2023 Huayu Enrichment Scholarship (HES) International Student

Announced on Jan. 15, 2023

Purpose

To encourage Vietnamese (South of Da Nang) and Cambodian students (Mainland China, Hong Kong, Macao SAR students are not eligible) to undertake Huayu courses in the Republic of China (Taiwan); in order to provide them with opportunities to increase their understanding of Taiwanese culture and society, and to promote mutual understanding and interactions between Taiwan and the international community.

I.Scholarship Quota and Award: 16 scholarships

II. Duration of Scholarship

- A. Huayu Enrichment courses will include short term classes, which may last 2(June-July or July-August, 2023 only), 3, 6 or 9 months to 1 year respectively; however, the terms given to each recipients will go in accordance to the number of applicants that year and the number of recipients. The exact term will be indicated in the certificate.
- **B.** The duration of the scholarship is from September 1st to August 31st of the following year (except 2 months' scholarship). If recipients fail to come to Taiwan for enrollment during the designated time or that they fail to apply for the VISA, they will forfeit their right to retain their scholarships. Scholarship funding will become effective on the date of the recipient's arrival (in university) and enrollment.
- C. Scholarship funding will end according to the scholarship's expiration date or on the date that the scholarship is revoked.

III. Award Value

A monthly stipend of 25,000 NTD (Around 840 USD) will be awarded. Scholarship recipients have to attend the Mandarin courses offered by Ministry of Education (MOE), Taiwan, approved Language Center (See attached file). The language center usually sends in the recipient's grade and learning record to the MOE around 10th of each month. Recipients are asked to bring 1-2 months of living expenses and tuition to Taiwan (about 3,000 USD) for the award will be handed out 1-2 months later.

IV. Application Deadlines

January 15th, 2023 to March 31st, 2023.

V. Eligibility

- A. Cambodia or Vietnam (South of Da Nang) nationals, who are above the age of 18, possess a high school diploma or above, and have shown excellent academic performance, and are of good moral character are eligible.
- B. Those specially designated by the Education Division, Taipei Economic and Cultural Office in Ho Chi Minh City.
- C. Candidates with one of the following qualifications may <u>not</u> apply:
 - 1. Is an overseas Chinese student or a national of the R.O.C.
 - 2. Is currently registered as a student at a Mandarin Language Center or has already sought a degree from a university or college in Taiwan.
 - 3. Has already received HES or a Taiwan Scholarship, in the past.
 - 4. Is an exchange student to Taiwan, during the scholarship period.
 - 5. Is currently receiving financial benefits from the Taiwan government or another educational institution.

VI. Application Documents

Applicants need to submit the following documents to Education Division, Taipei Economic and Cultural Office in Ho Chi Minh City before the application deadline. Those who fail to turn in the fully completed relevant documents on time will have their eligibility revoked.

- **A.** Fully filled 2023 HUAYU Scholarship Application Form for Vietnamese and Cambodian Students.
- **B.** Vietnam: A photocopy of the applicant's valid ID card or passport, and household registration, which has to be South of Da Nang. All the documents mentioned above have to remain valid.
- Cambodia: A photocopy of the applicant's valid passport.
- C. A verified/authenticated photocopy of their highest academic award and of the associated academic transcripts/diploma.
- Cambodia students who studied in Cambodia will have to also hand in proof of graduation written by the Cambodian university president/rector. Documents in a language other than Chinese or English must be translated into Chinese or English and the translated documents must also be verified/authenticated in accordance to the requirements of the Taipei Economic and Cultural Office in Ho Chi Minh City.
- If Vietnamese/Cambodian High School applicant or University applicant who has not yet graduated upon application, applicant must hand in verified/authenticated graduate diploma and original diploma before August, 2023. Those who fail to hand in their verified/authenticated graduate diploma and grade report and original diploma before August, 2023 or fails to turn in the relevant transcript (or has not obtained consent from the Education Division to postpone turn in transcript) will not be eligible for the scholarship and for those who have been announced to be recipients, the scholarship will be revoked.

**When applying for the scholarship, applicants who are still in the process of studying their degrees, beside having to provide their highest education diploma, they also have to provide their transcripts of grades (for example: when applying for the scholarship during their time in undergraduate, they have to provide their highschool diploma along with all their transcripts from the previous year(s) in their undergraduate).

