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2. Sekretaris Inspektorat Jenderal;  
3. Sekretaris Direktorat Jenderal Sumber Daya Air;  
4. Sekretaris Direktorat Jenderal Bina Marga;  
5. Sekretaris Direktorat Jenderal Cipta Karya;  
6. Sekretaris Direktorat Jenderal Prasarana Strategis;  
7. Sekretaris Direktorat Jenderal Bina Konstruksi;  
8. Sekretaris Direktorat Jenderal Pembiayaan Infrastruktur PU;  
9. Sekretaris Badan Pengembangan Infrastruktur Wilayah;  
10. Kepala Pusat, Direktur Politeknik PU, Kepala Balai dan Kepala Bagian Kepegawaian dan Umum, BPSDM.

Di tempat

Sehubungan dengan penawaran beasiswa *Taiwan ICDF Scholarship*, kami sampaikan informasi sebagai berikut:

1. Pemerintah Taiwan melalui *Taiwan International Cooperation and Development Fund* (TaiwanICDF) menawarkan program beasiswa penuh (*fully funded*) bekerja sama dengan berbagai universitas terkemuka di Taiwan untuk program pendidikan magister dan doktoral yang diselenggarakan dalam bahasa Inggris.
2. Cakupan beasiswa meliputi biaya pendidikan, biaya hidup, serta biaya pendukung lainnya sesuai dengan ketentuan TaiwanICDF. Program ini dirancang untuk mendukung kebutuhan pembangunan negara mitra dan meningkatkan kapasitas sumber daya manusia secara berkelanjutan.
3. Persyaratan :
  - a. Memiliki latar belakang pendidikan dan/atau pengalaman kerja yang relevan dengan program studi yang dilamar;
  - b. Mampu berbahasa Inggris secara lisan dan tulisan, dibuktikan dengan sertifikat kemampuan bahasa Inggris sesuai ketentuan universitas tujuan;
  - c. Sehat jasmani dan Rohani;
  - d. Memenuhi persyaratan dan ketentuan lain yang ditetapkan oleh TaiwanICDF dan perguruan tinggi tujuan;
  - e. Persyaratan dan ketentuan lain dapat dilihat melalui website resmi TaiwanICDF <https://www.icdf.org.tw/>
4. Periode pendaftaran beasiswa dibuka mulai **1 Desember 2025 sampai dengan 15 Maret 2026** melalui sistem pendaftaran *daring* TaiwanICDF.
5. Informasi serta keterangan lebih lanjut terkait beasiswa *Taiwan ICDF Scholarship* sebagaimana terlampir, dan dapat diakses melalui tautan resmi berikut <https://www.icdf.org.tw/> serta calon peserta dapat menghubungi pihak penyelenggara beasiswa untuk memperoleh informasi lebih lanjut melalui alamat surat elektronik [icdfscholarship@icdf.org.tw](mailto:icdfscholarship@icdf.org.tw)
6. Mekanisme pengajuan tugas belajar serta pemilihan program studi mengacu pada Peraturan Menteri PUPR nomor **02 tahun 2023 tentang Pengembangan Kompetensi Pegawai Aparatur Sipil Negara.**

7. Calon peserta yang diusulkan wajib memenuhi syarat berdasarkan analisa kebutuhan pengembangan kompetensi di masing-masing Unit Organisasi dan sesuai dengan jabatan dan pendidikan yang dilamar, serta memenuhi persyaratan tugas belajar dan persyaratan yang ditetapkan oleh lembaga beasiswa.
8. Calon peserta yang diusulkan oleh unit organisasi harus mendapatkan rekomendasi dari BPSDM sebelum mengikuti proses seleksi. Bagi calon yang direkomendasikan melakukan pendaftaran mandiri secara online sesuai dengan ketentuan pihak penyelenggara.
9. Bagi calon peserta yang lulus seleksi beasiswa namun tidak melapor kepada Pejabat Pembina Kepegawaian Unit Organisasi dan kepada BPSDM pada proses awal pendaftaran, maka rekomendasi untuk penerbitan SK Tugas Belajar dan administrasi lainnya tidak dapat kami proses.
10. Calon peserta yang memenuhi syarat **beserta dokumen persyaratan lengkap** dapat diusulkan kepada Sekretariat Badan Pengembangan Sumber Daya Manusia c.q. Bagian Hukum, Kerja Sama, Komunikasi Publik, dan Data dan Teknologi Informasi **selambat-lambatnya, hari Kamis tanggal 1 Maret 2026** (hanya kandidat dengan dokumen persyaratan lengkap yang akan diproses).

Dalam menunjang pembangunan Zona Integritas menuju Wilayah Bebas dari Korupsi, Badan Pengembangan Sumber Daya Manusia Kementerian Pekerjaan Umum berkomitmen meningkatkan kualitas pelayanan publik yang bebas dari korupsi dan memberikan pelayanan prima.

Demikian disampaikan, atas perhatian dan kerjasamanya, kami ucapkan terima kasih.

**Sekretaris Badan Pengembangan  
Sumber Daya Manusia,**



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Tembusan :

1. Kepala Badan Pengembangan Sumber Daya Manusia;
2. Kepala Biro Perencanaan Anggaran dan Kerjasama Luar Negeri.



# TaiwanICDF Scholarship

## ABOUT THE SCHOLARSHIP

The TaiwanICDF collaborates with leading universities in Taiwan to offer scholarships for a wide range of English-taught programs. These fully funded opportunities cover tuition, living expenses, and other essential costs, enabling international students to pursue advanced studies in Taiwan with comprehensive support.

## WHAT DOES THE SCHOLARSHIP OFFER?

- The programs are thoughtfully designed to address the real development needs of our partner countries.
- All program is conducted in English, empowering recipients to strengthen their global communication abilities and expand their professional horizons.
- Most importantly, we hope every recipients will carry this experience back home—transforming what they've learned into real impact, driving national progress, and becoming a force for long-term, sustainable change.



