「臺灣研究學人獎助金」作業要點

- 一、外交部(以下簡稱本部)為鼓勵全球對臺灣、兩岸、中國大陸、亞太區域及漢學研究有與趣之專家學者來我國各大學院校或學術機構進行研究,促進學術交流,特訂定本要點。
- 二、本要點獎助研究之對象為國外大學相關系所之外籍教授、副教授、助理 教授、博士候選人及學術機構同等級別之研究人員。
- 三、本要點獎助之研究領域以臺灣、兩岸研究、中國研究、亞太研究、漢學研究之社會科學領域為主。

四、獎助金待遇及期限如下:

- (一)提供最直接航程之經濟艙來回機票一張。現已在臺從事研究者,不予補助來臺機票。
- (二)研究補助費於每月月初發放,計分二級如下:
 - 1. 教授、副教授、研究員及副研究員:新臺幣六萬元
 - 2. 助理教授、助理研究員及博士候選人:新臺幣五萬元
- (三)受補助期限最短三個月,最長以一年為限。
- (四)提供在臺研究期間意外傷害保險新臺幣一百萬元 (附加意外傷害醫療保險)。
- 五、獎助金名額由本部視每年經費額度訂定。
- 六、申請人應備妥文件,向其國籍或學籍所在地之我國駐外館處提出中文或 英文申請文件如下:
 - (一)申請表。
 - (二)簡歷表(含著作目錄)。
 - (三)研究計畫(字數不限,構想應清楚分明,作為審查委員決定獎助及 獎助期程之依據)。
 - (四)獲我國大學院校或研究機構同意來臺進行研究之書面文件。
 - (五)推薦信(正本)。

現已在臺從事研究者,可逕向本部提出申請。

七、申請及遴選作業程序如下:

(一) 駐外館處依本要點訂定申請簡章,接受申請,並於查核申請人所

提資料後,評估其學術影響力或潛力後,決定是否推薦。

- (二) 駐外館處推薦人選時須敍明理由報部,以作為遴選之參考。
- (三)本部聘請學者專家及各地域司代表組成評審委員會,負責遴選事官。

八、獲獎學人應遵守之規定如下:

- (一)獲獎學人於甄選時所提之研究計畫及研究領域原則上不得變更。如未經本部同意任意變更者,本部得停止發給該項獎助金。
- (二)獲獎學人應於計畫結束後三個月內送交研究結果大要予本部,在 臺期間應出席本部就其研究主題所舉辦之演講會或座談會擔任 發表人或與談人。
- (三)獲獎學人於獲獎期屆滿後二年內,不得再提出申請。
- (四)獲獎學人受獎助期間不得同時受領我政府機關、公私立學校及其 他學術機構所設置之全額獎助金。

九、計畫執行如下:

- (一)本部於遴選結果核定後請駐外館處轉告獲獎學人,駐外館處依據本 部核定文件,請獲獎學人簽署遵守相關權利義務之承諾書。
- (二)獲獎學人申請簽證規定為:
 - 1. 受獎期限六個月以下者,駐外館處核發停留簽證;
 - 2. 受獎期限六個月以上者,駐外館處逕發居留簽證;
 - 3. 以上均免收簽證費用。
- (三)獲獎學人應自行規劃安排來臺研究訪問事宜。
- (四)獲獎學人應於出發前將其抵、離臺程期及駐點研究單位資料送駐外 館處備查,機票由駐外館處協助購買。
- (五)駐外館處於每案辦理完一個月內完成經費核銷事宜。倘遇會計年度 終了未及辦理,請依規定辦理經費保留事宜。
- (六)駐外館處將獲獎學人之機票影本及收據報部黏貼於支出黏存單,送 部辦理核銷。
- 十、本要點如有未盡事宜,本部得另行研訂規範。

臺灣研究學人獎助金承諾書

Terms of Agreement for the Taiwan Fellowship Program

1. I agree to abide by the laws of the Republic of China (Taiwan) during my stay in Taiwan. If I commit a crime or engage in misconduct, I will be expelled from the program and forfeit the fellowship.

(本人在中華民國停留期間,願遵守中華民國之法律。如本人有觸犯法律與行為失當,則本人之受獎資格將被註銷)。

- 2. I will be responsible for all expenses beyond the amount of the fellowship's stipend. (所有超出獎助金額度以外之費用,一概由本人負擔)。
- 3. Within 3 months of the completion of my program, I will submit a solid and concise article or monograph on which I was conducting research to the Ministry of Foreign Affairs, Republic of China (Taiwan) and the ROC Embassy or Mission in my home country. (在臺研究完成三個月內,本人將提出研究結果大要予中華民國外交部及國籍或學籍所在地之中華民國駐外機構)。
- 4. Any report, either written or oral, produced from the research conducted during the tenure of the fellowship must give credit to the support provided by the Taiwan Fellowship Program. (本計畫之報告,不論是口頭或書面,皆應適當提及「台灣學人獎助金計畫」所給予之贊助與支持)。
- 5. I understand that this document has two versions, one in Chinese and one in English, and that, should any discrepancies exist, the Chinese version shall prevail. (本人瞭解此件承 諾書有中文與英文二種文字對照版本,如解釋有歧異時,以中文版本為準)。

