



Application Guidebook

2026



Taiwan-Europe Scholarship

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About Taiwan-Europe Scholarship

International education and training has long been a core pillar of TaiwanICDF's operations. Building on its established scholarship programs and long-standing cooperation with leading Taiwanese universities, TaiwanICDF has launched the Taiwan-Europe Scholarship to further advance its commitment to human resource development.

Through this program, the TaiwanICDF seeks to nurture talent in the technology sector. The master's programs offered under the scholarship are closely aligned with this objective, providing students with opportunities to learn from experts across Taiwan's dynamic technology sector. By combining academic knowledge with practical training, the program aims to equip participants to advance their careers and contribute meaningfully to development in their home countries.



Scope of Scholarship

Entitlements: The total scholarship, including airfare (round-trip), housing, tuition, credit fees, insurance, textbook costs and a monthly allowance will be provided by the TaiwanICDF to each student within his/her given award period. The scholarship is itemized as follows:

- **Airfare:** The TaiwanICDF shall arrange your most-direct flights to and from Taiwan with Economy Class tickets. Every airline has its own carry-on and check-in luggage policy, including for weight limits and transporting pets. Applicants have been advised to check with the airlines for details before departure.
- **Housing:** All students must reside in the student dormitories.
- **Tuition fee:** The TaiwanICDF will cover the tuition fee as required by the student's university.
- **Credit fees:** Credit fees vary with the number of credits registered. Credit fees will also be covered as required by the student's university.



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- Insurance: While in Taiwan, in addition to the mandatory student safety insurance set by the Ministry of Education, each student must be insured for accidental and necessary medical coverage. Insurance fees will be covered for the entire duration of the program.
- Book costs: Purchasing textbooks as required by the instructors shall be subject to the approval of the director of the student's institute
- Allowance: Master's Program: Each student shall receive NT\$18,000 per month during the period of the program as allowance for food and miscellaneous living expenses. The sum will be deposited monthly into the student's local bank account.



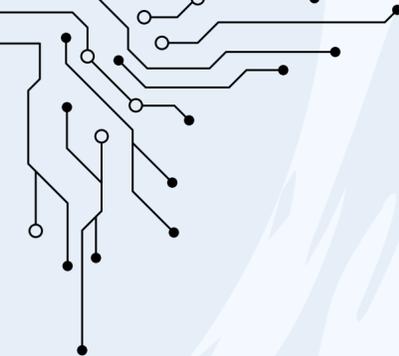
General Eligibility Criteria for Taiwan-Europe Scholarship An Applicant Must...

- Be a citizen of Albania, Czech Republic, Kosovo, Lithuania, Poland or Slovakia and satisfy any specific criteria established by his or her country and/or government of citizenship.
- Neither be a national of the Republic of China (Taiwan) nor an overseas compatriot student.
- Satisfy the admission requirements of the partner university to which he or she has applied to study under a Taiwan-Europe Semiconductor Scholarship
- Be able to satisfy all requirements for a Resident Visa (Code: FS) set by the Bureau of Consular Affairs, Ministry of Foreign Affairs, and an Alien Resident Certificate (ARC) set by the Ministry of the Interior, of the ROC (Taiwan) government (this means that the TaiwanICDF has the right to revoke a scholarship offered if an applicant cannot satisfy the visa requirements)



General Eligibility Criteria for Taiwan-Europe Scholarship An Applicant Must...

- Upon accepting a Taiwan-Europe Scholarship, not hold any other ROC (Taiwan) government-sponsored scholarship (such as the Taiwan Scholarship) in the same academic year in which the TaiwanICDF scholarship would be due to commence.
- Not be applying for another TaiwanICDF scholarship in unbroken succession to apply for a 2026 scholarship, applicants who have already held a TaiwanICDF scholarship, MOFA's Taiwan Scholarship or an MOE scholarship must have graduated before July 31, 2025.
- Provide the highest-level diploma before July 31, 2026. Applicants unable to obtain the certificate by this date may instead apply for next year's scholarship.
- Have never had any scholarship revoked by any ROC (Taiwan) government agency or related institution, nor been expelled from any Taiwanese university.



