

## PhD Scholarships

**Código de Beca:** 360  
**Nombre:** PhD Scholarships  
**Descripción:** Objectives

To enable selected applicants to undertake a PhD at one of the 10 Swiss cantonal universities, the two Swiss federal institutes of technology or public teaching and research institutes.

### **Universities**

University of Basel / University of Bern / University of Fribourg / University of Geneva / University of Lausanne / University of Lucerne / University of Neuchâtel / University of St Gallen / University of Zurich / University of Lugano  
Federal institutes of technology  
Ecole polytechnique fédérale de Lausanne (EPFL)  
Swiss Federal Institute of Technology Zurich (ETH Zurich)  
Teaching and research institutes

Graduate Institute of International and Development Studies (IHEID)

### Validity

The scholarship is only valid for full-time PhD studies in Switzerland. It is not valid for mixed PhD programmes (part time in Switzerland and part time in another country).

### Target group

Highly qualified postgraduate students (possessing the required degrees) from all academic fields.

### Duration

3 years maximum (starting in September).

**Fuente principal:** Suiza  
**Fuente secundaria:** -  
**Tipo de beca:** Parcial  
**Fecha de vencimiento:** 15/11/2016

**Requisitos:**

**For PHD scholarships**

- Master's degree or equivalent university degree recognised by the Swiss university.
- The applicant must not be over 35 years old at the time of the application.
- Applicants who are in Switzerland for more than one year at the beginning of the scholarship in September are not eligible.
- Applicants must provide a letter (or email) from a professor at the Swiss host institution stating that they are willing and entitled to supervise the PhD.
- In those cases where the PhD is pursued within a structured doctoral school, applicants must include in their application an admission letter or proof that they are being considered for admission. Without such a document, the application will be rejected. - For EPFL doctoral school candidates, the admission letter from the EPFL doctoral school is required. As this takes time, applicants must plan accordingly and submit their application for admission to the EPFL doctoral school sufficiently in advance of the scholarship programme deadline. Without these documents, the application will be rejected.
- Applicants must have a research proposal including a timeframe (this is the central piece of the application. The applicant must devote all required attention to it).
- Applicants must be in command of the necessary language skills required for the PhD studies/research.
- Applicants who have already benefited from a Swiss Government Excellence Scholarship are not eligible to apply for a second scholarship.

**Beneficios:**

**For PHD scholarships**

- The scholarship amounts to a monthly payment of CHF 1,920.
- Tuition fees are waived.
- For non-EU and non-EFTA grantees only: mandatory Swiss health insurance is paid by the FCS.
- Non-European grantees receive a lump sum for their airfare (provided at the end of the scholarship).
- Special CHF 300 housing allowance (paid once at the beginning of the scholarship).
- One-year half-fare public transportation card.
- Support services and various trips, dinners and sightseeing tours organised for Swiss Government Excellence Scholarship holders.

**Lugar de postulación y documentación a presentar:**

**APPLICATION DOCUMENTS**

(Please provide originals plus two sets of copies on A4 paper. Please do not staple the documents and/or put them into plastic folders or binders).

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- The official FCS 2017-2018 application form (typed and printed). No

handwritten forms will be accepted.

- A full curriculum vitae with list of academic publications.
- A letter of motivation (max. 2 pages).
- A complete research proposal (max. 5 pages), use only the official research proposal form provided with the application package.
- A copy of the letter or email from a professor at the chosen Swiss university confirming that they are willing and entitled to supervise the PhD studies.
- Include a short CV of your academic host supervisor.
- In those cases where the PhD is pursued within a structured doctoral school, applicants must include in their application a copy of the PhD admission letter or proof that they are being considered for admission. Without such a document, the application will be rejected.
- For EPFL doctoral school candidates: an admission letter from the EPFL doctoral school is required. As this takes time, applicants must plan accordingly and submit their application for admission to the doctoral school well before the scholarship programme deadline.
- Without those documents the application will be rejected.
- Photocopies of all certificates and grade sheets from previously attended universities/colleges and diplomas with grades. (If the originals are not in English, French, German or Italian, the copies must be translated into one of these languages and attested.) Attestations can be made by a university or government officer.
- Two letters of recommendation from professors in the applicant's field (use only the official reference form provided with the application package).
- A health certificate (use only the official health certificate provided with the application package).
- Each application set should contain two copies of the applicant's passport (main page with personal data).

Además de la documentación antes mencionada deberá presentarse en AUCI, la siguiente:

- Formulario de becas de AUCI
- Decreto 234/86
- Carta de aval de la institución patrocinante dirigida a AUCI

Toda la documentación deberá ser presentada en la sección becas de AUCI  
Torre Ejecutiva - Plaza Independencia 710 piso 7 oficina 703

**Contacto en caso de dudas:** becas@auci.gub.uy  
150 int 3403 o 3402

**Observaciones:** No se aceptarán formularios hechos a mano

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## Ofrecimiento N° 360.1

**Nombre ofrecimiento:** PhD Scholarships

**Información específica:** -

**Tipo de curso:** DOCTORADO

**Modalidad de curso:** -

**País:** Suiza

**Ciudad:** -

**Idiomas:** alemán, inglés, francés, italiano

**Fecha de inicio:** -

**Fecha de fin:** -

**Fecha límite de inscripción:** 15/11/2016

**Duración aprox.:** 3 Año(s)

**Disciplinas:** DIVERSAS ÁREAS DEL CONOCIMIENTO  
Becas que incluyan cursos de diferentes disciplinas y/o ésta sea a elección del postulante

**Observaciones:** -