A Message from the President

National Chengchi University (NCCU) was founded in Nanjing in 1927, and was subsequently relocated to Taipei, Taiwan, in 1954. Throughout its challenging history, the university has always adhered to its Founding Principles: “Harmony, Independence, Balance and Excellence.” NCCU faculty and administrators have since been striving to improve the quality of both instruction and research not only to meet the needs of national development, but also to cultivate the leadership indispensable in moving Taiwan forward.

Guided by a deep commitment to public services and (inter)national contributions, NCCU will continue to uphold its dedication to most advanced research, international bridge-building across languages and cultures, and constant renovation and reinvention in this brave new century.

Internationalization is at the core of NCCU’s foundation. Our university aspires to be one of the world’s leading higher educational institutions, creating global citizens at home and around the world. It is our earnest hope that students with international perspectives or interests in Sinology, Taiwanese cultures, and Asian studies from the four corners of the earth will come to join us here, at Wenshan, in the Green Valley of Taipei. The education — Fête mobile intellectuelle in the light of Hemingway — that you once receive here will provide you with unbound horizons as well as incessant inspirations all your lifetime.

郭明政
President Ming-Cheng Kuo

Bringing the humanities and social sciences into the digital age

NCCU is home to 11 colleges including Liberal Arts, Law, Commerce, Science, Foreign Languages, Social Sciences, Communication, International Affairs, Education, International College of Innovation and College of Informatics. Since its establishment, NCCU has developed a storied legacy in the humanities and social sciences, and now it is leading the integration of the two fields with digital technology. NCCU’s mission is to cultivate a new generation of leaders characterized by their humanitarianism, professionalism, innovativeness and global vision, supported by NCCU’s world-class instruction and research.
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Most Sought-after Graduates by Employers

NCCU is regarded as one of Asia’s most renowned universities for Business, the Humanities, Social Sciences, Communications, and Asia-Pacific Studies. It was ranked 1st in Global Views Monthly Magazine’s “Enterprises’ Most-Favored Universities to Hire From” in the fields of Liberal Arts, Law, and Commerce in 2019 and 2020.

Outstanding Alumni

Many renowned government officials including 2 vice presidents and more than 20 premiers and ministers of R.O.C. are NCCU alumni.

The Only Business School in Taiwan with 3 International Accreditations

2 Vice Presidents

20+ Premiers & Ministers

Academics

Research Highlights

As one of the leading universities of Taiwan, NCCU provides its students with a unique local and specialized academic experience. Having exceptional research centers and taking part on several significant projects from the Ministry of Science and Technology, NCCU has been acknowledged as the most impactful university in terms of its high-quality research performance. With such a pedigree for research quality, the university plays a critical role among academia, industry, and government.

FinTech
FinTech Research Center

Sinology & Chinese Studies
Lo Chia-Iuen International Sinology Chair Center for Chinese Studies

Research Centers and Institutes

Science of Mind
Research Center for Mind, Brain and Learning

Aboriginal Studies
Center for Aboriginal Studies

Institute of International Relations
Institute of International Relations
election Study Center
Center for the Third Sector
Center for Creativity and Innovation Studies

Taiwan Studies Center

Classics & Ancient History

Politics & International studies

Modern Language

Communication & Media Studies

Classics & Ancient History

Politics & International studies

Modern Language

Communication & Media Studies
Global Partnerships
University-level

NORTH AMERICA
61
2
121
24
Europe

LATIN AMERICA
18
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AFRICA
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EAST ASIA & PACIFIC
120
14

WEST ASIA
29
10

EAST ASIA & PACIFIC

EUROPE

WEST ASIA

LATIN AMERICA

NORTH AMERICA

64+
Countries

350+
Global Partners

750+
inbound Exchange

637+
outbound Exchange

543 global partners (all levels) in 71 countries as of 2021

Updated until Jan. 2021

Taiwan – ASEAN Presidents’ Forum
Czech Senate President Vystrčil Delegation to NCCU
Academics

International Degree Programs

ICI
International College of Innovation
- The International College of Innovation is the first international program in Taiwan to learn through a problem-oriented, interdisciplinary curriculum that builds upon the fields of Globalization & Democratic Governance, Asian Society & Sustainable Development, and Innovation Management and Data Science.
  - Required Credits: 128
  - Duration: 4 years
  Specialization Tracks
  Globalization & Democratic Governance, Asian Society & Sustainable Development, Global Technology & Innovation Management