Verified/authenticated graduate diploma and original diploma

1. Vietnam:

- 1. Verified and translated by the department of justice of Ho Chi Minh City,
- 2. Verified by Department of External Relations, Ho Chi Minh City,
- 3. Verified in the Taipei Economic and Cultural Office in Ho Chi Minh City.

2. Cambodia (Transcripts/diploma from Cambodian educational instructions):

- 1. Verified by both the Ministry of Foreign Affairs, Cambodia and Cambodia Consulate General in Ho Chi Minh City.
- 2. Verified by the Taipei Economic and Cultural Office in Ho Chi Minh City. For further information, please browse through the following website: http://www.roc-taiwan.org/kh/post/157.html
- 3. A letter (with the university letter head) written by the Cambodian university president/rector indicating and verifying that the applicant is a graduate of that university.

3. Other foreign countries (other than China):

Verified by the Ministry of Foreign Affairs of the country that the documents are from; then be verified by the Taipei Economic and Cultural Office in that country or have jurisdiction in.

- **D**. A photocopy of the applications to or admission letter from the Mandarin Language Center, which is approved by the Ministry of Education (hereby called MOE), Taiwan.
- E. One of the following language proficiency certificates, those who are designated to be the recipient by the Education Division can be waivered by providing other proofs of language proficiency. (If upon application the applicant has applied to take language test, the test result has to be turned in before 31st May, 2023, but applicant has to turn in copy of registration along with the application):
 - 1. Copy report of TOEFL test scores or other recognized English language proficiency exams must be submitted. TOEFL score pBT450 or IBT 55 Test Score report or IELTS 5.0, TOEIC 550 or above English test scores or other internationally accredited English proficiency tests (grade must be 60% or above to total score). the score report has to be issued upon admission Original Copy of the certificate will be needed to be brought to the Education Division for verification.
 - 2.Copy report of TOCFL (HSK not acceptable) Level 1 and above, original Copy of the certificate will be needed to be brought to the Education Division for verification.
- **F.** Two reference letters from a principal, a college or university president, professors, and/or supervisors personally signed, and placed in sealed

envelopes. Photo copies and email submissions of letters of recommendation will not be considered.

G. Study plan (Chinese or English).

**The application and relevant information turned in will not be returned to the applicant.

VII. Application

Applicants should send the required documents by certified mail or turned in personally before the deadline to:

Educational Division,

Taipei Economic and Cultural Office in Ho Chi Minh City

336 Nguyen Tri Phuong, St., Ward 4, District 10, Ho Chi Minh City, Vietnam

Tel. +84 (0)2838349160 Ext. 2202-03 Fax: +84 (0)28 38349180

E-mail: eduvietnam@mail.moe.gov.tw

**The application and documents submitted will not be returned to the applicant.

VIII. Selection Notice

Jan. 15 th to March 31 st	Applicants make the application			
May to June	Conduct application review and interview (except the 2			
	months' recipients)			
Before end of July	Responding via email to candidates entering the preliminary round, candidates receiving e-mail will provide Admission Notice, if unable to provide, will be disqualified.			
August	Release the final list and awards will be given to recipients			
Before end of August	The award recipients should attend the seminar given by the Education Division, exact date will be given further notice			

- If the recipients have not yet graduated upon application, they will have to submit verified copy and original diploma before dates mentioned above (failure to do so, will not be able to obtain the scholarship). All recipients are asked to obtain the VISA before beginning of school starts. Those who fail to obtain the VISA <u>for any reason</u> will have their scholarship revoked. The recipients are asked to buy their air tickets and bring along 2-3 months of living expenses to Taiwan (about 3,000 USD).
- Recipients for 2-month scholarship will be announced before May 10th, 2023. The recipient will have to turn in admission letter before May 15th, 2023. Those fail to do so, will have their scholarship cancelled
- The recipients have to ensure that the language courses are administered at least 15 hours per week. If the language center does not fulfill the requirements, then the recipient will not be eligible to obtain the scholarship.

IX. Payment Procedures

Mandarin Language Centers should follow the schedule and procedures stated below to request reimbursement and verification from the agencies appointed by the MOE.

