



**National Yang-Ming University**  
**Fall Semester 2021**  
**Prospectus for International Students**

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## Degree Offered to International Students

Department/Institute	Degree offered to students		
School of Medicine	Bachelor	Master	Ph.D.
※ Faculty of Medicine	•		
※ International Health Program		•	•
※ Institute of Traditional Medicine		•	•
※ Institute of Health and Welfare Policy		•	
※ Institute of Emergency and Critical Care Medicine		•	•
※ Institute of Brain Sciences		•	•
※ Institute of Pharmacology		•	•
※ Institute of Anatomy and Cell Biology		•	
※ Institute of Biomedical Informatics		•	•
※ Institute of Environmental and Occupational Health Sciences		•	•
※ International Ph. D. Program in Environmental Science and Technology (UST Program)			•
School of Biomedical Science and Engineering	Bachelor	Master	Ph.D.
※ Department of Biomedical Engineering	•	•	•
※ Institute of Biophotonics		•	•
※ Department of Physical Therapy and Assistive Technology	•	•	•
※ Department of Biomedical Imaging and Radiological Sciences (BIRS)		•	•
※ International Ph.D. Program in Photonics (UST Program)			•
School of Life Sciences	Bachelor	Master	Ph.D.
※ Department of Life Sciences and Institute of Genome Sciences	•	•	•
※ Institute of Microbiology and Immunology		•	•
※ Institute of Biochemistry and Molecular Biology		•	•
※ Institute of Neuroscience		•	•
School of Nursing	Bachelor	Master	Ph.D.
※ Department of Nursing	•		
School of Dentistry	Bachelor	Master	Ph.D.
※ Department of Dentistry	•	•	•
※ Institute of Oral Biology		•	•

<b>School of Pharmaceutical Sciences</b>	<b>Bachelor</b>	<b>Master</b>	<b>Ph.D.</b>
※ Faculty of Pharmacy		•	
※ Institute of Biopharmaceutical Sciences		•	•
※ Institute of Food Safety and Health Risk Assessment		•	
<b>School of Humanities and Social Sciences</b>	<b>Bachelor</b>	<b>Master</b>	<b>Ph.D.</b>
※ Institute of Science, Technology, and Society		•	
※ Graduate Institute for Studies in Visual Cultures		•	
※ International Program in Inter-Asia Cultural Studies (UST Program)		•	

## Admission Timetable for Fall Semester 2021

Schedule of Events	Date
Application Period	December 20, 2020 – March 05, 2021
Application submission deadline	<b>March 05, 2021</b> (11:59 p.m. GMT+8)
Admission Decision Released (Posted on the front page of Office of International Affairs)	Middle of May, 2021

**\*Application deadline for International Health Program: March 15, 2021.**

1. Read the **2021 Prospectus for International Students** to prepare all required documentation and start the online application.
2. All documentation must be submitted using the online application system before **March 05, 2021**, we are unable to accept paper copy of documentation.
3. Note: Applicants will be asked to provide details of referees. A recommendation request will be sent from our online application system to referees. Referees can submit recommendation letter via our online application system before **March 05, 2021**.

## Notification

1. The applicants **MUST** fulfill the regulations for the foreign students admission set by the National Yang-Ming University. (For details, please refer to the p.45 [Attachment](#))
2. All applicants must have equivalent graduation
  - Undergraduate Program applicants: High school diploma
  - Master Program applicants: Bachelor's degree diploma
  - PhD program applicants: Master's degree diploma
  - Graduating students admitted to NYMU must submit their diploma before the time of registration, or admission will be cancelled.
3. For the financial statement, if the applicant has obtained or applied for any scholarship, it is not necessary to enclose the financial statement. But you **have to** state the scholarship you applied clearly.
4. Application fee (required by some institutes)

\* The fee is nonrefundable.

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5. Supporting documentation  
For your application to be considered, we need you to provide us with information that demonstrates your academic suitability for the course. Please include as much detail as possible at the point of application. In addition to your academic qualifications and experience, Course Selectors will look for evidence of other documentation, **please be sure you read the admission prospectus carefully and prepare all required documentation of your department/institute.** If any information provided by the students is found to be false, the student shall be denied admission or discontinued from the program in the future.



# School of Medicine



<b>Faculty of Medicine</b>	
Bachelor	•

Notification:

- Courses mostly are taught in Chinese.
- Program Duration: The undergraduate program covers 6 years, including 2 years of clerkship training.

**Phase I – Application and Preliminary Screening (Weight of scores: 20%)**

1. Application fee: (Please see Notification)
  - Domestic mailing address: NT\$3000 or US\$100
  - Overseas mailing address: NT\$6000 or US\$200
2. Autobiography ( **Handwriting** in **BOTH** English **AND** Chinese) with signature
3. Two Letters of Recommendation
4. Short essay writing with signature  
(on your personal experience and/or statement of purpose; handwriting in **BOTH** English **AND** Chinese)
5. One copy of the highest-level diploma/certificate (or equivalent academic attainment) **AND** one copy of transcript(s) issued by the institution (with translations into English or Chinese)
6. Financial statement showing your financial support during the study period. (see Notification, item 4 )
7. Verification of language proficiency:
  - (1) English proficiency: For international applicants whose native language is not English, TOFEL minimum score above 79(IBT), IELTS 6.5, or TOEIC 750 is required – it must have been taken within the past five years.
  - (2) Chinese proficiency: TOCFL level 5 or other appropriate proofs of Chinese proficiency. (TOCFL test information, please see the Appendix I.)
8. Mandatory document: SAT scores (Scholastic Assessment Tests)  
<http://sat.collegeboard.org/home>

**Phase II – Interview (Weight of scores: 80%)**

- Test fee (for qualified applicants only): NT\$6000 or US\$200
- After the preliminary screening, qualified applicants will be informed to attend an interview. At this stage, the interview is proceeded by either an in person oral interview or phone/webcam interview.
- **There will be NO waiver or return of Tuition and or Miscellaneous School Fees.**

Website: <http://md.web.ym.edu.tw/bin/home.php>



<b>International Health Program</b>	
Master	•
Ph.D.	•

Notification:

- Courses are taught in English.
- Reminder: ICDF Scholarship applicants please complete application form on ICDF online application system and submit it and required documents to the ROC (Taiwan)Embassy/representative office.
- Application deadline: March 15, 2021

**Phase I – Application and Preliminary Screening (Weight of scores:100%)**

1. Autobiography (**TYPE in English only, hand-writing is not acceptable**)
2. Two Letters of Recommendation
3. Statement of Purpose (**TYPE in English only, hand-writing is not acceptable**)
  - Purpose of study: Delineating the reasons for studying public health
  - Plans of study: Stating specific area of interest, and proposed subject of current or future research
  - Anticipated results: Stating how the intended study will help fulfill personal and scientific goals
4. One copy of the highest-level diploma/certificate (or equivalent academic attainment) **AND** one copy of transcript(s) issued by the institution (with translations into English or Chinese)
5. Verification of English Proficiency: For international applicants whose native language is not English, TOEFL minimum score above 80(IBT) or IELTS 6.5 is required – it must have been taken within the past five years.
6. Financial statement showing your financial support during the study period. (see Notification, item 4 )
  - **A financial statement is not necessary for application. However, qualified students who have no scholarship should provide a financial statement within 2 weeks of committing to enroll.**
7. Other supporting materials: Other materials to evidence the applicant’s abilities (ex. Chinese proficiency) and experiences. (Optional)

Website: <http://www.ym.edu.tw/ihpnymu/>

<b>Institute of Traditional Medicine</b>	
Master	•
Ph.D.	•

Notification:

- Compulsory courses are taught in English.