IMBA
International Master of Business Administration
Focus on Asia-Pacific business dynamics and cross-cultural understanding
- Required Credits: 42
- Duration: 2 years
Specialization Tracks
Expertise and Focus on Asia, including Chinese Business in Global Perspective, Confucianism & Leadership, International Business Management, Small & Medium-Size Enterprises, Strategic Talent Management

IMAS
International Master’s Program in Asia-Pacific Studies
Focus on research methods in the social sciences and study of Asia-Pacific regional development and policy
- Required Credits: 36
- Duration: 2 years
Specialization Tracks
Political Economy, Society and Culture, Cross-Strait/IR

IMES
International Master’s Program of Applied Economics and Social Development
Rigorous training for a strong foundation in economics and policy for purposes of engaging in research and analysis
- Required Credits: 33
- Duration: 2 years
Specialization Tracks

IMICS
International Master’s Program in International Communication Studies
Emphasis on providing research tools and foundational courses, allowing candidates to produce high-quality, original research
- Required Credits: 32
- Duration: 2 years
Specialization Tracks
Cross-Cultural Communication, Transnational Public Relations and Advertisement, Political Communication, New Media Studies

IDAS
International Doctoral Program in Asia-Pacific Studies
Emphasis on providing research tools and foundational courses, allowing candidates to produce high-quality, original research
- Required Credits: 30
- Duration: 4 years
Specialization Tracks
Political Economy, Society & Culture, Public Governance, International Relations

IMPIS
International Master’s Program in International Studies
A broad interdisciplinary focus on the understanding and study of contemporary international relations
- Required Credits: 30
- Duration: 2 years
Specialization Tracks
International Cooperation Development (ICD), International Strategic Management (ISM)
Academics

Colleges

NCCU currently has 11 colleges with 34 departments and 47 postgraduate institutes, of which 35 offer doctoral programs. Additionally, NCCU offers 14 on-the-job master's programs, 5 distinguished international master's programs, and one international doctoral program.

College of Liberal Arts

- The recently established Graduate Institute of Library, Information and Archival Studies, along with the Graduate Institute of Religious Studies, and the Graduate Institutes of Taiwan History and Taiwanese Literature aim to enhance scholarly research and the spirit of humanities.
- The College of Liberal Arts promotes teacher and student exchanges through academic cooperation agreements with 51 outstanding international universities. Besides, the College of Liberal Arts is also known for its foreign student-friendly curriculum aimed at encouraging the study of Chinese language and culture.

College of Foreign Languages & Literature

- CFLL provides students with rigorous training in 16 foreign languages, literatures, and cultures.
- Endeavoring to integrate theory with practice, CFLL encourages students to learn languages and combine their technical expertise with language proficiency for cross-cultural activities and learning.

College of Law

- The first independent law school of all national universities in Taiwan.
- Offers one undergraduate program, one executive master's program, and eight specialized research centers (Centers in Public Law, Civil Law, Criminal Law, Economic & Financial Law, Labor & Social Law, China Law Studies, Fundamental Jurisprudence, and Interdisciplinary Studies)—the College of Law is now the largest and most influential law school in Taiwan.

College of Commerce

- Students and alumni from 60+ countries and 5 continents.
- Students can receive dual degrees in 2 years from 2 countries or choose from 140+ countries for academic exchange.
- Faculty comprises senior executives of multinational corporations and overseas professors.
- Taiwan's premier English MBA dually accredited by The Association to Advance Collegiate Schools of Business (AACSB) and European Quality Improvement System (EQUIS)

College of Science

- Founded in 1994 from the former College of Arts and Sciences.
- Provides the following university-level research centers and programs: the Research Center for Mind, Brain and Learning, Master Program in Digital Content and Technologies, Patents Course Program, MA Program in Counseling and Guidance, Bachelor's Program in Digital Content and Technologies, and the Financial Mathematics Program. In 2020, Bachelor Program in Electrophysics will be established.
International College of Innovation

- The International College of Innovation is the first international program in Taiwan to learn through a problem-oriented, interdisciplinary curriculum that builds upon the fields of Globalization & Democratic Governance, Asian Society & Sustainable Development, and Innovation Management and Data Science.
- ICI aims to equip the students with global visions and creative solution skills to tackle the complicated global public affairs, and prepare students for their success in global leadership.