- a. This scholarship is granted twice a year. The first payment, which is due on September 30th, covers the period from September to December and summer classes. The second payment which is due on January 15th covers the period from January to August. The verification process to grant funding should be completed before putting in another request. The recipient list and the receipt made out to the MOE from the Mandarin Language Centers are mandatory for verification purposes. If unable to apply in time for their grant, the Mandarin Language Centers should pay the monthly allowance in advance.
- **b.** Universities should verify grants twice a year, in accordance with the MOE procedures, to ensure that recipients have been paid. The first verification is due on December 15th and covers the period from September to December and summer classes. The second verification is due on September 30th and covers the period from January to August. A scholarship budget report and income and expenditure statement signed by a designated accountant and the president (see Appendix 2) are required for verification. Unused funds should be returned. The original receipt should be retained by the universities for their audits.
- **c.** The request, payment and verification of the grant should comply with the Ministry's subsidy and commission expense verification guidelines.

X. Terms and Conditions for Recipients

- **a**. The recipient should study at a registered Mandarin Language Center approved by the MOE.
- **b**. The recipient should apply for admission according to the regulations of the center. Once admitted, the recipient should send a photocopy of the admission letter to the Taipei Economic and Cultural Office in Ho Chi Minh City before June 25th for confirmation. Recipients who do not send their documents before the deadline will be disqualified from the scholarship selection process.
- c. <u>The recipient should undertake at least 15 hours of language courses each</u> <u>week</u>. This does not include cultural visits, speeches, and other self-learning curriculum or activities.
- **d**. After the first semester (quarter), only recipients of a maximum one year scholarship can request a one-time only transfer to another Mandarin Language Center with permission of the original Mandarin Language Center. Recipients of under 9 months (including 9 months) scholarship are not allowed to apply for a transfer.

- e. If the recipient concurrently accepts scholarships from other sources, he/ she will lose their placement in the scholarship program. He/she will also have to return the funds granted for those months that he/she received multiple scholarships. Additionally, recipients of the scholarship are required to maintain an appropriate level of educational achievement in grades and class attendance to keep the scholarship. In the last month of the scholarship, if the recipients return early from Taiwan having less than 12 hours of studies, the scholarship for that month will have to be returned.
- f. The termination and cancellation of a scholarship is based on regulations specified by each individual Mandarin Language Center. Mandarin Language Centers have the right to terminate or revoke a scholarship if the recipient's academic performance, moral character, or attendance record are not up to their standards.
- **g**. Recipients of a 9-month or 12-month scholarship are obligated to join the National Health Insurance Program. Before joining, recipients should purchase student accident insurance and other relevant insurance. Insurance fees can be deducted by the Mandarin Language Centers from the monthly stipend before granting it to recipients.
- h. Recipients of a 6-month or 9-month or 12-month scholarship have to provide a medical certificate to receive a temporary residence card, for recipients of 6-month below scholarship, a medical certificate will not be necessary for getting a short-term VISA. Payments for the VISA applications are made by the recipients, if the VISA process are not approved 1 month before school admission, the recipients will have their scholarship revoked.
- i. Recipients of a 9-month or 12-month scholarship have to provide a level 3 TOCFL (B1) issued within a year, if not, the recipients have to take the TOCFL (level 3 and above) after finishing their study. Payments for the TOCFL and all the process involved are made by the recipients. If these requirement are not met, the recipients have to return 1-month worth of scholarship.
- j. Recipients are <u>not allowed to work</u> during their stay in Taiwan.
- **k.** In the case any fraudulent involved with the scholarship process even after it has been issued, the Taipei Economic and Cultural Office in Ho Chi Minh City has the power to revoke or suspend any on-going scholarship.
- **I.** Recipients are required to agree to the Commitment Form of the Huayu Enrichment Scholarship, and have to follow through with the agreement.
- **m.** If due to pandemic that recipients can not go to Taiwan or that the term for the scholarship is then shortened, the scholarship can not be extended/reserved to next year nor can the term be extended.

XI. Suspension and Cancellation

A. The Scholarship will be suspended for one month, if one or more of the following conditions occur.

- 1. The Scholarship will be suspended for one month, if the recipient has missed 12 hours or more of their language course within a single month.
- 2. Starting from the first semester (quarter), if the recipient fails to obtain the specified standard score by the university (an average of 80 points out of 100), his/her scholarship will be suspended for a month in the next semester (quarter). If the grade is less than 80 for 2 consecutive quarters/semesters, the recipient will result in the termination of the scholarship.
- 3. The recipient of a nine month or longer scholarship without a Level 3 or above TOCFL certificate within 2 years prior to enrollment must hand in the certificate or transcript one month before the end of the scholarship term. If he/she fails to do so, the scholarship will be suspended for one month.