## TaiwanICDF SCHOLARSHIP Application

**From December 1, 2025 to March 15, 2026**

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**[TaiwanICDF Scholarship](#)**

**or contact us at**

**[icdfscholarship@icdf.org.tw](mailto:icdfscholarship@icdf.org.tw)**



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# Taiwan ICDF

## 2026 Higher Education

# Application Guidebook



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Education is the stepping stone that leads you to your goals and dreams - a spark that ignites dreams, empowers minds, and opens doors to endless possibilities.

Through education, you discover who you are and who you can become. You question, explore, create, and grow. Education opens your eyes to new worlds and teaches you to see beyond limits.

Education lives in every experience, every conversation, every moment you encounter as you grow. Keep learning, keep believing, and keep moving forward. Because with every spark of understanding, you are already changing the world.

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## International Higher Education Scholarship Program

International education and training has long been one of the TaiwanICDF's core operations, among many others. Human resources development programs play a vital role in assisting partner countries achieve sustainable development, and education is a crucial mechanism for training workforces in developing countries. The TaiwanICDF provides scholarships for higher education and has developed undergraduate, graduate and Ph.D. programs in cooperation with renowned partner universities in Taiwan.

**The TaiwanICDF** has established the Taiwan International Cooperation Alliance (TICA), setting up an operational platform under this TICA framework to manage and improve the scholarship program. In 2026, there are 32 programs offered for TaiwanICDF Scholarship application. More information about each of the programs offered in 2026, please read the guidebook thoroughly.



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## Why TaiwanICDF Scholarship?

The programs we offer are carefully tailored to meet the specific development needs of our partner countries, ensuring that each course provides practical and relevant knowledge. All training is conducted in English to enhance international communication and professional competence. Furthermore, we encourage participants to apply what they have learned upon returning home, contributing to their countries' national development and fostering long-term, sustainable growth.



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## Scope of Scholarship

Entitlements: The total scholarship, including airfare (round-trip), housing, tuition, credit fees, insurance, textbook costs and a monthly allowance will be provided by the TaiwanICDF to each student within his/her given award period. The scholarship is itemized as follows:

- Airfare: The TaiwanICDF shall arrange your most-direct flights to and from Taiwan with Economy Class tickets. Every airline has its own carry-on and check-in luggage policy, including for weight limits and transporting pets. Applicants have been advised to check with the airlines for details before departure.
- Housing: All students must reside in the student dormitories.
- Tuition fee: The TaiwanICDF will cover the tuition fee as required by the student's university.
- Credit fees: Credit fees vary with the number of credits registered. Credit fees will also be covered as required by the student's university.



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## Scope of Scholarship

- Insurance: While in Taiwan, in addition to the mandatory student safety insurance set by the Ministry of Education, each student must be insured for accidental and necessary medical coverage. Insurance fees will be covered for the entire duration of the program.
- Book costs: Purchasing textbooks as required by the instructors shall be subject to the approval of the director of the student's institute
- Allowance:
  1. Bachelor's Program: Each student shall receive NT\$15,000 per month during the period of the program as allowance for food and miscellaneous living expenses. The sum will be deposited monthly into the student's local bank account.
  2. Master's Program: Each student shall receive NT\$18,000 per month during the period of the program as allowance for food and miscellaneous living expenses. The sum will be deposited monthly into the student's local bank account.
  3. Ph. D. Program: Each student shall receive NT\$20,000 per month during the period of the program as allowance for food and miscellaneous living expenses. The sum will be deposited monthly into the student's local bank account.



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## General Eligibility Criteria for TaiwanICDF Scholarship

### An applicant must...

- Be a citizen of a country on the List of Countries Eligible for TaiwanICDF Scholarship, and satisfy any specific criteria established by his or her country and/or government of citizenship.
- Neither be a national of the Republic of China (Taiwan) nor an overseas compatriot student.
- Satisfy the admission requirements of the partner university to which he or she has applied to study under a TaiwanICDF scholarship.
- Be able to satisfy all requirements for a Resident Visa (Code: FS) set by the Bureau of Consular Affairs, Ministry of Foreign Affairs, and an Alien Resident Certificate (ARC) set by the Ministry of the Interior, of the ROC (Taiwan) government (this means that the TaiwanICDF has the right to revoke a scholarship offered if an applicant cannot satisfy the visa requirements)



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## General Eligibility Criteria for TaiwanICDF Scholarship

### An applicant must...

- Upon accepting a TaiwanICDF scholarship, not hold any other ROC (Taiwan) government-sponsored scholarship (such as the Taiwan Scholarship) in the same academic year in which the TaiwanICDF scholarship would be due to commence.
- Not be applying for another TaiwanICDF scholarship in unbroken succession to apply for a 2026 scholarship, applicants who have already held a TaiwanICDF scholarship, MOFA's Taiwan Scholarship or an MOE scholarship must have graduated before July 31, 2025.
- Provide the highest-level diploma before July 31, 2026. Applicants unable to obtain the certificate by this date may instead apply for next year's scholarship.
- Have never had any scholarship revoked by any ROC (Taiwan) government agency or related institution, nor been expelled from any Taiwanese university.



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## List of Countries Eligible for TaiwanICDF Scholarship

### Central America

- \*Belize
- \*Guatemala
- Mexico

### Caribbean

- \*Haiti
- \*St. Kitts and Nevis
- \*St. Lucia
- \*St. Vincent and the Grenadines

### South America

- Argentina
- Bolivia
- Brazil
- Colombia
- Ecuador
- \*Paraguay
- Peru
- Uruguay

### Europe

- Albania
- Bosnia and Herzegovina
- Hungary
- Kosovo
- Latvia
- Montenegro
- North Macedonia
- Poland
- Serbia

### Africa

- Côte d'Ivoire
- Djibouti
- \*Eswatini
- Ethiopia
- Kenya
- Sénégal
- South Africa
- Somaliland
- Tanzania
- Uganda

### Asia Pacific

- Fiji
- India
- Indonesia
- Laos
- Malaysia
- \*Marshall Islands
- Myanmar
- \*Palau
- Papua New Guinea
- Philippines
- Sri Lanka
- Thailand
- Timor-Leste
- \*Tuvalu
- Vietnam

### West Asia

- Jordan
- Mongolia
- Russia
- Türkiye

\* Countries that have diplomatic relations with Taiwan. Only applicants from these countries are eligible to apply to the bachelor's programs.

