

Guidelines for NCU International Student Scholarship (New)

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- I. National Central University (hereafter the University), in an effort to promote the international academic research and to enhance international competitiveness, has formulated this guideline.
- II. Sources of scholarship are as follows: subsidy from Taiwan Government, the University endowment fund, revenue generated from the University tuition and donations from legal foundations, enterprise and privates, etc.
- III. Eligibility
 1. Incoming students: students who are accepted for admission by the department.
 2. Current students:
 - a. Undergraduate students: the minimum average score of last two semesters while studying in NCU must be higher than or equal to 60.
 - b. Graduate students: the minimum average score of last two semesters while studying in NCU must be higher than or equal to 70.
 - c. Applicants must pass at least one Chinese course provided by NCU Language Center. (Except the fall semester students do not need this certification while they apply the scholarship for the first semester and the second semester.)
- IV. Application procedure and Document
 1. New students: The applicants submit the application form along with the admission application.
 2. Current students:
 - a. Application date: From June 15th to July 15th every year (Except the fall semester students need to apply the first semester and the second semester scholarship before February 1.)
 - b. Document:
 - Transcripts of each semesters
 - Appraisal Form of Academic Performance completed by applicant's advisor.

- V. Each college will combine the budget distributed by Office of International Affairs which is approved by the Scholarship Committee with their own college and department funds. The scholarship award is decided based on the applicant's academic performance.
- VI. The maximum duration for the recipients whose budget is from Office of International Affairs is four years for PHD students and two years for Master students.
- VII. Scholarship Award:
1. Only tuition and credit fee waiver
 2. The maximum amount of the monthly stipend for PhD students is NTD51,000; maximum for Master students NTD15,000 and maximum for undergraduate students NTD9,000. Scholarship recipients of Master's and PhD programs will be considered for waivers of tuition and credit fees. If students leave school more than 15days, the scholarship will only be issued under the approval of the advisor or department's chairman.
- VIII. The scholarship is granted to each recipient for one academic year. This scholarship will be deposited into recipients' post office accounts on a monthly basis. The scholarship will be issued after the recipients complete the registration procedure each semester. Also, due to the transition of the accounting year, the scholarship for January will be delayed.
- IX. Each college will determine the scholarship award result and it will be reported to the Scholarship Committee.
- X. The scholarship will be terminated in one of following conditions:
1. Before each month of 15th, if recipients withdraw, graduate from NCU, transfer to other schools, work illegally, or are absent from classes more than two weeks without notice, their scholarship will be suspended immediately. When the student resumes his/her study, the scholarship will be continued issuing from the month of resuming study.
 2. If the recipients have a poor performance concerning their attendances, academic performance, behaviors, disciplinary reasons or other situations during the awarding period, the scholarship will be terminated according to the result of investigation.
 3. If compulsory courses for graduation are not completed yet, the recipients have to take at least two courses (except transferred credits courses) each semester which related to their professions. If there's an exception, this rule may be neglected once approved by the department.
 4. During awarded period recipients who do not return to the University and finish registration procedure in every semester will have their scholarship paused

immediately.

5. If the recipient participates in the dual degree or exchange program abroad, he/she can only receive one type of scholarship, "Dual degree (Exchange) Program Scholarship" or this "International Student Scholarship."
6. The recipient must not receive the Straitened Circumstances Scholarship at the same time.
- XI. The committee of NCU Scholarship includes Dean of International Affairs, Academic Affairs, Student Affairs, Research and Development, and one representative from each college.
- XII. This regulation is effective starting from NCU international students admitted in academic year 2013.
- XIII. The guidelines and the amendments will become effective after the approval of NCU Administration conference.