

# Ph.D. DEGREE-SEEKING PROGRAM

This UNMC-CSC program not only aims to recruit bright and hardworking young scientists from top Chinese universities and institutions to UNMC but also to provide excellent training to Chinese students, scientists, physicians, nurses and other health professionals under the guidance of outstanding research scientists and clinical faculty members at UNMC.

[http://www.unmc.edu/aprdp/degree\\_seeking.htm](http://www.unmc.edu/aprdp/degree_seeking.htm)

Students will train and perform research projects supported by a principal investigator at UNMC for 4 to 5 years in a program very similar to that of a regular UNMC graduate student seeking a Ph.D. degree from UNMC. Upon completion of this training, a Ph.D. will be awarded from UNMC.

*Since 2008, more than 70 students have been recruited into the Degree-Seeking Program at UNMC!*

## Areas of Research Emphasis

<http://www.unmc.edu/research/areas-emphasis>

Alcohol and smoking-related disease  
Biotechnology  
Cancer  
Cardiovascular disease  
Drug development and nanomedicine  
Genetics  
Infectious diseases  
Musculoskeletal disease  
Neuroscience  
Rural and other health disparities  
Transplantation

## Ph.D. Granting Programs

<http://www.unmc.edu/gradstudies/programs>

### College of Dentistry

- Department of Oral Biology (MSIA-OBIO)

### College of Medicine

- Biochemistry and Molecular Biology (BIOC)
- Cellular and Integrative Physiology (CIP)
- Genetics, Cell Biology and Anatomy (GCBA)
- Pathology and Microbiology (PAMM)
- Pharmacology and Experimental Neuroscience (PHAR)

### College of Nursing

- Nursing (NRSG)

### College of Pharmacy

- Pharmaceutical Sciences (PHSC)

## College of Public Health

- Biostatistics (BIOS)
- Environmental Health, Occupational Health, and Toxicology (ENV)
- Epidemiology (EPI)
- Health Promotion and Disease Prevention Research (HPRO)
- Health Services Research, Administration, and Policy (HSRA)

## Fred & Pamela Buffett Cancer Center

- Cancer Research (CRGP)

## Medical Sciences Interdepartmental Area (MSIA)

## Financial Support

**\$24,000 annually (\$2,000 monthly)**

- CSC: \$1,600 monthly, plus round-trip airfare
- UNMC: \$400 monthly, plus tuition waiver, health insurance, and low-cost temporary housing in the APRDP Friendship House or International House

## Degree-Seeking Program Application

<http://www.unmc.edu/gradstudies>

- SPECIAL DEADLINE FOR UNMC-CSC APPLICANTS: January 20, 2015
- Complete an online application form at UNMC's Graduate Studies website: [www.unmc.edu/gradstudies](http://www.unmc.edu/gradstudies) (click on 'Apply to Graduate Studies')
- Application fee is waived for CSC applicants
- Other requirements: Three letters of recommendation, official transcripts and degree statements, and official GRE (code 6896) & TOEFL/IELTS test scores
- Applicant will apply for CSC funding after conditional offer letter is received from UNMC

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