### **Phase I -- Required Documentation (Weight of scores: 50%)**

1. Application fee: (Please see Notification.)
  - Domestic mailing address: NT\$500 or US\$20
  - Overseas mailing address: NT\$500 or US\$20
2. Autobiography (**TYPE** in English **AND** Chinese)
3. Two Letters of Recommendation
4. Statement of Purpose (**TYPE** in English **OR** Chinese)
  - Purpose of study: delineating the reasons for studying in Taiwan
  - Plan of study: stating specific area of interest, and proposed subject of current or future research objectives
  - Anticipated results: stating how the intended study will help fulfill personal and scientific goals
5. One copy of the highest-level diploma/certificate (or equivalent academic attainment) **AND** one copy of transcripts issued by the institution (with translation to English or Chinese)
6. Financial statement showing your financial support during the study period. (Please see Notification, item 4 )
7. Other supporting materials (Any certificates or research experiences).

### **Phase II – Interview (Weight of scores: 50%)**

- After the preliminary screening, qualified applicants will be informed to attend an interview. If the applicant is in Taiwan, it will be proceeded by an oral interview. If the applicant does not live in Taiwan, it will be proceeded by a phone or webcam interview.
- Please prepare a 10 minute oral presentation about traditional medicine (in English or Chinese).

Website: <http://www.ym.edu.tw/tra/English%20Version.htm>

# Institute of Health and Welfare Policy

Master



Notification:

- Courses are taught in Chinese.

## Phase I -- Application and Preliminary Screening (Weight of scores: 100%)

1. Autobiography ( **TYPE** in English **OR** Chinese)
2. Two Letters of Recommendation
3. Statement of Purpose (**TYPE** in English **OR** Chinese)
  - Purpose of study: delineating the reasons for studying in Taiwan
  - Plan of study: stating specific area of interest, and proposed subject of current or future research objectives
  - Anticipated results: stating how the intended study will help fulfill personal and scientific goals
4. One copy of the highest-level diploma/certificate (or equivalent academic attainment) **AND** one copy of transcript(s) issued by the institution (with translations into English or Chinese)
5. Financial statement showing your financial support during the study period. (see Notification, item 4)
6. Verification of Language Proficiency:
  - (1) English proficiency: For international applicants whose native language is not English, TOFEL minimum score above 80(IBT)/550(TBT), IELTS 6.5, or TOEIC 550 is required – it must have been taken within the past five years.
  - (2) TOCFL level 3 or other appropriate proofs of Chinese proficiency. (TOCFL test information, please see the Appendix I.)
7. Other supporting materials

Website: <http://www.ym.edu.tw/ihw/>

<b>Institute of Emergency and Critical Care Medicine</b>	
Master	•
Ph.D.	•

Notification:

- 50% of courses are taught in English.

### **Phase I -- Application and Preliminary Screening (Weight of scores: 50%)**

1. Autobiography (Please **TYPE** in **BOTH** English **AND** Chinese)
2. Two Letters of Recommendation
3. Statement of Purpose (**TYPE** in English **OR** Chinese)
  - Purpose of study: delineating the reasons for studying in Taiwan
  - Plans of study: stating specific area of interest, and proposed subject of current or future research objectives.
  - Anticipated results: stating how the intended study will help fulfill personal and scientific goals
4. One copy of the highest-level diploma/certificate (or equivalent academic attainment) **AND** one copy of transcript(s) issued by the institution (with translations into English or Chinese)
5. Financial statement showing your financial support during the study period. (see Notification, item 4 )
6. Verification of Language Proficiency
  - (1) English Proficiency: For international applicants whose native language is not English, TOEFL minimum score above 80(IBT) is required – it must have been taken within the past five years.
  - (2) Chinese Proficiency: TOCFL level 5 or other appropriate proofs of Chinese proficiency. (TOCFL test information, please see the Appendix I.)
7. Other supporting materials: A mpeg video (in DVD or VCD) using Chinese
  - Self introductions · Purpose of study · Plan of study

### **Phase II – Interview (Weight of scores: 50%)**

- After the preliminary screening, qualified applicants will be informed to attend an interview. If the applicant is in Taiwan, it will be proceeded by an oral interview. If the applicant does not live in Taiwan, it will be proceeded by a phone or webcam interview.

Website: <http://ieccm.web.ym.edu.tw/bin/home.php>

<b>Institute of Brain Science</b>	
Master	•
Ph.D.	•

Notification:

- Course mainly are taught in Chinese, few elective courses and seminar are taught in English.

### **Phase I -- Application and Preliminary Screening (Weight of scores: 100%)**

1. Autobiography (**TYPE** in English **OR** Chinese)
2. Two Letters of Recommendation
3. Statement of Purpose (**TYPE** in English **OR** Chinese)
  - Research purpose: delineating the reasons for studying in Taiwan
  - Previous research achievement: describing all research experience and projects
  - Study plan: stating specific areas of interest, and proposed subjects of current or future research objectives. State how the intended study will help fulfill personal and scientific goals.
4. One copy of the highest-level diploma/certificate (or equivalent academic attainment) **AND** one copy of transcript(s) issued by the institution (with translations into English or Chinese)
5. Verification of Language:
  - (1) English Proficiency: For international applicants whose native language is not English, TOEFL minimum score above 80 (IBT) / 550 (PBT) or IELTS 6.5 is required – it must have been taken within the past five years.
  - (2) Chinese Proficiency: TOCFL Level 5 (If you provide the certificate of Chinese courses as the proof, total hours regulation: 240 hours above in Chinese-speaking areas; 480 hours above in Non-Chinese-speaking areas. And with 800 Chinese vocabulary storage above)
6. Financial statement showing your financial support during the study period. (see Notification, item 4 )

Website: <http://bml.ym.edu.tw/ibs/>

<b>Institute of Pharmacology</b>	
Master	•
Ph.D.	•

Notification:

- Compulsory courses are taught in English.

### **Phase I –Application and Preliminary Screening (Weight of scores: 100%)**

1. Curriculum vitae (**TYPE** in English **OR** Chinese)
2. Two Letters of Recommendation
3. Statement of Purpose (**TYPE** in English **OR** Chinese)
  - Purpose of study: delineating the reasons for studying in Taiwan
  - Plans of study: stating specific area of interest, and proposed subject of current or future research objectives
  - Anticipated results: stating how the intended study will help fulfill personal and scientific goals
4. One copy of the highest-level diploma/certificate (or equivalent academic attainment) **AND** one copy of transcript(s) issued by the institution (with translations into English or Chinese)
5. Verification of English Proficiency: For international applicants whose native language is not English, TOFEL minimum score above 72(IBT), IELTS 5.5, or TOEIC 600 is required– it must have been taken within the past five years.
6. Additional documents (if applicable), such as professional licenses, publications, awards, Verification of Chinese proficiency or other evidence of scholarly achievements. All supporting materials should be translated into English or Chinese.

**Institute Website:** <http://phd-e.web.ym.edu.tw/bin/home.php>



# Institute of Anatomy and Cell Biology

Master

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Notification:

- Compulsory courses are taught in English.

## Phase I –Application and Preliminary Screening (Weight of scores: 100%)

1. Autobiography (**TYPE** in English **OR** Chinese)
2. Two Letters of Recommendation
3. Statement of Purpose (**TYPE** in English **OR** Chinese)
  - Purpose of study: delineating the reasons for studying in Taiwan
  - Plans of study: stating specific area of interest, and proposed subject of current or future research objectives
  - Anticipated results: stating how the intended study will help fulfill personal and scientific goals
4. One copy of the highest-level diploma/certificate (or equivalent academic attainment) **AND** one copy of transcript(s) issued by the institution (with translations into English or Chinese)
5. Verification of Language Proficiency:
  - (1) English Proficiency: For international applicants whose native language is not English, TOFEL minimum score above 80(IBT), IELTS 6.5 is required– it must have been taken within the past five years.
  - (2) Chinese Proficiency: Appropriate proofs of Chinese proficiency (TOCFL test information, please see the Appendix I.)
6. Additional document: research paper

Institute Website: <https://ias.ym.edu.tw/en/index.php>

<b>Institute of Biomedical Informatics</b>	
Master	•
Ph.D.	•

Notification:

- 90% of courses are taught in Chinese. Various equivalent courses provided by other institutes in English can be chosen after acceptance review before selection of courses.

