



CALL FOR «SAFE AND SOUND» SCHOLARSHIP APPLICATION 2023 Ph.D. Cotutelle Scholarship

Background

The «Safe & Sound» project is under a framework of the Norwegian Partnership Programme for Global Academic Cooperation (NORPART) for the project period 2019–2024. The main goal for the Safe & Sound project is to strengthen internationalization, pedagogical innovation and increase the three institutions' capacities (Inland Norway University of Applied Sciences, University of Bergen – Norway, VNU University of Education – Vietnam) in the field of Adverse Childhood Experiences (ACE), mental health, and sustainable development.

More information <https://www.safeandsound.world/about/>

Scholarship Description

The main goals for the **Cotutelle Ph.D. Program** are to (a) strengthen international collaboration on research education and research in the field of Adverse Childhood Experiences (ACE), mental health, and sustainable development; (b) increase capacity at the VNU-UED in the field of ACE and mental health.

The aim of the Cotutelle Scholarship is to provide access to a Norwegian learning environment, library resources, Ph.D. courses and co-supervision at Norwegian institutions.

The student will conduct their Ph.D. research project under the supervision of academic staff from one of the two Norwegian partner institutions, Inland University of Applied Sciences (INN University) or University of Bergen, and one at VNU University of Education. The Ph.D. degree will be awarded by VNU University of Education.

The scholarship provides academic support for **one** Ph.D. candidate for a period of up to 6 months in Norway from the date the grant is provided and until December 2024. The scholarship will provide one return ticket for 2 travels from/to Vietnam to/from Lillehammer, Norway, and a monthly stipend of NOK 20 000,- in Norway. The value of the scholarship is in accordance with DIKU regulations for Ph.D. stipend for foreign students, and is expected to cover all costs related to the stay in Norway. In addition, travel costs will be reimbursed with up to NOK 15 000,- per round-trip travel.

Requirements

The selected PhD student is expected to contribute to the Master level courses in child and clinical psychology program at VNU University of Education and the “Safe and Sound” winter course in Vietnam (2022-24), providing supervision to master students and support to professionals from the project network, and take part in the final Safe & Sound international conference in 2024.

After graduation, the Ph.D. student is expected to contribute to the child and adolescent clinical psychology program at VNU University of Education such as teaching, clinical supervision.



Eligibility

Students must be Vietnamese.

Students must be enrolled full time in the Ph.D. program in child and adolescent clinical psychology, cohort 2022 at VNU University of Education.

Students must be fluent in English (IELST 6.5 or equivalent) and write their dissertation in English.

Students must clearly show motivation and strong commitment to the field and the programme.

Students are not the recipient of another NORPART scholarship.

Application process

Application will open **23 February 2023**.

Candidate short-listing by profile will be done by VNU University of Education from 13-16 March 2023.

Interviews with the short-listed candidates will be from **20-23 March 2023**, by the "Safe & Sound" Project Management Group.

Decision will be made by **27 March 2023**.

The successful applicant can specify a start date for the scholarship that is any time within the following 12 months.

Application file includes:

- Curriculum vitae.
- Decision of Admission to the Child and Adolescent Clinical Psychology Ph. D Program of VNU University of Education
- English certification
- Ph.D. Dissertation Proposal.
- Letter of Motivation
- Other supporting document (publication, award, experience working in the field, etc.,)

The hard copy profile in English should be sent to VNU University of Education.

The soft copy profile should be sent to scholarship@safeandsound.world

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