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1 Overview of the University

Guizhou University of Traditional Chinese Medicine, founded in 1965, upholds the educational philosophy of “prioritizing development, ensuring quality, fostering innovation, and cultivating talent for practical application.” Guided by the motto “Cultivate virtue and clarify aspiration; pursue learning diligently and act with commitment,” the University is a higher education institution centered on traditional Chinese medicine, supported by multiple disciplines, and integrating teaching, research, medical services, and social engagement. It offers comprehensive talent cultivation across undergraduate, Master’s and doctoral levels.

The University currently has 1,673 full-time faculty members, including 840 with doctoral degrees and 845 holding senior professional titles. Among them are 2 National Masters of Traditional Chinese Medicine, 5 Nationally Renowned TCM Experts, 4 “Young Qihuang Scholars,” 1 recipient of the “National Hundred and Thousand and Ten-Thousand Talent Project,” 1 principal investigator of a National Key R&D Program, 1 “Young and Middle-aged Expert with Outstanding Contributions,” 1 “National Health Commission Young and Middle-aged Expert with Outstanding Contributions,” 2 National Teaching Masters in TCM Universities, and 23 Provincial Distinguished Teaching Masters.

The University comprises 18 teaching schools (departments) and offers 40 undergraduate programs across seven disciplinary categories: medicine, science, engineering, management, law, education, and agriculture. It currently enrolls 19,764 full-time undergraduate students. It boasts 2 first-level academic disciplines authorized to confer doctoral degrees and 1 professional doctoral degree category, along with 4 first-level academic disciplines authorized to confer master’s degrees and 11 professional master’s degree categories. The University currently has 3,288 master’s students and 285 doctoral students.

The University hosts 2 national first-class undergraduate programs and 10 national first-class undergraduate courses; 17 provincial first-class undergraduate programs, 4 provincial “gold-standard” programs, and 88 provincial first-class undergraduate courses. It also operates 11 national and provincial platforms, including a National Experimental Teaching Demonstration Center, a National Clinical Teaching and Training Demonstration Center, and a National Off-campus Practice Education Base for University Students.

The University has established 10 research institutes in areas such as traditional Chinese medicine, Chinese materia medica, and ethnic medicine. It administers two directly affiliated hospitals—The First Affiliated Hospital of Guizhou University of Traditional Chinese Medicine (Guizhou Provincial Hospital of Traditional Chinese Medicine) and The Second Affiliated Hospital of Guizhou University of Traditional Chinese Medicine (Guizhou Provincial Hospital of Integrated Traditional Chinese and Western Medicine)—both classified as Grade III Class A TCM hospitals. In December 2023, the University assumed administration of and established the University Town Hospital (Gui’an New Area University Town Hospital), a secondary-level comprehensive hospital. Actively responding to China’s national strategy of opening up education and the Belt and Road Initiative, the University is committed to building a new global framework for TCM education centered on ASEAN. It is a founding member of the “Belt and Road Alliance for Traditional Chinese Medicine.” The University has established cooperative relationships with 33 universities and research institutions across 19 countries and regions; co-established a Joint Research and Development Center for Traditional Chinese Medicine and Ethnic Medicine with Macau

University of Science and Technology; actively promotes education for international students as well as students from Hong Kong, Macao, Taiwan, and overseas Chinese communities; and has developed the distinctive international exchange brand “Acupuncture and Moxibustion Outreach from Guizhou.” It has provided TCM training for academic organizations and institutions in countries such as the United Kingdom, Brazil, Russia, and Ecuador; jointly offers a Sino-foreign cooperative education program in Pharmaceutical Preparations with Leeds Beckett University; and has successfully implemented projects including the Ministry of Education International Joint Laboratory, the Manchester Practice Base in the United Kingdom, and the China-Germany Cardiac Rehabilitation Base. The University has also continuously hosted the China-ASEAN Traditional Medicine Innovation and Development Conference, making significant contributions to the internationalization of TCM.

2 Application Category and Requirements

2.1 Application Category

2.1.1 Academic Education

Educational Level	Major	Year	Language	Tuition (RMB)	Admission Time	Apply for Scholarship from CSC	Apply for Guizhou University of Traditional Chinese Medicine Scholarship
Undergraduate	Traditional Chinese Medicine	5 years	Chinese	20000/yr	September	Yes	Yes
	Clinical medicine of Chinese and Western Integrative Medicine	5 years	Chinese	20000/yr	September	Yes	Yes
	Acupuncture and Tuina(Massage)	5 years	Chinese	20000/yr	September	Yes	Yes
	Chinese pharmacy	4 years	Chinese	20000/yr	September	Yes	Yes
	Pharmacy	4 years	Chinese	20000/yr	September	Yes	Yes
	Nursing	4 years	Chinese	20000/yr	September	Yes	Yes
	Food Quality and Safety	4 years	Chinese	20000/yr	September	No	Yes
	Data Science and Big Data Technology	4 years	Chinese	20000/yr	September	No	Yes
Master's Degree	Traditional Chinese Medicine	3 years	Chinese	30000/yr	September	Yes	Yes

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	Chinese pharmacy	3 years	Chinese	30000/yr	September	Yes	Yes
Doctor's Degree	Chinese pharmacy	3 years	Chinese	38000/yr	September	No	Yes

Undergraduate applicants for the CSC Scholarship must register for the CSCA examination before March 20, 2026, and obtain a valid transcript of results. Examination subjects: Scientific Chinese and Mathematics.