Beneficiary countries and Contact ROC (Taiwan) Embassy/Office

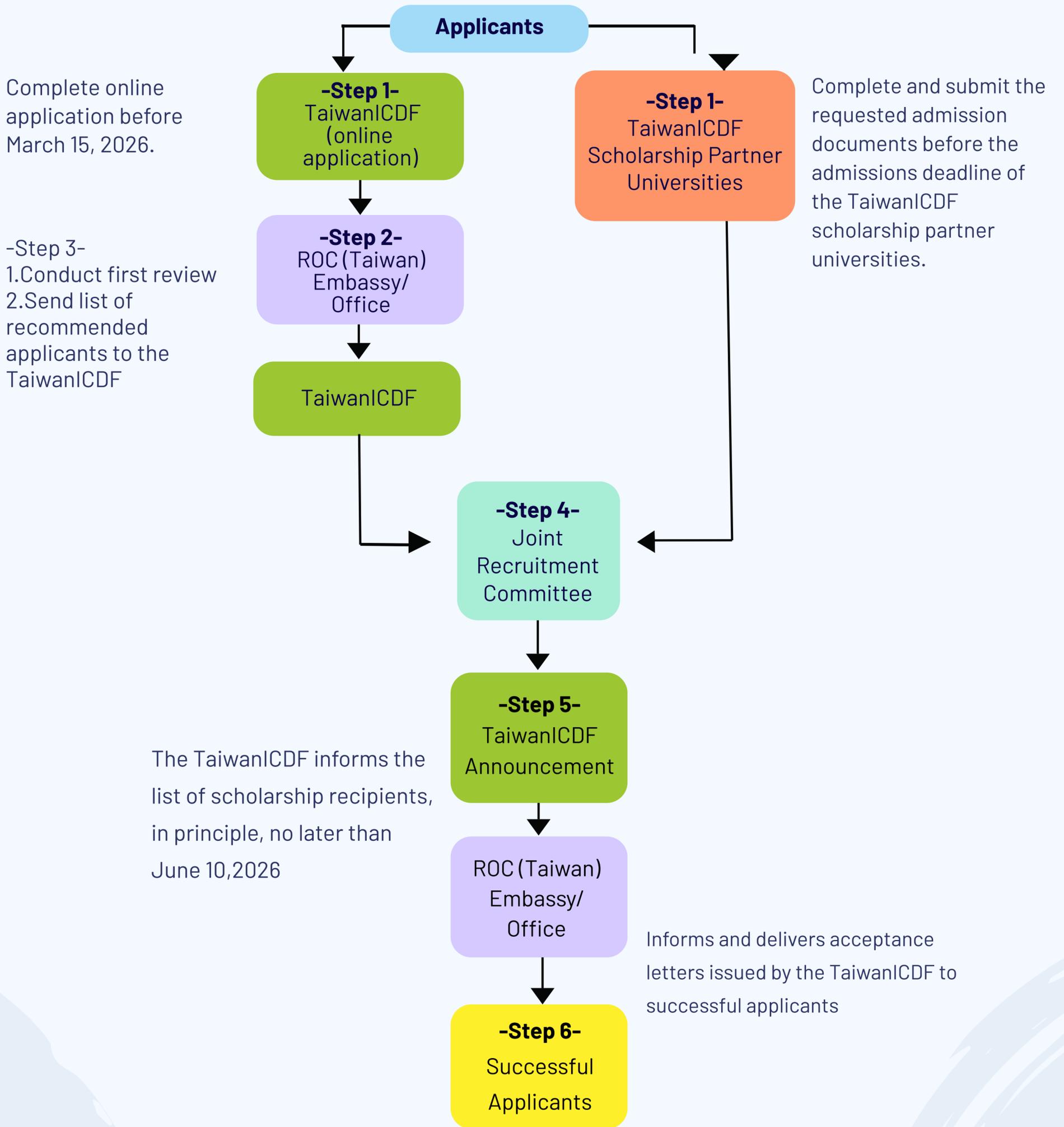
Country

Albania	<u>Ufficio di Rappresentanza di Taipei in Italia</u>
Czech Republic	<u>Taipei Economic and Cultural Office, Prague</u>
Kosovo	<u>Taipei Representative Office, Budapest, Hungary.</u>
Lithuania	<u>The Taiwanese Representative Office in Lithuania</u>
Poland	<u>Taipei Representative Office in Poland</u>
Slovakia	<u>Taipei Representative Office, Bratislava</u>



Application Procedure Flowchart

For the 2026 Scholarship program,
the application period runs from NOW to March 15, 2026.





