



Agency for  
Science, Technology  
and Research

SINGAPORE

**Scholarship Award Ceremony**  
**Celebrating Science.**  
**Scholars. Innovations.**

25 July 2025, Friday

# Congratulations

## A\*STAR Scholars of 2025

### Programme

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| 4.00pm | <b>Commencement of Ceremony</b>  |
| 4.05pm | <b>Opening Speech by Guest-of-Honour<br/>Dr Tan See Leng</b><br>Minister for Manpower &<br>Minister-in-charge of Energy and Science & Technology |
| 4.15pm | <b>Scholarship Award Presentation</b>  |
| 4.40pm | <b>Sharing by A*STAR's Deployed Scholar<br/>Dr Wan Yue</b><br>Executive Director<br>A*STAR Genome Institute of Singapore                         |
| 4.50pm | <b>Video Presentation</b><br>Celebrating Science. Scholars. Innovations.   |
| 4.55pm | <b>End of Ceremony</b><br><i>Dinner buffet to follow</i>   |

*Programme is subject to change.*

## OUR MISSION

We advance science and develop innovative technology to further economic growth and improve lives.

The Agency for Science, Technology and Research (A\*STAR) drives mission-oriented research that advances scientific discovery and technological innovation. We play a key role in nurturing and developing talent and leaders for our Research Institutes, the wider research community, and industry.

Our research creates economic growth and jobs for Singapore. As a Science and Technology Organisation, we bridge the gap between academia and industry in terms of research and development. In these endeavours, we seek to integrate the relevant capabilities of our research institutes and collaborate with the wider research community as well as other public sector agencies towards meaningful and impactful outcomes. Together with the other public sector entities, we develop industry sectors by:

- » integrating our capabilities to create impact with Multi-National Corporations and Globally Competitive Companies;
- » partnering Local Enterprises for productivity and gearing them for growth; and
- » nurturing R&D-driven Start-ups by seeding for surprises and shaping for success.

Our research, in addition, also contributes to societal benefits such as improving outcomes in healthcare, urban living, and sustainability. These serve to enhance lives in Singapore and beyond.

## OUR VISION

### A global leader in science, technology and open innovation

The Agency for Science, Technology and Research (A\*STAR) is a catalyst, enabler and convenor of significant research initiatives among the research community in Singapore and beyond. Through open innovation, we collaborate with our partners in both the public and private sectors, and bring science and technology to benefit the economy and society.

## Scholars of 2025

### NATIONAL SCIENCE SCHOLARSHIP (BS)

The National Science Scholarship (BS) provides scholars with early access to the scientific ecosystem, connecting them with top global institutions, labs, and mentors to build the skills and experience for future impact. Individuals with outstanding performance will be supported for their PhD training.

### BIOMEDICAL SCIENCES

Ang Chong Zhe (Hong Zhangze)  
Jovellano Al Johann Hernandez  
Lim Wan Qin  
Lim Zhi Fei (Lin Zhifei)  
Luei Zee Suen  
Pan Yi Hui, Josephine Ann  
Rachel Chan Shurui  
Tan Chok Joo (Chen Zeyu)

To Be Confirmed  
To Be Confirmed  
University of Pennsylvania  
University of Cambridge  
University College London  
Imperial College London  
University College London  
University of Cambridge

### SCIENCE AND ENGINEERING

Abdullah Bin Zainal  
Galen Gay  
Ivan Joel You Wen Jie  
Kayden Tan Shen Rong  
Lee Huan Yu  
Lim Yu Tong  
Liu Kaiyu Isabella  
Martin Koh Zhen Xuan  
Ng Le Xi (Huang Lexi)  
Tham Zhi Xuan Jan  
Vanisha Agrawal  
Wan Runhao  
Yeo Hong

To Be Confirmed  
To Be Confirmed  
To Be Confirmed  
University of Cambridge  
To Be Confirmed  
University of Cambridge  
University of Michigan  
University of Oxford  
University of Cambridge  
University of Oxford  
University of Cambridge  
University of Oxford  
To Be Confirmed



## NATIONAL SCIENCE SCHOLARSHIP (MASTERS)

Fast-tracking scholars into research, the National Science Scholarship (Masters) is an overseas scholarship that provides practical experience to scholars in the fields of Computer and Information Sciences, Food Technology, Microelectronics and Quantum Technology. Through hands-on exposure, scholars are equipped with industry-ready research skills to make contribution to the industry in a shorter span of time.

