# Notice of University President Nomination and Application Yuan Ze University, Taiwan

- 1. The Presidential Search Committee of Yuan Ze University, Taiwan, invites nominations and applications for the president's position at this university starting from Feb. 1, 2022.
- 2. The candidates must meet the following criteria:
  - (1) Committed to the education ideals and the founding spirit of this university, demonstrating excellent leadership and being equipped with outstanding administrative experience.
  - (2) Possessing a distinguished record of academic achievement and reputation.
  - (3) Being a paragon with impeccable character and integrity.
  - (4) Meeting the qualifications stipulated by Act Governing the Appointment of Educators Article 10 (Please see below for detailed regulations).
- 3. A candidate should be nominated by one to five people who are full-time faculty members of the university, or full-time professors or researchers above the level of assistant professors at domestic or international universities (colleges) or other academic institutions, or alumni of this university; the nominees should acknowledge their acceptance of the nomination.

A nomination will be considered invalid when the same nominator is found nominating two candidates.

- 4. The Presidential Search Committee will keep all candidates' information and the entire search process confidential.
- 5. Further information, including the Regulation of Presidential Search of Yuan Ze University as well as its application formats, may be obtained from:

The Presidential Search Committee of Yuan Ze University 39F., No.207 Sec. 2, Tun Hwa S. Rd., Taipei City 10602, Taiwan R.O.C. TEL: 886-2-27338000 ext. 8411, Ms. Sandy Teng e-Mail: lihsien@metro.feg.com.tw Website: https://www.yzu.edu.tw/index.php/en-us/

6. All nomination information should be sent to the Presidential Search Committee of Yuan Ze University via registered mail prior to April 30, 2021(postmark).

### Appendix

#### Title: Act Governing the Appointment of Educators

(Legislated by Ministry of Education, Taiwan)

#### Article 10

Presidents of universities should meet one of the requirements in Item 1 and Item 2 below:

1. Eligibility (meet any of the following qualifications):

(1) Academician at Academia Sinica

(2) Professor

(3) Prior teaching and academic research experience equivalent to that required of a professor

2. At least three years of experience, accumulative, as a director in schools, government agencies, or in other state-owned or private business entities

Other than the requirements mentioned in the individual items of the preceding paragraph, college presidents shall hold a doctoral degree and have worked in the professional field of which the nature relates to that of the intended college, or the selected appointment rank of 12th grade or above, or its equivalent, in the field of education administration for at least six years, accumulative.

Presidents of universities and colleges should meet the requirements in the preceding two paragraphs. Individual universities and colleges may establish additional eligibility requirements, according to their needs, and specify these requirements in Articles of Organization.

## Title: <u>Enforcement Rules of Act Governing the Appointment of Educators</u> Article 13-1 (The 3<sup>rd</sup> Paragraph)

The "teaching and academic research experience equivalent to that required of a professor" referred to in Article 10 of the Act refers to meeting one of the following criteria: 1. Have held a position as an adjunct professor in accordance with the Regulations Governing

the Appointment of Part-time Teachers at Educational Institutions at Junior College Level and Higher; or held a position as a part-time or full-time professional technician at the professor level, in accordance with the Employment Regulations for Professional Technicians Teaching at Universities; or held a position as a research fellow, in accordance with the Regulations Governing Appointment of University Research Personnel.

2. Have held a post as a chair professor, or been awarded the title honorary professor or professor emeritus, and engaged in related teaching or research work for eight or more years, after obtaining a doctorate or equivalent academic credential, and have produced innovations, inventions, or important academic writing, and made a significant contribution to teaching or academic research.

3. Have held a position as a researcher or research technician at a public academic research institution; or a position as a researcher at a research organization of a foundation or an

administrative juristic person; as a member of the research and development (R&D) personnel in an R&D department of a public or private sector enterprise or institution, and engaged in related teaching or research work for eight or more years, after obtaining a doctorate or equivalent academic credential, and have produced innovations, inventions, or important academic writing, and made a significant contribution to teaching or academic research.

A person who, before 1 August 2019 when the amendments to these Enforcement Rules took effect, has held the post of president of a junior college or president of a university, based on their having the qualification stipulated in Article 8 or Article 10 of the Act of having prior teaching and academic research experience equivalent to that required of a professor, or equivalent to that required of an associate professor, is qualified to be appointed as the president of a junior college or as the president of a university.