• ROC Embassies and Missions Abroad

• Sénégalese applicants -Please reach out to Bureau de Representation de Taipei en Cote d'Ivoire

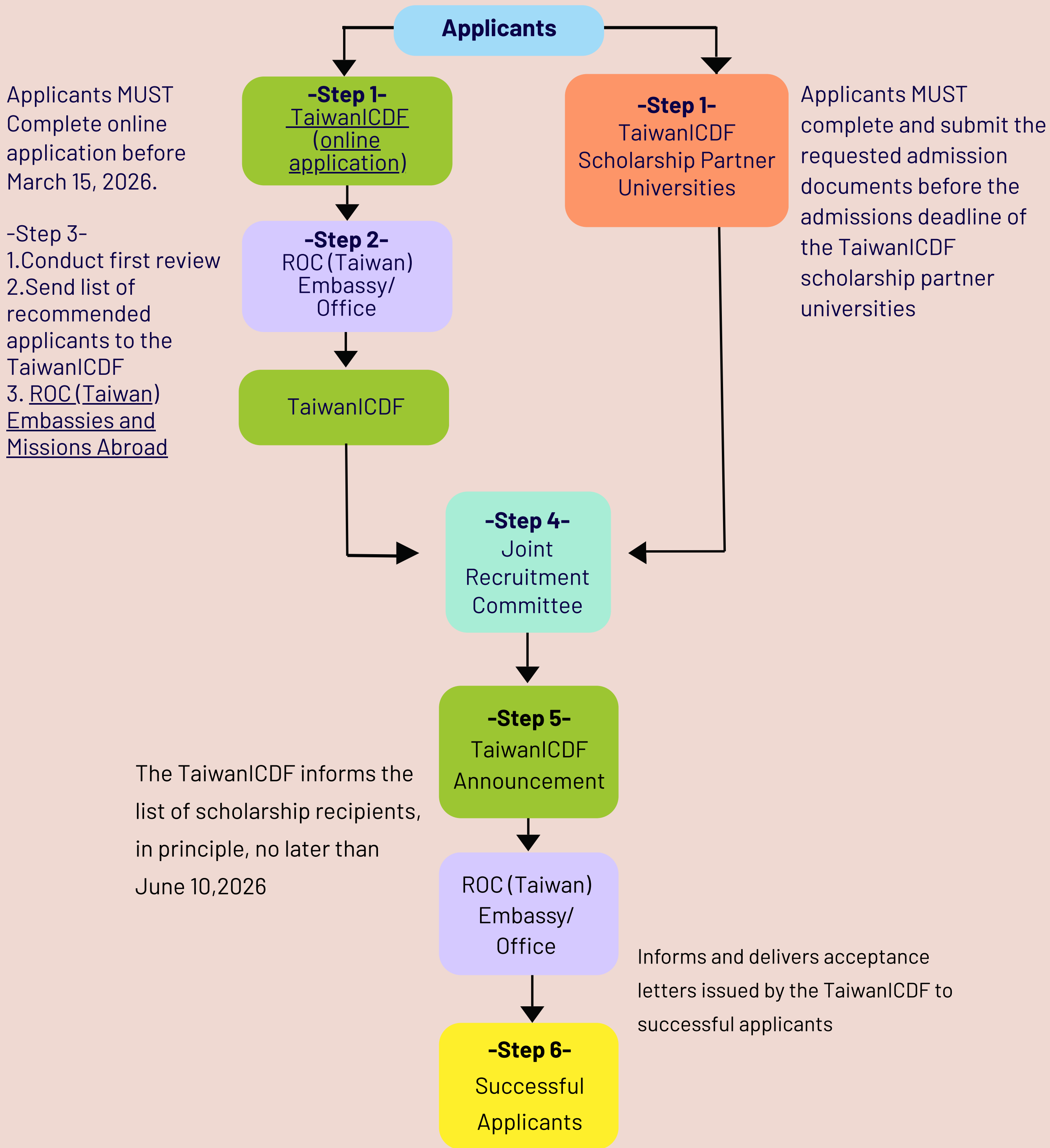
• Tanzanian applicants-Please reach out to Taiwan Representative Office in the Republic of Somaliland



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## Application Procedure Flowchart

For the 2026 Scholarship program,  
the application period runs from December 1, 2025 to March 15, 2026.



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## Step 1: To the Application System & Meet the University Requirements

- To the Application System

Applicants must complete an online application. Please go to **TaiwanICDF Scholarship Online Application System** to fill in your application.

**(Application Dates: December 1, 2025 - March 15, 2026).**

Applicants must ensure that they submit accurate and complete information; failure to do so will result in the application not being processed.

- Please note that each applicant can only apply for one program at a time. The applicant also needs to submit a separate program application to his/her chosen university/program.

- **Bachelor's programs are exclusively available to applicants from countries that maintain diplomatic relations with Taiwan.**

- Meet the University Requirements

In addition to the above documents requested as part of their scholarship application, applicants should also submit all documents required by the TaiwanICDF partner schools that they are applying to before the admissions deadline of that university. For detailed information on such documents, please refer to Programs Available for Application in 2026.



