

Industry Graduate Research Assistant Scholarship Programme (**I-GRASP**)

for CREST R&D Grant Cycle 2/2020 onwards

CREST reserves the right to amend the terms and conditions of I-GRASP without prior notice.

I-GRASP (Detailed contribution)

Postgraduate	Monthly allowance payment for PhD (max. 3 years) / Master (max. 2 years)			Contribution by University	Maximum period of funding (months)
	Maximum contribution by CREST	Minimum contribution by Company	Fixed amount of Allowance		
PhD	RM3,500.00	RM800.00	RM4,300.00	Tuition fees	36
Master	RM2,500.00	RM500.00	RM3,000.00		24

Post graduate	GUIDELINES				
	CGPA	or	Industry experience	or	Research experience
PhD	CGPA of 3.00 and above for Bachelor's degree in the relevant and related field				Minimum 3 years industry working experience in the relevant and related field with minimum 2.75 CGPA
Master	CGPA of 3.00 and above for Bachelor's degree in the relevant and related field		Minimum 1 year industry working experience in the relevant and related field with minimum 2.75 CGPA		Minimum 2 years research experience in the relevant and related field with 1 journal publication and minimum CGPA of 2.75

* All CGPA refers to CGPA of the Bachelor's Degree

UK System to GPA Conversion

In the case where the University adopts UK System, the table below will be applicable

GPA	UK module marks	UK degree classification	GPA
4	70+	First class honours	4
3.7	65-69	Upper-second class honours	3.7
3.3	60-64	Upper-second class honours	3.3
3	55-59	Lower-second class honours	3
2.7	50-54	Lower-second class honours	2.7
2.3	45-49	Third class honours	2.3
2	40-44	Third class honours	2
1	35-39	Ordinary/Unclassified	1
0	Below 35	Ordinary/Unclassified	0

Postgraduate Candidate

A **non-employee** postgraduate candidate must fulfill the criteria below:

- (a) Completed his/her Bachelor's degree in the relevant and related field;
- (b) Is a registered full time post graduate student working on the Project;
- (c) Is not attached to any organisation as an employee;
- (d) Is a Malaysian; and
- (e) Is recommended by the University and the Company of the Project.

Application Procedure

- Prospective candidate is required to submit - **Academic Transcript, CV, Letter of acceptance as post graduate student, Recommendation Letters from University and Company in CREST project**
- Application shall be submitted once the Research Grant Agreement is executed
- Successful applicant is required to enter into an agreement (I-GRASP Agreement) with CREST, the University and the Company

Service Obligation Bond

- I-GRASP recipient is bonded to CREST
- The service obligation bonded period shall be equivalent to the duration of the recipient's postgraduate study
- I-GRASP includes student service obligation bond to CREST which will be released to the Company or University upon request.
- In the event if there is request from the Company or the University, CREST shall transfer the bond to the requesting party. In the case where both Company and University do not require the service of the postgraduate, CREST shall have the right to nullify the Service Obligation Bond.