College of Communication

- The Master’s Program in Digital Content and Technologies is a joint collaboration between the College of Communication and Department of Computer Science. Its aim is to cultivate future industry leaders who possess expertise in digital media, design, user experience, and smart environments.
- Works with media and corporate partners to provide experiential learning opportunities that help students enhance their employability.

College of Social Sciences

- Established in 1927, the College of Social Sciences integrates experts from 10 departments, 3 international master’s programs, and 10 research centers to train talent that can serve the country, conduct frontier research, and provide professional consulting services for the public.
- With nearly 70% of faculty members having graduated from renowned universities across Europe and the US, the CSS encourages students to participate in over 50 English-taught courses, international exchange, and community service programs for a holistic academic experience.

College of Education

- Founded in 1954, the College of Education is the first educational institute to be established in Taiwan.
- Offers a multitude of courses focusing on secondary education, education administration and student affairs, educational research and leadership, and multicultural education.
- Besides regular programs, we also established one and the only national center, funded by the Ministry of Education, Taiwan Experimental Educational Center (TEECC) in 2015 and is extending its influence on innovative schooling and pedagogy.

College of International Affairs

- Established in 2000, the College of International Affairs fosters an academic environment that centers on the dialogue among globalization, international relations, and sustainable development.
- Renowned for its Department of Diplomacy, the College is dedicated to the training of future leaders excelling in all fields of international and cross-strait affairs.

College of Informatics

- As a result of the strong scientific research of the thirty-year-old Department of Computer Science, the newly established College of Informatics (est. 2021) represents the strong ambition of National Chengchi University to further integrate recent innovations in science and technology with its strong background in the social sciences and humanities field.
- Objectives of the College include, but are not limited to: research and application. Likewise, the College aims to understand further societal influences and impacts ensuing from advanced technologies, including artificial intelligence (e.g., machine learning), information security, efficient communication alternatives (e.g., 5G), and the internet of things (IOT).
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Admission

International Student Admission

NCCU accepts international applications twice a year. The timeline of phase 1 and phase 2 admissions are listed below.

Application timeline for 2021 Fall entry

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| Phase Two          | Phase Two      | Phase Two                              |
| 2/2 2021           | 3/19 2021      | 5/14 2021                              |
| 5/14 2021          | 6/9 2021       |                                        |

Please check NCCU Admission website for latest information.

Application Checklist

- Application fee receipt
- One complete application form
- Declaration
- Verification of nationality
  (A photocopy of your passport)
- Full academic transcript
- An official bank statement

Contact Us

Graduate Admissions: nccugrad@nccu.edu.tw
Undergraduate Admissions: intladm@nccu.edu.tw

Scholarships

NCCU provides a variety of scholarships to cover students’ financial needs, allowing them to focus on their academic pursuits and university life. Both government scholarships and NCCU scholarships are available for prospective students. SCAN the QR Code below for further details.

- New Inbound International Students Scholarship Pilot Plan
  Contact: Office of International Cooperation

- New International Students Scholarship
  Contact: Office of International Cooperation

- New International Students Tuition Waiver
  Contact: Office of International Cooperation

- Academic Excellence Scholarship for International Students
  Contact: Office of International Cooperation

- Elite Scholarship Program
  Contact: Office of International Cooperation

- Taiwan Alumni Association of Malaysia Scholarship
  Contact: Office of Student Affairs

- Lo Chia-luen International Sinology Scholarship
  Contact: sinologynccu@gmail.com (+886-2-82377081)

- ICDF Scholarship
  Contact: Taiwan Overseas Representative Offices

- MOE Taiwan Scholarship
  Contact: Taiwan Overseas Representative Offices

- MOFA Taiwan Scholarship
  Contact: Taiwan Overseas Representative Offices

- MOST Taiwan Scholarship
  Contact: Taiwan Overseas Representative Offices

- Scholarships
International Summer School / Customized Programs

For Students

International Summer School

Since 2009, National Chengchi University International Summer School (NCCU ISS) was established upon the belief that boundaries and semester/year should not be factors that limit the chance of learning. During summer break (July-August), NCCU ISS provides a 4-week Mandarin language study course and intensive English-taught academic courses. Applicants can also enjoy more vibrant and in-depth cultural experiences through various forms of field trips and excursions.

