

Hungkuang University Scholarship Guidelines

Hungkuang University Scholarship Guidelines for International Students

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1. In order to promote internationalization and encourage outstanding overseas Chinese students, students from Hong Kong and Macao, students from Mainland China, and foreign students (hereinafter collectively referred to as "international students") to enroll at Hungkuang University (hereinafter referred to as "the University"), as well as to reward currently enrolled outstanding international students, the University has established these "Scholarship Guidelines for International Students" (hereinafter referred to as "the Guidelines").

2. The annual budget for this scholarship is supported by subsidies from the Ministry of Education and relevant funding from the University. Undergraduate students may receive the scholarship for up to four years, while master's and doctoral students may receive it for up to two years.

3. Eligibility:

(1) Applicants must be officially enrolled international students of the University.

(2) For new students applying for undergraduate, master's, or doctoral programs in the first semester of the first academic year, the scholarship will be awarded based on the applicant's academic performance from previous years and other supporting documents. Priority will be given to those who list the University as their first choice and provide proof of financial hardship.

(3) For applications starting from the second semester of the first academic year and beyond:

- Undergraduate and junior college students: Minimum average academic score of 75.

- Graduate students: Minimum average academic score of 80 from the previous semester.

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4. Matters related to eligibility, scholarship review, awarded amounts, and the number of recipients shall be handled by the "International Student Scholarship Review Committee." The committee consists of the Vice President, Dean of Academic Affairs, Dean of Student Affairs, Director of International Affairs, and the Deans of each college. The Vice President serves as the convener, and the secretary from the Office of International Affairs serves as the executive secretary.

5. Review procedures and methods:

(1) First Semester of the First Academic Year:

New international students enrolled in the University may apply for the first-semester scholarship, which includes four award levels:

- Level A: NT\$50,000
- Level B: NT\$30,000
- Level C: NT\$10,000
- Level D: NT\$5,000

Applicants must submit recognized public examination results from their home countries or regions as part of the evaluation. Applications should be submitted directly to the Office of International Affairs. The International Student Scholarship Review Committee will determine the number of recipients based on the scholarship budget for the academic year and will announce the results through the Office of International Affairs. Scholarship recipients must complete registration and enrollment in the same academic year to receive the scholarship.

(2) From the Second Semester of the First Academic Year Onward:

International students enrolled from the second semester onward may apply for the scholarship, which includes the following levels:

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- Level A: NT\$50,000 (for students ranked in the top 10% of their class)
- Level B: NT\$30,000 (top 20%)
- Level C: NT\$10,000 (top 30%)
- Level D: NT\$5,000 (top 40%)

Students must apply directly through the Office of International Affairs. The committee will review applications and allocate scholarships based on the academic year's budget. The results will be announced by the Office of International Affairs.

6. Application Deadline: Applications must be submitted to the Office of International Affairs within one month from the beginning of each semester.

7. International students who have already received scholarships from the Taiwan government or the OCAC Scholarship for Top and Outstanding Overseas Chinese Students are not eligible to receive this scholarship concurrently.

8. Students eligible for this scholarship who fail to complete registration in their first academic year, defer enrollment, take a leave of absence before enrollment, or transfer/withdraw from the University, will have their scholarship eligibility revoked.

For those who take a leave of absence after enrollment, the scholarship will be suspended from the date of leave, and any amount already disbursed must be returned. Students who resume studies after a leave will not be eligible to reapply for or continue receiving this scholarship.

9. If a recipient is found to have submitted falsified or inaccurate information, the scholarship will be revoked, and any awarded funds must be returned.

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10. These Guidelines were approved by the Administrative Meeting and shall take effect upon the President's approval and announcement. Any future amendments shall follow the same procedure.

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