

# Scholarship circular for the Ph.D. Program

Grameen Caledonian College of Nursing (GCCN) is inviting applications from registered nurses for scholarships in Ph.D. Programs in foreign universities for nursing education, research, and professional development of nurses in Bangladesh.

### The eligibility criteria for the applications are as follows:

Nationality	The applicant must be a Bangladeshi citizen.
Age	Age maximum 45 years.
Academic Background	<ul> <li>MSc. degree in nursing/ public health or nursing related areas from a recognized college/university with minimum 80% of total marks in the final exam.</li> <li>Top 10 (ten) candidates from reputed nursing colleges in the merit list are preferred.</li> </ul>
English Proficiency	<ul><li>a) Have a good command of both written and spoken English.</li><li>b) The candidate should have a valid IELTS overall minimum band score of 6.5 or higher.</li></ul>
Nursing Registration	The applicant must be a registered nurse in Bangladesh.
Work Experience	The applicant should have minimum 2 years of clinical experience & 2 years of teaching experience.

#### **Application process:**

If you are interested in applying for the Ph.D. scholarship program, please submit the following documents electronically (info@gccn.ac.bd) or hard copy to Grameen Caledonian College of Nursing.

#### The required following documents:

- a) Application with an updated CV
- b) Academic reference letter
- c) Three recent passport size photographs (attested)
- d) Copy of all academic certificates & mark sheets (attested)
- e) Copy of valid passport
- f) Copy of nursing registration card
- g) Copy of NID
- h) Copy of valid IELTS test certificate

#### **Terms & Conditions for the scholarship:**

- a) Application documents with false statements or plagiarism will be immediately rejected.
- b) Late submission and incomplete application documents will NOT be accepted.
- c) The recipients of this scholarship will be finally selected by the GCCN scholarship committee through a defined process of selection.
- d) The successful candidate must follow the terms and conditions set by GCCN authority related to scholarship program.
- e) Type of scholarship may be Full/Tuition fees (only).
- f) Selection committee of GCCN holds the final authority to select or reject any application.

## **Application Deadline:**

The application deadline is 31st October 2025

N.B: Any personal persuasion will result in disqualification of candidature.