### **Phase I -- Application and Preliminary Screening (Weight of scores: 70%)**

1. Curriculum Vitae (**TYPE** in English **OR** Chinese)
2. Two Letters of Recommendation
3. Statement of Purpose (**TYPE** in English **OR** Chinese)
  - Purpose of study: delineating the reasons for studying in Taiwan
  - Plans of study: stating specific area of interest, and proposed subject of current or future research objectives
  - Anticipated results: stating how the intended study will help fulfill personal and scientific goals
4. One copy of the highest-level diploma/certificate (or equivalent academic attainment) **AND** one copy of transcript issued by the institution (if it is not in English or Chinese, please provide the translations into English or Chinese).
5. Verification of English Proficiency: For international applicants whose native language is not English, TOEFL minimum score above 80(IBT) is required – it must be taken within the past five years.
6. Other supporting materials:
  - Research experience related to bio- or medical-informatics
  - Published scientific papers

### **Phase II – Interview (Weight of scores: 30%)**

- After the preliminary screening, qualified applicants will be informed to attend an interview. At this stage, the interview is proceeded by either an in person oral interview or phone/webcam interview.
- Please enclose applicants' **Email** and **contact phone number** clearly for the interview.

Institute Website: <http://bmi.ym.edu.tw/wp/>

Institute of Environmental and Occupational Health Sciences	
Master	•
Ph.D.	•

Notification:

- Courses are taught in English.

### Phase I -- Application and Preliminary Screening (Weight of scores: 100%)

1. Autobiography (**TYPE** in English)
2. Two Letters of Recommendation
3. Statement of Purpose (please **TYPE** in English)
  - Purpose of study: delineating the reasons for studying in Taiwan
  - Plans of study: stating specific area of interest, and proposed subject of current or future research
  - Anticipated results: stating how the intended study will help fulfill personal and scientific goals
4. One copy of the highest-level diploma/certificate (or equivalent academic attainment) **AND** one copy of transcript(s) issued by the institution (with translations into English or Chinese)
5. Verification of English Proficiency: For international applicants whose native language is not English, TOEFL minimum score above 80(IBT) / 550(PBT), IELTS 6.5 is required – it must have been taken within the past five years.

Website: <https://ieohs-e.ym.edu.tw//bin/home.php>

**International Ph. D. Program  
in Environmental Science and Technology  
(University System of Taiwan)**

Ph.D.

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Notification:

- Courses are taught in English.

**Phase I -- Application and Preliminary Screening (Weight of scores: 100%)**

1. Autobiography (**TYPE** in English)
2. Two Letters of Recommendation
3. Statement of Purpose (please **TYPE** in English)
  - Purpose of study: delineating the reasons for studying in Taiwan
  - Plans of study: stating specific area of interest, and proposed subject of current or future research
  - Anticipated results: stating how the intended study will help fulfill personal and scientific goals
4. One copy of the highest-level diploma/certificate (or equivalent academic attainment) **AND** one copy of transcript(s) issued by the institution (with translations into English or Chinese)
5. Verification of English Proficiency: For international applicants whose native language is not English, TOEFL minimum score above 80(IBT) / 550(PBT), IELTS 6.5 is required – it must have been taken within the past five years.

**Website:** <http://ust-est.csr.sr.ncu.edu.tw/>



# School of Biomedical Science and Engineering

← 人文與社會教育中心  
Education Center for  
Humanities and Social Sciences

研究大樓 →  
Research Building

實驗動物中心 →  
Laboratory Animal Center



<b>Department of Biomedical Engineering</b>	
Bachelor	•
Master	•
Ph.D.	•

Notification:

- Course are mainly taught in Chinese.

### **Phase I -- Application and Preliminary Screening (Weight of scores: 60%)**

1. Autobiography (**TYPE** in English **OR** Chinese)
2. Two Letters of Recommendation
3. Statement of Purpose (**TYPE** in English **OR** Chinese)
  - Purpose of study: delineating the reasons for studying in Taiwan
  - Plans of study: stating specific area of interest, and proposed subject of current or future research objectives
  - Anticipated results: stating how the intended study will help fulfill personal and scientific goals
4. One copy of the highest-level diploma/certificate (or equivalent academic attainment) **AND** one copy of transcript(s) issued by the institution (with translations into English or Chinese)
5. Financial statement showing your financial support during the study period. (see Notification, item 4 )
6. Verification of language proficiency:
  - (1) English proficiency: For international applicants whose native language is not English, TOFEL minimum score above 80(IBT) is required – it must have been taken within the past five years.
  - (2) Chinese proficiency: TOCFL level 3 or other appropriate proofs of Chinese proficiency. (TOCFL test information, please see the Appendix I.)

### **Phase II – Interview (Weight of scores: 40%)**

- After the preliminary screening, qualified applicants will be informed to attend an interview. If the applicant is in Taiwan, it will be proceeded by an oral interview. If the applicant does not live in Taiwan, it will be proceeded by a phone or webcam interview.

Website: <https://bme.ym.edu.tw/index.php/zh-tw/>



<b>Institute of Biophotonics</b>	
Master	•
Ph.D.	•

Notification:

- Courses are taught in English.

### **Phase I –Application and Preliminary Screening (Weight of scores: 100%)**

1. Autobiography (**TYPE** in English **OR** Chinese)
2. Two Letters of Recommendation
3. Statement of Purpose (**TYPE** in English **OR** Chinese)
  - Purpose of study: delineating the reasons for studying in Taiwan
  - Plans of study: stating specific area of interest, and proposed subject of current or future research objectives
  - Anticipated results: stating how the intended study will help fulfill personal and scientific goals
4. One copy of the highest-level diploma/certificate (or equivalent academic attainment) **AND** one copy of transcript(s) issued by the institution (with translations into English or Chinese, if in other languages)
5. Additional documents or certificates to demonstrate English language ability. (optional)

Institute Website: <https://bioph.ym.edu.tw/>

<b>Department of Physical Therapy and Assistive Technology</b>	
Bachelor	•
Master	•
Ph.D.	•

Notification:

- Courses are taught in Chinese.
- The aim of our department is to cultivate clinical professionals in the field of physical therapy and assistive technology. Starting in academic year 2016, our 4-year program replaced with a new 6-year program. Students under the new 6-year program will be awarded “Doctor of Physical Therapy” (D.P.T.) upon graduation.
- Physical therapist is a physically and mentally demanding profession. Physical therapist students should be able to meet the technical standards of our program, with or without reasonable accommodations. These technical standards include: observation with vision, hearing and somatic sensations; communication with speaking, reading and writing; motor function to perform physical examinations and to execute movement and transfer for patients. We encourage students who are interested in applying to contact our program early to discuss what accommodations might be possible given the program requirements.

**Phase I –Application and Preliminary Screening (Weight of scores: 0%)**

1. Autobiography (**TYPE** in **BOTH** English **AND** Chinese), **NO** more than 1000 words.
2. Two Letters of Recommendation
3. Statement of Purpose (**TYPE** in **BOTH** English **OR** Chinese)
  - Purpose of study: delineating the reasons for studying in Taiwan
  - Plans of study: stating specific area of interest, and proposed subject of current or future research objectives
  - Anticipated results: stating how the intended study will help fulfill personal and scientific goals
4. One copy of the highest-level diploma/certificate (or equivalent academic attainment) **AND** one copy of transcript(s) issued by the institution (with translations into English or Chinese)
5. Verification of Language Proficiency
  - (1) English Proficiency: For international applicants whose native language is not English, TOEFL score at 80(IBT) / 550(PBT) or higher is required – it must have been taken within the past five years. Other appropriate proofs of English proficiency provided by the R.O.C. embassies are also acceptable.
  - (2) Chinese Proficiency: other appropriate proofs of Chinese proficiency. (TOCFL test information, please see the Appendix I.)