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## Programs Available for Application in 2026

### Ph.D. Programs

Area of Study: Agriculture

University: National Pingtung University of Science and Technology (NPUST)

Program: Ph.D. Program in Tropical Agriculture

[Application Information and Program Introduction](#)

Area of Study: Public Health and Medicine

University: National Yang Ming Chiao Tung University (NYCU)

Program: Ph.D. Program in International Health

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Area of Study: Public Health and Medicine

University: Taipei Medical University (TMU)

Program: Ph.D. Program in Global Health and Health Security

[Application Information and Program Introduction](#)



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## Programs Available for Application in 2026

### Master's Programs

Area of Study: Agriculture

University: National Pingtung University of Science and Technology (NPUST)

Program: Master Program in Tropical Agriculture

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Area of Study: Agriculture

University: National Taiwan Ocean University (NTOU)

Program: International Master Program in Aquaculture Technology and Management

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Area of Study: Agriculture

University: National Chung Hsing University (NCHU)

Program: International Master Program in Agriculture (IMPA)

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## Programs Available for Application in 2026

### Master's Programs

Area of Study: Business and Management

University: National Chengchi University (NCCU)

Program: International Master of Business Administration (IMBA)

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Area of Study: Business and Management

University: National Tsing Hua University (NTHU)

Program: International Master of Business Administration in  
Technology Management

[Application Information](#) and [Program Introduction](#)

Area of Study: Business and Management

University: National Taiwan Normal University (NTNU)

Program: Graduate Institute of International Human Resource  
Development (IHRD)

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## Programs Available for Application in 2026

### Master's Programs

Area of Study: Business and Management

University: Ming Chuan University (MCU)

Program: MBA Program of International Business and Trade

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Area of Study: Business and Management

University: National Kaohsiung University of Hospitality and Tourism (NKUHT)

Program: International Master's Program of Tourism and Hospitality (IMTH)

[Application Information](#) and [Program Introduction](#)

Area of Study: Public Health and Medicine

University: National Yang Ming Chiao Tung University (NYCU)

Program: Master's Program in International Health

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## Programs Available for Application in 2026

### Master's Programs

Area of Study: Public Health and Medicine

University: Taipei Medical University (TMU)

Program: International Master's Program in Health Care Administration

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Area of Study: Public Health and Medicine

University: Taipei Medical University (TMU)

Program: Master Program in School of Pharmacy

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Area of Study: Engineering and Science

University: National Tsing Hua University (NTHU)

Program: International Master Program in Information Systems  
and Applications

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## Programs Available for Application in 2026

### Master's Programs

Area of Study: Engineering and Science

University: National Yang Ming Chiao Tung University (NYCU)

Program: EECS International Graduate Program (EECS IGP)

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Area of Study: Engineering and Science

University: National Central University (NCU)

Program: Master of Science Program in Remote Sensing Science and Technology

[Application Information](#) and [Program Introduction](#)

Area of Study: Engineering and Science

University: National Sun Yat-sen University (NSYSU)

Program: International Master's Program in Electric Power Engineering (IMEPE)

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## Programs Available for Application in 2026

### Master's Programs

Area of Study: Engineering and Science

University: Yuan Ze University (YZU)

Program: International Master's Program in Industrial Engineering and Management

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Area of Study: Engineering and Science

University: National Cheng Kung University (NCKU)

Program: International Master Program in Civil Engineering and Management (ICEM)

[Application Information and Program Introduction](#)

Area of Study: Engineering and Science

University: National Cheng Kung University (NCKU)

Program: International Master Program on Natural Hazards Mitigation and Management

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## Programs Available for Application in 2026

### Master's Programs

Area of Study: Engineering and Science

University: National Dong Hwa University (NDHU)

Program: International Master Program in Artificial Intelligence and Innovative Applications

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Area of Study: Education

University: National Chung Cheng University (CCU)

Program: Master in Educational Leadership and Management Development

[Application Information](#) and [Program Introduction](#)

Area of Study: Education

University: National Chung Cheng University (CCU)

Program: E-Learning Master Program of Education and School Leadership

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**Note: The program will be conducted online and does not require scholarship recipients to be in Taiwan, except during the orientation in the first semester and the thesis oral defense in the fourth semester.**



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## Programs Available for Application in 2026

### Master's Programs

Area of Study: Others

University: National Chengchi University (NCCU)

Program: International Master's Program in International Studies in College of International Affairs

[Application Information](#) and [Program Introduction](#)

Area of Study: Others

University: Taipei National University of the Arts (TNUA)

Program: International MA Program in Studies of Arts and Creative Industries (SAC, Majoring in Cultural and Creative Industries)

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Area of Study: Others

University: National Taipei University (NTPU)

Program: International Program on Urban Governance (IPUG)

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## Programs Available for Application in 2026

### Master's Programs

Area of Study: Others

University: Ming Chuan University (MCU)

Program: Graduate School of International Affairs (GSIA)

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## Programs Available for Application in 2026

### Bachelor's Programs

**Area of Study: Engineering and Science**

**Bachelor's programs are exclusively available to applicants from countries that maintain diplomatic relations with Taiwan.**

University: National Tsing Hua University (NTHU)

Program: International Bachelor Degree Program

Group B: Electrical Engineering & Computer Science

Application Information and Program Introduction

University: National Sun Yat-sen University (NSYSU)

Program: Department of Electrical Engineering

Application Information and Program Introduction

University: National Taiwan University of Science and Technology (Taiwan Tech)

Program: International Advanced Technology Program (IATP)

Application Information: Please contact Ms. Huang at vivian112@mail.ntust.edu.tw

Program Introduction

University: National Dong Hwa University (NDHU)

Program: International Bachelor Program in Computer Science and

Information Engineering

Application Information and Program Introduction



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## Step 2 : Contact ROC (Taiwan) Embassy/Office

Applicants must complete an online application. Applicants must ensure that they submit accurate and complete information; failure to do so will result in the application not being processed.

Whether hard or soft copies are required depends on the decision of each individual office ROC (Taiwan) Embassies and Missions Abroad.



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### Step 3: First Review

The ROC (Taiwan) Embassy/ Consulate General/ Representative office will conduct a first review of applicants based on the eligibility requirements and selection criteria of the TaiwanICDF, and then send their list of recommended applicants to the TaiwanICDF no later than March 31 each year.



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## Step 4 : Second Review

A second review of the qualified applicants will be conducted by an academic committee organized by the individual partner university in joint cooperation with TaiwanICDF representatives. Such reviews will be based on each university's selection criteria, whilst also accounting for the eligibility requirements and selection criteria of the TaiwanICDF.