Undergraduate applicants for the Guizhou University of Traditional Chinese Medicine Scholarship must register for the CSCA examination before March 20, 2026, and obtain a valid transcript of results. (Food Quality and Safety: Scientific Chinese, Mathematics, and Chemistry; Data Science and Big Data Technology: Scientific Chinese, Mathematics, and Physics; Other majors: Scientific Chinese and Mathematics.)

2.1.2 Non-Academic Education

Educational Level	Major	Year	Language	Tuition (RMB)	Admission Time
Non Academic Qualifications	Further Study of Chinese	1 years	Chinese	11000/ yr	September
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2.1.3 Eligibility

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Academic Education	Bachelor's degree candidate	1. Applicants must be non-Chinese citizens, aged between 18 and 25 years old (inclusive), and hold a valid foreign passport. Applicants who will not have reached the age of 18 by August 31st of the application year must provide a notarized Letter of Entrustment for Minors as required. 2. Applicants must possess a high school diploma or higher (applicants who have not yet graduated at the time of application must provide a pre-graduation certificate; the high school diploma must be obtained no later than the time of enrollment). 3. Applicants must be in good health and provide a physical examination report issued by a local hospital, dated within the last three months. 4. Applicants must be of good character and provide a certificate of no criminal record issued by the local police

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	station, dated within the last three months. 5. Applicants must abide by the laws and regulations of China and the rules and regulations of the university. 6. Applicants must possess stable financial support for living expenses. 7. Language Proficiency: HSK Level 4 with a score of 180 or above. 8. Transcript of the Chinese Scholastic Competence Assessment for International Students (CSCA). Applicants for bachelor's degree programs must register for the CSCA before the application deadline and obtain a valid transcript of results. The examination subjects are specified in Section 2.1.1.
	Master's degree candidate 1. Applicants must be non-Chinese citizens, aged between 20 and 40 years old (inclusive), and hold a valid foreign passport. 2. Applicants must hold a bachelor's degree or higher (applicants who have not yet graduated at the time of application must provide a pre-graduation certificate; the bachelor's degree must be obtained no later than the time of enrollment). 3. Applicants must be in good health and provide a physical examination report issued by a local hospital, dated within the last three months. 4. Applicants must be of good character and provide a certificate of no criminal record issued by the local police station, dated within the last three months. 5. Applicants must abide by the laws and regulations of China and the rules and regulations of the university. 6. Applicants must possess stable financial support for living expenses. 7. Language Proficiency: HSK Level 5 with a score of 180 or above. 8. Applicants must provide two letters of recommendation from experts with the title of Associate Professor or above. The letters of recommendation must be written in Chinese or English.
	Doctor's Degree Candidate 1. Applicants must be non-Chinese citizens, aged below 45 years old (inclusive), and hold a valid foreign passport. 2. Applicants must hold a master's degree or higher (applicants who have not yet graduated at the time of application must provide a pre-graduation certificate; the master's degree must be obtained no later than the time of enrollment). 3. Applicants must be in good health and provide a physical examination report issued by a local hospital, dated within the last three months. 4. Applicants must be of good character and provide a certificate of no criminal record issued by the local police station, dated within the last three months. 5. Applicants must abide by the laws and regulations of China and the rules and regulations of the university. 6. Applicants must possess stable financial support for living expenses. 7. Language Proficiency: HSK Level 5 with a score of 180 or

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		above. 8. Applicants must provide two letters of recommendation from experts with the title of Associate Professor or above. The letters of recommendation must be written in Chinese or English.
Chinese Language Training	Language Students	1. Applicants must be non-Chinese citizens, aged between 18 and 22 years old (inclusive), and hold a valid foreign passport. Applicants who will not have reached the age of 18 by August 31st of the application year must provide a notarized Letter of Entrustment for Minors as required. 2. Applicants must be in good health and provide a physical examination report issued by a local hospital, dated within the last three months. 3. Applicants must be of good character and provide a certificate of no criminal record issued by the local police station, dated within the last three months. 4. Applicants must abide by the laws and regulations of China and the rules and regulations of the university. 5. Applicants must possess stable financial support for living expenses. 6. Language Proficiency: Applicants who have obtained an HSK Level 2 score of 180 or above will be given priority for admission.
Short-term professional training	Visiting Students	1. Applicants should possess a relevant professional background. 2. Applicants must be in good health and provide a physical examination report issued by a local hospital, dated within the last three months. 3. Applicants must be of good character and provide a certificate of no criminal record issued by the local police station, dated within the last three months. 4. Applicants must possess stable financial support for living expenses.

