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2024 INFORMATION SHEET FOR INCOMING EXCHANGE STUDENTS

Hiroshima University Study Abroad (HUSA) Program

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Name of university	National Central University
Contact person for incoming exchange students	Hsuan-Fei Chen
University website	https://www.ncu.edu.tw/en/index.php
General information about the university	One of the Taiwan's top leading universities, National Central University (NCU) has been one of the major research-oriented universities since 2001. It is a first-rate

Located in Zhongli, NCU covers an area of 62 hectares. We have approximately 12,000 students, and there are 8 colleges, 28 departments, 18 graduate institutes, university-level research centers and one united research center, the Office of Teaching Centers (OTC), and the affiliated Zhongli Senior High School. NCU is truly a comprehensive university of rich scientific and humanistic facilities.

In addition to constantly making breakthroughs in academic fields, NCU puts emphasis on holistic education, providing students with a platform for self-learning and the realization of their creativity. We also conduct industry-university collaboration and interaction to enable students to engage themselves in autonomous learning, to equip them with professional skills, and to help them develop multiple interests during their study at NCU.

	ranked NCU first in the country in the "international	
	cooperation" index for eight consecutive years.	
	NCU is actively linking academia and industry to create	
	greater research value. 13 technical submissions were	
	awarded in the Ministry of Science and Technology's	
	"Future Tech Award" in 2021, and another 13 technologies	
	were shortlisted for exhibition. NCU is highly recognized in	
	the fields of space technology, atmospheric science,	
	materials science, biomedical science, cognitive neurology,	
Short description of the city	mechanical engineering, and electrical engineering.	
Short description of the city	Taoyuan is located in the northwest of Taiwan. It is bordered	
	both by mountains and the sea, and is thus blessed with	
	stunning landscapes. Taoyuan is also strategically positioned	
	as a traffic hub between north and south. Since early times,	
	it's been a point of convergence for Hoklo and Kakka	
	people. Nowadays, a flourishing economy attracts new	
	inhabitants from farther places. All this has made Taoyuan a unique, multicultural city.	
Exchange program website	https://www.oia.ncu.edu.tw/index.php/en/international-	
	students/incoming-exchange-programs.html	
Areas of study open for exchange	https://www.ncu.edu.tw/en/pages/index.php?num=2	
students	https://www.neu.edu.tw/en/pages/mdex.pnp:htm=2	
Areas of study NOT available to	International NBA Program	
exchange students Course catalogue	https://cis.ncu.edu.tw/Course/main/news/announce	
	inteps.//cis.neu.edu.tw/ course/mani/news/announce	
Summer courses	https://cultural.oia.ncu.edu.tw/program.html	
Academic calendar	https://pdc.adm.ncu.edu.tw/eng/calendar.asp	
Orientation schedule for incoming students	To be informed after being accepted	
Number of exchange students to be accepted per academic year	2	
Availability for fall semester	Yes	
Application deadline for admission	Spring: October 30	
	Fall: April 30	
Application material		
	1. Official Academic Transcript issued by Home	
	University (must contain GPA and please provide the	
	grading system of the school	
	2. Official Enrollment Certificate issued by Home	
	University	
	3. Letter of Recommendation	
	4. Copy of Information Page of Passport	
	5. Head Photo (JPEG file and follow the passport photo standard)	
Language requirements	To be able to communicate and take classes in English	
Degree Requirements Only	N/A	
Bachelor's degree, etc		
Other requirements	N/A	

Preparatory language course for incoming students	N/A	
Housing assistance	We will assign student helper to find off-campus housing.	
Housing application deadline	To be announced	
Living costs	NTD 10000/per month for meals	
Meal plan	N/A	
Insurance packages exchange students are required to purchase	All students are required to submit a six-month international medical insurance certificate which covers the medical and emergency situation in Taiwan. Students who take two-semester exchange will need to buy 12 months international medical insurance. If students arrive with no insurance, they will be required to buy Cathay Insurance in Taiwan. The students who have ARC will be required to pay the fee of National Health Insurance when they are qualified and are reached the residency period of 6 month in Taiwan.	
Vaccination requirements	N/A	
Health facilities on campus	https://health.ncu.edu.tw/en/services.html	
Visa requirements	https://www.boca.gov.tw/cp-166-284-6f5f7-2.html	