Step 1: To the Application System & Meet the University Requirements

- **To the Application System**

Applicants must complete an online application. Please go to TaiwanICDF Scholarship Online Application System to fill in your application and upload application materials

(Application Dates: NOW- March 15, 2026).

Applicants must ensure that they submit accurate and complete documentation; failure to do so will result in the application not being processed.

- **Please note that each applicant can only apply for one program at a time. The applicant also needs to submit a separate program application to his/her chosen university/program.**

- **Meet the University Requirements**

In addition to the above documents requested as part of their scholarship application, applicants should also submit all documents required by the TaiwanICDF partner schools that they are applying to before the admissions deadline of that university. For detailed information on such documents, please refer to Programs Available for Application in 2026.



Programs Available for Application in 2026

National Tsing Hua University (NTHU)

Program: International Master Program in Information Systems and Applications

[Application Information I](#) and [Program Introduction I](#)

[Application Information II](#) and [Program Introduction II](#)

National Yang Ming Chiao Tung University (NYCU)

Program: EECS International Graduate Program (EECS IGP)

[Application Information I](#) and [Program Introduction I](#)

[Application Information II](#) and [Program Introduction II](#)

National Sun Yat-sen University (NSYSU)

Program: International Master's Program in Electric Power Engineering (IMEPE)

[Application Information](#) and [Program Introduction](#)

National Dong Hwa University (NDHU)

Program: International Master Program in Artificial Intelligence and Innovative Applications

[Application Information](#) and [Program Introduction](#)

National Taiwan University of Science and Technology (Taiwan Tech)

Program: Graduate Institute of Advanced Semiconductor Technology

[Application Information](#) and [Program Introduction](#)



Programs Available for Application in 2026

National Tsing Hua University (NTHU) Program: International Master of Business Administration in Technology Management

[Application Information I](#) and [Program Introduction I](#)

[Application Information II](#) and [Program Introduction II](#)

National Chengchi University (NCCU)

Program: International Master of Business Administration (IMBA)

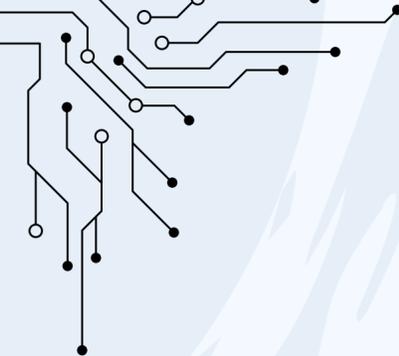
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Step 2 : Contact ROC (Taiwan) Embassy/Office

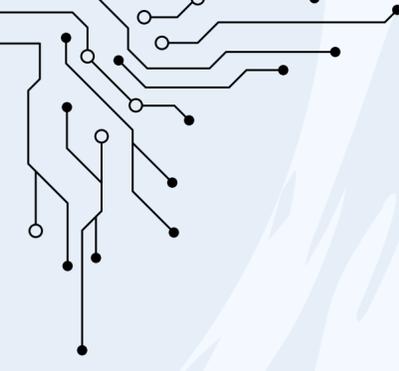
Applicants must complete an online application. Applicants must ensure that they submit accurate and complete information; failure to do so will result in the application not being processed.

Whether hard or soft copies are required depends on the decision of each individual office ROC (Taiwan) Embassies and Missions Abroad.



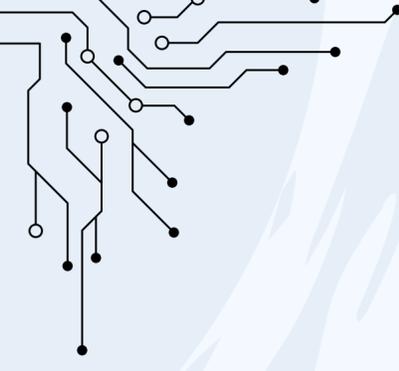
Step 3: First Review

The ROC (Taiwan) Embassy/ Consulate General/ Representative office will conduct a first review of applicants based on the eligibility requirements and selection criteria of the TaiwanICDF, and then send their list of recommended applicants to the TaiwanICDF no later than March 31 each year.



