

## Terms of Scholarship Award

The scholarship award shall be for full-time graduate studies for the completion of a Master's degree in any of the DOST identified priority fields.

The scholar must not be employed or practicing his/her profession while on scholarship; he/she must secure approval for official leave of absence, if employed.

The awardee shall execute a Scholarship Agreement with DOST.

Evaluation of the academic performance of the scholar based on established policies shall be done to determine the scholarship status every semester or term.

A service obligation to be rendered in the Philippines shall be required of the scholar after finishing the MS/PhD degree, i.e. one year for every year of scholarship.

## DEADLINE

The MS Molecular Medicine Scholarship is now accepting applications

The application deadline is on  
31 May

## Documentary Requirements

- Accomplished Application form with ID picture (original copy)
- Admission to Graduate Studies/Graduate School ( photocopy)
- University Evaluation Sheet (if any) (photocopy)
- Transcript of records (certified true copy)
- PSA Birth Certificate ( Original copy)
- Valid NBI Clearance (Original copy)
- Medical Certificate as to health status from a licensed physician with PRC license number indicated (original copy)
- Endorsement letter from 2 former professor (Original copy/ we accept advance copy through email)
- Certificate of Employment (if employed, recommendation to take leave of absence from employer or head of agency while on scholarship) (Original copy)
- Program of Study/ Curriculum (if available or to follow) (photocopy)

Kindly scan the code to visit the SLMCCM website.



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# Master of Science in MOLECULAR MEDICINE Scholarship Program

## A scholarship program offering of

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Philippine Council for Health Research and  
Development  
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Philippines

## In cooperation with the

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## About

The Department of Science and technology-Philippine Council for Health Research and Development (DOST-PCHRD) in collaboration with St. Luke's Medical Center College of Medicine-William H. Quasha Memorial, announces the availability of scholarship for the MS in Molecular Medicine program.

## Scholarship Program

Molecular Medicine stems from knowledge gained from basic science and applied biomedical research. The curriculum includes latest biotechnologies, such as cell-based therapies, gene therapies, targeted therapies, biomarker technology, molecular diagnostics, pharmacogenomics, and personalized medicine, which is supplemented by background courses on the fundamental sciences behind it.

The program aims to upgrade skills for the application of molecular medicine in the clinical setting, through a unique opportunity for training in the fully-equipped research laboratories of the St. Luke's Research and Biotechnology Division. It will also strengthen the capabilities of the current crop of medical practitioners and allied health professionals towards a new way of doing medicine.

## Objective

The MS Molecular Medicine is expected to produce adept lab researchers capable of pioneering innovative health researches as basis for future health researches. Specifically, it aims to:

1. To give students a firm foundation in the bio medical sciences and relevant emerging technologies.
2. To provide rigorous training in a broad spectrum of application in molecular medicine such as stem cell technology, point of care diagnostics, pharmacogenomics, medical biotechnology, targeted therapy, molecular diagnostics and genomic medicine.
3. To develop a highly trained manpower base for Molecular Medicine including clinicians, medical technologists, scientists, medical faculty and other healthcare professionals.

## General Criteria for Eligibility

An applicant must be:

- ◆ a Filipino citizen;
- ◆ not more than 45 years old at the time of application;
- ◆ be in good health condition;
- ◆ passed the admission requirements for the graduate study
- ◆ passed the interview and other screening procedures.

## Scholarship Privileges

Tuition Fee & other school fees		Actual
Stipend		₱25,000/mo.
Book Allowance		₱20,000/AY
Transportation Allowance*		Actual
Insurance Coverage (Accident)		1M/yr
Thesis/Dissertation Grant		₱50,000
Student Research Support Fund	Dissemination Grant	₱75,000
	Mentor's Fee	₱36,000

**\*\*One (1) actual economy class round trip fare per Academic Year; given only to those who will study outside their home province**

## Scholar's Obligations

- Have a regular load per semester
- Maintain good academic standing
- Submit original thesis in priority R&D area
- Prepare and submit periodic reports
- Submit hardbound and soft copies of dissertation.
- Comply with scholarship policies.
- Not engage in any work while on scholarship
- Render service obligation
- Seek DOST-PCHRD permission before leaving the country for official or personal reasons.
- Secure DOST-PCHRD approval before applying for another scholarship.