June 20th, 2011

ANNOUNCEMENT OF SCHOLARSHIP FOR THE “TRANSLATIONAL MEDICAL RESEARCH PROGRAM FOR VIETNAMESE YOUNG SCIENTIST 2011”

Dear all,

We are glad to inform you that University of Tsukuba has got grant from Japan Society for Promotion of Science (JSPS) this year to establish the “Translational Medical Research Program for Vietnamese Young Scientists 2011”.

Eleven Vietnamese young students and researchers will be selected to attend the program. The program is designed for young scientists who are interested in translational research that associates with basic medicine and clinical medicine.

- Time of program: September 1st –October 31st, 2011, Duration: 60 days
- Program Schedule:
  - 5 weeks Basic Medicine: Research activity at your desired laboratory
  - 2 weeks Clinical Medicine: Joining Clinical Medicine laboratory
  - 1 week Translational Research: Lecture of Clinical Study

At the end of the program, participants must make a presentation to report the results of their studies.

- The grant will cover:
  - Travelling round ticket fee to visit Japan
  - Accommodation and food fee during the time of the program

- Eligibility:
  - Applicants must be from agreed universities, institutes, organizations with University of Tsukuba
    - University of Medicine and Pharmacy HCMC
    - Hue College of Medicine and Pharmacy – Hue University
    - Vietnam National University HCMC
    - Institute of Tropical Biology
    - BioTech Center
    - Cho Ray Hospital
  - Applicants must be 1) Master or Doctoral students, or 2) Young researchers who have obtained PhD degree within 6 years and are studying or working at the above mentioned universities, institutes, or organizations
  - As the program will be held in English, a demonstrated proficiency in English-language is required
  - Applicants must choose one laboratory (please see the list) in which applicant will study

The screening of applicants will be carried out by document review and oral interview. Please find all detailed information in the attached file for this program and regulation for application.
Applicants should fulfill the attached form and send it by email by July 3rd, 2011 to International Office, Faculty of Medicine (email: med.office@un.tsukuba.ac.jp). Applicants who pass the 1st screening made by document review will be invited for oral interview for final screening.

If you have any questions, please contact our Ms. Mizuho Fukushige (Promotion Coordinator for International Cooperation, Division of International Affairs, Department of Global Activities, University of Tsukuba) by email (mizuhofukushige@md.tsukuba.ac.jp).

We are looking forward to hearing from you.

Sincerely yours,

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