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CHINESE COMMUNIST SCHOLARSHIPS FOR INDONESIA

In May 1959 the Chinese Communist Embassy in Djakarta offered twenty university scholarships to the Indonesian government for the school year starting in September 1959. These scholarships are for Indonesian citizens only and have to be filled by the end of August.

In 1958 the Chinese Communists offered only ten scholarships to Indonesia, all of which were filled.

In addition to the above the Chinese Communist Embassy, through the Chinese school system in Indonesia, offers one hundred university scholarships to Chinese Communist citizens residing in Indonesia. These are awarded on a highly competitive basis.

Comment: Chinese Communist citizens who leave Indonesia to take advantage of scholarships in China are prevented from returning to Indonesia upon completing their studies by the Indonesian government. Thus the Chinese government draws on the cream of Chinese youth in Indonesia for use in the "brain fund" of China.

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