B. Scholarship Cancellation, if one or more of following conditions occur.

- 1. The recipient fails to obtain the standard score (an average of 80 points out of 100) for two consecutive semesters (quarters), he/she will be disqualified from receiving the scholarship.
- 2. Any recipient missing a final achievement score for any semester (quarter) will be disqualified from receiving the scholarship with the exception of a serious illness or accident.
- **3.** The recipient will not continue to receive the scholarship if he/she violates R.O.C. law.
- **4.** The scholarship will be suspended or revoked if the recipient violates University or Mandarin Language Center regulations.
- 5. Any recipient who fail to obtain the proper VISA to study in Taiwan.
- **6.** The Taipei Economic and Cultural Office reserves the right to revoke the scholarship upon the fact that the recipient gave false document or that the recipient has attitude issues.

2023 年教育部華語文獎學金申請表

Application Form for ROC (Taiwan) Ministry of Education Huayu Enrichment Scholarship 2023

INSTRUCTIONS:

This application form should be typed and completed by the applicant. Each question must be answered clearly and completely. Detailed answers are required in order to make the most appropriate arrangements. If necessary, additional pages of the same size may be attached. 申請人請詳實工整填寫,慎勿遺漏,以利配合作業,如有需要,可自行以同款紙張加頁說明。

Please check the months you will learn Chinese (Huayu) in Taiwan (Note: The actual number of months given may be different than applied)申請赴臺灣就讀華語

月數(註:實際核給之月數可能與申請不同):

Months 研習月數	12 個月	9個月	6個月	3 個月	2 個月	(暑期)
Check (*) 請勾選					6-7 月	7-8 月

1. PERSONAL DATA 個人基本資料

a.NAME 姓名	Name 姓名:	
	Chinese Name 中文姓名:	
b. CITY and COUNTRY OF BIRTH 出生協市及國別		Please attach a photograph 4x6 that has been taken within the
c. NATIONALITY 國籍	*Note: If you are an overseas Chinese student, or hold a valid R.O.C. passport, you are not eligible to apply.	last 3 months. 最近三個月 4x6 相片
d. CONTACT INFORMATION 聯絡地址、電話、 電子郵件	Permanent Address 永久地址: Mailing Address (If different from above) 郵寄址 Telephone 電話: E-mail 電子郵件: Cell phone:	也址:
e. SEX 性別	□Male 男 □Female 女	
f. MARITAL STATUS 婚姻狀況	□ Single 單身 □ Married 已婚	
g. DATE OF BIRTH 生日	(Day 日/Month 月/Year 年):	
h. PAST RESIDENCE in TAIWAN 曾否居住臺灣	□Never 否; □Yes, from (dd/mm/yr) to (dd/mm reason for staying in Taiwan 居住事日	• 7
i. Taiwan Scholarship/ Huayu Enrichment Scholarship Award/other scholarship History 臺灣獎學金/華語文 獎學金受獎紀錄或其他獎學	□None 無; □Yes, from (dd/mm/yr) to (dd/mm Type(s) of Scholarship Awarded: (獎學金類別)	• ,

健康狀況		
THE CHROTTE DISERSES	□ None 無 □ Yes 有 Please sp	pecify 請指明:
CASE OF EMERGENCY	Name 姓名: Address 地址:	Relationship 關係:
緊急事件聯絡人 To	`el 電話:	E-mail 電子郵件:

English Test 英語能力證書: Date 日期(year /month): Level 通過等級: Score

總分:

LANGUAGE	COMPREHENSION 聽 READING 讀		賣	WRITING 寫			SPEAKING 說		說			
PROFICIENCY	Excellent	Good	Fair	Excellent	Good	Fair	Excellent	Good	Fair	Excellent	Good	Fair
語言能力	優	良	可	優	良	可	優	良	可	優	良	可
CHINESE												
ENGLISH												
(Other)												

Chinese Test 華語能力證書: Date 日期(year /month): Level 通過等級: Score

總分:

3. EDUCATIONAL BACKGROUND 教育背景

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Level 程度	Name of Institution 校名	Country/City 地點	Period of Enrollment 修業年限
Secondary Education 中學			
Undergraduate Level Education 大 學			
Graduate Level Education 研究所			

