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SSIMS
Special Scheme for International Master Student

WHAT IS SSIMS?
- This scheme offers exemption of processing and tuition fees for international students
- Enroll as a fulltime student in Masters programme by research mode in UPSI
- Excellence record in academic and extra curricular activities in the previous University
- Fulfill the SSIM requirement during study

BENEFITS
- Waiver for Tuition Fees
- Waiver for Processing Fee
- Opportunity to be a part of our academic community (Teaching Assistance) T&C apply

AM I ELIGIBLE?
- I have completed my Bachelor degree
- I am graduated with minimum 3.00 CGPA and above or equivalent
- My IELTS result minimum Band 6.0 or TOEFL 550

HOW TO APPLY?
- Log in to http://postgrad.upsi.edu.my
- Click Apply / Check Status and proceed with the application
  - At the financial support menu, choose self-finance and click YES to APPLY
  - Upload supporting documents at the related tab
- Click http://postgrad.upsi.edu.my for the result

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INSTITUTE OF GRADUATE STUDIES
SPECIAL SCHEME FOR INTERNATIONAL MASTER STUDENT (SSIMS)

WHAT IS SSIMS?

This scheme offers exemption of processing fees and tuition fees for international students who are enrolled as a fulltime Masters Degree by Research Programme in UPSI and demonstrates academic and extra-curricular excellence.

WHO IS ELIGIBLE TO APPLY FOR SSIMS?

International students who are excellent during their first degree and want to further their studies in master degree for a full-time research mode at UPSI.

WHAT ARE THE CRITERIA?

1) DURING THE APPLICATION
   a) Academic excellence in first degree (GPA 3.0 and above, or equivalent);
   b) Fulfill the general entry requirements set by UPSI;
   c) Fulfill special entry requirements set by Faculty (if relevant);
   d) Obtain a minimum score of 6.0 for IELTS or 550 for TOEFL;
   e) Enroll in a full time Master Degree by research mode.

2) CRITERIA DURING THE STUDY
   a) Must reside in Tanjong Malim, Perak, Malaysia;
   b) Not allowed to leave the University without prior approval from the University.
   c) Complete the study within 3 semesters.
   d) Conduct a joint research with supervisor within the study period.
   e) Publish two articles and become the First Author in indexed journals within the study period;
      ▪ the first article must be submitted and accepted for publication within the duration of one and a half semester of study.
      ▪ the second article must be submitted and accepted for publication within the third semester of study.

WHAT ARE THE BENEFITS FOR SUCCESSFUL CANDIDATES?

i. Exemption of processing fees (RM100).
ii. Exemption of tuition fees for 3 semesters.
   Note: Other recurring fees must be paid by the students.
iii. Can be appointed as Teaching Assistant or Part-Time Lecturer using financial budget from the respective faculties.
iv. No additional monthly allowance will be given to the students.

**REMINDERS AND PENALTIES**

1. A notice will be issued for unsatisfactory first research progress report.
2. Student will be terminated from the scheme for:
   i. unsatisfactory second research progress report, OR
   ii. failure to meet the publication requirement of two (2) indexed journal articles, OR
   iii. failure to complete the study within 3 years.

3. Student who had been terminated from the scheme will be given two (2) options as follows:
   i. If he/she continues to study – he/she shall pay for his/her own study fees for the following semester and to pay the processing fee and tuition fee that had been exempted; OR
   ii. If he/she discontinues to study – he/she shall pay the processing fee and tuition fee that had been exempted.

**HOW TO APPLY FOR SSIMS?**

1. Go to our website at [www.ips.upsi.edu.my](http://www.ips.upsi.edu.my)
   - Click Apply Now and proceed with the application.
   - At the financial support menu, choose Self-Finance and click YES to APPLY.
   - Upload supporting documents at the related tab which shows academic excellence & extra-curricular.
2. Make a payment of RM100.00 for processing fee. (the money will be returned if the application is approved)
3. Refer to [http://postgrad.upsi.edu.my](http://postgrad.upsi.edu.my) for the application results.

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