



OVERVIEW OF CIRCULAR 25/2021/TT-BGDĐT

GUIDELINES ON DOCTORAL AND MASTER DEGREE TRAINING FOR FACULTY OF HIGHER EDUCATION INSTITUTIONS UNDER PRIME MINISTER'S DECISION NO. 89/QĐ-TTĐ (PROJECT 89)

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GENERAL INFORMATION

- New approach: a scholarship program
- Enhance the autonomy and the activeness of home/sending institutions
 - implement the selection of qualified candidates and send the official list to the MOET for approval
 - manage information about the scholarship holders; coordinate with the MOET carrying out procedures for funding; in charge of asking the scholarship recipients to recover expenses if they violate the provisions of Circular 25, or reimburse the training expenses if not fulfil the responsibility of home/sending institutions
 - Support the scholarships holders to contact or connect them with in-country and overseas host/training institutions
- Level of training
 - Master degrees in arts, sport and physical education
 - Doctoral degrees at all disciplines
- Mode of training
 - Full time at in-country and overseas host/training institutions
 - Joint programs at doctoral level with maximum 02 years studying overseas



ELIGIBLE CRITERIA

- Under 40 year of age
- First time apply for post graduate training
- Full-time tenured faculty member (Clause 3, Article 2 Circular 25)
 - those meet regulations in paragraph e, Clause 1, Article 10 in the Government's Decree No. 99/2019/ND-CP dated December 30, 2019 elaborating and providing guidance on the implementation of a number of Articles of the Law on Amendments and Supplements to the Law on Higher Education.
- Tenure-eligible faculty member (Clause 4, Article 2 Circular 25)
 - any person, who has already gained admission to or is taking a doctoral course at an in-country or overseas institution; is not a full-time tenured faculty member but aspires to be; is guaranteed by a home/sending institution a full-time tenured position after graduating from a doctoral course under terms and conditions of a tenure-track agreement
- Master degrees
 - those must be full-time tenured faculty teaching majors in arts fields or the range of sport or physical education disciplines at sending institutions specialized in providing arts, sport and physical education programs



RESPONSIBILITY OF SCHOLARSHIP RECIPIENT

- Complete training courses by due dates and receive doctoral or masters degrees conferred in accordance with regulations of training institutions
- During the period of study, research or at maximum of 12 months after graduation, doctoral scholarship holders must publish their research results directly related to dissertation topics on the list of publications approved by Web of Science or Scopus
 - at least 02 research papers published by a overseas full time doctoral scholarship holder, or
 - at least 01 research paper published by all others
 - Doctoral scholarship holder in range of arts, sport education may replace academic publications with 01 formal award won in national or international competitions that recognized by the Ministry of Culture, Sports and Tourism
- Return to home/sending institutions promptly after graduation and fulfill the responsibility as agreed when accepting the scholarship
- Repay scholarships and any training costs if fail to fulfill responsibilities stipulated in the Circular 25

REQUIREMENTS FOR THE HOST/TRAINING INSTITUTION

- In – country institution
 - The training disciplines are listed at least once in the last 5 years in subject or field of study global rankings which are recognized by MOET; or
 - At least 5 years and has recruited students and implement the registered discipline at PhD level with at least 5 PhD graduates in the last 5 years; or at least 5 graduating cohorts with qualifications granted at master level

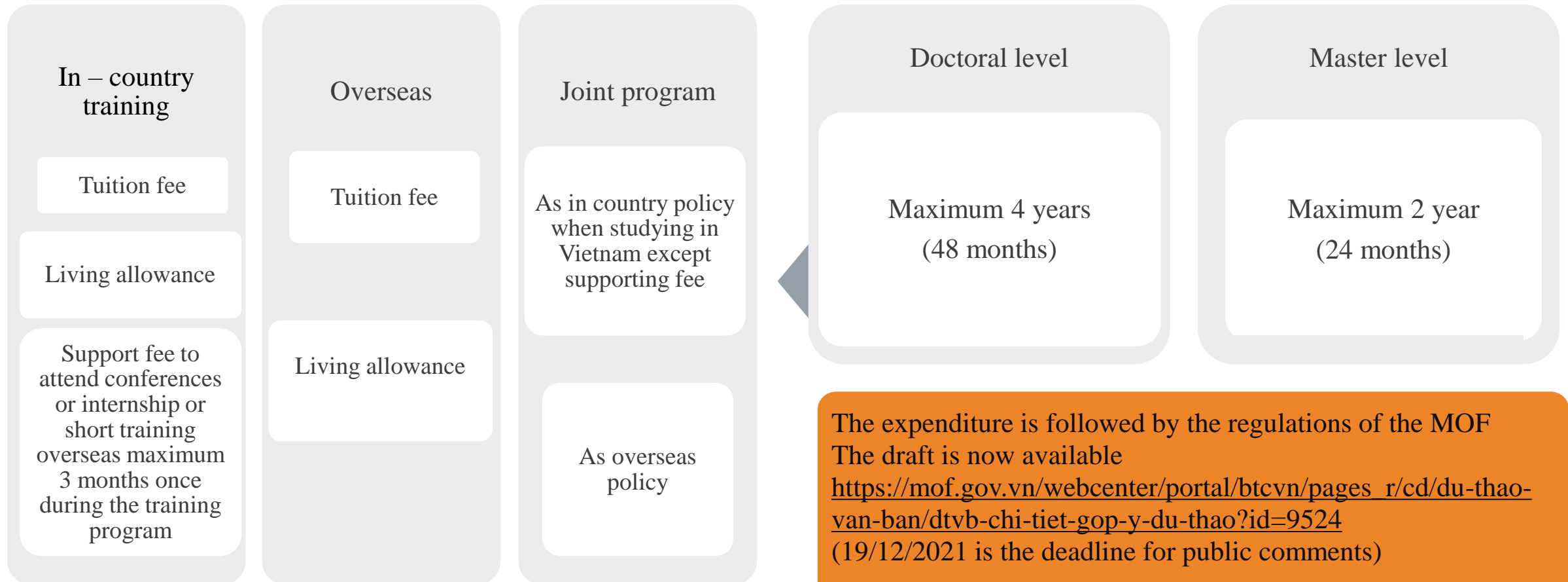
- Overseas institution
 - Disciplines are listed in the top 500 of subject or field of study global rankings recognized by the MOET at least once in the last 5 years
 - The list of training institutions in the fields of art, sport education proposed by the Ministry of Culture, Sports and Tourism; (document 4355/BVHTTDL-ĐT dated 22/11/2021)
 - MOET will announce the name of subject or field of study global ranking and not mention the specific name of any discipline or institution, all the disciplines among the top 500 are eligible as well as the institution



SCHOLARSHIP POLICY

Scholarship

Duration



TIMELINE

15/01

MOET inform the quota

15/4

Home/sending institutions submit to the MOET the plan of the following year

Regularly or when scholarship recipient gets the official offer from host/training institutions

15/3

Selection process implemented by home/sending institutions

15/6

The MOET send to the MOF the final figures collected from all the institutions

Home/sending submit the list of scholarship recipient to MOET to get the final personal decision, and finish the financial procedure for candidates to start training programs



THANK YOU FOR YOUR
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