4. REFERENCES 推薦單位(人)資料

Name 姓名	Position 職務	Phone, E-Mail, or Mailing Address 電話及郵電地址

5. PREVIOUS EMPLOYMENT 工作經歷 (Use one line for each position)

Position	Company/Organization	Period of Employment	Responsibilities
職務	機構名稱	服務期間	負責工作

6. PRESENT EMPLOYMENT 現職狀況

a. COMPANY/ ORGANIZATION 機構名稱	
b. POSITION 職稱	c. From 起始日期(Y/M/D):
d. CONTACT INFORMATION 聯絡資訊	Address 地址: Tel 電話: Cell phone: Fax 電傳: E-mail 電子郵件:
e. TYPE OF ORGANIZATION 機構種類	□ Govt. Ministry/ □ University/ □ Govt./State-owned Agency 政府部門 Institution 大學校院 Enterprise 公營企業 □ Locally-owned □ Joint Venture □ Foreign-owned □ NGO Enterprise 私人企業 合資企業 國際公司 非政府機構
文中心 (請	EE CENTER WHERE YOU PLAN TO ATTEND IN TAIWAN 擬就讀之華語 真每一所申請學校,倘需要請自行延伸、Please fill out all applications you have plied more than 3, please type as many as you need)
	language center 大學附設華語中心
8. BRIEFLY ST	'ATE YOUR STUDY PLAN WHILE IN TAIWAN 請簡述到臺灣的讀書計畫
(Please attach your c	letail study plan in A4 paper. 請以 A4 紙另附詳細讀書計畫)
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	a photocopy of his/her valid passport and household registration, which has to be
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□最高學歷	畢業證書及成績單。A verified/authenticated photocopy of their highest academic
□華語文或有 測驗成績單(□ 他國際公認之 證明文件)。	he associated academic transcripts. 「效之英語能力證明(華測 TOCFL 一級以上,HSK 不予受理證書,或英語國際 TOEFL)紙筆式(pBT) 450 分或網路式 55 分以上或 IELTS 5.0, TOEIC 550,或其一英語能力測驗相當等級成績證明影本 1份(該測驗總分百分之六十以上之成績
± •	Its or certificate for the "Test of Chinese as a Foreign Language" Level 1 or above. Il not be accepted. Once becoming the recipient of the Scholarship, original Copy of

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accredited English proficiency tests (grade must be 60% or above to total score). Original Copy of the certificate will be needed to be brought to the Education Division for verification.
□臺灣公私立大學院校/華語中心 申請入學之相關證明文件影印本 1 份(例如:已填寄之入學申請表、申請入學之學校回函、繳納報名費之收據等文件)。A photocopy of the applications
to the Taiwan's Universities/Chinese Language Center, or admission letter.
□學校教授(教師)或重要指導教師或工作單位主管之中/英文推薦信2封。
Two reference letters — from a principal, a college or university president, professors, and/or supervisors — personally signed, and placed in sealed envelopes. Photo copies and email submissions of letters of recommendation will not be considered. □ 研習計畫(中文或英文)。Study plan (Chinese or English).
9. DECLARATION 聲明: I declare that 本人聲明下列事實:
□I am neither concurrently an ROC national, nor an overseas compatriot of the ROC, nor hold the Alien Permanent Resident Certificate of ROC;
本人既不是中華民國的國民,也不是中華民國的海外僑民;也沒有待中華民國永久居留證。
□I am not currently undertaking studies in Taiwan for the same educational level as the scholarship type for which I am applying;
本人目前並未在臺灣就讀本次準備申請獎學金類別之同等級教育;
□I am not applying for this scholarship as an exchange student resulting from an agreement signed between my home institution and any Taiwan university/college;
本人並非以本身就讀學校與任何臺灣學校簽約合作的交換學生身分來申請本項獎學金;
\Box The information I have given on this application is complete and accurate to the best of my knowledge, and I understand that the application materials submitted can not be returned.
本人已基於充分瞭解提供本件申請表中各項完整而正確的信息,且瞭解所提供之申請資料將不予退還。
☐ I understand that if I become the scholarship recipient and that I fail to receive offer letter from the university or that I can not obtain the VISA within the designated time, will result in cancellation of my scholarship recipient status.
本人瞭解倘被錄取為臺灣獎學金生而未能於時限內取得大學錄取通知書/函或獲得相關簽證, 則將取消受獎資格。
Applicant's Signature: (申請人簽名):
Date