

LA DIRECCIÓN GENERAL DE COOPERACIÓN E INTERNACIONALIZACIÓN DE LA UNAM, PONE A DISPOSICIÓN DE LOS INTERESADOS LOS SIGUIENTES PROGRAMAS DE BECAS PARA INVESTIGAR Y ESTUDIAR EN CHINA (INFORMACIÓN EN INGLÉS):

Of possible interest to AIEA members - Darla Deardorff, AIEA

Two funding opportunities in China:

- 1) Chinese Academy of Sciences Fellowships for faculty
- 2) IREE Summer Research Grants in China for undergraduate and graduate students

1) Chinese Academy of Sciences Announces New Fellowships

In cooperation with the Chinese Academy of Sciences, IIE/Beijing is pleased to announce the following Fellowship Programs of the Chinese Academy of Sciences:

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Visiting Professorships for Young International Scientists_*

These fellowships support collaborative scientific research opportunities in China for young scientists and provide financial support for individual young scientists:

- * to conduct cooperative research at one of the institutes of the Chinese Academy of Sciences (CAS)
- * for 12 months, and potentially renewable for up to a further 12 months.

Applicants for this fellowship must apply collaboratively. The research teams must include:

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1. //A young scientist who:/

- * is a citizen of a nation having formal diplomatic relations with China (Chinese citizens are not eligible)
- * was educated outside of China at the elementary school level
- * has a PhD degree
- * has strong communication skills in English
- * is under age 35, or else under age 40 with over 5 years of research experience

/2. Chinese collaborator(s) who:/

- * are researcher(s) of CAS institutes
- * have a senior research position, and preferably a PhD degree
- * are engaged in a major research program
- * have facilities and capacity to conduct cooperative research with the visiting scientist

How to Apply:

Scientists wishing to apply should begin by exploring research opportunities with potential

collaborators within the Institutes of the Chinese Academy of Sciences. More information about these institutes is available at: [*http://english.cas.cn/CASI/*](http://english.cas.cn/CASI/)

Applications are submitted by the CAS institutes on behalf of the international scientist, during two specific periods each year: March 1-15, and September 1-15.

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Support:*

The grant will cover the recipient's salary, daily living allowance, round-trip international airfare, and health insurance, at a level determined by CAS according to the length of the visit and the academic level of the visitor.

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Visiting Professorships for Senior International Scientists_*

These professorships support collaborative scientific research opportunities in China for senior scientists and provide financial support for individual scientists:

- * to conduct cooperative research at one of the institutes of the Chinese Academy of Sciences (CAS)
- * for visits of 2-12 months, and potentially renewable.

Applicants for these professorships must apply collaboratively. The research teams must include:

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1. //A scientist who:/

- * is a citizen of a nation having formal diplomatic relations with China (Chinese citizens are not eligible)
- * was educated outside of China at the elementary school level
- * has a PhD degree, with academic standing of at least Associate Professor or equivalent
- * has strong communication skills in English

/2. Chinese collaborator(s) who:/

- * are researcher(s) of CAS institutes
- * have a senior research position, and preferably a PhD degree
- * are engaged in a major research program
- * have facilities and capacity to conduct cooperative research with the visiting scientist

How to Apply:

Scientists wishing to apply should begin by exploring research opportunities with potential collaborators within the Institutes of the Chinese Academy of Sciences. More information about these institutes is available at: [*http://english.cas.cn/CASI/*](http://english.cas.cn/CASI/)

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More information:*

For specific information on both programs including eligibility and application instructions, visit [*www.iiebeijing.org/cas/cas.html*](http://www.iiebeijing.org/cas/cas.html) <<http://www.iiebeijing.org/cas/cas.html>> or any of the websites below:

General information:*

[**www.iiebeijing.org/cas/cas.html*](http://www.iiebeijing.org/cas/cas.html) <<http://www.iiebeijing.org/cas/cas.html>>

CAS grants page:*

[**http://english.bic.cas.cn/AF/*](http://english.bic.cas.cn/AF/)

Young Scientists, detailed regulations:*

[**http://english.bic.cas.cn/AF/Fe/200906/t20090615_6347.html*](http://english.bic.cas.cn/AF/Fe/200906/t20090615_6347.html)

Senior Scientists, detailed regulations:*

[**http://english.bic.cas.cn/AF/Fe/200906/t20090615_6358.html*](http://english.bic.cas.cn/AF/Fe/200906/t20090615_6358.html)

All documents related to the Young International Scientists competition (page of links to Chinese documents):*

[**www.bic.cas.cn/zdxm/WJQNKXJJH/*](http://www.bic.cas.cn/zdxm/WJQNKXJJH/) <<http://www.bic.cas.cn/zdxm/WJQNKXJJH/>>

All documents related to the Senior International Scientists competition (page of links to Chinese documents):*

[**www.bic.cas.cn/zdxm/TPYJY/*](http://www.bic.cas.cn/zdxm/TPYJY/) <<http://www.bic.cas.cn/zdxm/TPYJY/>>

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2) Grants for IREE 2010 Summer Research Assignment in China

*Application Deadline: *February 15, 2010**

The 2010 International Research and Education in Engineering (IREE) Program, sponsored by the National Science Foundation and organized by Purdue University, is now accepting applications for the 2010 grant cycle. IREE 2010 awardees will receive a stipend (US\$4,000 for graduate students and US\$3,000 for undergraduate students) to conduct engineering-related research in China from May - August 2010 . Additionally, grant awardees will receive allowances for: an orientation program; travel to and housing/meals in China; plus a re-entry program. The 50 students (20 undergraduate and 30 graduate students) that receive the IREE award will spend 10-12 weeks working on frontier engineering research projects in university, industry, or government labs in China.

Applicants must be currently enrolled and in good academic standing as degree-seeking undergraduate OR graduate students at a U.S. institution of higher education. They must also be able to express both a demonstrated interest in a field of engineering related research, and a desire to work in China. Finally, strong preference will be given to United States citizens or nationals, or permanent residents of the United States. In addition, women, underrepresented groups, and students from schools with limited research opportunities are particularly encouraged to apply.

The IREE Program was initiated by the National Science Foundation (ENG/EEC) in 2006 to promote enhancement of global competency of 21st century engineering professionals, development of collaborations with engineering researchers abroad, and providing students with opportunities to experience the life and culture of a another country. It enables early-career researchers in the U.S. to gain international research experience and perspective. IREE also seeks to enhance U.S. innovation in both research and education, as well as enable connections between the research programs of NSF's divisions with the education of students.

For eligibility and application, go to: *www.globalhub.org/iree*
<<http://www.globalhub.org/iree>>

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