



## THE RHODES SCHOLARSHIP FOR HONG KONG SAR 2025

The Rhodes Scholarship, the oldest international scholarship programme, is a fully funded, full time, postgraduate award which enables talented young people from around the world to study at the University of Oxford.

### Number of Award

There is one Rhodes Scholarship available for Hong Kong SAR.

### Coverage of the Scholarship

Rhodes Scholars are expected to study at Oxford for two years. A third year of full Scholarship is available for those who choose to read for the DPhil (PhD), subject to conditions. A Rhodes Scholarship covers the University course fees, an annual stipend, two economy class flights (to and from UK) at the beginning and end of studies in Oxford, etc.

### Eligibility

- a) Nationality/Citizenship: Candidates must
  - i. be permanent residents of Hong Kong, OR
  - ii. be citizens of China who are studying at (or have obtained Honours degree from) a university in Hong Kong, OR
  - iii. have lived in Hong Kong for no less than 7 years and can demonstrate a strong personal connection with Hong Kong.
- b) Age: Candidates must
  - i. be aged 18-23 on 1 October 2024 (i.e. candidates must have been born after 1 October 2000 and before 2 October 2006), OR
  - ii. be under the age of 27 on 1 October 2024 (i.e. have been born after 1 October 1997) AND must also have completed their first undergraduate degree on or after 1 October 2023.
- c) Academic Achievement: Candidates must have completed an undergraduate degree by July 2025 with an academic background and grade that, at a minimum, meets or exceeds the specific entry requirements of the chosen full-time course at the University of Oxford. Candidates will have a higher chance of successful admission to Oxford if they have a First Class Honours Degree or equivalent OR a GPA of 3.7/4.0 or higher.

All eligibility and selection criteria are available at the page specific to Hong Kong SAR at Rhodes Trust website (<http://www.rhodeshouse.ox.ac.uk/scholarships/applications/hong-kong/>).

### Application Procedures

Applications must be submitted online **by 23:59, 30 September 2024 (Hong Kong time)**.

All candidates should read carefully the general information on the Rhodes website, the Detailed Conditions of Tenure of the Rhodes Scholarship, the Information for Candidates and the graduate admissions pages of the University of Oxford (<http://www.ox.ac.uk/admissions/graduate>).

### Enquiries

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