*All applicants must comply with the regulations outlined in the Ministry of Education's Document No. JWH [2020] 12.

Ministry of Education Notice (JWH [2020] 12) "1. In accordance with Article 5 of the Nationality Law of the People's Republic of China, individuals whose parents (or one parent) are Chinese citizens residing in a foreign country and who possess foreign nationality at birth do not have Chinese nationality. From 2021 onwards, applications from such individuals to study undergraduate or associate degree programs at Chinese higher education institutions as international students, in addition to meeting other admission requirements of the university, must hold a valid foreign passport or nationality certificate for at least 4 years (inclusive) and have a record of actual residence in a foreign country for more than 2 years in the most recent 4 years (up to April 30th of the enrollment year). Actual residence of 9 months or more in a foreign country within a year can be counted as one year, based on entry and exit stamps. 2. Residents of Mainland China, Hong Kong, Macao, and Taiwan who have immigrated and obtained foreign nationality and apply to study undergraduate or associate degree programs at Chinese higher education institutions as international students must meet the requirements outlined in item 1 of this notice."

3. Accommodation and Fees

The apartment for international students is a double room with independent shower and toilet. It is

equipped with a public laundry etc.

Accommodation fee: 4000.00 RMB/yr or 350.00 RMB/m

4. How to Apply

4.1 Submission of Application for Admission

Register and upload required documents through the Guizhou University of TCM International Student Admission System website: gyctcm.at0086.cn/student. Uploaded documents must include, but are not limited to, the following **(if documents are in a language other than Chinese, please provide a certified Chinese translation)**:

1. Scanned copy of the passport information page (if already in China, the visa page must also be provided);
2. Diplomas/Certificates and academic transcripts from previous institutions. A Chinese translation issued by an accredited translation agency must be provided;
3. Personal resume/CV. A Chinese translation issued by an accredited translation agency must be provided;
4. Physical and mental health examination certificate issued by a local hospital.
5. Certificate of no criminal record issued by the local police station.
6. Provide bank statements for the past six months for parents or the applicant;
7. Undergraduate applicants must provide an HSK Level 4 certificate with a score of 180 or above; master's applicants must provide an HSK Level 5 certificate with a score of 180 or above; non-degree language program applicants whose native language is not English must provide an HSK Level 2 certificate with a score of 180 or above;
8. Transcript of the Chinese Scholastic Competence Assessment for International Students (CSCA). Applicants for bachelor's degree programs must register for the CSCA before the application deadline, take the required subjects, and obtain a valid transcript of results.
9. Applicants for Master's programs must provide recommendation letters from two experts with the title of Associate Professor or higher. These letters can be written in either Chinese or English.

4.2 Qualification Review and Interview

1. The International Exchange and Cooperation Office of Guizhou University of Traditional Chinese Medicine will conduct a qualification review of applicants. Applicants can check the review results on the application website.
2. Applicants who pass the qualification review will need to participate in a re-examination (interview), tentatively scheduled for June. The specific format, requirements, and schedule of the re-examination will be subject to the notification issued that year.

4.3 Issuance of Letter of Admission

Based on the applicant's re-examination scores and comprehensive review, the university will select the best candidates for admission and issue the *Admission Letter for Overseas Students in Guizhou University of Traditional Chinese Medicine* and the *Visa Application for Study in China* (JW202 or JW201 Form).

4.4 Apply for a Study Visa to China

Applicants should take their private passport, photos, the *Admission Letter for Overseas Students in Guizhou University of Traditional Chinese Medicine*, the *Visa Application for Study in China* (JW202 or JW201 Form), and the *Physical Examination Record of Foreigner* to the Chinese

Embassy or Consulate in their country to apply for a visa to China in person. For those whose period of schooling is shorter than 180 days, they can apply for visa X2; while, in case that longer than 180 days, visa X1 can be applied for.

4.5 Enrollment and Registration

You shall hold your own Admission Letter for Overseas Students of Guizhou University of Traditional Chinese Medicine to register in International Exchange and Cooperation Office of our University within the required time. Furthermore, you also shall deal with relevant formalities in the local Public Security Bureau of Exit and Entry Administration within 24 hours after arriving at school.

5 Scholarship

5.1 Scholarship from the Chinese Government

For more details, please visit: https://campuschina.org/zh/content/details1003_122933.html

Note: The undergraduate programs in Food Quality and Safety and Data Science and Big Data Technology, as well as the doctoral program in Chinese Materia Medica, are not eligible for application to the Chinese Government Scholarship.

5.2 Guizhou University of Traditional Chinese Medicine Scholarship for International Students

The University offers scholarships for international undergraduate students, master's students, and language program students, which may cover tuition fees and accommodation during the period of study. Applicants participating in short-term training programs (less than ten months) are not eligible for any form of scholarship.

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