**Phase II – Interview (Weight of scores: 100%)**

- After the preliminary screening, qualified applicants will be informed to attend an interview. At this stage, the interview is proceeded by either an in person oral interview or phone/webcam interview.

Institute Website: [http://www.ym.edu.tw/ptat/en\\_index.htm](http://www.ym.edu.tw/ptat/en_index.htm)

<b>Department of Biomedical Imaging and Radiological Sciences</b>	
Master	•
Ph.D.	•

Notification:

- Compulsory courses are taught in English.

### **Phase I –Application and Preliminary Screening (Weight of scores: 100%)**

1. Autobiography ( **TYPE** in English **OR** Chinese)
2. Two Letters of Recommendation
3. Statement of Purpose (**TYPE** in English **OR** Chinese)
  - Purpose of study: delineating the reasons for studying in Taiwan
  - Plans of study: stating specific area of interest, and proposed subject of current or future research objectives
  - Anticipated results: stating how the intended study will help fulfill personal and scientific goals
4. One copy of the highest-level diploma/certificate (or equivalent academic attainment) **AND** one copy of transcript(s) issued by the institution (with translations into English or Chinese)
5. Verification of Language Proficiency:
  - (1) English Proficiency: For international applicants whose native language is not English, IELTS minimum score above 6.5 is required – it must have been taken within the past five years.
  - (2) Chinese Proficiency: TOCFL Level 5 (TOCFL test information, please see the Appendix I.)
6. Financial statement showing your financial support during the study period. (see Notification, item 4 )

Institute Website: <http://birs-e.ym.edu.tw/bin/home.php>

# International Ph.D. Program in Photonics (University System of Taiwan)

Ph.D.

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Notification:

- Courses are taught in English.

## Phase I –Application and Preliminary Screening (Weight of scores: 100%)

1. Autobiography (**TYPE** in English **OR** Chinese)
2. Two Letters of Recommendation
3. Statement of Purpose (**TYPE** in English **OR** Chinese)
  - Purpose of study: delineating the reasons for studying in Taiwan
  - Plans of study: stating specific area of interest, and proposed subject of current or future research objectives
  - Anticipated results: stating how the intended study will help fulfill personal and scientific goals
4. One copy of the highest-level diploma/certificate (or equivalent academic attainment) **AND** one copy of transcript(s) issued by the institution (with translations into English or Chinese)
5. Additional documents or certificates to demonstrate English language ability. (optional)

Website:

<https://ustippp.nctu.edu.tw>

<https://bioph.ym.edu.tw/>



A photograph of a wooden staircase leading up a mossy rock wall in a lush green forest. The text "School of Life Science" is overlaid in white. The staircase is made of dark, weathered wooden planks and has a simple wooden railing on the left side. The rock wall on the right is covered in vibrant green moss and small plants. The background is filled with dense, green foliage, including ferns and other plants. The overall scene is a natural, outdoor setting with a focus on nature and science.

# School of Life Science



<b>Department of Life Sciences and Institute of Genome Sciences</b>	
Bachelor	•
Master	•
Ph.D.	•

Notification:

- Bachelor Program: Courses are taught in Chinese.
- Master & Ph.D. Program: Compulsory courses are taught in English

### **Phase I -- Required Documentation (Weight of scores: 90%)**

1. Autobiography (**TYPE** in English **OR** Chinese)
2. Two Letters of Recommendation
3. Statement of Purpose (**TYPE** in English **OR** Chinese)
  - Purpose of study: delineating the reasons for studying in Taiwan
  - Plans of study: stating specific area of interest, and proposed subject of current or future research objectives
  - Anticipated results: stating how the intended study will help fulfill personal and scientific goals
4. One copy of the highest-level diploma/certificate (or equivalent academic attainment) **AND** one copy of transcripts issued by the institution (with translation to English or Chinese)
5. Financial statement showing your financial support during the study period. (see Notification, item 4 )
6. Verification of English Proficiency: For international applicants whose native language is not English, TOEFL minimum score above 80(IBT) / 550(PBT), IELTS 6.5 or TOEIC 500 is required, taken within the past five years.
7. 3 minutes video (in DVD or VCD) **using Chinese OR English**
  - Self introductions

### **Phase II – Interview (Weight of scores: 10%)**

- After the preliminary screening, qualified applicants will be informed to attend an interview. The interview will proceed by either oral interview in person or phone/webcam interview.

Website: <http://dls.ym.edu.tw/index.html>

# Institute of Microbiology and Immunology

Master	•
Ph.D.	•

Notification:

- Courses are taught in English.

## Phase I –Application and Preliminary Screening (Weight of scores: 70%)

1. Two Letters of Recommendation
2. One copy of the highest-level diploma/certificate (or equivalent academic attainment) **AND** one copy of transcript(s) issued by the institution (with translations into English or Chinese)
3. Verification of English Proficiency: For international applicants whose native language is not English, TOEFL minimum score above 80(IBT), IELTS 6.5 or TOEIC 500 or other appropriate proofs is required – it must have been taken within the past five years.
4. Other supporting materials

## Phase II – Interview (Weight of scores: 30%)

- After the preliminary screening, qualified applicants will be informed to attend an interview. If the applicant is in Taiwan, it will be proceeded by an oral interview. If the applicant does not live in Taiwan, it will be proceeded by a phone or webcam interview.

Website: <https://imi-e.ym.edu.tw//bin/home.php>

## Institute of Biochemistry and Molecular Biology

Master	•
Ph.D.	•

Notification:

- Complusory courses are taught in English.

### Phase I – Application and Preliminary Screening (Weight of scores: 100%)

1. Autobiography ( **TYPE** in English or Chinese)
2. Two Letters of Recommendation
3. Statement of Purpose (**TYPE** in English)
  - Purpose of study: delineating the reasons for studying in Taiwan
  - Plans of study: stating specific area of interest, and proposed subject of current or future research objectives
  - Anticipated results: stating how the intended study will help fulfill personal and scientific goals
4. One copy of the highest-level diploma/certificate (or equivalent academic attainment) **AND** one copy of transcript(s) issued by the institution (with translations into English or Chinese)
5. Financial statement showing your financial support during the study period. (see Notification, item 4 )
6. Verification of Language Proficiency
  - (1) English Proficiency: For international applicants whose native language is not English, TOEFL minimum score above 80(IBT) / 550(PBT) or IELTS 6.5 is required – it must have been taken within the past five years. Other appropriate proofs of English proficiency provided by the R.O.C. embassies are also acceptable.
  - (2) Chinese Proficiency: other appropriate proofs of Chinese proficiency. (TOCFL test information, please see the Appendix I.)

Website: <http://biochem.web.ym.edu.tw/bin/home.php>

Institute of Neuroscience	
Master	•
Ph.D.	•

Notification:

- Courses are taught in Chinese.

### **Phase I -- Application and Preliminary Screening (Weight of scores: 100%)**

1. One copy of the highest-level diploma/certificate (or equivalent academic attainment) **AND** one copy of transcript(s) issued by the institution (with translations into English or Chinese)

Institute Website: <https://ins.ym.edu.tw/bin/home.php>



# School of Nursing



<b>Department of Nursing</b>	
Bachelor	•

Notification:

- Courses are taught in English.

### **Phase I –Application and Preliminary Screening (Weight of scores: 50%)**

1. Application fee: (Please see Notification)
  - Domestic mailing address: NT\$1500 or US\$50
  - Overseas mailing address: NT\$2400 or US\$75
2. Autobiography ( **TYPE** in English or Chinese)
3. Two Letters of Recommendation
4. One copy of the highest-level diploma/certificate (or equivalent academic attainment) **AND** one copy of transcript(s) issued by the institution (with translations into English or Chinese)
5. Verification of English Proficiency: For international applicants whose native language is not English, TOEFL minimum score above 550 or IELTS 6.5 is required – it must have been taken within the past five years.
6. Financial statement showing your financial support during the study period. (see Notification, item 4 )

### **Phase II – Interview (Weight of scores: 50%)**

- After the preliminary screening, qualified applicants will be informed to attend an interview. If the applicant is in Taiwan, it will be proceeded by an oral interview. If the applicant does not live in Taiwan, it will be proceeded by a phone or webcam interview.

