

國立中興大學博士生研究獎學金試辦方案
【113 年度以後入學就讀博士班者適用】

National Chung Hsing University
Graduate Research Fellowship Pilot Program

【Applicable to students enrolled in the doctoral program after 2024】

112 年 10 月 24 日簽奉校長核定
On October 24, 2023 petitioned to the president and was approved

一、獎勵目的：國立中興大學（以下簡稱本校）為充實科研人才基盤及儲備核心戰略產業人才，獎勵拔尖、具有研究潛力之博士生，支持其專心從事研究工作，特依「國家科學及技術委員會博士生研究獎學金試辦方案」，訂定「國立中興大學博士生研究獎學金試辦方案」（以下簡稱本試辦方案）。

I. Purpose of the Program : The Program is established by the National Chung Hsing University (hereinafter referred to as NCHU), aiming to build a solid foundation of research talents and reserve talents for core strategic industries. The program awards outstanding first year Ph.D. students who have demonstrated their potential for significant research contributions and supports them to pursue full-time doctoral degree. NCHU hereby formulates “Graduate Research Fellowship Pilot Program” (hereinafter referred to as the Pilot Program) according to the “NSTC Graduate Research Fellowship Pilot Program”.

二、獎勵對象及請領資格：

(一)本校當年度(含二月、九月註冊)入學就讀之博士班一年級新生。

(二)有下列情形之一者，不得請領本獎學金：

- 1.於公私立機構從事專職全時之有給職工作或以在職生身分報考者。
- 2.錄取後辦理休學、保留入學資格或未完成註冊者。
- 3.已支領同屬政府部門獎學金性質經費者。
- 4.大陸地區、香港及澳門學生。

II. Recipient Eligibility:

(I) The first year students of the doctoral program of National Chung Hsing University enrolled in the current year (including those registered in both February and September)

(II) The following individuals are not eligible to receive this fellowship:

1. Those who are engaged in full-time paid employment in public or private sectors or who apply for admission as part-time students possessing responsibilities related to employment.
2. Those who have applied for leave of absence and retained their admission eligibility or have not completed registration after admission.
3. Those who are concurrently in receipt of scholarship or subsidy offered by the ROC government.
4. The students from Mainland China, Hong Kong and Macau.

三、獎勵名額：分國科會甄選、國科會核配兩類。

(一)國科會甄選：全國合計擇優獎勵四百名。

(二)國科會核配：全國合計核配獎勵六百名。

1.全校每年獎勵名額由國家科學及技術委員會核定。

2.本校各學院博士生獎勵名額則依據各學院當學年度博士班一般生（含逕博生及外籍生）報到數佔全校博士生報到數之比例分配，並應保障人文社會領域以達領域平衡發展為原則。

III. Maximum Number of Award: The awards are divided into two categories: NSTC Selection and NSTC Allocation.

(I) NSTC Selection: A total of 400 students in Taiwan will be awarded via selection.

(II) NSTC Allocation: A total of 600 students in Taiwan will be awarded via allocation.

1. The number of awardees for the University in each year is approved by the National Science and Technology Council.
2. The number of awardees for doctoral students in each college of National Chung Hsing University is based on the ratio of the number of doctoral students (including PhD students and foreign students) enrolled in each college to the number of doctoral students enrolled in the entire University in the current academic year, with the principle of ensuring the number of awardees for humanities and social sciences fields to achieve a balanced development in all fields.

四、獎勵期間及金額：

(一)博士班第一年至第三年就讀期間，由國家科學及技術委員會獎勵每名博士生每月獎學金四萬元。

(二)「國科會甄選」類別之受獎博士生，博士班第四年就讀期間，自通過博士學位候選人資格考核之次月起，由本校相關經費獎勵每月獎學金2萬元。

(三)於四年內畢業者，獎勵至畢業當月止。惟每一學年度須依本試辦方案第七點進行定期評量，核定通過者始具次一學年度獎學金續領資格。

IV. Duration and Amount:

- (I) Each doctoral student will be awarded a monthly fellowship of NTD 40,000 during the first year to the third year of the doctoral program by the National Science and Technology Council.
- (II) Each doctoral student as an awardee of the National Science and Technology Council (NSTC) Selection will be awarded a monthly fellowship of NTD 20,000 from the relevant funds of the University during the fourth year of the doctoral program, starting from the month after the student passes the doctoral candidacy examination.
- (III) Stipend for those who graduate less than four years shall last until the month of graduation.

