Regulations of Taipei Medical University International Student Scholarship and Assistantship

Article 1.

In order to encourage outstanding International students to enroll Taipei Medical University (TMU) and to promote their participation in international research programs and related affairs, TMU establishes the International Student Scholarship (TMU-ISS) and International Student Assistantship (TMU-ISA).

Article 2. The numbers for TMU-ISS and TMU-ISA will be announced annually in accordance with TMU annual funding.

Article 3. Application deadline will be announced annually.

Article 4. Amount of TMU-ISS and TMU-ISA:

- 1) The recipients of TMU-ISS will receive full tuition waiver (excluding insurance), and monthly allowance of NT\$30,000.
- The recipients of TMU-ISA will receive monthly allowance of NT 25,000 without tuition waiver.

Article 5. Funding Period:

The awards are granted to the recipients on a yearly basis. Before the end of the academic year, students must reapply. Master's students can be awarded up to two times. Doctoral students can be awarded up to three times. Medical students can be awarded up to seven times. Dental students can be awarded up to six times, and the remaining undergraduate students can be awarded up to four times.

Article 6. Eligibility:

- The applicants must meet the requirements of "The Regulations for Foreign Students Studying in Taiwan" by the Ministry of Education, Republic of China (Taiwan) and TMU Admission Brochure for International Students.
- The recipients of Taiwan ICDF scholarship, Taiwan Scholarship or Taipei Medical University Outstanding Foreign Student Scholarship are not eligible for TMU-ISS and TMU-ISA.
- The applicants who meet one of the following criteria can be considered preferably for TMU-ISS.
 - a. The average grades of the latest academic year are at the level of 90 (out of 100) or above.
 - b. The GPA or the latest academic year grades rank the top 5% in the department or

program (written proof required).

- c. The proof of the proficiency of foreign language is required (such as the TOEFL).
- d. The Master's degree and Doctoral degree applicants must have publications of international SCI journal or any other relevant academic publications as the first author.
- e. TMU-ISS is only eligible for Master and PhD program students.
- The applicants who meet one of the following criteria can be considered preferably for TMU-ISA.
 - a. The average grades of the latest academic year are at the level of 80 (out of 100) or above.
 - b. The GPA or the latest academic year grades rank the top 20% in the department or program (written proof required)
 - c. The proof of the proficiency of foreign language is required (such as the TOEFL).
 - d. Recommendation from an overseas embassy or representative office of the Republic of China.
 - e. Special contribution to local community (proof required).
 - f. TMU-ISA is eligible for undergraduate, master's, and PhD program students.
 - 5). The applicants are not permitted to apply or receive TMU-ISS and TMU-ISA simultaneously in the same academic year.

Article 7. Application:

The applicants should submit the following items through e-mail or mail to International Office before deadline. For future students, please send all the required materials to the address listed on the admission brochure.

Applicant Status	Type of Scholarship	Required Materials
Future Students	TMU-ISS	 Application form for TMU-ISS and TMU-ISA The rest of the materials are the same as the required materials for admission application.

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	TMU-ISA	 Application form for TMU-ISS and TMU-ISA The rest of the materials are the same as the required materials for admission application.
Current Students (First time applicants)	TMU-ISS	 Application form for TMU-ISS and TMU-ISA Transcript from the latest semester Valid English proficiency documentation: TOEFL, IELTS, TOIEC or other formal English Proficiency examinations. The applicants who have formal education (at least four years) from English speaking countries are exempted from this requirement. Two recommendation letters Study plan in English Autobiography in English Other supporting materials:
	TMU-ISA TMU-ISS	
		Resume, GRE, GMAT, Chinese language examination, professional licenses, publications, thesis, awards etc. (in Chinese or English)
Current Students (previous applicants)		 Application form for TMU-ISS and TMU-ISA Transcript from the latest semester Valid English proficiency documentation: TOEFL, IELTS, TOIEC or other formal English Proficiency examinations. The applicants who have formal education (at least four years) from English speaking countries are exempted from this requirement. Two recommendation letters Study plan in English Autobiography in English Other supporting materials: Resume, GRE, GMAT, Chinese language examination, professional licenses, publications, thesis, awards etc. (in Chinese or English)
	TMU-ISA	

Article 8. Responsibilities of the Awarded Students:

- TMU-ISS recipients are responsible for attending International academic forum recommended by school and publish research manuscript at least once a year, and serve in the academic or administrative department on campus voluntarily at least 30 hours per semester.
- TMU-ISA recipients' obligations are assigned by International Office. Each recipient needs to fulfill 30 hours volunteer service per month in academic or administrative department on campus.

Article 9. Evaluation and Approval:

- International Office will call for the reviewing committee to exanimate the application materials. If the number of applicants are insufficient or the materials are unqualified, the reviewing committee reserves the rights to not award TMU-ISS and TMU-ISA.
- ^{2.} International Office will announce the TMU-ISS and TMU-ISA recipients who are the first time applicants by May 31st and inform the recipients.
- 3. The funding of TMU-ISS and TMU-ISA is budgeted from International Office annual funding, and the allowance will be wire-transferred to the recipients' personal account monthly.
- 4. The recipients who have financial hardship can apply for receiving pre-pay allowance for airfare.
- 5. The recipients can apply for pre-pay allowance for necessary expense due to financial hardship during school years.
- Article 10. The regulation is executed by the Administrative Council. The amendment is through the same process.