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RCSC/HRD-14.1/2017/

March 3, 2017

Government of India/RGoB Scholarship

The Royal Civil Service Commission is pleased to announce the availability of scholarship (**4 slots for Master of Arts in Mahayana Buddhist Studies**) under Government of India/RGoB Funding for the financial year 2017-18.

1. GoI scholarship covers:

- Round trip air fare (economy class)
- Full tuition and other compulsory fees
- Living stipend including house rent allowance (Rs. 7,500/- per month)
- Contingency grant (Rs. 6,500/- per annum)
- Thesis and dissertation charges (if any) (Thesis and dissertation expenses up to Rs. 1,000/- will be reimbursed in full. Expenses above this limit would be reimbursed to the extent of 50% only, subject to the maximum limit of Rs. 3,000/-)
- Medical Insurance
- Study tour expenses at Rs. 60/- per night for the first 30 nights and Rs. 40/- per night for a duration exceeding 30 nights.

Civil servants applying for the scholarship must ensure that they fulfill all the relevant eligibility criteria prescribed in the BCSR 2012.

2. Documents required while applying

- Updated CVs copy (details should also include **accurate** transfer history)
- Bachelor degree: Certificate and transcript
- Class XII: Certificate and transcript
- Performance Rating (complete set) for the **last two** years
- Security clearance
- Audit clearance
- Medical certificate
- Email address and mobile number

The application must be routed through the respective parent agencies and should submit the above documents to the HRDD, RCSC within the application deadline.

3. Shortlist criteria ([click here](#))

4. Deadlines for the scholarship:

- Documents submission to the respective parent agency: **March 24, 2017**



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- Documents submission to the HRDD, RCSC: **March 30 , 2017**
- Announcement of Shortlisted candidates: **April 10 , 2017**

Note: The date for the selection interview will be informed along with announcement of shortlisted candidates

5. Important Notes for the agency and the candidate:

- Only those candidates who are committed to this scholarship should apply.
- The nomination must be routed through the applicant's parent agency with the complete set of documents required as per announcement (**SI. No 2**). Nominations received directly from the working agency and with incomplete documents will not be accepted for the purpose of short listing.
- Agency should ensure the relevancy of the course and only eligible candidate fulfilling requirements as per BCSR 2012 must be forwarded to HRDD, RCSC on or before the deadline. In the event any discrepancies are found after the selection, the respective agency shall be held accountable.
- Agency shall upload the study proposal via CSIS only upon receiving confirmation of admission from the University via RCSC for the selected applicants.

6. General information

- For general information contact Gol focal officer at **322491 (ext. 223/107)**