五、申請方式：

(一)國科會甄選：依國科會規定期限，由申請人至國科會網站自行研提資料，完成線上送件。

(二)國科會核配：

- 1.申請程序：每年度於國家科學及技術委員會通知學校獎勵名額總數後，由研究發展處公告學院申請期限及各領域獎勵名額，由各學院自訂博士生申請期限並公告周知，辦理收件暨初審推薦作業。
- 2.申請文件：
 - (1)申請表。
 - (2)碩士歷年成績單。
 - (3)攻讀博士學位研究計畫（含參考文獻，限 10 頁，不限中英文），超過所定頁數者，全份不予審查。
 - (4)其他有助審查資料（如研究著作與成果、參與研究計畫【含預計參與研究計畫】、參與國內外研討會議、傑出事蹟、獲獎紀錄、英文能力證明、推薦函、其他）。

V.Method of application:

- (I) NSTC Selection: Applicants should submit their own application documents on the NSTC website (log in Academic Research Service Portal: <https://www.nstc.gov.tw/?l=en>) within the specified period.
- (II) NSTC Allocation:

1. Procedure for application: Every year, the National Science and Technology

Council informs the University of the total quota for fellowship awardees. And then, the Office of Research and Development announces the deadline for colleges to submit applications and the quota for awardees in each field. After that, each college sets a deadline for doctoral students to apply for the fellowship and announce it publically, receive the applications and make recommendations for the preliminary review.

2. Application documents:

- (1) The application form.
- (2) The master's transcripts over the years.
- (3) The research plan for pursuing a doctoral degree (limited to 10 pages in Chinese and/or English, including references). Any research plan with more than ten pages shall not be reviewed.
- (4) Other materials helpful to the review (such as the research works and achievements, participation in the research projects [including the expected participation in the research projects], participation in the domestic and international seminars, outstanding deeds, reward-winning records, proof of English ability, recommendation letters, and others).

六、評選標準及審查機制

(一)國科會甄選：由國科會依申請人學術表現、發展潛力、參與計畫經驗、研究主題等為評審基準，送請相關領域專家學者審查資料。

(二)國科會核配：

1.第一階段初審：由各學院依申請者之資格、學術表現及研究潛力等面向進行審查，經初審會議通過後，各學院提交獎勵推薦名單、院級審議會議紀錄及推薦學生之申請資料送第二階段複審；評選過程務必遵守利益迴避及保密原則。

2.第二階段複審：

(1)由副校長擔任召集人，並由研發長、教務長、學務長及國際長組成「校級審查委員會」進行審查後核定。

(2)審查委員因故不能出席者，可委託代理人出席行使權利義務，惟該代理人與獎學金申請人關係須符合利益迴避原則。

VI. Selection criteria and review mechanism

(I) NSTC Selection: Evaluation criteria includes the applicant's academic performance, development potential, project participation experience, and research topic, as reviewed by experts in relevant fields.

(II) NSTC Allocation:

1. The preliminary review of the first stage: each college will conduct a review based on the applicant's qualifications, academic performance, and research potential. After the preliminary review is passed by review committees, each college will submit the fellowship recommendation list, the minutes of the college-level review meeting and the application documents of the students recommended for the reexamination of the second stage. The review process must be in conformity with the principle of interest avoidance and confidentiality.
2. Reexamination of the second stage:
 - (1) The Vice President of the university shall be the convener of the "University-level Reexamination Committee", which consists of the Dean of Research and Development, Dean of Academic Affairs, Dean of Student Affairs and Dean of International Affairs, to review and approve the applications.
 - (2) If the member of the reexamination committee is unable to attend for some reason, an agent may be entrusted to attend and exercise the rights and obligations, but the relationship between the agent and the fellowship applicant must comply with the principle of conflict of interest avoidance.

七、獎勵對象定期評量機制：經核定獎勵者，於獎勵第 1、2、3 年之結束前二個月，由所屬指導教授進行書面評量（包含研究績效評語及建議），送所屬學院會議審核，核定通過者始具次一學年度獎學金續領資格；學院應將博士生定期評量報告及院級審議會議紀錄，於各年獎勵結束前一個月送研究發展處彙辦。

VII. Regular evaluation mechanism for the fellowship awardees: Evaluation for the approved awardees shall be conducted in writing (including the research performance comments and suggestions) by their respective advisors two months prior to the end of the first, second and third year of the fellowships. Such written evaluation shall be sent to their colleges for review committees. Only those who pass the evaluation are eligible for fellowships for the following academic year. The college shall submit the Regular Evaluation Report Form of doctoral students and the minutes of college-level review meetings to the Office of Research and Development one month prior to the expiration of the fellowships each year.

八、獎勵成果效益追蹤機制：

- (一)經核定獎勵者，於獎勵結束前二個月，由所屬指導教授進行在校期間學業及研究表現書面評量（包含研究績效評語及建議），送所屬學院會議審核（審核標準授權學院自訂），並由獲獎勵者於學院進行研究成果報告；學院應將獎勵期滿效益追蹤書面評量報告及院級審議會議紀錄，於獎勵結束前一個月送研究發展處備查。
- (二)受獎學生應同意由學務處及國際事務處等單位進行畢業後 3 年內之流向追蹤調查，並切結。

VIII. Tracking mechanism for the reward achievement benefit:

- (I) Two months prior to the expiration of the fellowships, the approved awardees shall be evaluated by their advisors for study and research performance during university years (who will also give research performance comments and guidance recommendations). The evaluation results shall be submitted to college meetings for review (with the review criteria defined by the college), and fellowship awardees shall present their research reports at college meetings. Colleges shall submit the Research Achievements Tracking and Evaluation Report Upon the End of the Fellowship Term in writing and the minutes of college-level review meetings to the Office of Research and Development for future examinations one month prior to the expiration of the fellowships.
- (II) The fellowship awardees shall agree to be tracked and investigated about the flow direction within 3 years after the graduation by the Office of Student Affairs and the Office of International Affairs and other units.

