Belt and Road Initiative".

6. More opportunities for internship and employment. Selected candidates will be recommended for internships and preferred in the job market in Jiangsu or offices of Jiangsu's enterprises overseas.

V Assessment and management

1. Elimination mechanism. To ensure students are outstanding, we will carry out a comprehensive annual review of students on their academic grades, learning attitudes, class attendance, behavior, rewards and punishment. Those who fail to reach the standard of TSP will be disqualified from it and no longer enjoy benefits provided by the program.

2. An appropriate proficiency in Chinese language. To make selected candidates to understand Chinese culture better, graduates from the program must reach a certain standard of Chinese language to be granted a "Honorary Certificate for Having Completed TSP Program". In particular, for students taking the course taught in English, college graduates must obtain HSK4 or higher while graduates with a master's degree must obtain HSK3 or higher if they want to get the certificate. Graduates taking the degree courses taught in Chinese must obtain HSK6.

VI Frequently Asked Questions

1. How is Jasmine TSP related to Jiangsu Jasmine Government Scholarship?

Talent Selection Program for Students to Study in Jiangsu is a subproject of Jasmine Jiangsu Government Scholarship newly spearheaded in 2018, serving as one important component of Jasmine Jiangsu Government Scholarship.

2. How is TSP different from the previous Jiangsu Jasmine Government Scholarship?

TSP is backed by scholarships provided by universities with an extra allowance from Jasmine Jiangsu Government Scholarship. TSP adopts the intensive cultivation in the form of classes, which is easier for universities to assign great tutors to students, organize cultural experience activities and to provide internship and employment opportunities.

3. What fees can be covered by TSP?

TSP consists of two parts. One is scholarships provided by universities, including tuition fees, accommodation fees, integrated medical insurance and living costs etc. Living costs will be given out to selected candidates directly. (For the amount of scholarships, please refer to the detailed information on specific projects.) The other is allowances provided by Jasmine Jiangsu Government Scholarship. Each selected student will be granted an allowance of 10,000 RMB throughout the whole program.

4. What are the requirements of a TSP candidate?

Applicants must hold a valid foreign passport or nationality certificates. They must apply from abroad and conform to the age requirement. Besides these, applicants also need to meet the other requirements, such as academic background, research abilities, health, morality and language proficiency. Please browse the websites of universities to obtain detailed information.

5. How do candidates apply for TSP?

Applicants should apply for projects based on their own conditions and they can apply for three projects at most.

Two-way selections are employed for applicants and universities. Admission committee will issue a notice after the review of applicants' documents, informing them the result. Applicants must confirm the acceptance of offer from the projects they applied for within the required time. University that intends to recruit the applicants will then guide them to apply for scholarships and issue the unconditional offer in the end.



6. What is application timeline of TSP?

TSP is open to applications from 1st February to 31st May.

Deadline: 31st May (24:00 Beijing Time)

The first admission time: from 9th April to 13th April.

Confirmation Time: from 9th April to 20th April

The second admission time: from 1st June to 8th June

Confirmation Time: from 1st June to 17th June

7. Where do applicants access information?

Admission committee will inform applicants through system message and email, to confirm offers within the expected time. Please note that applicants are advised to check the system messages regularly during two admission time periods and email they registered with so as not to miss the confirmation. Unsuccessful applicants will also receive system messages and emails by the end of June. Applicants may also be kept updated of application status in the My TSP Program in the top right corner of the web page and confirm there.

VII Projects Details

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Category	Program	University	Degree	Majors	Duration of Study (Years)	Class Size	Instruction Language
Cultivating scientific innovation talents	Infrastructure Engineering	Southeast University	Master	Architecture, Civil Engineering, Transportation Engineering	2	20	English
	Electronic Information	Southeast University	Master	Electronic Science and Technology, Computer Technology, Information and Communication Engineering	2	20	English
	International Agricultural Sciences	Nanjing Agricultural University	Doctoral	Crop Sciences, Plant Protection, Agricultural Resources and Environment, Horticulture, Food Science and Engineering	4	20	Chinese / English
	International Agricultural Sciences	Nanjing Agricultural University	Doctoral	Crop Sciences, Plant Protection, Agricultural Resources and Environment, Horticulture, Food Science and Engineering	4	20	Chinese / English
	Pharmacy	China Pharmacy University	Master, Doctoral	Pharmacy	3	20	English
	Food Science and Technology	Jiangnan University	Doctoral	Food Science & Technology	4	20	English
	Fermentation Engineering	Jiangnan University	Master, Doctoral	Fermentation Engineering	Doctoral 4 Master 3	20	English
	Agriculture and Agri-products Safety	Yangzhou University	Master, Doctoral	Agriculture, Veterinary Medicine, Animal Science, Biotechnology, Plant Protection	Doctoral 4 Master 3	20	English
	Electronic Engineering, Information Technology field	Nanjing University of Science & Technology	Doctoral, Master	Computer Science and Technology, Control Science and Engineering, Optical Engineering, Information and Communication Engineering, Electronics Science and Technology	Doctoral 4 Master 2.5	20	English
	Chemical Engineering, Materials, Bio-engineering field	Nanjing University of Science & Technology	Doctoral, Master	Chemical Engineering and Technology, Materials Science and Engineering, Materials Physics and Chemistry, Materials Processing Engineering, Biochemical Engineering	Doctoral 4 Master 2.5	20	English
	Flexible Electronic International Innovative	Nanjing Tech University	Master, Doctoral	Magnetic Optoelectronic Materials, Optoelectronic and Informatic Materials, Magnetic Optoelectronic Materials, Optoelectronic and Informatic Materials, Optical Engineering	3	20	English