Institute Website: <https://son.ym.edu.tw/bin/home.php>



# School of Dentistry

國立陽明大學



<b>Department of Dentistry</b>	
Bachelor	•
Master	•
Ph.D.	•

### ➤ Undergraduate

Notification:

- Courses are taught in Chinese.
- Program Duration: The undergraduate program covers 6 years, including one year of internship training.

### **Phase I – Application and Preliminary Screening (Weight of scores: 100%)**

1. Autobiography (written in **BOTH** English **AND** Chinese **with your handwriting**)
2. Two Letters of Recommendation
3. Statement of Purpose (written in English **AND** Chinese **with your handwriting**)
  - Purpose of study: delineating the reasons for studying in Taiwan
  - Plan of study: stating specific area of interest, and proposed subject of current or future research objectives
  - Anticipated results: stating how the intended study will help fulfill personal and scientific goals
4. One copy of the highest-level diploma / certificate (or equivalent academic attainment) **AND** one copy of transcript(s) issued by the institution (with translations into English or Chinese)
5. Financial statement showing your financial support during the study period. (see Notification, item 4 )
6. Verification of English Proficiency: For international applicants whose native language is not English, TOEFL minimum score above 80(IBT) or IELTS 6.5 is required – it must have been taken within the past five years.
7. Other supporting materials such as Volunteer Activities, Extracurricular Activities and other evidence of scholarly achievements etc., please enclose the documentation with your application. (if available)

### ➤ Graduate (Master & Ph.D.)

Notification:

- Courses are taught in Chinese.

## **Phase I – Application and Preliminary Screening (Weight of scores: 100%)**

1. Autobiography (**TYPE** in English **OR** Chinese)
2. Two Letters of Recommendation
3. Statement of Purpose (**TYPE** in English **OR** Chinese)
  - Purpose of study: delineating the reasons for studying in National Yang-Ming University.
  - Plan of study: stating specific area of interest, and proposed subject of current or future research objectives
  - Anticipated results: stating how the intended study will help fulfill personal and scientific goals
4. One copy of the highest-level diploma / certificate (or equivalent academic attainment) **AND** one copy of transcript(s) issued by the institution (with translations into English or Chinese)
5. Verification of English Proficiency: For international applicants whose native language is not English, TOEFL minimum score above 80(IBT) is required – it must have been taken within the past five years.
6. Other supporting materials

**Website:** <http://dod.web.ym.edu.tw/bin/home.php>

<b>Institute of Oral Biology</b>	
Master	•
Ph.D.	•

Notification:

- The Institute of Oral Biology does not offer any clinical specialty training.
- Courses are taught in Chinese.

**Phase I -- Application and Preliminary Screening (Weight of scores: 30%)**

1. Autobiography (written in **BOTH** Chinese **OR** English)
2. Two Letters of Recommendation
3. Statement of Purpose (**TYPE** in English **OR** Chinese)
  - Purpose of study: delineating the reasons for studying in Taiwan
  - Plans of study: stating specific area of interest, and proposed subject of current or future research objectives
  - Anticipated results: stating how the intended study will help fulfill personal and scientific goals
4. One copy of the highest-level diploma/certificate (or equivalent academic attainment) **AND** one copy of transcript(s) issued by the institution (with translations into English or Chinese, if in other languages)
5. Financial statement showing your financial support during study period. (see Notification, item 4 )
6. English Proficiency: For international applicants whose native language is not English, TOEFL minimum score above 80(IBT) / 550(PBT) or IELTS 6.5 is required – it must have been taken within the past five years.
7. Other supporting materials such as Volunteer Activities, Extracurricular Activities and other evidence of scholarly achievements etc., please enclose the documentation with your application.(if available)

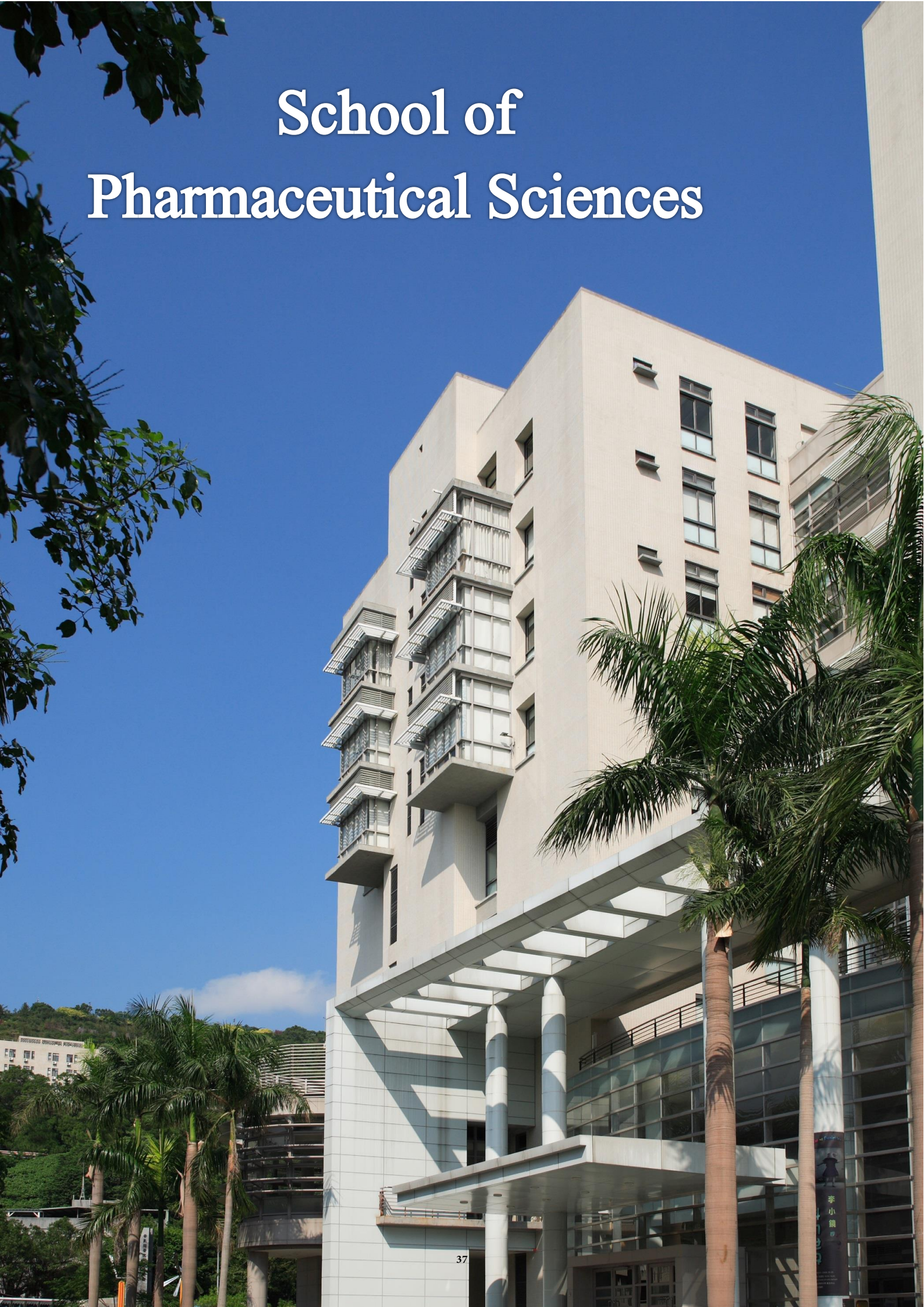
**Phase II – Interview (Weight of scores: 70%)**

- After the preliminary screening, qualified applicants will be informed to attend an interview. At this stage, the interview is proceeded by either in person oral interview or phone/webcam interview.

