NATIONAL CHENGCHI UNIVERSITY COLLEGE OF COMMERCE INTERNATIONAL EXCHANGE PROGRAMS



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1. Exchange Program Term Dates & Deadline of Application

	From	То	Nomination Deadline	Application Deadline	
Fall Term	Early September	Mid January	April 20	May 1	
Spring Term	Mid February	Late June	October 20	November 1	

Semester period for Fall 2024: 2024.09.09-2025.01.12 Semester period for Spring 2025: 2025.02.17-2025.06.18

2. Orientation:

The orientation will be one week before the semester starts and it's compulsory.

Orientation for Fall 2024: 2024.09.05

Orientation for Spring 2025: 2025.02.13

3. Nomination

Nomination needs to be filled out by exchange coordinators before the above deadlines in our portal. An invitation will be provided in March (Fall & One Year) / August (Spring). (No GPA or English proficiency certificate required)

4. Exchange Program Application Process

Nominated students will receive a welcome letter after being nominated and they have to complete our on-line application by the above deadlines.

- Required materials to be uploaded are,
- (1) Passport
- (2) Passport-sized photo
- (3) Resume

5. Housing

- (1) On-campus dormitory: double room, and multiple rooms (downhill): USD 400-800 / semester (4.5 months) by request (please send an email by May 1 for Fall / November 1 for Spring to crhuang@nccu.edu.tw)
- (2) i-House 5 mins walking distance from the NCCU campus (single room or double room): USD 1,300-1,800 / semester (4.5 months) through online application
- (3) Outside-campus accommodation: around USD300-600 / month / suite
- More details about dormitory and i-House https://incoming-iep.nccu.edu.tw/node/71
- Students need to fill out the housing preference in the on-line application and the final result will be announced in late June (Fall & One Year) / December (Spring).
- Off-campus Rental Service:
 - Zuyou https://www.zuyou.com.tw/en

6. Courses

- (1) Course Overview: https://grysub.nccu.edu.tw/
- (2) Students are allowed to take courses offered by all Colleges in NCCU.
- (3) Course selection details will be provided in Mid-August (Fall & One Year) / Early January (Spring)

7. Credits

At NCCUC 3 credits = 54 hours of in-class teaching hours. Normally, NCCU local students will take 15-20 credits (undergraduate), 9-15 for graduate, and the average credit number for exchange students is 12, in one semester. (NCCU credit: ECTS = 1:2.5-3)

8. Grading

The academic assessment methods on exchange students are frequently in the forms of class participation, attendance, examinations, quizzes, projects, assignments, case studies, and presentations for each individual course. We maintain a 100-point grading scale system as below:

Undergraduate Explanation		Graduate	Explanation	
90 and up	Excellent	90 and up	Excellent	
80 ~ 90	Very Good	80 ~ 90	Very Good	
70 ~ 80	Good	70 ~ 80	Amply Sufficient	
60~70	Amply Sufficient	70	Passing grade	
60	Passing grade			

Score	100-90	89-85	84-80	79-77	76-73	72-70
Grade	A+	Α	A-	B+	В	B-
GPA	4.3	4.0	3.7	3.3	3	2.7
Score	69-67	66-63	62-60	59-50	49-1	0
Grade	C+	С	C-	D	E	Χ
GPA	2.3	2	1.7	1	0	0

9. Visa: (Adjusted by the Taiwanese Immigration Policies)

(1) Staying less than 180 days (For students who will stay for one semester):

- ♦ It's required to apply for a visa while the purpose is study.
- ♦ If you have plans to travel around, applying for a <u>Multiple Visa</u> will be better.
- ♦ If there is no plan to go abroad when studying in Taiwan, a <u>Single Visa</u> is sufficient that the NCCU will provide the immigration documents for visa extension to at most 6 months for free. <u>Please be notified that it is NOT possible to change a Single Visa to a Multiple one in Taiwan.</u>
- ♦ Visa application details https://www.boca.gov.tw/cp-158-4342-a78b4-2.html

(2) Staying more than 180 days (For students who will study for one academic year):

- Please apply for <u>a Resident Visa</u>. Within 15 days upon the first arrival in Taiwan, please apply for an Alien Resident Certificate (ARC) in the National Immigration Agency. An immigration package will be provided by NCCU for obtaining your ARC.
- ♦ Visa application details https://www.boca.gov.tw/cp-165-1878-1ff5e-2.html
- (3) For students who hold a HK or Macau passport, please visit https://coa.immigration.gov.tw/coa-frontend/overseas-honk-macao for Entry Permit application.
- (4) For students who hold a Chinese passport, NCCU will need to apply for the Entry Permit for you. Instructions will be provided individually.

10. Insurance

Students have to buy their own insurance before coming to NCCU to cover the stay in Taiwan. There is no medical insurance product provided in NCCU; however, all exchange students are required to buy a basic student insurance (NTD 180 – around USD 6) covered for accidents.

11. Buddy Program

We will assign local Taiwanese voluntary students to assist exchange students in any problems they may encounter, to help them adjust to the life in Taipei.