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## Step 5 : Announcement

After the second review has been conducted in cooperation with all partner universities, the TaiwanICDF will announce its list of scholarship recipients, in principle, no later than June 10 each year.

Successful applicants will receive an acceptance letter through the ROC (Taiwan) Embassy/ Consulate General/ Representative Office to whom they originally applied.

Please note: Receiving admission from the university does not necessarily mean that the applicant has also been given a TaiwanICDF scholarship. Only applicants who receive an acceptance letter issued by the TaiwanICDF will be recipients of the scholarship.



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## Step 6 : Reply

Please read over the consent form and return a signed copy to the TaiwanICDF through the R.O.C. (Taiwan) Embassy /Representative Office in your country. By completing the above step, you agree to accept the terms and conditions of the TaiwanICDF Scholarship and become an official scholarship recipient.



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## FAQ

For those interested in applying for the scholarship, please read through the Q&A first.  
If you have any remaining questions, please contact a student ambassadors.  
Please note that their response may take some time.

Q1: Where should I apply for the TaiwanICDF scholarship?

A1: Please enter and apply on the

**TaiwanICDF Scholarship Online Application System.**

Q2: Can I apply for more than one program with Taiwan International Cooperation Alliance (TICA) universities?

A2: No. You can only apply for one program at one TICA university each year.

Q3: Who should I contact if I encounter problems with the online application?

A3: If you experience any issues, you can contact us via email at

**[icdfscholarship@icdf.org.tw](mailto:icdfscholarship@icdf.org.tw)**

Q4: Does the TaiwanICDF have any requirements regarding English proficiency test?

A4: NO. The TaiwanICDF has no requirements regarding English proficiency test. However, you will need to follow the policies of your school and program, which may include academic or language requirements such as an English proficiency test. Please contact the school or program you are interested in for further guidance.



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Q5: Can I change my program during the application process?

A5: No. Once you submit the application, changing your program will not be possible.

Q6: I am currently studying in another program in another country. Can I apply for and receive the TaiwanICDF scholarship?

A6: No. The TaiwanICDF scholarship is exclusively for students attending partner schools and programs within TICA.

Q7: Do I need to start from the beginning of the application even though I applied for the scholarship last year?

A7: Yes. Even if you completed an online application last year, you will need to redo the entire application procedure.

Q8: Will there be any charges for application?

A8: There will be no additional charges for the TaiwanICDF online application. However, each school and program may have its own policies regarding fees and expenses. For more information, please contact the school or program you are interested in.

Q9: Is there an age limit for application?

A9: No. We will evaluate all applicants comprehensively, rather than accept or reject them based on one single quality. All positive features will be valued and taken into careful consideration.



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Q10: If I receive admission to the university I applied to, does that mean that I have also received the TaiwanICDF scholarship?

A10: No. Receiving admission from the university does not necessarily mean that the applicant has also been given a TaiwanICDF scholarship. Only applicants who receive an acceptance letter issued by the TaiwanICDF can be considered recipients of the scholarship.

Q11: After I have been accepted for the TaiwanICDF scholarship, can I change my program to another program that is also part of the TICA?

A11: No. Should you do so, your scholarship will be canceled.

Q12: I am already studying in Taiwan. Can I switch to a TICA partner school or program and be eligible to receive a scholarship?

A12: You will need to start from the beginning of the application.

Q13: Am I allowed to have a part-time job?

A13: Yes. You may have a part-time job within the scope of employment law in Taiwan. For more information, please click [here](#).

Q14: Can I work in Taiwan after graduation?

A14: Yes. For more information, please click [here](#).



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Q15: Can I also be sponsored by another scholarship that is funded by the Taiwan government while I am already a TaiwanICDF scholarship recipient?

A15: No. If you have already been accepted as a TaiwanICDF scholarship recipient, you may neither apply for nor accept another Taiwan agency-financed scholarship.

Q16: Can I apply for a scholarship again right after I graduate from a TICA program?

A16: Applicants who have already held a TaiwanICDF scholarship, MOFA's Taiwan Scholarship or an MOE scholarship must have graduated before July 31, 2025 before applying for a 2026 scholarship.

Q17: Can I extend the duration of the scholarship?

A17: No. You may not extend the duration of the scholarship. Any additional duration of study must be taken at your own expense.

Q18: What constitutes a successful application?

A18: To successfully apply, applicants must:

- (1) complete the TaiwanICDF scholarship online application.
- (2) fulfill the application procedures required by the university they are applying to.
- (3) submit all required documents to ROC (Taiwan) Embassy/Consulate General/ Representative Office in their home countries if necessary.



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## FAQ

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Q19: Are unsuccessful applicants prohibited from reapplying for the TaiwanICDF scholarship in the future?

A19: No, previously unsuccessful applicants are strongly encouraged to reapply.

Q20: Is it possible to defer my TaiwanICDF scholarship award?

A20: No, deferring the scholarship award is not allowed.

Q21: Does the TaiwanICDF Scholarship offer spring semester admissions?

A21: No. The TaiwanICDF Scholarship only offers admission for the fall semester.

Q22: Do I need to submit recommendation letters when applying?

If yes, how should I provide them?

A22: The TaiwanICDF Scholarship does not require recommendation letters.

However, please check the admission requirements of the program you are applying for.

Q23: If my country is not listed as an eligible beneficiary country, can I still apply for the TaiwanICDF Scholarship?

A23: No. Applicants from non-beneficiary countries are not eligible to apply for this scholarship.

