



Galway-Mayo Institute of Technology

Claddagh Scholarship Programme

Scholarship Information	<p>Galway-Mayo Institute of Technology is delighted to announce we are offering eight scholarships through the Claddagh Scholarship Programme. These scholarships are for Chinese nationals only who are taking a place on an undergraduate or postgraduate degree at any of the five GMIT campuses from September 2018. The Claddagh Scholarship Programme was established and organised by Education in Ireland, which reports directly to the Ministry of Education and Skills in Ireland. The Programme was officially launched by the Irish Minister for Education in October 2015.</p>	
Field of Study	Undergraduate Accounting Finance & Economics Marketing & Sales Business Information Systems Software Development Biomedical Engineering Civil Engineering Mechanical Engineering Agricultural Engineering Medical Science Public Health Nutrition Chemical & Pharmaceutical Science International Hotel Management International Tourism Management	Postgraduate Applied Marine Conservation Creative Practice
Level of Study	Undergraduate: Honours Bachelor (Level 8; 3-4 Years) Postgraduate: Masters (Level 9; 1 Year Programme)	
Scholarship Value	Undergraduate - €1,000* reduction in tuition fees for each year of studies Postgraduate - €2,000* reduction in tuition fees (1 Year Programme) <i>*Successful candidates will also qualify for our 'Country of Origin' Scholarship, but will not be considered for our separate English Language Scholarship</i>	

<p>Number of Scholarships Available</p>	<p>Undergraduate – Awards will be made to 6 students who hold offers for our degree programmes in the disciplines mentioned above</p> <p>Postgraduate – Awards will be made to 2 students in total who hold offers for either of the following programmes:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. MSc in Applied Marine Conservation 2. MA in Creative Practice
<p>Requirements</p>	<p>The Claddagh Scholarship 2018/19 is open to citizens of China who are resident in China (at time of application), in receipt of an official offer letter from GMIT, and to those who accepted that offer of a place to study on a full-time Bachelor or Master’s Degree programme at GMIT, commencing studies in September 2018.</p> <p>Undergraduate Scholarship Requirements: In general, an average of at least 70% in the Senior Secondary School Graduation Certificate is required for consideration for this Scholarship.</p> <p>English Language Requirements: IELTS – Overall 6.0 with minimum of 5.0 in each band</p> <p>Postgraduate Scholarship Requirements:</p> <p>Applicants must have completed a Bachelor degree at a recognized University in China. In general, an average of at least 75% in an Honours Bachelor Degree programme is required.</p> <p>English Language Requirements: IELTS – Overall 6.5 with minimum of 6.0 in each band</p> <p>Scholarship recipients will be expected to act as International Student Ambassadors for GMIT. Formal acceptance of a 2018 Claddagh Scholarship will be taken as agreement to participate in promotional activities and this material will be used for marketing purposes as required by GMIT.</p>
<p>How to Apply</p>	<p>Applicants for the 2018 Claddagh Scholarship Programme will be required to complete an application form available on the GMIT website. The form must be returned by email to international@gmit.ie</p> <p><u>Assessment & Selection</u></p> <p>Applicants will be assessed based on the information provided in the application form.</p> <p>A selection committee from GMIT’s International Engagement team will shortlist and assess all applications and determine the scholarship recipients. Recommendations will be made to the Institute Management Team and</p>

	<p>award decisions will be taken thereafter. The selection committee decision is final.</p> <p>Once notified, successful applicants will have one week to confirm acceptance of the scholarship. Failure to confirm acceptance within the given timeframe may result in the scholarship being rescinded, in which case it will then be offered to the next successful applicant.</p> <p>Scholarships cannot be deferred and must be used in the year awarded.</p>
Application Deadline	1 st July 2018. Late applications will not be accepted.
Contact Information	<p>Ms. Emily King Email: Emily.king@gmit.ie Website: www.gmit.ie/international Phone: 00(353)91742149</p> <p>or</p> <p>Mr. John Joe O'Farrell Email: johnjoe.ofarrell@gmit.ie Phone: 00(353)877388414 (available on what's app) WeChat ID; johnjoeofarrell Facebook.com/GMITInternational</p>