NATIONAL DEFENCE UNIVERSITY, ISLAMABAD

STUDENT NOTICE

GRADUATE EXCHANGE STUDENT PROGRAM (PEC-PG) 2027-28 IN BRAZIL

The Ministry of Foreign Affairs, Brazil, has announced the selection process for the Graduate Exchange Student Programme (PEC-PG) for admission in the 2027/2028 academic year.

Conducted by the National Council for Scientific and Technological Development (CNPq), Brazil, the program will fund up to 100 Master's scholarship holders and up to 100 Doctoral scholarship holders. Higher Education Institutions (HEIs) are requested to disseminate this information among students to encourage participation.

PROGRAM DETAILS

Opportunity Title:	Graduate Exchange Student Program (PEC-PG) 2027-28
Organizing Body:	Ministry of Foreign Affairs, Brazil & National Council for Scientific and Technological Development (CNPq)
Available Slots:	Up to 100 Master's Scholarships | Up to 100 Doctoral Scholarships
Monthly Stipend:	• Master's Degree (24 months): R$ 2,100.00 per month • Doctorate (48 months): R$ 3,100.00 per month
Healthcare Access:	Full access to the services of the Unified Health System (SUS) across Brazil, on equal footing with Brazilian nationals
Return Travel Allowance:	Return travel allowance provided by the Ministry upon program completion (varies by country, per MRE Ordinance No. 572/2024)
Initial Expenses:	Selected candidates are responsible for outbound travel to Brazil and initial living costs until the first stipend payment

APPLICATION & SUBMISSION

Official Portal Link:	PEC-PG Official Information Page
Enquiries Email:	conae@cnpq.br
Email:	info@campaignistan.pk

IMPORTANT INSTRUCTIONS

- Self-Funding Initial Arrival: Candidates must arrange their own travel expenses to Brazil and cover immediate living expenses until receipt of their first monthly stipend.
- Health Rights: Scholarship holders are entitled to equal healthcare access under Brazil's Unified Health System (SUS) without discrimination based on nationality or migration status.
- Official Guidelines: Applicants must follow the official guidelines and regulations specified on the Ministry's portal and CNPq guidelines.
- For further queries & info: Email conae@cnpq.br or visit the official portal: https://www.gov.br/mre/en/subjects/culture-and-education/...

For any query/info, please visit the Student Facilitation Center – PR&SA, NDU.