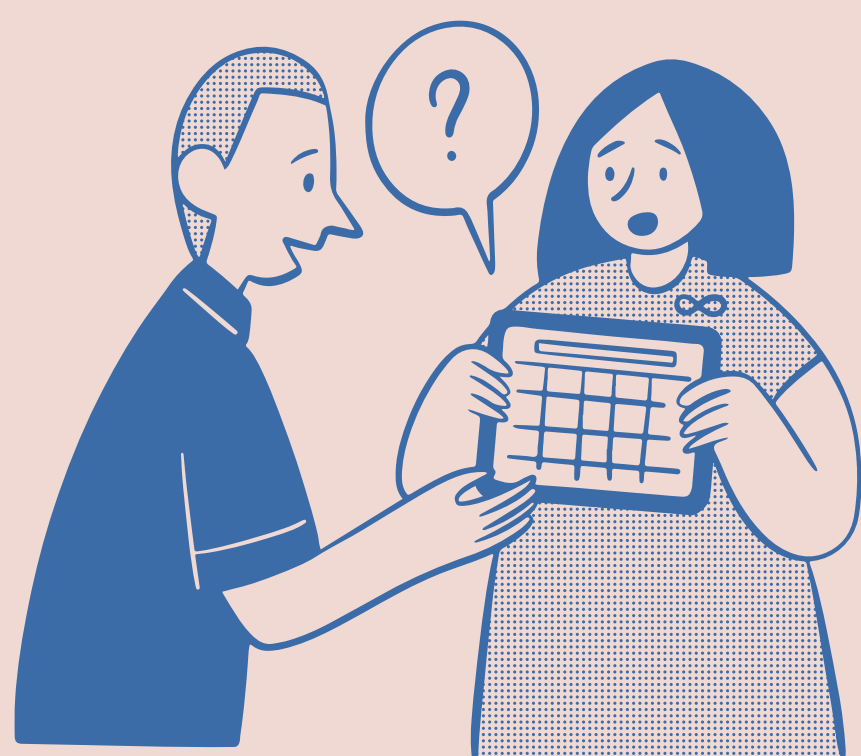
Q24: If I am from a country that does not have diplomatic relations with Taiwan, can I apply to a bachelor's program?

A24: No. Bachelor's programs are exclusively available to applicants from countries that maintain diplomatic relations with Taiwan.

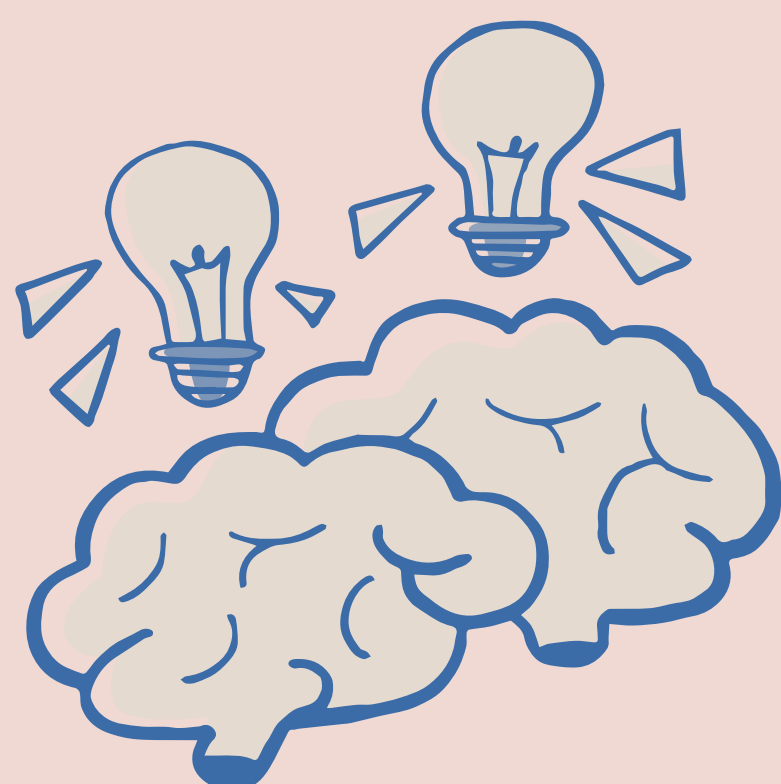


**Important tips****Tips to boost your  
SUCCESS RATE WHEN APPLYING FOR  
A SCHOLARSHIP****START EARLY**

Begin preparing as soon as possible—research programs, plan your timeline, and gather documents early to avoid last-minute delays.

**COMMUNICATE AND  
VERIFY INFORMATION**

Stay in touch with the embassy, university, and the TaiwanICDF. Ask questions, confirm requirements, and follow all updates.

**01****02****03****04****PREPARE DOCUMENTS  
CAREFULLY**

Read all guidelines, organize required documents, and complete certifications in advance. Double-check every submission.

**BE CONFIDENT AND  
MOTIVATED**

Understand your goals, align them with the scholarship, and present them sincerely. Stay positive, persistent, and confident throughout the process.

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# BEST OF LUCK

with your scholarship application



## **Scope of Scholarship**

### **National Chung Cheng University- E-Learning Master Program of Education and School Leadership**

1. Airfare : The TaiwanICDF shall arrange the most-direct flights to and from Taiwan with Economy Class tickets<sup>1</sup>.
2. Housing: All students shall arrange reside in the student dormitories.
3. Tuition fee: The TaiwanICDF will cover the tuition fee as required by the student's university.
4. Credit fees: Credit fees vary with the number of credits registered. Credit fees will also be covered as required by the student's university.
5. Insurance: While in Taiwan, in addition to the mandatory student safety insurance set by the Ministry of Education, each student shall be insured for accidental and necessary medical coverage.
6. Book costs: Purchasing textbooks as required by the instructors shall be subject to the approval of the director of the student's institute.
7. Allowance: Each student shall receive two months allowances ( NT\$18,000 /per month ) during the period of time in Taiwan<sup>2</sup>, and will not receive any monthly allowance of the time spent outside of Taiwan.

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1,2 Only the orientation in the first semester and thesis oral defense in the fourth semester are included.

