

PKU “Future Leaders” Undergraduate Program Admissions Information

Document Applicability

The information in this document is applicable to individuals who will apply to the “Future Leaders” Program through one of Guanghua’s partner institutions.

Eligibility

The program is looking for students who:

1. Exhibit outstanding academic ability;
2. Possess strong moral character, a clear sense of mission, and global vision;
3. Have a strong interest in the interdisciplinary study of China;
4. Are willing to contribute to addressing global challenges and promoting cross-cultural communication;
5. Have a track record of leadership and social responsibility, and the ability to make an impact in their field/community;
6. Have no failed coursework or record of academic dishonesty or disciplinary violations;
7. Exhibit determination, energy and adaptability;
8. Are able to drive changes despite obstacles, and inspire others to help make changes happen.

Please also note:

1. Students must successfully complete the first two-years of study at their home institution by the end of June of the same year they will arrive at Guanghua in order to maintain their eligibility for the program.
2. For applicants who are not native English speakers and those who attend university where English is not the language of instruction, official TOEFL or IELTS scores must be submitted. Individuals who submit TOEFL scores should have received a minimum score of 100, and individuals who submit IELTS scores should have received a minimum score of 6.5 with no individual section score falling below 6.0.
3. Due to limitations imposed by the Ministry of Education, P.R.China passport holders will be recruited directly by Peking University and cannot apply to this

program through one of Guanghua's partner universities.

4. According to the related regulations of the Ministry of Education of China, non-P.R.China passport holders who were born to hold a passport from other country but whose parent is or was a Chinese passport holder must have lived outside of mainland China for a minimum of four years over the latest six years before they qualify to apply to this program through a partner university.
5. According to the related regulations of the Ministry of Education of China, individuals who previously held a P.R.China passport and now hold a passport from a different country must provide a certificate of renunciation of Chinese nationality and have held their new passport for a minimum of six years and have lived outside of mainland China for a minimum of four years over the latest six years before they qualify to apply to this program through a partner university.
6. Individuals applying to Peking University as an international must meet Peking University's admissions requirements for Peking University.

Application Process

The application process will vary by partner school, so you should verify your university's application process with your university's program coordinator. Generally, the application process will involve the following steps:

1. Application materials submitted and selection of candidates who will be invited to the first-round interview with your home university representatives.
2. Interview results submitted to Guanghua School of Management by your home university and application materials submitted through the application system of Peking University.
3. Selection of candidates who will be invited to the second-round interview with Guanghua representatives.
4. Offers of pre-admission sent to selected candidates.

Application Materials

1. CV/resume;
2. Copy of transcripts/academic records;
3. English proficiency test scores, as required (see Eligibility section);
4. Two letters of recommendation:
 - a) One letter focused on academic ability and potential, coming from someone such as a current or former professor.

- b) One letter focused on the personal characteristics and leadership potential as described in your application materials.
5. Two essays:
- a) Essay 1: Personal Statement (up to 500 words), including your motivations for applying to this program, your academic or career goal after graduation, and anything you want us know about, such as your special skills, work experiences, leisure time pursuits, etc.
 - b) Essay 2: In what ways do you anticipate that understanding China will help you accomplish your personal and professional goals?
6. Copy of your (valid) passport's personal information page;
7. 1-3 mins Application video;
8. Copies of awards or certificates (optional).