## **Yuan Ze University**

## **Implementation Rules for Research Program Buyout of Teaching Hours**

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- Article 1. These rules have been established according to the "Full- and Part-Time Teacher Teaching Hour Credits" to encourage the teachers of this school to actively participate in industry-university interaction.
- Article 2. Applicable to all academic research and industry-university collaboration programs incorporated by the R&D department and hosted by this school (referred to as "research programs" below) that meet the following conditions using the "Instructor Teaching Hours Change Request Form":
  - 1. In the research program funding implemented during the semester, those with approved budgets for offsetting teaching hours (below referred to as "buyout budgets").
  - 2. In the research program funding implemented during the semester, those where the total director fee exceeds the buyout budget.
- Article 3. Approval principles for the buyout of hours: buyout hours are limited to three hours each semester. Those who obtain approval for the buyout of teaching hours may not draw excessive hourly fees during the semester.

## Article 4. Calculation formula for buyout budget

Buyout budget = Monthly instructor salary and Yuan Ze University allowances x (number of teaching hours in the weekly buyout  $\div$  weekly basic teaching hours) x six months.

For programs authorized by enterprises in the Far East Group, the buyout budget is calculated as half of the preceding formula.

## Article 5. Payment methods for buyout budget

- 1. For those that conform to Item 1 of Article 2, the program funding reimbursement method is followed, and payment to the school is made within the program implementation period.
- 2. For those that conform to Item 2 of Article 2, the director visits the counter of the general affairs department for payment within the semester

of the approved buyout hours (fund name: program buyout hours fund). Those who do not complete payment for the buyout budget may not apply again for a program budget to buyout hours.

Article 6. These rules have been announced and implemented after being passed by the Administrative Council. The same procedure is followed upon revision.

Note: If any controversies or disputes occurred regarding clauses of the aforesaid regulations, it shall always refer to its Chinese version.