### BIOMEDICAL SCIENCES

**Chng Jing Ying, Valerie**  
**Nicole Lim Sze Ting**  
**R Janani**  
**Shirlyn Tay Xue Ning**

Wageningen University & Research  
Imperial College London  
Wageningen University & Research  
Wageningen University & Research

## NATIONAL SCIENCE SCHOLARSHIP (PhD)

Designed to develop top research talent for Singapore, the National Science Scholarship (PhD) provides scholars access to leading global institutions and labs, offering global research exposure. Accompanied with a 1-year research attachment at A\*STAR, scholars are given real-world experience and equipped with skills to excel on the global stage.

### BIOMEDICAL SCIENCES

**Chua Chun Yin, Celine**  
**Cui Yuwei**  
**Dawn Lok**  
**Foo Siu Wen**  
**Gabriel Ong Xianwei**  
**Gunung Veronica**  
**Lee Derick**

Kyoto University  
To Be Confirmed  
University of Chicago  
To Be Confirmed  
The Scripps Research Institute (La Jolla)  
To Be Confirmed  
University of Nottingham-University of  
Adelaide (Joint programme)  
University of Cambridge  
University of Oxford

**Mak Wai Theng**  
**Ng Yang Kai**

**Ong Jun Xun**

**Peng Shu Qin**  
**Summer Li Shijia**  
**Yang Qize**

University of California, Berkeley and  
University of California, San Francisco  
(Joint programme)  
To Be Confirmed  
Stanford University  
Baylor College of Medicine

### SCIENCE AND ENGINEERING

**Fu Shun Long, Winston**  
**Neoh Tzeh Yuan**  
**Ngoh Yen Qi, Natalie**  
**Syed Hafiz Bin Salim Alsree**  
**Tang Leng Ze**  
**Trevor Lee Rei**  
**Wang Haiyi**  
**Yin Mengyuan**

Princeton University  
Harvard University  
Massachusetts Institute of Technology  
University of Oxford  
To Be Confirmed  
Massachusetts Institute of Technology  
University of Oxford  
University of Oxford

## A\*STAR GRADUATE SCHOLARSHIP

Designed to enable scholars to directly contribute to research during their PhD studies, the A\*STAR Graduate Scholarship also offers a 12-month overseas attachment, laying a strong foundation for careers in science and innovation. Upon completion, scholars of this award are also able to pursue a post-doctorate with the A\*STAR International Fellowship.

### BIOMEDICAL SCIENCES

**Anabel Chang Jia Wei**  
**Chee En Zhe, Thaddeus**  
**Chua Kai Jie, Sean**  
**Nana Mahroe Luis Tabat**  
**Neve Lok Qian Ning**  
**Ng Choon Tat**

Nanyang Technological University  
National University of Singapore  
Nanyang Technological University  
National University of Singapore  
National University of Singapore  
National University of Singapore

Ng Zi Xiu  
Qin Shiru  
Seow Wei Lin Natasha  
Yap Beng Han Wilson  
Yiong Chin Sern  
You Ruochii

To Be Confirmed | Singapore  
National University of Singapore  
National University of Singapore  
National University of Singapore  
National University of Singapore

## SCIENCE AND ENGINEERING

Cheng Xin Wei  
Leslie Lim Ziqi  
Wu Tianyu

Nanyang Technological University  
To Be Confirmed | Singapore  
Nanyang Technological University

## A\*STAR GRADUATE SCHOLARSHIP (COMPUTING)

The A\*STAR Graduate Scholarship (Computing) empowers scholars to actively contribute to research in Computing and Information Science during their PhD studies and includes a 12-month overseas attachment, providing a solid foundation for careers in technology and computing.

## SCIENCE AND ENGINEERING

Dou Yuxiao  
Fan Jue  
Guo Xinying  
Hong Fung Heng, Colin  
Ryan Quek Wei Heng  
Tan Chee Heng  
Tian Xiao  
Vernon Toh Yan Han  
Zhang Guoyun

Nanyang Technological University  
National University of Singapore  
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Nanyang Technological University  
National University of Singapore

## A\*STAR INTERNATIONAL FELLOWSHIP

The A\*STAR International Fellowship is an overseas fellowship geared to equip scholars with resources and skills for game-changing breakthroughs. Serving as a platform for global connections, this post-doctoral stint allows scholars to tap into an international network, deepening their research experience and preparing them for tomorrow's biggest breakthroughs.

## BIOMEDICAL SCIENCES

Cheng Zhi Ming

University of Massachusetts Chan  
Medical School

Liew Jun Hao  
Ou Yi Hsuan  
Ou Yi Hui

ETH Zurich  
Massachusetts Institute of Technology  
Harvard University

## SCIENCE AND ENGINEERING

Kennard Chan Yanting  
Luo Yifei  
Mithal Abeer  
Ng Si En Timothy  
Wu Xinbang

Stanford University  
University of Cambridge  
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Stanford University  
University of Cambridge



## A\*STAR Graduate Academy

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