九、獲獎勵博士生如有以下各款情形之一，則終止發放獎學金：

- (一)經本試辦方案第七點定期評量未通過者，終止發放。
- (二)休學：自休學當月起終止發放。
- (三)退學：自退學當月起終止發放。
- (四)逕行修讀博士學位學生轉入或轉回碩士班就讀：自轉入或轉回碩士班就讀該學期起終止發放。
- (五)「國科會核配」類別之受獎博士生轉讀本校其他學院：自轉讀該學期起終止發放。
- (六)違反學術倫理相關規範、有不當研究行為、於公私立機構從事專職工作或違反其他法律規定等情事，經查證屬實者，自案件確認之當月起終止發放。
- (七)經所屬學院或本校相關會議決議不再給予獎勵者，依會議決議終止發放。

IX. Issuance of the fellowships shall be terminated if any doctoral awardees are in any of the following circumstances:

- (I) For the students who fail to pass the regular evaluation as provided in Item VII of this Pilot Program, issuance of the fellowships for the next academic year will be terminated.
- (II) Suspension of schooling: Issuance of the fellowships shall be terminated from the month of the suspension of schooling.
- (III) Drop out of the University: Issuance of the fellowships shall be terminated from the month of dropping out of the University.
- (IV) The students directly pursuing a doctoral degree transfer to or return to the master's program: Issuance of the fellowships shall be terminated from the semester in which they transfer to or return to the master's program.
- (V) The doctoral awardees of "NSTC Allocation" transfer to other colleges of the University: Issuance of the fellowships shall be terminated as of the semester when the transfer takes place.
- (VI) In case of any verified violation of the academic ethics-related norms, improper research behavior, full-time work in public or private institutions, or violation of other laws and regulations, etc., issuance of the fellowships shall be terminated from the month of confirmation of the event.
- (VII) Issuance of the fellowships shall be terminated upon meeting resolutions if the colleges or relevant meetings of the University decide not to issue the fellowships to any fellowship awardees.

十、獎勵名額遞補機制：各學院之核定名額因故缺額時，得由原學院辦理遞補作業，自同一學年入學之博士生進行公開評選，併同新年度申請作業期程，重新推薦博士生，送交「校級審查委員會」複審後核定。

X. Quota vacancy filling mechanism: In case of a vacancy of the approved quota of each college, the original college shall apply for filling the vacancy, hold an open election among doctoral students enrolled in the same academic year, and recommend new doctoral students following the same procedure used for new applications in the new academic year. The colleges must submit the recommendation list to the college-level review committee for reexamination and approval.

十一、獲獎學生經查資料有不實或偽造、不當研究行為、於公私立機構從事專職工作、違反學術倫理相關規範或其他法律規定等者，撤銷其獲獎資格，已領取之獎學金應予繳回，並依情節追究相關責任。

XI. If a fellowship awardee is found to have provided untrue or falsified information, or have any improper research behavior, full-time work in public or private institutions, violation of academic ethics-related norms or other laws and regulations, etc., his/her qualification for the fellowship shall be revoked, and he/she shall have to refund the fellowship amount already received by him/her, and be required to assume relevant responsibilities in regard to the circumstances.

十二、本獎學金支領期間，不得重複領取政府機關相同性質獎學金。

XII. During the period of receiving this fellowship, it is not allowed to repeatedly receive any other fellowships of the same nature from the government agencies.

十三、經費來源：

(一)由國家科學及技術委員會補助及本校校務基金自籌及其它政府機關(不含國家科學及技術委員會)補助款收入項下支應。

(二)本獎學金得視國家科學及技術委員會補助經費及本校經費籌措情形調整獎勵名額或停止實施。

XIII. The source of funding:

(I)The fellowships are funded by the subsidy from National Science and Technology Council, the self-raised school affairs fund of NCHU and the subsidies from other government agencies (excluding the National Science and Technology Council).

(II)This fellowship may be suspended or the rewarding quota may be adjusted in accordance with the subsidy situation of National Science and Technology Council and the fund of NCHU.

十四、本試辦方案如有未盡事宜，依國家科學及技術委員會、教育部及本校相關規定辦理。

XIV. Any matters not covered herein in this Pilot Program, shall be subject to the applicable regulations of National Science and Technology Council, Ministry of Education and NCHU.

十五、本試辦方案簽請校長核定後實施，並報國家科學及技術委員會備查，修正時亦同。

XV. This Pilot Program is implemented after petitioned to and approved by the president and submitted to National Science and Technology Council for reference, which shall applies to any amendments thereto.

Note: This written Pilot Program is in both Chinese and English languages. In the event of any inconsistency or conflict between the two languages, the Chinese text shall prevail.