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Cultivating scientific innovation talents	Basic Medicine	Xuzhou Medical University	Master	Human Anatomy & Histology and Embryology, Immunology, Pathogenic Biology, Pathology and Pathophysiology, Forensic Medicine	3	20	English
	Aviation Aerospace Science and Engineering Science	Nanjing University of Aeronautics and Astronautics	Doctoral	Aeronautical and Astronautical Science and Technology, Manufacturing Engineering of Aerospace Engineering, Aerospace Bionics Science and Technology, Navigation, Guidance and Control	4	20	English
	Aviation Aerospace Science and Engineering Science Group	Nanjing University of Aeronautics and Astronautics	Master	Aeronautical and Astronautical Science and Technology, Manufacturing Engineering of Aerospace Engineering, Aerospace Bionics Science and Technology, Navigation, Guidance and Control	3	20	English
	Civil Engineering from Portuguese-speaking and West Africa Countries	Hohai University	Master/Doctoral	Master: Civil Engineering, Transportation Engineering; Doctoral: Civil Engineering	Doctoral 4 Master 3	20	English
	Environmental Engineering	Hohai University	Master	Environmental Science and Engineering	Doctoral 4 Master 3	20	English
	Agriculture Engineering Projects	Jiangsu University	Ph.D.	Agricultural Engineering, Mechanical Engineering, Power Engineering & Engineering Thermophysics, Food Science and Engineering, Traffic Engineering, Control Science & Engineering, Electric Engineering & Automation	3	20	English
	Education and related liberal Arts	Nanjing Normal University	Doctoral/Master	Education and related liberal Arts	3	20	Chinese/English
	Cultivation of high-level talents in Mining	China University of Mining and Technology	Master	Mining Engineering	3	20	English
	Business Management	Nanjing University of Information Science & Technology	Master	Business Management	2	20	English
Cultivating professional elites	Business Chinese language training	Nanjing University	Bachelor Degree	Chinese Language (Business Chinese)	4	20	Chinese
	Safety Engineering	China University of Mining and Technology	Bachelor	Safety Engineering	4	20	English
	Agriculture Equipment	Jiangsu University	Master	Agricultural Engineering, Mechanical Engineering, Power Engineering & Engineering Thermophysics, Food Science and Engineering, Traffic Engineering, Control Science & Engineering, Electric Engineering & Automation	4	20	English
	Outstanding International Medical Talents Program	Nanjing Medical University	Master	Internal Medicine, Surgery	3	20	English
	Clinical Medicine	Yangzhou University	Master	Surgery, Internal Medicine, Imaging and Nuclear Medicine, Obstetrics and Gynecology, Pediatrics, Anesthesiology, Clinical Laboratory Diagnostics, Emergency Medicine	3	20	English



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Cultivating professional elites	Asia-Pacific Forestry Talent Promotion Program	Nanjing Forestry University	Master	Forestry Engineering, Forestry, Environmental Engineering	2	20	English
	Chemical Engineering Training Project	Nanjing Tech University	Bachelor	Chemical Engineering and Technology	4	20	Chinese / English
	Ingenious and Dreams	Nanjing University of the Arts	Master	Art Design	4	20	Chinese
	Finance	Nanjing Audit University	Master	Master of Finance	2	20	Chinese
	Teaching Chinese to Speakers of Other Languages	Jiangsu Normal University	Master	Chinese International Education	3	20	Chinese
	Traditional Chinese Medicine (TCM)	Nanjing University of Chinese Medicine	Bachelor	Traditional Chinese Medicine (TCM)	5	20	Chinese / English
	International Economy and Trade	Jiangsu University of Technology	Bachelor	International Economy and Trade	4	20	Chinese
	International Economy and Trade Innovation	Nantong University	Bachelor	International Economy and Trade	4	20	English
	Spatial Information and Marine Technology	Huaihai Institute of Technology	Bachelor	Spatial Information and Marine Technology	4	20	Chinese
	Environmental Protection	Suzhou University of Science and Technology	Master	Engineering	3	20	English
	Chinese Language and Literature (Business Mandarin)	Nanjing Xiaozhuang University	Bachelor	Chinese Language and Literature (Business Mandarin)	4	20	Chinese
	Modern and Efficient Horticulture	Huayin Institute of Technology	Bachelor	Horticulture	4	20	English
	Special Economic Animal Farming/Biology Discipline	Jiangsu University of Science and Technology	Master	Special Economic Animal Farming / Biology	2	20	English
	Sustainable Construction Belt and Road Scheme	Xi'an Jiaotong Liverpool University	Master	MSc in Sustainable Construction	1.5	20	English
Cultivating high-level talents	Civil Engineering	Xuzhou University of Technology	Bachelor	Civil Engineering	4	20	Chinese / English
	Study in Jiangsu Talents Selection Program	Nanjing Polytechnic Institute	Associate Degree	Mechatronics Technology, Electrical Automation Technology, Electric Power Plant of Thermal Power Installation	3	20	English
	Agricultural Equipment Application Program	Changzhou Vocational Institute of Mechatronic Technology	Associate	Application technology of agricultural equipment	3	20	Chinese
	Outstanding Nurses Training Program	Jiangsu Vocational College of Medicine	Associate	Nursing	3	20	Chinese
	Landscape Technology	Jiangsu Polytechnic College of Agriculture and Forestry	Associate	Landscape Technology	3	20	Chinese / English