Yuan Ze University Research Institute Outstanding Overseas

Chinese Student Scholarship Guidelines

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Article 1: Purpose and Scope

To encourage overseas Chinese students to study at the Institute and reward their achievements, the "Guidelines for the Outstanding Overseas Chinese Student Scholarship at Yuan Ze University Research Institute" (hereinafter referred to as the "Guidelines") are formulated in accordance with the provisions outlined in the "Operational Guidelines for the Ministry of Education Subsidizing Universities and Colleges to Establish Scholarships for Outstanding Overseas Chinese Students."

Article 2: Eligibility Criteria

- Overseas Chinese students who come to Taiwan to study in accordance with the
 "Guidelines for Overseas Chinese Students Returning to Study and Guidance," as
 well as overseas Chinese students who independently enroll in the Institute in
 Taiwan under these guidelines (excluding extended study programs for overseas
 Chinese students).
- 2. Hong Kong and Macao students enrolled in Taiwan under the "Guidelines for Hong Kong and Macao Residents Studying in Taiwan," excluding those who have extended their studies.
- 3. Outstanding overseas Chinese students enrolled in doctoral or master's programs who study at least one subject each semester, maintain an average academic score of 80 or above in the previous semester, and have a conduct score of 80 or above.
- 4. Students who have already received government subsidies, waivers, or grants for tuition and fees are not eligible to apply for this scholarship more than once.

Article 3: Application Process

Applications for this scholarship shall be submitted based on the number of students announced by the Ministry of Education.

Article 4: Scholarship Allocation

The actual amount and number of scholarships awarded to overseas Chinese students will be adjusted according to the scholarship funds approved by the Ministry of

Education for each semester.

Article 5: Scholarship Amount and Disbursement

Each overseas Chinese student will receive a monthly award of no less than NT \$10,000. The award will be issued after examination and approval each semester, continuing until the month of graduation for eligible students.

Article 6: Application Procedures

- 1. Application Period: Applicants should apply at the beginning of each semester within the timeframe announced by the Overseas Chinese Student Counseling Unit of the University.
- 2. Required Documents: Scholarship application form, transcript from the previous semester, photocopy of student ID, study plan, autobiography, and recommendation letter from a department professor.

Article 7: Selection and Announcement of Awardees

Scholarships will be awarded based on the number and amount of grants approved and allocated by the Ministry of Education. Awardees will be selected based on the ranking percentage of academic achievements within the department. In the case of equal percentages, ranking will be determined by academic performance.

Article 8: Termination of Scholarship Eligibility

A scholarship recipient's eligibility will be terminated under the following circumstances:

- 1. Suspension, withdrawal, or loss of student status.
- 2. Serious misconduct, fully admitting to a major violation.
- 3. Forgery, alteration, or provision of false evidence, verified through investigation. In addition to revoking the scholarship qualification, any funds already received must be returned, and relevant legal responsibilities will be investigated according to the circumstances.

Article 9: Supplementary Provisions

Matters not covered in these guidelines shall be handled in accordance with the relevant regulations of the university or the Ministry of Education.

Article 10: Implementation and Amendments

These guidelines shall come into effect following approval during the student affairs conference, and any amendments shall follow the same procedure.