Step 4 : Second Review

A second review of the qualified applicants will be conducted by an academic committee organized by the individual partner university in joint cooperation with TaiwanICDF representatives. Such reviews will be based on each university's selection criteria, whilst also accounting for the eligibility requirements and selection criteria of the TaiwanICDF.



Step 5 : Announcement

After the second review has been conducted in cooperation with all partner universities, the TaiwanICDF will announce its list of scholarship recipients, in principle, no later than June 10 each year.

Successful applicants will receive an acceptance letter through the ROC (Taiwan) Embassy/ Consulate General/ Representative Office to whom they originally applied.

Please note: Receiving admission from the university does not necessarily mean that the applicant has also been given a TaiwanICDF scholarship. Only applicants who receive an acceptance letter issued by the TaiwanICDF will be recipients of the scholarship.



Step 6 : Reply

Please read over the consent form and return a signed copy to the TaiwanICDF through the R.O.C. (Taiwan) Embassy /Representative Office in your country. By completing the above step, you agree to accept the terms and conditions of the TaiwanICDF Scholarship and become an official scholarship recipient.

FAQ

Q1: Where should I apply for the TaiwanICDF scholarship?

A1: Please enter and apply on the

TaiwanICDF Scholarship Online Application System

Q2: Can I apply for more than one program with Taiwan International Cooperation Alliance (TICA) universities?

A2: No. You can only apply for one program at one TICA university each year.

Q3: Who should I contact if I encounter problems with the online application?

A3: If you experience any issues, you can contact us via email at

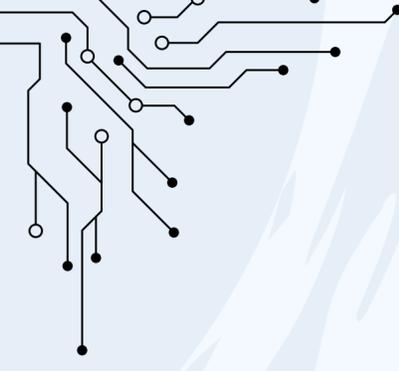
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Q4: Does the TaiwanICDF have any requirements regarding English proficiency test?

A4: NO. The TaiwanICDF has no requirements regarding English proficiency test. However, you will need to follow the policies of your school and program, which may include academic or language requirements such as an English proficiency test. Please contact the school or program you are interested in for further guidance.

Q5: Can I change my program during the application process?

A5: No. Once you submit the application, changing your program will not be possible.



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Q6: I am currently studying in another program in another country. Can I apply for and receive the TaiwanICDF scholarship?

A6: No. The TaiwanICDF scholarship is exclusively for students attending partner schools and programs within TICA.

Q7: Do I need to start from the beginning of the application even though I applied for the scholarship last year?

A7: Yes. Even if you completed an online application last year, you will need to redo the entire application procedure.

Q8: Will there be any charges for application?

A8: There will be no additional charges for the TaiwanICDF online application. However, each school and program may have its own policies regarding fees and expenses. For more information, please contact the school or program you are interested in.

Q9: Is there an age limit for application?

A9: No. We will evaluate all applicants comprehensively, rather than accept or reject them based on one single quality. All positive features will be valued and taken into careful consideration.

FAQ

Q10: If I receive admission to the university I applied to, does that mean that I have also received the TaiwanICDF scholarship?

A10: No. Receiving admission from the university does not necessarily mean that the applicant has also been given a TaiwanICDF scholarship. Only applicants who receive an acceptance letter issued by the TaiwanICDF can be considered recipients of the scholarship.

Q11: After I have been accepted for the TaiwanICDF scholarship, can I change my program to another program that is also part of the TICA?

A11: No. Should you do so, your scholarship will be canceled.

Q12: I am already studying in Taiwan. Can I switch to a TICA partner school or program and be eligible to receive a scholarship?

A12: You will need to start from the beginning of the application.

Q13: Am I allowed to have a part-time job?

A13: Yes. You may have a part-time job within the scope of employment law in Taiwan. For more information, please click [here](#).