Institute Website: <http://iob-e.web.ym.edu.tw/bin/home.php>



# School of Pharmaceutical Sciences





<b>Faculty of Pharmacy</b>	
Master	●

Notification:

- Courses are taught in English.

### **Phase I -- Application and Preliminary Screening (Weight of scores: 70%)**

1. Autobiography ( **TYPE** in English)
2. Two Letters of Recommendation
3. Statement of Purpose (**TYPE** in English)
  - Purpose of study: delineating the reasons for studying in Taiwan
  - Plan of study: stating specific area of interest, and proposed subject of current or future research objectives
  - Anticipated results: stating how the intended study will help fulfill personal and scientific goals
4. One copy of the highest-level diploma/certificate (or equivalent academic attainment) **AND** one copy of transcript(s) issued by the institution (with translations into English or Chinese)
5. Financial statement showing your financial support during the study period. (see Notification, item 4)
6. Verification of English Proficiency: For international applicants whose native language is not English, TOFEL minimum score above 80(IBT)/550(TBT), IELTS 6.5 is required – it must have been taken within the past five years.
7. Other supporting materials

### **Phase II – Interview (Weight of scores: 30%)**

- After the preliminary screening, qualified applicants will be informed to attend an interview. If the applicant is in Taiwan, it will be proceeded by an oral interview. If the applicant does not live in Taiwan, it will be proceeded by a phone or webcam interview.

Website: <https://pharmacy-e.ym.edu.tw//bin/home.php>



<b>Institute of Biopharmaceutical Sciences</b>	
Master	•
Ph.D.	•

Notification:

- Courses are taught in English.

### **Phase I -- Application and Preliminary Screening (Weight of scores: 100%)**

1. Autobiography (**TYPE** in English)
2. Two Letters of Recommendation
3. One copy of the highest-level diploma/certificate (or equivalent academic attainment) **AND** one copy of transcript(s) issued by the institution (with translations into English or Chinese)
4. Financial statement showing your financial support during study period. (see Notification, item 4 )
5. Verification of English Proficiency: For international applicants whose native language is not English, TOEFL minimum score above 80(IBT), IELTS 6 or TOEIC 750 is required – it must have been taken within the past five years.
6. Other supporting materials such as Volunteer Activities, Extracurricular Activities and other evidence of scholarly achievements etc., please enclose the documentation with your application.

Institute Website: <http://bps-e.web.ym.edu.tw/bin/home.php>

# Institute of Food Safety and Health Risk Assessment

Master



Notification:

- Courses are taught in English.
- English Requirement for Graduation: TOEIC minimum score above 640 or the same proficiency level of other English assessments

## Phase I -- Application and Preliminary Screening (Weight of scores: 100%)

1. Autobiography ( **TYPE** in English **OR** Chinese)
2. Two Letters of Recommendation
3. One copy of the highest-level diploma/certificate (or equivalent academic attainment) **AND** one copy of transcript(s) issued by the institution (with translations into English or Chinese)
4. Financial statement showing your financial support during the study period. (see Notification, item 4)
5. Verification of English Proficiency: For international applicants whose native language is not English, TOFEL minimum score above 42, IELTS 4.5, or TOEIC 500 is required – it must have been taken within the past five years.
6. Other supporting materials (Vounteer activities, extracurricular activities and other evidence of scholarsly achievements)

Website: <https://fshrai.ym.edu.tw/bin/home.php>



# School of Humanities and Social Sciences



# Institute of Science, Technology, and Society

Master



Notification:

- Courses are taught in Chinese.

## Phase I -- Application and Preliminary Screening (Weight of scores: 60%)

1. Autobiography (**TYPE** in **BOTH** English **AND** Chinese)
2. Two Letters of Recommendation
3. Statement of Purpose (**TYPE** in **BOTH** English **AND** Chinese)
  - Purpose of study: delineating the reasons for studying in Taiwan
  - Plans of study: stating specific area of interest, and proposed subject of current or future research objectives
  - Anticipated results: stating how the intended study will help fulfill personal and scientific goals
4. One copy of the highest-level diploma/certificate (or equivalent academic attainment) **AND** one copy of transcript(s) issued by the institution (with translations into English or Chinese)
5. Verification of Chinese Proficiency: TOCFL level 5 or other appropriate proofs of Chinese proficiency. (TOCFL test information, please see the Appendix I.)

## Phase II – Interview (Weight of scores: 40%)

- After the preliminary screening, qualified applicants will be informed to attend an interview. At this stage, the interview is proceeded by either an in person oral interview or phone/webcam interview.

Institute Website: <http://sts.ym.edu.tw/>



# Graduate Institute for Studies in Visual Cultures

Master

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Notification:

- Courses are taught in Chinese.

## Phase I -- Application and Preliminary Screening (Weight of scores: 50%)

1. Autobiography (**TYPE** in **BOTH** English **AND** Chinese)
2. Two Letters of Recommendation
3. Statement of Purpose (**TYPE** in **BOTH** English **AND** Chinese )
  - Purpose of study: Delineating the reasons for studying in Taiwan
  - Plans of study: Stating specific area of interest, and proposed subject of current or future research objectives
  - Anticipated results: Stating how the intended study will help fulfill personal and scientific goals
4. One copy of the highest-level diploma/certificate (or equivalent academic attainment) **AND** one copy of transcript(s) issued by the institution (with translations into English or Chinese)
5. Verification of Language Proficiency:
  - (1) English Proficiency: For international applicants whose native language is not English, TOEFL minimum score above 75(IBT) / 540(ITP), IELTS 6, or TOEIC785 is required – it must have been taken within the past five years. Other appropriate proofs of English proficiency provided by the R.O.C. embassies are also acceptable.
  - (2) Chinese Proficiency: TOCFL level 5 or other appropriate proofs of Chinese proficiency.

## Phase II – Interview (Weight of scores: 50%)

- After the preliminary screening, qualified applicants will be informed to attend an interview. At this stage, the interview is proceeded by either an in person oral interview or phone/webcam interview.

Website: <http://svc.ym.edu.tw/main.php>



# International Program in Inter-Asia Cultural Studies (University System of Taiwan)

Master



Notification:

- Courses are taught in Chinese.

## Phase I -- Application and Preliminary Screening (Weight of scores: 50%)

1. Autobiography (**TYPE** in English **OR** Chinese)
2. Two Letters of Recommendation
3. Statement of Purpose (**TYPE** in English **OR** Chinese)
  - Purpose of study: Delineating the reasons for studying in Taiwan
  - Plans of study: Stating specific area of interest, and proposed subject of current or future research objectives
  - Anticipated results: Stating how the intended study will help fulfill personal and scientific goals
4. One copy of the highest-level diploma/certificate (or equivalent academic attainment) **AND** one copy of transcript(s) issued by the institution (with translations into English or Chinese)
5. Verification of Language Proficiency:
  - (1) English Proficiency: For international applicants whose native language is not English, TOEFL minimum score above 73(IBT), IELTS 5.5, or TOEIC 650 is required – it must have been taken within the past five years. Other appropriate proofs of English proficiency accepted by the R.O.C. embassies are also acceptable.
  - (2) Chinese Proficiency: TOCFL level 5 or other appropriate proofs of Chinese proficiency.

## Phase II – Interview (Weight of scores: 50%)

- After the preliminary screening, qualified applicants will be informed to attend an interview. At this stage, the interview is proceeded by either an in person oral interview or phone/webcam interview.

