Research fellowship

Abbreviated summary.
For full details, please refer to the Guidelines for Scholarship Applicants [link: DOWNLOAD].

Objectives

- To enable selected applicants to undertake research in the realm of their PhD at one of the 10 Swiss cantonal universities, the two Swiss federal institutes of technology, the public teaching and research institutes or the universities of applied sciences.
- Valid for full-time research in Switzerland only.

Target Group

- Highly qualified postgraduate researchers from all academic fields as well as young medical doctors.
- Primarily for scholars who have not already been to Switzerland.

Eligibility Criteria

- Applicants must be born after 31 December 1987.
- A research proposal including a timeframe.
- Mandatory letter from an academic host professor (including her/his short CV)

Duration

- Scholarship start for the academic year 2023-24: 1 September 2023
- 12 months maximum (starting in September)
- No prolongation possible.

Amount

- The scholarship amounts to a monthly payment of CHF 1'920.-
- The scholarship amount covers the living costs of one person only.
- This scholarship is not a salary.

Selection Criteria

- The candidate: academic profile, research capacity and motivation.
- The research project: originality and methodological soundness.
- The academic context: quality and context of supervision and potential for future academic cooperation.

Contact for further questions, application package and submission deadlines

- Find the contact address for your country of origin – this is the country according your passport - [here] you find as well:
- The available scholarship types
- The opening of the call and the submission deadline
- At this address you get the application package (application forms and templates)

- Submit your scholarship application at the Swiss Embassy or the competent national institution before the deadline.
- Applications submitted too late will not be considered.