Language Requirements for ZJU International Graduate Programs

1. For Programs taught in Chinese

International applicants who apply for Chinese-taught graduate programs must provide certificates to prove their Chinese language proficiency meets the minimum requirements for admission, which are listed as below:

- **1.1 Chinese Proficiency Test (HSK):** Applicants for Chinese-taught programs shall have HSK certificate of level 5 (180 points) or above. The certificate should be within its validity period.
- **1.2 Certificate of Instruction in Chinese:** Applicants who have earned a degree from accredited college or university whose language of instruction was Chinese, must provide Certificate of Instruction in Chinese issued by previous institution. Applicants who provide this document are exempt from providing HSK Certificate.
- **1.3 Certificate of Instruction in Chinese in Secondary Education:** Applicants who have completed secondary education in middle and senior high schools whose language of instruction was Chinese, must provide Certificate of Instruction in Chinese issued by schools. Applicants who provide these documents are exempt from providing HSK Certificate.

2. For Programs taught in English

International applicants who apply for English-taught graduate programs must provide certificates to prove their English language proficiency meets the minimum requirement for admission, which are listed as below:

2.1 Applicants whose native language is English are exempt from providing English Proficiency Certificates.

Native English speaking countries recognized by ZJU include: American Samoa, Australia, Bahamas, Barbados, Belize, Botswana, Canada, Fiji, Gibraltar, Ghana, Guyana, Ireland, Jamaica, Kenya, Lesotho, Liberia, New Zealand, Nigeria, Papua New Guinea, Singapore, Solomon Islands, South Africa, The Gambia, Tonga, United Kingdom (including Northern Ireland), United States of America, Zambia, Zimbabwe.

2.2 Applicants whose native language is not English must provide English Language Test Result within validity period **or** Certificate of Instruction in English issued by previous institutions or other proof which can reflect the applicants' English proficiency.

• English Language Tests

English Language Tests	Minimum Requirement	Remarks
IELTS	6.5	
TOEFL	90	
Duolingo	120	
Cambridge Certificate in Advanced English(CAE)	180	
Cambridge Certificate of Proficiency in English(CPE)	180	

• Certificate of Instruction in English: Applicants who have earned a degree from accredited college or university whose language of instruction was English, must provide Certificate of Instruction in English issued by previous institution.

Note: Applicants who apply for exemption from submitting language test scores must upload relevant documents to the **Language Proficiency Certificate Section** of ZJU Online Application System.