

## CALL FOR PROPOSAL

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### ZLOG Class of 2018 - 2019 MIT - Zaragoza Dual Degree Scholarships

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#### Presentation and objectives

In today's business environment companies must produce innovative products at a low cost and effectively deliver them to customers around the world. Globalization has driven Logistics and Supply Chain Management to the forefront of business strategy and created the need for a new kind of business leader. In recognition of this development, [Zaragoza Logistics Center \(ZLC\)](#) has partnered with leading business schools to offer [dual degree programs](#) combining a Master of Engineering in Logistics and Supply Chain Management with an International MBA. These dual degree Master programs are intended to prepare high-profile candidates to undertake managerial positions that combine general management capabilities with specialized logistics and supply chain management skills. The need for this new kind of professionals with a sophisticated understanding of complex management issues and the ability to design and operate global networks is patent.

#### Coverage

ZLC will award a number of scholarships consisting of reduction in tuition for the MIT-Zaragoza Master of Engineering in Logistics and Supply Chain Management (ZLOG) program, which currently amounts to €24,000. The reduction will depend on the applicant's academic achievements and distinctive personal accomplishment in addition to an interest in pursuing a career in Logistics and Supply Chain Management. The available scholarships are:

- Average evaluation grade of 6 - 7.9 Coverage: 25 % (€6,000) reduction in tuition
- Average evaluation grade of 8 - 8.9 Coverage: 50 % (€12,000) reduction in tuition
- Average evaluation grade of 9 - 10 Coverage: 100 % (€24,000) reduction in tuition

The scholarship will not include other costs such as the administrative fee, living or travel expenses to Zaragoza or to Boston for the international exchange.

#### Eligibility

Scholarships are awarded only to students who have been admitted to the MIT-Zaragoza Master of Engineering in Logistics and Supply Chain Management (ZLOG) program through ZLC's regular admissions procedure.

Candidates will be expected to show extraordinary potential for leadership and professional success, bringing new vision and commitment to the area of Logistics and Supply Chain Management.

Furthermore, to be eligible, candidates must comply with the following criteria:

- Granted admission to the MIT-Zaragoza Master of Engineering in Logistics and Supply Chain Management (ZLOG) program.\*
- Evidence of have successfully completed an International MBA in a partner business school. Exceptions may be granted to candidates who have demonstrated intention to apply for admission to the partner business school in the following academic year.
- Completion of a four year undergraduate program equivalent to a Bachelor's Degree.
- Professional excellence with a background or experience in Logistics and Supply Chain Management, or exceptional academic achievement.
- Competitive GMAT or GRE score. Exceptions may be granted to individuals who have demonstrated strong professional and/or academic achievement in completing a college degree - including some quantitative training and evidence of advanced verbal and written proficiency in the English language.
- Fluency in English, competitive IELTS or TOEFL score. Exceptions may be granted to individuals who have demonstrated evidence of advanced verbal and written proficiency in the English language.

## **Application Process and Documents**

Candidates must fulfil all of the above-mentioned requirements and submit by e-mail one copy of the following documents to the ZLC Financial Aid Office:

### 1. Application Form

Each scholarship applicant will fill out the [scholarship application form](#), including the following: a statement describing their economical situation, an essay explaining their reasons for applying for the scholarship, their interests, aptitudes, career plans, etc.

### 2. Income Statement

Copy of the current employment contract, the most recent pay slip or other official document that can account for the last salary received. (Not applicable for applicants who are currently full-time students).

### 3. Copy of Passport

### 4. Résumé

### 5. Acceptance Letter

Copy of the acceptance letter to the MIT-Zaragoza Master of Engineering in Logistics and Supply Chain Management (ZLOG) program.

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\* The non-completion of the Dual Degree Program will imply the cancellation of the scholarship in its original terms by which the scholarship holder must pay the amount received for tuition to ZLC.

All interested applicants should apply directly through the ZLC Financial Aid Office:

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· 50197 Zaragoza · Spain

## **Deadline**

The deadline for application is **May 15<sup>th</sup> 2018**. Early application is however encouraged.

All supporting documentation to the application must be postmarked by the deadline of the scholarship.

Incomplete applications will NOT be considered.

## **Selection criteria and process**

Competition for the ZLOG scholarships is intense and highly competitive.

The candidate will be chosen on the basis of the following criteria:

- Preference will be given to candidates with background or work experience in Logistics and Supply Chain Management (25%)
- Financial need (20%)
- Academic merit as according to academic records (20%)
- Essay explaining why the candidate should be awarded with the scholarship (to be filled out in the Application Form) (20%)
- Demonstrated initiative and search for external funding opportunities (contacted the ZLC Financial Aid Office, individual search, other applications for scholarships and/or bank loans, etc) (10%)
- Quality of the proposal: presentation, writing, punctuality in the application, etc. (5%)

## **General conditions of scholarships**

The scholarships are based upon the applicants' fit with the relevant scholarship criteria; therefore, ZLC reserves the right to withdraw the scholarship if the conditions are not met.

The successful candidate will be expected to participate in promotional activities.

ZLC reserves the right to use the names, photographs and recordings of him/her on the website and for any other publicity. Any personal information held will be used in accordance with Data Protection legislation.

This scholarship is non accumulative with other grants of ZLC, except for the Basel ZLOG Alumni Scholarship.

## **Contact information**

For further details on how to apply and what qualifications are required for this scholarship, or for information on other programs of financial assistance which may be available please contact the ZLC Financial Aid Office.

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## **Co-sponsors**

If you are interested in co-sponsoring the ZLOG Scholarship Program, please contact the ZLC Financial Aid Office to discuss proposals and/or possibilities.