For Partners

Customized Programs

NCCU’s Customized Programs are flexible options for partners who are interested in a tailor-made short-term program for their students. Its aim is to continue to provide cross-cultural, extraordinary experiences even outside the scope of our pre-planned programs. The program length can range from two weeks to a couple of months.

- The package contents can be negotiated with the commissioning institute.

Contact for Customized Programs: oic@nccu.edu.tw

Targeted Fields

Communication, Social Science and History, Mandarin Language or any other academic fields suggested by partner universities.

Modules of Cooperation

Option A

NCCU prepares the course curriculum, language classes, and excursions around Taiwan for the partner universities.

Option B

The partner university prepares the course curriculum and instructors/teachers, while NCCU supplies the classrooms, additional language classes, and excursions around Taiwan.

Learning Chinese at NCCU

Offered by Chinese Learning Center

- The Chinese Language Center (CLC), established more than twenty years ago, is nationally acclaimed for its teaching quality as well as excellent facilities and instructional aids.
- The CLC maintains a teacher-to-student ratio of 1:8 to ensure that individual attention is received while learning the language.

Scholarships

- Taiwan/Huayu Enrichment Scholarship: Ministry of Education, Taiwan (R.O.C.)
- CLC Scholarship

Offered by Office of International Cooperation

Office of International Cooperation (OIC) initiated Mandarin Chinese courses to encourage international students to have access to learn Mandarin Chinese with numerous social, cultural, academic activities during academic semesters.

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<td>Levels</td>
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*There are 18 weeks in a semester at NCCU. *18 lecture hours are counted as 1 NCCU credit.
Taiwan
An Asian Miracle

Global Base of High-Tech and Industry
Taiwan houses more than 20 science parks and produces an annual output of 3 trillion NTD.

Best Countries for Business in 2019
Forbes ranked Taiwan #12 in 2019

Best Healthcare Systems in 2019
CEO World Magazine ranked Taiwan #1 in 2019

Best Country for Travel and Living
CNN Travel rated Taiwan as one of the best countries for travel and living.

Taiwan is world-renowned as an economic miracle and the most vibrant democracy in Asia, but it's so much more as well: a thriving hub of diverse cultural traditions, a laboratory creating innovative technologies, home to some of the world’s best and most varied cuisine, and a land of breathtakingly beautiful vistas. Taiwan is your perfect stepping stone to all of Asia.

Over the past four decades, Taiwan has created a new roadmap for the development of thriving and vital young democracies. Taiwan couples a business-friendly environment with outstanding health and social welfare systems admired by scholars and policymakers from around the world. Taiwan’s ethnically and culturally diverse society is also one of the world's safest and friendliest, making it an ideal destination for young students and future leaders.

Getting in and around NCCU

NCCU is nestled in the green, tranquil mountainous area of Maokong, 20 minutes away from the Taipei city center. Whether it is the vibrant city life or the relaxing quiet of nature, NCCU offers easy access to both worlds.

A spacious campus area located in Taiwan’s capital city!

The NCCU campus covers 106.53 hectares, equivalent to 36 Taipei Arenas.

- **Taipei Songshan Airport → NCCU**
  - By Taxi: 30 mins
  - By Public Transportation: 40 mins

- **Taoyuan International Airport → NCCU**
  - By Taxi: 1 hour
  - By Public Transportation: 1 hour 40 minutes

Transportation to NCCU
Fees and Costs
Affordable tuition fees and reasonable living expenses

Tuition
- Undergraduate: $1,700
- Graduate: $970-3,100

Rent
- On Campus: $300-1,100
- Off Campus: $1,500

Others
- Textbooks: $250
- Food: $1,200
- Insurance: $155
- Miscellaneous Fees: $250

1. The estimated fees and expenses are for reference only. The actual expense depends on each individual's personal situation and choices.
2. For the calculation of tuition & miscellaneous fees, refer to the latest information by scanning the QR code.