Q14: Can I work in Taiwan after graduation?

A14: Yes. For more information, please click [here](#).

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Q15: Can I also be sponsored by another scholarship that is funded by the Taiwan government while I am already a TaiwanICDF scholarship recipient?

A15: No. If you have already been accepted as a TaiwanICDF scholarship recipient, you may neither apply for nor accept another Taiwan agency-financed scholarship.

Q16: Can I apply for a scholarship again right after I graduate from a TICA program?

A16: Applicants who have already held a TaiwanICDF scholarship, MOFA's Taiwan Scholarship or an MOE scholarship must have graduated before July 31, 2025 before applying for a 2026 scholarship.

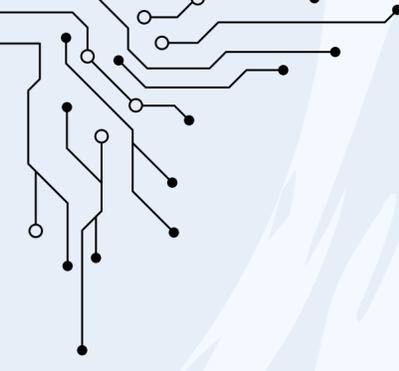
Q17: Can I extend the duration of the scholarship?

A17: No. You may not extend the duration of the scholarship. Any additional duration of study must be taken at your own expense.

Q18: What constitutes a successful application?

A18: To successfully apply, applicants must:

- (1) complete the TaiwanICDF scholarship online application.
- (2) fulfill the application procedures required by the university they are applying to.
- (3) submit all required documents to ROC (Taiwan) Embassy/Consulate General/ Representative Office in their home countries if necessary.



FAQ

Q19: Are unsuccessful applicants prohibited from reapplying for the TaiwanICDF scholarship in the future?

A19: No, previously unsuccessful applicants are strongly encouraged to reapply.

Q20: Is it possible to defer my TaiwanICDF scholarship award?

A20: No, deferring the scholarship award is not allowed.

Q21: Does the TaiwanICDF Scholarship offer spring semester admissions?

A21: No. The TaiwanICDF Scholarship only offers admission for the fall semester.

Q22: Do I need to submit recommendation letters when applying?
If yes, how should I provide them?

A22: The TaiwanICDF Scholarship does not require recommendation letters. However, please check the admission requirements of the program you are applying for.

Q23: If my country is not listed as an eligible beneficiary country, can I still apply for the TaiwanICDF Scholarship?

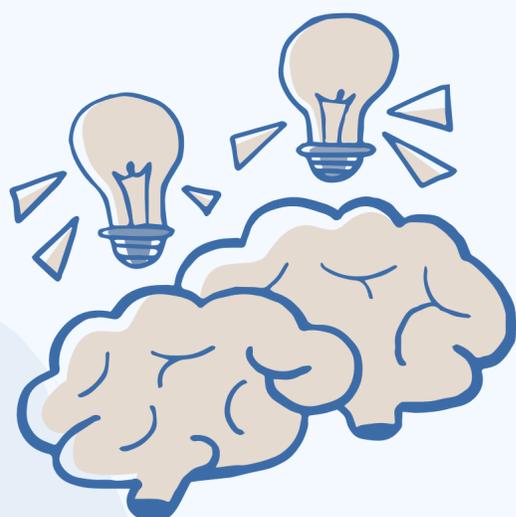
A23: No. Applicants from non-beneficiary countries are not eligible to apply for this scholarship.

Important tips**Tips to boost your
SUCCESS RATE WHEN APPLYING FOR
SCHOLARSHIP****START EARLY**

Begin preparing as soon as possible—research programs, plan your timeline, and gather documents early to avoid last-minute delays.

**COMMUNICATE AND
VERIFY INFORMATION**

Stay in touch with the embassy, university, and the TaiwanICDF. Ask questions, confirm requirements, and follow all updates.

**01****02****PREPARE DOCUMENTS
CAREFULLY**

Read all guidelines, organize required documents, and complete certifications in advance. Double-check every submission.

**03****BE CONFIDENT AND
MOTIVATED**

Understand your goals, align them with the scholarship, and present them sincerely. Stay positive, persistent, and confident throughout the process.

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BEST OF LUCK

with your scholarship application

