Assessment for awards from the Medical Sciences
Graduate School Studentship Competition 2022

Candidates are assessed using the following criteria:

1. Demonstrated ability to contribute scientifically taking career stage into account.
   - candidate demonstrates a strong personal commitment to and enthusiasm for science, given their personal statement and CV.
   - candidate articulates clearly a persuasive rationale for the choice of project(s) or research proposed.
   - candidate shows an understanding of the importance of the work they are proposing to do.
   - candidate has a track record of productive research – assessed in the context of their career stage.

2. Academic achievement given their stage of study and level of opportunity and taking into account various indicators of ability.

Contextual and other data which help to guide the assessment of applications include:

- References
- Relevant research project, internship or working experience, as appropriate.

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