2021 - 2022

Sorbonne University

Faculty of Sciences and Engineering, Sorbonne University (SU) International Partnership Grants

Sorbonne University and Okayama University have forged a strong partnership over the past 7 years with many SU students coming to OU and OU students going to SU. In the hope of strengthening these exchanges further, SU generously created four new grants for OU students. We are happy to announce the call for Sorbonne University (SU) International Partnership Grants application.

1. Eligibility

SU grants are for students registered in a Master's course and Doctor's course (during the whole research/study period at SU), specializing in Chemistry, Physics, Life Science, and related fields at Okayama University. Annotation: OU students, who have been admitted to the OU Master's course, will also be eligible.

2. Number of grants

Offered up to four (4) successful applicants

- 3. Support
 - $7500 \in$ on a yearly basis
 - For durations shorter than 10 months, the support is:
 - --- 1000 € for travel expenses
 - --- 700€ per month for accommodation and expenses
- 4. Duration
 - For Studies: One or two semesters Fall 2021 (from September), Spring 2022 (from January), Fall 2022 (from September).
 - For Lab training only: maximum duration up to 6 months to be chosen *à la carte* between September 2021 and December 2022
 - For combined courses and lab project: 5 to 10 months between September 2021 and December 2022.

5. Documents to be submitted (in PDF)

- (1) Application form (attached)
- (2) Certificate of Enrollment (English)
- (3) Curriculum vitae (English)
- (4) 2 or 3 lines of applicant's wish in terms of topics of interest at SU: either research and/or studies (lectures)
- (5) Graduate school transcript (English)
- (6) Proof of English or French proficiency (TOEFL iBT, IELTS, CEFR etc.) The ability of the applicant's language proficiency shall be assessed at the interview if he/she hasn't yet obtained its certificate/proof.
- 6. Submit electronically to: su-ou@okayama-u.ac.jp

The submission e-mail should have the subject title: Application for SU grant, and in the main text the applicant name and affiliation should be described with the all attachment files in section 5 above.

7. Selection method

We will review application documents as they come in and conduct interview (dates to be informed later).

8. Submission deadline

March 31, 2022 (Thursday) 5:00 pm

Important!

This call will remain open until the deadline (March 31, 2022) but may close when four qualified candidates have been found. So, we strongly advise interested students to apply at the earliest date possible.

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