Website: <http://iics.ust.edu.tw/programs.php>

## Summary of National Yang-Ming University Foreign Student Admission Regulation

(The following regulations are about applicant status)

1. According to MOE (Ministry of Education) regulations, students who are neither R.O.C. nationals nor overseas Chinese are qualified to study in Taiwan as 'foreign students'.
2. Applicants who have a foreign nationality and have been continuously staying in overseas areas over 6 years are eligible to apply as an foreign students if they do conform to the MOE regulations as following: (8 years are required for those who apply to Bachelor degree of Faculty of Medicine, Dentistry) ※Mainland China Area, Macau and Hong Kong are not included
  - (a) Applicants who have never registered household in the Taiwan Area
  - (b) Applicants who had the R.O.C. nationality before, but when applying he/she has already renounced the R.O.C. nationality over 8 years on which a revocation was issued from the Ministry of the Interior.
    - ※ The eight years period as prescribed above shall be calculated from the date of when the semester begins as set by each individual school.
  - (c) Applicants MUST not be the overseas Chinese students and do not ever accepted an Admission placement offered by University Entrance Committee for Overseas Chinese Students during the relevant academic year.
3. Upon completion of the course of study at the school in the R.O.C. for which a foreign student applied, the student's admission to higher academic levels shall be handled in a manner identical to admissions for local students.
4. Any foreign student who has been withdrawn from a university or a college after admission due to household registration in Taiwan Area or fail on behavior /conduct or school work may not thereafter apply again for admission under these regulations.
5. Foreign students who graduate from foreign national schools located in the R.O.C., or from a bilingual division (program) affiliated with a senior high school in the R.O.C.( include overseas Taipei schools and schools for overseas Chinese), may use the graduation certificate received from such schools to apply for admission to a university or a college.
  - ※In this case, foreign student must comfort to "National Yang-Ming University Foreign Student Admission Regulation", article 2 paragraph 1: "An individual of foreign nationality mentioned in this regulation, who has never held nationality status from the Republic of China ("R.O.C.") and who does not possess an overseas Chinese student status at the time of their application, is qualified to apply for admission under this regulation."

## Declaration Form

1. I hereby certify that I do conform to the Foreign Students Admission Regulations Attachment stipulated by NYMU.  
**The application eligibility is based on "MOE Regulation Regarding International Students Undertaking Studies in Taiwan." If the MOE (Ministry of Education) Regulations were revised, the most updated MOE Regulations shall prevail. For the latest information regarding the MOE Regulations, please contact MOE (<http://www.edu.tw>).**
2. I hereby certify that I do not possess an overseas Chinese status and have never registered household in the Taiwan Area.
3. I hereby certify that I do not hold the nationality of Hong Kong, Macau, and Mainland China.
4. All the documents I provide (including my diploma, passport, and other related documents) are valid. If it is discovered that I have violated any university regulation, my admission to NYMU will be canceled, my student status revoked, and no transcript will be issued.
5. I hereby certify that I have not been drop-out/withdrawn from colleges/universities in Taiwan.
6. I hereby certify that if I once held the nationality of Republic of China, I have renounced it for more than 8 years till the date school begins.
7. Foreign students who have already completed in Taiwan the applied degree program or have been expelled from university are not eligible to re-apply for admission. Breaking this rule would result in immediate cancellation of the applicant's admission or the deprivation of the applicant's recognized status as NYMU registered students.
8. I authorize National Yang-Ming University to undertake a verification of the information (including diploma, passport and any photocopies of official documents) I have provided. And if any of it is found to be false after I enter NYMU registered student, I have no objection to be deprived of registered student status.

## Appendix I----- TOCFL Test Information

Formerly known as Test of Proficiency-Huayu (TOP), TOP has renamed Test Of Chinese as a Foreign Language (TOCFL) since August 4, 2010. And the new TOCFL test level has been initiated since 2012, please see below chart:

<b>TOCFL level names</b>	<b>Old version of TOCFL level names</b>	<b>New version of TOCFL level names</b>
入門級	N/A	Level 1
基礎級	Beginner	Level 2
進階級	Learner	Level 3
高階級	Superior	Level 4
流利級	Master	Level 5

Since 2006, in order to meet the demand of overseas Chinese learners, the Steering Committee for the Test Of Proficiency Huayu (SC-TOP) provided test service in many overseas countries. For more information, please visit [http://www.sc-top.org.tw/english/eng\\_index.php](http://www.sc-top.org.tw/english/eng_index.php) or contact your local Cultural Division of Taipei Economic Cultural Office.

## Appendix II----- National Yang-Ming University Foreign Student Admission Regulation

Article 1 This regulation is promulgated according to “MOE Regulations Regarding International Students Undertaking Studies in Taiwan”, “National Yang-Ming University Regulation” Article 4 and other related regulations.

Article 2 An individual of foreign nationality mentioned in this regulation, who has never held nationality status from the Republic of China (“R.O.C.”) and who does not possess an overseas Chinese student status at the time of their application, is qualified to apply for admission under this regulation.

An individual of foreign nationality, pursuant to the following requirements and who has resided overseas continuously for no less than 6 years is also qualified to apply for admission under this regulation. However, an individual who plans to apply for study at a department of medicine and dentistry must have resided overseas continuously for no less than 8 years.

1. An individual who also is a national of the R.O.C., but does not hold nor has had a household registration in Taiwan.
2. An individual who also was a national of the R.O.C. but has no R.O.C. nationality at the time of their application shall have an annulled status regarding their R.O.C. nationality for no less than 8 years after an annulment of R.O.C. nationality by the Ministry of the Interior.
3. Regarding individuals mentioned in the preceding 2 subparagraphs, they must not have studied in Taiwan as an overseas Chinese student nor received placement permission during the same year of the application by the University Entrance Committee for Overseas Chinese Students.

The term “overseas” as prescribed in Paragraph 2 is limited to countries or regions other than Mainland China, Hong Kong and Macau; the term “reside overseas continuously” means that an individual may stay in Taiwan for no more than a total of 120 days per calendar year. The only exceptions to this method of calculation are for those who fulfill one of the following requirements with written supportive proof:

1. Attended overseas youth training courses organized by the Overseas Compatriot Affairs Council or technique training classes accredited by the Ministry of Education (the “Ministry”);
2. Attended a Mandarin Chinese language center at a university/college of which foreign student recruitment is approved by the Ministry, and to which the total length of stay is less than 2 years;
3. Exchange students, whose length of total exchange is less than 2 years; or
4. An Internship in Taiwan which has been approved by an authorized central government agency, to which the total length of stay is less than 2 years.

The six and eight year calculation period as prescribed in Paragraph 2 shall be calculated from the starting date of the semester (Feb. 1st or Aug. 1st) as the designated due date for the time of study.

According to the Education Cooperation Framework Agreement (Agreements and Memorandum between National Yang-Ming University and sister universities are not



included), a foreign national who was selected by a foreign government, organization, or school, and does not hold a household registration from the time of their birth is not subject to the limitations as prescribed in the preceding 2 paragraphs after receiving the approval from the authorized educational government agencies.

An individual of foreign nationality was verified to disobey this regulation and appendixes, will be disqualified admission given by university and permanent student will have expulsion from university.

Article 3

An individual, who has both foreign and R.O.C. nationalities and has applied for an annulment of their R.O.C. nationality before Feb. 1st, 2011, the effective date of this amendment, will then be qualified to apply for admission as an international student under the amendment effective of MOE Regulations Regarding International Students Undertaking Studies in Taiwan before Feb. 1<sup>st</sup>, 2011 and will not be subject to the limitation as prescribed in Paragraph 2.

Article 4

An applicant of foreign nationality, concurrently holding a permanent residence status in Hong Kong or Macao, having no history of a household registration record in Taiwan and, at the time of application, has resided in Hong Kong, Macao, or another foreign country for no less than 6 years is qualified to apply for admission under these regulations. However, an individual who plans to apply for study at a department of medicine and dentistry must reside overseas continuously for no less than 8 years.

The term “reside overseas continuously” mentioned in the preceding paragraph means an individual may stay in Taiwan for no more than a total of 120 days per calendar year. However, such a term may be exempt, if any of the conditions prescribed in Subparagraphs 1 through 4, Paragraph 5 of the previous Article applies and is supported with written proof, and the said domestic length of stay shall be excluded from the overseas length of residency.

