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Dear Chongshi Zhu

Re: University of Sydney – China Scholarship Council Postgraduate Research Scholarship (PhD)

I write to you regarding the University of Sydney – China Scholarship Council Postgraduate Research Scholarship, a joint programme enabling talented researchers from leading Chinese universities to undertake a PhD at Australia's first university, the University of Sydney.

Under this scheme, the University of Sydney offers a 3-year tuition fee scholarship to students from the PhD to undertake a full doctoral degree at Sydney. Successful candidates will also receive a living allowance, plus costs for air travel, visas and health insurance, from the China Scholarship Council. Up to 11 of these prestigious scholarships will be offered at the University of Sydney in 2011.

These PhD scholarships will be awarded based on academic merit; however, we are pleased to offer priority to students from our partner universities in China, including Xiamen University.

Please note that candidates must first meet the University of Sydney's admission criteria for PhD students, and must receive a Firm Offer of Admission to a PhD degree at the University of Sydney.

I have included some more detailed information about the scholarships with this letter, including a 2-page colour brochure in Chinese and English, and a copy of the Application

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Guidelines. I would be grateful if you could make this information available to students at your university.

These documents may also be downloaded from the University of Sydney website:
http://sydney.edu.au/documents/future_students/USYDCSC_PGRS2011_GuideSupp.pdf

Students may also find some information on the China Scholarship Council website:
<http://www.csc.edu.cn/>

If you have any questions about these scholarships, please contact the International Development Officer (Scholarships and Grants), Mr David Boyd, at david.boyd@sydney.edu.au.

On behalf of the University of Sydney, I would like to thank you for your cooperation.

Yours sincerely,

A handwritten signature in blue ink, appearing to read 'DP', with a long horizontal flourish extending to the right.

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