## Terms of the Program

By accepting a scholarship from the TaiwanICDF, you must, for the duration of your period of study in Taiwan :

1. Agree to abide by the laws of the Republic of China (Taiwan).
2. Agree that during your study at your host institute, all matters related to the program will be settled in accordance with the institute's rules and regulations and that your host institute's decision will be final and implemented accordingly.
3. Agree to return to your home country after the completion of the program.
4. Be responsible for all expenses that exceed the amounts and terms stated in the Scope of Scholarship.
5. Agree to repay airfare and living allowances should you decide to drop out of the program without gaining the prior consent of the TaiwanICDF or without providing proof of exceptional circumstances, and you accept that the TaiwanICDF's decision in this matter will be final.
6. Agree that TaiwanICDF has the discretionary right to suspend your monthly allowance from one to three months depending on the seriousness of your misconduct, including but not limited to absence from school, sexual harassment, drunk driving<sup>1</sup>, minor

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<sup>1</sup> Appendix- TaiwanICDF Regulations on Drunk Driving

demerits and violation of my host institute regulations.

7. Agree that if you take a temporary leave (outside of Taiwan) that exceeds a period of two consecutive months during a semester, you will not receive any monthly allowance for the time spent outside of Taiwan.

8. Agree that the TaiwanICDF has the right to terminate your scholarship if you:

(1)are found engaging in political activities or any form of employment not compliant with the Employment Service Act or other relevant regulations.

(2)are found violating the laws of the Republic of China (Taiwan), or have withdrawn from or been expelled by your host institute.

(3)have not participated in program orientation or registered for your program in time without reasonable cause.

(4)are found to be physically unfit to study in Taiwan due to suffering from any chronic illness during your time in Taiwan, or due to suffering from any preexisting condition that you had not previously declared.

(5)are found to have given an unsatisfactory academic performance<sup>2</sup>.

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<sup>2</sup> Academic performance will be considered "unsatisfactory" if you:

(1) Fail the academic average in any one semester. This means either failing the required standard set by your host institute, or averaging **70** out of 100 or lower for undergraduates or **80** out of 100 or lower for postgraduates (equivalent to the GPA scale conversion of your host institute); in which case, full

- (6)transfer to another field of study.
  - (7)are found causing reputational damage to Republic of China's (Taiwan) or the TaiwanICDF.
  - (8)are found recurring misconduct.
  - (9) have not provided your highest-level diploma before July 31 of the year of enrollment.
9. Certify that the information contained in the physical examination form is genuine and agree that you shall not request reimbursement for hospitalization in case of a chronic illness in Taiwan.
10. Agree to complete the TaiwanICDF online Mandarin courses before departure for Taiwan and embrace Taiwanese culture during your stay in Taiwan.
11. Fully agree that matters not included in these terms will be handled in accordance with provisions related to TaiwanICDF scholarship affairs.
12. Agree that the TaiwanICDF and Ministry of Foreign Affairs, Republic of China (Taiwan) reserve the right to use my personally identifiable information which will be under protection of the

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scholarship will be suspended during the following semester. Should the academic average be achieved during this next semester, the TaiwanICDF will continue the scholarship by request; or

- (2) Fail exactly or more than one-half of all modules that you elect to study across two consecutive semesters; or fail exactly or more than two-thirds of all modules that you elect to study in any one semester. In this case, the full scholarship will be terminated.
- (3) Fail the Master's/Ph.D. Thesis Research or Independent Study component of the program, or related subject; in which case, full scholarship will be suspended during the following semester.

Personal Data Protection Act of Republic of China (Taiwan) for non-profitable purposes.

13. In case that my family is unable to arrive in Taiwan within 48 hours, the official of my embassy or representative office has my consent to authorize medical emergency care on behalf of me.

## Appendix

### TaiwanICDF Regulations on Drunk Driving

Agree that the Taiwan ICDF will take the following actions should a test or inspection prove that any of the following conditions are true when you operate a motor vehicle:

- (1) TaiwanICDF will suspend your allowance for up to two months if your alcohol level exceeds 0.15 mg/L in a breath alcohol test or 0.03% in a blood alcohol concentration (BAC) test, but you have not been involved in a traffic accident.
- (2) TaiwanICDF will suspend your allowance for three months if:
  - (i) your alcohol level exceeds 0.15 mg/L in a breath alcohol test or 0.03% in a BAC test, thus resulting in you being involved in a traffic accident, or
  - (ii) your alcohol level exceeds 0.25 mg/L in a breath alcohol test or 0.05% in a BAC test, thus resulting in you being involved in a traffic accident, but you are sentenced to imprisonment for less than one year.
- (3) TaiwanICDF will terminate your scholarship if your alcohol level exceeds 0.25 mg/L in a breath alcohol test or 0.05% in a BAC test and you are sentenced to imprisonment for one year or more. The same shall apply if any of the circumstances described in the above articles occur more than once.

## Program Advisory

### 1. Program Application

- (1). Applicants should be nationals of countries with which the ROC has diplomatic relations or developing countries friendly to Taiwan. Any applicant should be neither a Taiwanese national, nor an overseas Taiwanese compatriot.
- (2). All application materials must be uploaded to the TaiwanICDF International Higher Education Scholarship Program Online Application System and submitted to your country's ROC (Taiwan) Embassy/Consulate General/ Representative Office if necessary. These are the only channels by which you can apply to the TaiwanICDF scholarship program.
- (3). The ROC (Taiwan) Embassy/ Consulate General/ Representative Office will make an initial evaluation of your application and verify your credentials.
- (4). After your application has been fully reviewed, the institution will set up an admission committee with the TaiwanICDF and relevant program personnel to determine the status of your application.
- (5). Once your application is accepted, the TaiwanICDF will issue you an Acceptance Letter via the ROC (Taiwan) Embassy/ Consulate General/ Representative Office. You must sign the Consent Form enclosed in the Acceptance Letter under the

witness of an official from the ROC (Taiwan) Embassy/ Consulate General/ Representative Office to complete the application procedure. Please note that your scholarship will be granted in accordance with the Acceptance Letter provided by the ROC (Taiwan) Embassy/Consulate General/ Representative Office. Your school acceptance letter serves only as a notice of your admission into the school.

- (6) You must provide your highest-level diploma before July 31 of the year of enrollment. Otherwise, the TaiwanICDF will cancel the scholarship.

## **2. Pre-departure**

- (1). Confirmation of Your Participation in the Program:

Please e-mail your signed Acceptance Letter to the TaiwanICDF from the ROC (Taiwan)Embassy/Consulate General/ Representative Office in your country.