Dining
Diverse dining choices, ranging from the exotic to the local
At NCCU, with the many dining options both on and off campus, it’s nearly impossible for students to have an empty stomach. Within one minute of walking from the main gate, there are more than 50 restaurants, food stands, and beverage shops. The nearby supermarket also has meat, vegetables, ingredients, and other goods for those students who like to cook for themselves.

Vegetarians, vegans or students with special dietary requirements also have great options for dining: a number of restaurants in Muhsu district are capable of offering customized dishes based on your needs.

Students Support
Additional exclusive services for international students
There are 3 voluntary groups at NCCU taking care of the international students, including:
- Campus Caring Group (CCG)
  Campus Caring Group is a group of spouses of current faculty and retirees that provide students with free one-on-one Mandarin language study and support.
- Buddy for exchange students
  All exchange students will have 1 to 2 local buddies assigned to them to provide assistance, such as airport pick-up, life support, and more.
- International Association (IA)
  International Association is a student club consisting of both international and local students. Each semester, IA will conduct several cultural activities and voluntary services for students for cultural exchange and service purposes.
Life at NCCU

Sports Facilities
Equipped with international-standard professional facilities & courts

The campus is well-outfitted with a variety of sports facilities, including track fields, ball courts, swimming pool, fitness rooms, and more. Most facilities are free to use, but require pre-reservation. NCCU students can apply for passes to the tennis court/swimming pool/fitness room at student discount prices for monthly/quarterly/yearly services.

Libraries
Offering a wide range of printed and online study resources

As a top university in Taiwan, NCCU libraries place a significant value on providing resources for the study of special and professional knowledge. NCCU students have easy access to over 1,880,000 printed publications and numerous multi-media and online resources in NCCU libraries. In addition, the libraries are multi-functional, offering spaces for group discussion, research, lectures, co-working, or VR experiences. The 24/7 study room at the Main Library is one of the most popular spots for the hardest-working students.

Religion-friendly campus

NCCU strives to provide an inclusive environment where its students can feel at home. From Muslim prayer rooms inside campus to temples and churches nearby, students from different religious backgrounds will find it easy to adapt to life here.

Housing
Safe & clean on-campus accommodations with great amenities

There are 3 main dormitory areas at NCCU. Two are located on-campus, while NCCU-iHouse (dormitory for international exchange students) is located off-campus, 5-min away from the NCCU main campus by foot. Room types range from single to 4-person room, depending on the availability of each dormitory. Dorm fees fall between USD300-USD1100 per semester. All dormitories are separated by gender, and residents are required to follow access control during certain periods to ensure their safety. Smoking and cooking are both prohibited in all NCCU dormitories. However, the use of microwaves and ovens are allowed in public areas.

Gymnasium
- Basketball
- Volleyball
- Badminton
- Table tennis
- Fitness room

Swimming Hall
- Swimming Pool
- Spinning classroom

Others:
- Tennis court, baseball field, Track and field
Students/Alumni Testimonials

Irene Wijaya

NCCU is the only school in Taiwan to be dual accredited in both EQUIS and AACSB and has crucial connections with the world’s top corporations—that means it can offer students first-hand, practical experience and learning opportunities, such as internship programs and company visits. Not only that, at NCCU, I have more opportunities to interact with students and scholars from different parts of the world. It is the perfect place to develop the global mindset that is so in demand in today’s world.

IMBA Program

Chris Cottorone

Top ranked program is the No.1 leading International MBA program in Taiwan. It is also the premier academic institution of Taiwan that blends the traditions of the Greater China and Asia regions with the rest of the world, and is an international gathering place of both talent and learning.

Chinese Literature Department

Olech Marian Piotr

NCCU’s Chinese Literature Department offers courses taught by the world's leading experts in the field. There are far more frequent and more extensive academic events related to Chinese studies here, not to mention the immense corpus of Chinese studies in its library collections and databases.

IDAS Program

Patrick Bugarin

I am fortunate to have been taught by remarkable educators who are respected in their fields of research. Besides, NCCU has a huge population of international students, which means you have plenty of opportunities to interact with people from a diverse cultural background, learn from them, and expand your understanding of the world not only by theory but also by reality. For challenge-seeking students who want a healthy life-school balance, NCCU is waiting for you.

NCCU is the top choice for anyone interested in politics and international affairs.