# FUNG GRADUATE FELLOWSHIP (FGF) PROGRAM



Together with its partners the Victor and William Fung Foundation, Koç University (www.ku.edu.tr) is looking for 6 talented PhD candidates from China for the 2017-18 and 2018-19 academic years.

The Victor and William Fung Foundation have established the Fung Graduate Fellowship Program for students from China (including Hong Kong) who are admitted by Koç University to pursue PhD degrees. The Program is designed to support PhD candidates to carry out scientific research at Koç University over a four-year period, during which they will write their doctoral thesis generating new scientific knowledge.

## WHY STUDY AT KOÇ UNIVERSITY?

- One of the leading universities in Turkey, currently ranked ranked 15th in The Times Higher Education BRICS & Emerging Economies Rankings 2017 of top 100 universities.
- 32 MS/MA and 25 PhD programs across 4 graduate schools (Sciences and Engineering, Social Sciences and Humanities, Business, Health Sciences) all taught 100% in English.
- 95% of KU Faculty have advanced degrees from top-tier US and European institutions.
- 25% of students at graduate level are international.
- Majority of our PhD graduates are placed amongst the best universities worldwide.

## NUMBER OF BENEFICIARIES

Every year 6 PhD students from all disciplines will benefit from the Fung Graduate Fellowship (FGF) Program.

# FUNDING

#### The Fung Graduate Fellowship Program will provide

- Tuition cost
- Monthly stipend of US\$1350 for the entire period of study (4 years)
- \* The stipend is 60% higher than the regular PhD stipend at Koç University.
- Coverage of PhD thesis related expenses
- Health Insurance
- Meal Card
- Free campus accomodation.

## **MORE INFORMATION**

E-mail Global Recruitment Team on study@ku.edu.tr or visit kocuniversity.cn



# **ELIGIBLE AREAS OF STUDY**

#### **PROGRAMS OFFERED**

Graduate School of Sciences and Engineering gsse.ku.edu.tr PhD Chemical and Biological Engineering PhD Computational Sciences and Engineering PhD Computer Sciences and Engineering PhD Electrical and Electronics Engineering PhD Industrial Engineering and Operations Management PhD Materials Science and Engineering PhD Mathematics PhD Mechanical Engineering PhD Physics PhD Chemistry	Graduate School of Social Sciences and Humanities gsssh.ku.edu.tr PhD Archeology and History of Art PhD Economics PhD Political Science and International Relations PhD Psychology PhD Design, Technology and Society PhD Sociology PhD History PhD Law
Graduate School of Business gsb.ku.edu.tr PhD Business Administration (Marketing, Management and Strategy, Finance, Operations and Information Systems)	Graduate School of Health Sciences gshs.ku.edu.tr PhD Biomedical Sciences and Engineering PhD Molecular Biology and Genetics PhD Reproductive Medicine PhD Neuroscience PhD Cellular and Molecular Medicine

### DEADLINES

Visit graduate.ku.edu.tr for detailed dates and how to apply.

Please indicate on your Statement of Purpose that you would like to apply for a Fung Graduate Fellowship.

## ELIGIBILITY

Chinese citizens living in China, Hong Kong and Macau who have completed a Bachelor's or Master's degree in a reputable university. Preference will be given to students from the following Fung Scholars & Fellows Partner Universities.

Mainland China • Fudan University • Harbin Institute of Technology • Nanjing University • Peking University

- Renmin University of China Shanghai Jiao Tong University Sun Yat-sen University Tsinghua University
- Xiamen University Zhejiang University
- Hong Kong City University of Hong Kong Hong Kong Baptist University Lingnan University
- The Chinese University of Hong Kong The Hong Kong Polytechnic University
- The Hong Kong University of Science and Technology 
  The University of Hong Kong

#### **QUICK FACTS**

Koç University (KU), founded in 1993 as private non-profit university, offers a world class educational experience in Istanbul, Turkey. KU embraces students who have successfully acquired a BS degree and want to pursue MS/MA or PhD degrees. With its world class education, focus on R&D, globally acclaimed faculty and students filled with the desire to learn & research, KU invites graduate students to experience this center of excellence.

The Victor and William Fung Foundation was established in 2006 to commemorate the 100th anniversary of the Fung Group. It is funded personally by Dr Victor Fung, Group Chairman (formerly known as the Li & Fung Group), and Dr William Fung, Group Deputy Chairman of the Fung Group. The mission of the Foundation is to promote leadership development principally through university students exchange programs; and thought leadership principally through think tanks and education institutes.



