

## **2023/2024 Ministry of Education (MOE) Taiwan Scholarship Application Guidelines for Ukrainian Applicants**

The Taiwan Scholarship Program aims to encourage promising students from foreign countries to pursue their degree studies in Taiwan, to raise global awareness of higher education opportunities in Taiwan and to promote communication, understanding, and friendship between Taiwan and the international community.

### **Award Value:**

1. Up to NTD 40,000 per recipient per semester, covering tuition, academic fees and credit fees.
2. Monthly living allowance:
  - Undergraduates: NTD 15,000
  - Graduate students: NTD 20,000.

### **Scholarship Duration:**

Individual scholarships are available for a maximum of four years for undergraduate programs, two years for master programs, and four years for doctorate programs. The maximum total period that any one person may hold a Taiwan Scholarship is five years.

### **Eligibility:**

An applicant must meet all of the following criteria:

1. Be a Ukrainian national.
2. Be a high school graduate or above, have excellent academic performance in his/her most recent formal educational study experience, be of good moral character, and have no criminal record.

### **Anyone meeting any of the following criteria is ineligible to apply:**

1. An R.O.C. (Taiwan) national or an overseas Chinese student.
2. A person who already has student status at any university/college in Taiwan or who has already registered to begin studies at such a university/college. This restriction does not apply to a student who will be graduating after completing a degree in the current academic year and is applying for a Taiwan Scholarship to pursue a higher degree.
3. A person who has already studied in Taiwan for a degree at the same level as the one in which they currently intend to enroll.
4. An exchange student or dual/joint degree student who has been admitted to a university/college in Taiwan in accordance with an academic cooperation agreement between that university/college and an overseas university/college.
5. A person who has already been a Taiwan Scholarship recipient for a total of five years.
6. A person who has ever previously had their Taiwan Scholarship or MOE Huayu Enrichment Scholarship revoked.
7. A person who has received any other scholarship or subsidy from any Taiwan Government institution (organization) or any educational institution in Taiwan, apart from any subsidies

provided for a Taiwan Scholarship recipient by their university/college to cover any outstanding tuition and/or fees exceeding the scholarship limit.

## **Application Procedure**

### **Where to apply?**

Ukrainian students applying for the scholarship should submit a full set of documents listed below by post to:

**Education Division, Taipei Representative Office in Poland  
Emilii Plater 53, 30th floor, 00-113 Warsaw, Poland  
ATTN: Application for Taiwan Scholarship**

**The deadline for submitting applications is May 5<sup>th</sup>, 2023.**

### **What documents are needed?**

1. One copy of the completed application form with a hand-written signature.
2. Signed declaration of consent to the processing of personal data.
3. One photocopy of passport photo page.
4. One photocopy of the highest-level diploma and an official complete grade transcript.
5. A photocopy of admission application materials to universities/colleges in Taiwan (e.g., photocopies of application fee remittance, application form, receipt of application from universities/colleges, email confirmation).
6. Two recommendation letters, signed and sealed from school administrators, professors, or supervisors. Only original hard copy letters will be accepted; photocopies and email submissions of letters of recommendation will not be considered.
7. A copy of a language proficiency certificate:
  - (1) For applicants seeking to undertake a program not completely taught in English: A copy of the Test of Chinese as a Foreign Language (TOCFL) test score report or certificate of Level 3 or above shall be submitted.
  - (2) Candidates who wish to study exclusively in English must provide official TOEFL results at the specified level or another certificate of English language proficiency recognized by the government, or a diploma from a previous degree taught in English. English-taught academic programs in Taiwan must be accredited by the MOE, otherwise the candidate must present an official letter issued by the university in question (not by the department or section) confirming that the program of study is conducted entirely in English.

### **When to apply?**

All application documents (including reference letters) must be mailed together to the office of Education Division in Poland postmarked no later than May 5<sup>th</sup>, 2023.

**\*Incomplete applications will not be considered, and applicants will not be notified.**

## **Selection Criteria**

1. Minimum undergraduate GPA 3.0, minimum graduate GPA 3.5 (on a 4.5 scale). Where grade conversion calculation methods differ, the Taipei Representative Office will base their conversion calculations on the aforementioned calculation guidelines to select outstanding applicants.
2. Candidates choosing to study entirely in English must include TOEFL results or other government-accepted exam proving English language skills at an intermediate level, or proof that they have received at least a 75% score on the relevant exam.

## **Other**

1. Please note that scholarship applications and school admission applications are separate. Applicants must apply directly to university/college for admission by application deadlines set by each institution.
2. Applicants must submit a copy of their university/college admission letter to the Education Division of Taipei Representative Office in Poland no later than June 30, 2023 to secure their scholarship. Failure to meet this deadline will result in scholarship revocation.
3. Incomplete or late applications will not be considered. It is assumed that a candidate who does not submit all the documents within the time limit loses the opportunity to receive a Taiwan Scholarship and in such case Education Division of Taipei Representative Office in Poland will offer the scholarship to a person from the waiting list. The official list of scholarship recipients must be prepared no later than July 31, 2023.
4. The Education Division of the Taipei Representative Office in Poland issues a certificate to each student who is eligible for a scholarship until July 31, 2023 informing of the length of the duration of the scholarship taking into account the type of study chosen by the applicant.

## **Information & Contact**

For more information, please contact:

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