### Scholarships

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### HELLO!

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# Scholarship examples

- DAAD
- Chevening Scholarships
- Türkiye Scholarships
- Singapore International Graduate Award (SINGA)

## Graduate Scholarships

Masters and PhD degrees



### **Funding options**

- Scholarship/Fellowship
- Research assistantship (RA)
- Teaching assistantship (TA)

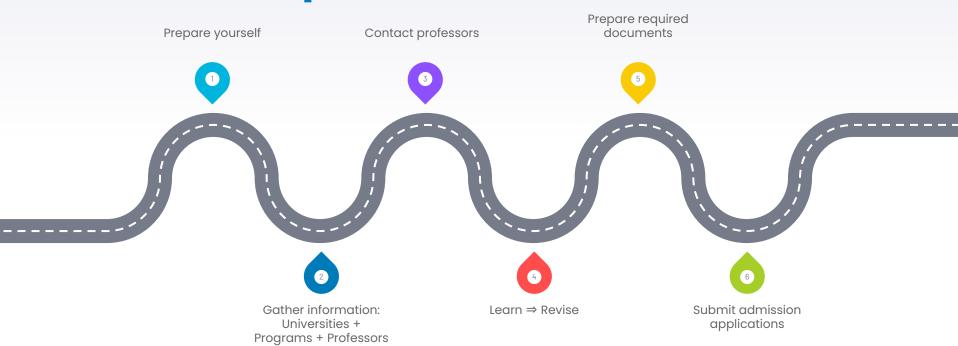
#### Roadmap



#### Prepare yourself

- Academic excellence (e.g., >= very good GPA)
- Language Tests (e.g., TOEFL, IELTS)
- Other tests (e.g., GRE)
- Research activities
- Volunteer work

#### Roadmap



# Prepare documents

- Transcripts in English (in sealed envelopes)
- Valid language scores
- Recommendation letters
- Statement of purpose (SoP)
- Other required documents

#### Recommendation Letters

Pick someone who will write you a strong letter:

- Ask them first
- Not a bad idea to guide them
- Elaborate more on your research/projects

# Statement of purpose (SoP)

A.K.A Statement of intent, personal statement, statement of interest

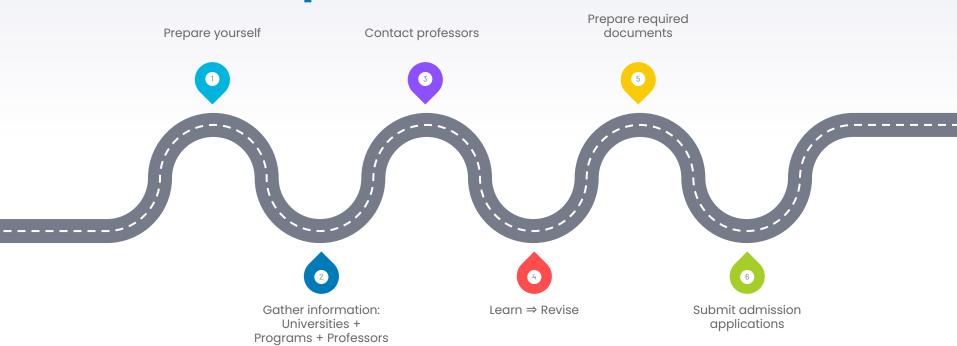
- Not about your life story rather a research statement
- Not too long (1-2 pages)
- Focus on:
  - Your area of interest + research/experience + what looking for

#### Examples:

Mitchell Gordon went to Stanford computer science PhD Philip Guo went to Stanford computer science PhD

How to Write a Bad Statement for a Computer Science Ph.D. Admissions Application

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## Questions?



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