An applicant being a former citizen of Mainland China and holds a foreign nationality, having no history of household registration record in Taiwan, and at the time of application, has resided overseas continuously for no less than 6 years is qualified to apply for admission under these regulations. However, an individual who plans to apply for study at a department of medicine and dentistry must reside overseas continuously for no less than 8 years.

The term “reside overseas continuously” means an individual may stay in Taiwan for no more than a total of 120 days per calendar year. However, such a term may be exempted if any of the conditions prescribed in Subparagraphs 1 through 4, of Paragraph 5 of the previous Article, applies and is supported with written proof, and the said domestic length of stay shall be excluded from the overseas length of residency.

The six and eight years calculation period as prescribed in Paragraph 1 and Paragraph 3 shall be calculated from the starting date of the semester (Feb.1<sup>st</sup> or Aug.1<sup>st</sup>) as the designated due date for the time of study.

The term overseas as prescribed in paragraph 5 in previous article shall apply to

paragraphs 1 to 4.

Article 5

Upon completion of the course of study, at a school in Taiwan, to which an international student has applied, the student's admission to another school academic level shall be handled in a manner identical to the procedures for admission for local students. An exception is that an application for a master's degree or higher levels of graduate studies can be processed under the procedures of each individual school.

During the course of study in Taiwan, international students, who have undertaken initial household registration, resident registration, naturalization or restoration of the R.O.C. nationality, will lose their international student status and shall be dismissed by the school; An individual of foreign nationality was verified to disobey this regulation and appendixes, will be disqualified admission given by university and permanent student will have expulsion from university.

Article 6

International students who are dismissed from schools after admission due to behavior issues, poor academic performance or a conviction under the Criminal Law may thereafter not apply for admission under this regulation; an individual of foreign nationality was verified to disobey this regulation and appendixes, will be disqualified admission given by university and permanent student will have expulsion from university.

Article 7

International students applying for admission to bachelor, master and Ph.D. degrees at National Yang-Ming University shall submit their applications directly to the Office of International Affairs of their choice during the schools' designated application periods. Late submission of applications will not be accepted:

1. Application form.

2. Academic credentials:

( 1 ) Academic credentials from Mainland China: The Regulations Governing the Accreditation of Schools in Mainland China shall apply.

( 2 ) Academic credentials from Hong Kong or Macao: Academic Credential Verification and Accreditation Methods adopted in Hong Kong and Macao shall apply.

( 3 ) Academic credentials from other areas:

1. Academic credentials earned at overseas Taiwan schools or Taiwan schools in Mainland China shall be regarded as the same as those at domestic schools with equivalent levels.

2. Academic credentials referred in the preceding 2 Items shall be subject to the Regulations Regarding the Assessment and Recognition of Foreign Academic Credentials for Institutions of Higher Education. However, academic credentials earned from schools or branches established in Mainland China by foreign schools shall require public notarization in Mainland China and be verified and examined by an institute established or appointed by, or through a private agency commissioned by the Executive Yuan.

3. Applicants who had ever suffered from Legal Infectious Disease stipulated by Center for Disease Control, R.O.C.(Taiwan) has to notice in the application form.

4. Financial proof that shows financial sustainability for study in Taiwan, or proof of full scholarship provided by a government agency, university, college, or private organization.

5. Others as required by the respective schools.

Academic credentials or equivalent academic credentials mentioned in previous paragraph, section 2, issued by overseas universities, except from overseas Taiwan schools, shall comply with “大學辦理國外學歷採認辦法(Universities process foreign academic credentials identifying regulation)” and other related regulation.

An international student who has completed a bachelor’s degree or a higher degree in Taiwan and applies for a master’s program shall be exempt from the rules listed in Article 7, Paragraph 1, Item 2, provided that a graduation certification and transcript for each consecutive semester issued from the schools in Taiwan shall be enclosed.

At the time of registration new international students shall present proof of a medical and injury insurance policy which is valid for at least 4 months from the date the student enters Taiwan. Current student shall present written proof that they have joined Taiwan’s the National Health Insurance Plan. University would process to insure for the students after registration. Proof of a medical and injury insurance policy mentioned in previous paragraph is issued by overseas companies, should be authenticated by Taiwanese embassy.

Article 7-1 Foreign students who graduate from foreign national schools located in the R.O.C., or from a bilingual division (program) affiliated with a senior high school in the R.O.C(include overseas Taipei schools and schools for overseas Chinese), may use the graduation certificate received from such schools to apply for admission to a university or a college. Students do not need to comply with Article 5 paragraph 1 and previous article paragraph 1, point 2.

Article 7-2 International students may not apply for Extension Programs at universities/colleges designed for returning education students, part-time, in-service courses of Master programs, or other programs, which are restricted to night classes and classes during holidays. International students who have obtained legal resident status in Taiwan, or are enrolled in a program ratified by this Ministry, are exempted from this Article.

Article 8 The quotas for admission allocated for international students at National Yang-Ming University should be additional quotas but be no more than ten percent of the number of positions allocated for local students each year.  
The number of positions mentioned in previous paragraph do not include non-degree students.

Article 9 University is responsible for establishing international student recruitment guidelines and set up accordingly a set of entrance procedures that outline the degree programs offered, the duration of study, quotas for admission, qualifications and requirements, reviewing or screening methods, along with other related information.

Article 10 Procedure of Admission and screening:  
1. Application: Office of International Affairs take the responsibility of application procedure at this stage, and review the qualification (include status and academic credentials) and other materials.  
2. Preliminary Screening: Each admission committee of departments and institutes will review those qualified applicants’ application materials according to the “International Degree Program Prospectus”. The qualified students list will be approved by director of each department and institutes.

3. Review: The director of Office of Academic Affairs hosts the “International Students Admission Committee”, review the qualified students list and verify the scholarship recipients list.
4. Verify: The list of admitted students will be announced after approval by university president, and Office of International Affairs will inform each admitted student of detailed information.

Article 10-1 Office of International Affairs shall enter information of international students (include Taiwan Scholarship recipients or Ministry of Education sponsored scholarship recipients) on the international student data management information designed by Ministry of Education.

Article 11 An international student for registration at the time beyond one-third of the first semester of the current school year shall register for the second semester or the next school year.

Article 12 University may sign education cooperation agreements with foreign schools and recruit international exchange students. University may apply this regulation to accept international students as non-degree seeking students with the condition that it will not compromise normal teaching routines.

International students shall register before registration deadline issued by university, the tuition fees regulation would be approved by Ministry of Education and announced before semester begins.

Article 13 The period of Foreign students study selected courses shall be one year only; registration procedure and courses selection shall follow the normal process; university shall issue certificate to the qualified selected courses.

Article 14 Foreign students study selected courses want to proceed formal degree after one year, shall comply with Article 2 and Article 7 of this regulation, follow the formal international degree application procedure.

Foreign students study selected courses after admitted as a regular international student, following the university credits advanced standing regulations, students could apply for advancing standing for qualified courses.

Article 15 International students could apply to scholarship set up by National Yang-Ming University.

Article 16 Office of International Affairs shall handle international student applications, consultation, liaison, and other related matters. In addition, Office of International Affairs host activities to foster international exchange, globalization on campus, or other events helpful to interactions between international and local students, during each school year; the student’s recognition shall handle by Section of Registration.

Article 17 If international students discontinue their schooling or because of any other reason that causes them to change or lose their student status at the school, Office of International Affairs must notify on the international student data management information system and report to the Service Center of National Immigration Agency.

International students transfer regulation shall comply with the regulation.

Article 18 Those are not mentioned in this regulation and important items are promulgated according to “MOE Regulations Regarding International Students Undertaking Studies in Taiwan” and “National Yang-Ming University Regulation”.

Article 19 This regulation is approved in the Academic issues Conference, conducted after reporting to Ministry of Education, same as when revise.