- (2). Diploma:

You must provide your highest-level diploma before July 31 of the year of enrollment.

- (3). Passport:

Please ensure that you have a valid passport (good for at least 24 months before its expiry date) or equivalent travel document. You or your employer should bear any expense incurred for this purpose.

(4). Visa Application:

You must present your Acceptance Letter when applying for a Taiwanese visa. When you receive your visa, check to make sure that it is the appropriate one and covers the entire duration of the program in Taiwan. Please note that any visa fees (including for any visas required for travel through other countries) will be borne by you.

(5). Airfare:

The TaiwanICDF will arrange and pay for an economy class ticket for the most-direct flight to Taiwan. The ROC (Taiwan) Embassy/ Consulate General/Representative Office will inform you of your confirmed flight schedule and give you your ticket. Please keep in touch with this office for further help and advice. Please submit your boarding passes to the program manager at your institute when you arrive in Taiwan.

\* No stopover fee available.

(6). Cancellation:

If you have to cancel your participation, please inform the ROC (Taiwan)Embassy/Consulate General/ Representative Office as soon as possible.

### **3. Arrival at Taiwan's International Airport**

- (1). Your arrival date and airport should be arranged by the TaiwanICDF (the arrival date will be in the early September). If

your arrival is unduly delayed, the TaiwanICDF reserves the right to cancel your participation and flight.

- (2). Upon arrival at Taiwan's International Airport, the representative of TaiwanICDF will take you to your accommodation.

#### **4. Program Period**

- (1). Orientation:

- A. The TaiwanICDF will arrange an orientation. The purpose of this orientation is to introduce the regulations of the scholarship and Taiwanese customs and culture. Costs will be covered by the TaiwanICDF.
- B. Regardless of your arrival date, you will receive the full amount of the first month's allowance after your arrival, to help cover your settlement expenses.

\*Please note: There is no separate relocation allowance.

- (2). Temporary Leave:

- A. Your director or program manager should be informed of any travel plans (date, period, location(s), reasons for travel, etc.) during summer or winter vacation. For any travel taking place during a semester, your director or advisor should be informed of and approve your travel plans (date, period, location(s), reasons for travel, etc.), otherwise your living allowance will be suspended according to the number of

days you are absent.

- B. If your temporary leave (outside of Taiwan) exceeds a period of two consecutive months during a semester, you will not receive any monthly allowance for the time spent outside of Taiwan.

(3). Health Insurance:

- A. When you arrive in Taiwan, the TaiwanICDF will cover both your medical insurance (up to a premium of NT\$30,000; \*life insurance not included) and accidental insurance (up to a premium of NT\$2,000,000). To check details of the coverage, please consult your university and make reference to the contract signed by your university and the insurance company.
- B. Starting from the seventh month of your stay in Taiwan, the TaiwanICDF will fund your enrollment in Taiwan's National Health Insurance Scheme. To see the scope of payments for the scheme, please click [here](#)

(4). Motor Vehicle:

A small number of motor vehicle accidents involving TaiwanICDF students have occurred in recent years. These accidents have hospitalized students and, in some cases, resulted in criminal charges being brought against them. In order to avoid serious accident and legal difficulties, you are requested to:

- A. Hold a valid driver's license;
- B. Hold a valid vehicle registration certificate;
- C. Follow all traffic regulations (e.g. wear helmet);
- D. Hold valid accident insurance, including for third party liability.

For further information about vehicular regulations, please refer to the following website:

- A. <https://www.thb.gov.tw/en/>
- B. <http://english.dot.gov.taipei/>
- C. <https://www.immigration.gov.tw/5475/5478/6928/6940/>
- D. <https://www.mvdis.gov.tw/m3-emv-eng/>

(5). Monitoring Meeting:

The purpose of the monitoring meeting between the TaiwanICDF staff and your director is to understand the progress of your current studies and daily life at the end of each semester. If you have any questions about the scholarship, you may also discuss these with TaiwanICDF staff after the meeting.

(6). Document Authentication:

Please contact the ROC (Taiwan) Embassy/ Consulate (General)/ Representative Office in your country requesting documents to determine whether or not your documents need to be authenticated by the Bureau of Consular Affairs (BOCA), Taiwan. Requirements for authentication are as follows:

- A. Applicants must present original documents certified by a public notary;
- B. Applicants or their agents are required to provide BOCA with a supplementary copy of each document for its records;
- C. Applicants or their agents are required to present original identification papers. For further information, please click [here](#)

## 5. Departure

- (1). For scholarship recipients who successfully graduated before the end of August of the final year of the given award period:
  - A. The TaiwanICDF will provide you with one economy-class, single-trip plane ticket for the most direct flight back to your home country following your graduation.<sup>1</sup>
  - B. For a period of continuous work or internship in Taiwan following your graduation, the valid time period of using the aforementioned plane ticket will be within your given award period and up to one year after your given award period (no later than August 31 of the following year).
  - C. Students of the School of Medicine, I-Shou University have to return to their home countries no later than August 31 of the graduating year.
- (2). Please note that any visa fees (including for any visas required

for travel through other countries) will be borne by you or your employer.

(3). If your final departure date falls on or before the 15th day of the month, you will receive half the allowance for that month.

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1. For Ph.D. program students: For a period of continuous, non-interrupted study, if the completion of a degree program exceeds the given award period (four years) but falls within six years, the TaiwanICDF will still offer the successful graduate a return flight ticket.

## TaiwanICDF Alumni Society

The end of the program is the beginning of a new phase for you. After returning to your country, it is the TaiwanICDF's hope that you will:

1. Keep in touch with us and remain in contact with the ROC (Taiwan) Embassy/Consulate General/ Representative Office and your school;
2. Put the knowledge and skills you gained to good use in your place of work;
3. Help your organization to disseminate the knowledge you gained through seminars, training programs, discussions, etc;
4. Participate in the activities of the TaiwanICDF Alumni Society in your country. For further information on the TaiwanICDF Alumni Society, please click [here](#)