

ANNOUNCING

IAR's Pan Tianshou Scholarship

The Institute of Asian Research (IAR) at the University of British Columbia invites submissions for the Pan Tianshou Scholarship. Five graduate scholarships of \$2,000 each are offered to Masters and PhD students who are studying or conducting research in Chinese Studies or research relating to China. The scholarships are funded by the **Pan Tianshou Foundation (PTSF)** based in China, and the **Vancouver Chinese Culture and Arts Foundation (VCCAF).**

One scholarship will be offered to a student in a Masters or PhD program in the Department of Art History, Visual Art and Theory. Two scholarships will be offered to students in other Masters or PhD humanities programs. Two scholarships will be offered to students in other disciplines across campus. Selection is based on academic performance, the quality of the research proposal, and research activity or excellence.

All students currently pursuing an MA or PhD at UBC-Vancouver are eligible for this award. Interested graduate students should e-mail the below documents in PDF format to Helena Zhu (helena.zhu@ubc.ca) indicating "Pan Tianshou Scholarship" in the subject heading. Hard copies may also be sent to Room 251, C.K. Choi Bldg., 1855 West Mall, Vancouver, BC V6T 1Z2 with the same addressee and subject by **4pm on Friday, January 15, 2016**:

- (1) A letter of application addressed to "Pan Tianshou Scholarship Committee", including research/Project statement and a budget plan of no more than 1000 words.
- (2) A short note of support from the UBC faculty member (to be directly forwarded)
- (3) A documented proof of having sought and/or found matching funding
- (4) A copy of your (unofficial) UBC Transcript or a transcript from your last year or undergraduate studies if you are in your first term at UBC.
- (5) Current C.V.

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