

# Estuarine and Coastal Science

The State Key Laboratory of Estuarine and Coastal Research (SKLEC) is originated from the Estuarine Research Institute established in 1957. SKLEC has been strongly involved in providing solutions to resolve theoretical and practical problems encountered in the very diverse and large-scale coastal developments in China, such as the first national comprehensive survey on coastal resources, the construction of harbors and ports, channel regulations, the restoration of coastal wetlands and the implementation of engineering structures. While serving the national needs, SKLEC continues to promote the development of Earth Sciences, with increasing influence home and abroad. SKLEC not only contributes to solve the sustainable development problems in China, but also provides the support for the global estuarine and coastal regions. Over the last decades, SKLEC has adopted and promoted an atmosphere of being “Open to Collaboration, Exchange of Experience, Unity in Performance and Open to Competition”. This has been and will continue to be the basis of SKLEC.

Estuarine Coastal Science is an independent doctoral program set up by the SKLEC in accordance with the development of estuarine coastal discipline, which is a cross-discipline of geography and marine science, and is closely related to water conservancy, geology, atmospheric sciences, environmental sciences, and engineering sciences. Since 2005, more than 100 PhD students have been recruited.

<b>Campus</b>	Minhang Campus	<b>Degree</b>	Doctor of Science
<b>Length (year)</b>	4 Years	<b>Tuition</b>	35000RMB/Year
<b>Instruction Language</b>	English / Chinese	<b>Application Language Requirement</b>	Chinese -taught Programs: HSK5 级 $\geq$ 180 English-taught Programs: IELTS $\geq$ 6.0 / TOEFL $\geq$ 80 / Cambridge English $\geq$ B2
<b>Classes Open to International Students Only</b>		NO	
<b>Graduation Requirement</b>	Complete the course study and earn the required credits, publish a specified number of papers, and pass the thesis defense.		

## Major Courses

Primarily engaged in scientific research and teaching in higher education institutions, research organizations, etc., as well as relevant policy formulation and analysis work in government

departments.

### **After Graduation**

Primarily engaged in scientific research and teaching in higher education institutions, research organizations, etc., as well as relevant policy formulation and analysis work in government departments.

### **Scholarship**

Chinese Government Scholarship

Shanghai Government Scholarship

### **Application Contact**

Yin Laoshi Email: [yyin@ied.ecnu.edu.cn](mailto:yyin@ied.ecnu.edu.cn)