I have read, understood, and agreed to the information and terms for the Taiwan Fellowship Program sponsored by the Republic of China (Taiwan). I also declare that the information I provided when applying to the program is complete and accurate to the best of my knowledge. I understand and accept the condition that, should I break any of the terms of the program, I will be expelled immediately from it. (本人已閱讀、瞭解並且同意有關「臺灣學人獎助金計畫」之資料與規定,本人宣誓在本人獎助金申請書所提供之資料全部屬實。本人瞭解並同意,如有任何違反獎助金規定之情事,則本人受獎資格將被立即取消)。

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「臺灣研究學人獎助金」申請表

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Guidelines to the Taiwan Fellowship Program

- I. To encourage the experts and scholars worldwide who are interested in Taiwan, cross-strait relations, mainland China, Asia Pacific, and Sinology to conduct research in Taiwan's universities or research institutes and promote academic exchanges, the Ministry of Foreign Affairs (MOFA) of Republic of China (ROC) has regulated the following guidelines.
- II. The fellowship recipients should be foreign professors, associate professors, assistant professors, and doctoral candidates of related departments of overseas universities, and research fellows of the same level in academic institutes abroad.
- III. The field of study should be social sciences, such as Taiwan studies, cross-strait studies, China studies, Asia Pacific studies, and Sinology.
- IV. The granting and duration of the fellowship:
 - 1. An economy class roundtrip ticket flying the most direct route will be provided. Tickets will not be provided to recipients who are already in Taiwan.
 - 2. Research stipends are granted in the beginning of each month in the following two categories:
 - (1) Professors, associate professors, research fellows, and associate research fellows: NT\$60,000.
 - (2) Assistant professors, assistant research fellows, and doctoral candidates: NT\$50,000.
 - 3. The minimum duration of scholarship is three months, and the maximum is one year.
 - 4. Accident insurance of NT\$ 1,000,000 is provided during the term of research in Taiwan. (This sum is also to cover the expenses incurred from the treatment of injuries.)
- V. The quota of recipients is determined in accordance with MOFA's annual budget. In principle, 30 recipients are selected each year.
- VI. Applicants should submit the prepared English or Chinese documents to the ROC Embassy or Representative Office in their home countries or where their research or study is based. The documents include:
 - 1. Application form.

- 2. Resume (including a publication list).
- 3. Research proposal (No word limits. The proposal should be well-organized, and will serve as the reference for the committee to evaluate the granting and duration of the scholarship).
- 4. Documents from Taiwan's universities or research institutes granting admission to the recipient to do research in Taiwan.
- 5. Letter of recommendation (original).

Those who are currently doing research in Taiwan can submit the application to MOFA directly.

VII. Application and Selection Process:

- 1. ROC Embassies and Representative Offices abroad will provide the application form based on these guidelines and accept applications. They will then review the information provided by the applicants, evaluate their academic influence or potentiality, and decide whether to recommend the applicants.
- 2. ROC Embassies and Representative Offices abroad should provide reasons for the recommendation, which will be the references for selection.
- 3. MOFA will invite scholars, experts and representatives from departments in charge of different regions to form a reviewing committee, which will be responsible for the selection.
- VIII. Recipients of the Fellowship should obey the following regulations:
 - 1. The research proposal and research area provided in the application should not be changed unless approved by MOFA. Otherwise MOFA may terminate the fellowship.
 - 2. The recipients should submit a solid and concise article or monograph to MOFA within three months after the end of the project. During their stay in Taiwan, the recipients should participate in the lectures or seminars related to their research topics and hosted by MOFA as speakers or discussants.
 - 3. The recipients are not eligible to apply for the fellowship again within two years after the end of the project.
 - 4. During the period of the fellowship, the recipients are not allowed to receive any full scholarships granted by the governmental agencies,

public or private education institutions, and other academic organization in Taiwan.

IX. The execution plan is as follows:

- 1. After the result of selection is approved, ROC Embassies and Representative Offices abroad will notify the recipients, who will have to sign the terms of agreement according to the approved documents.
- 2. The recipients have to apply for visa to enter Taiwan.
 - (1) For those awarded with fellowship shorter than six months, ROC Embassies and Representative Office abroad will issue visitor visas.
 - (2) For those awarded with fellowship over six months, ROC Embassies and Representative Office abroad will issue residence visas.
- 3. The recipients should arrange their research and visits in Taiwan by themselves.
- 4. Before departure, the recipients should submit the information about their itinerary (dates of arrival at and departure from Taiwan) and affiliate research institutions to ROC Embassies and Representative Office abroad for reference. ROC Embassies and Representative Office abroad will assist in the purchase of the flight tickets.
- 5. ROC Embassies and Representative Office abroad should complete the cancellation upon verification within one month after the end of each case. If it is not possible upon the end of the fiscal year, the aforesaid office should reserve the allocated fund according to the relevant regulations.
- 6. ROC Embassies and Representative Office abroad should attach the photocopies of the recipients' flight tickets and receipts onto the Expenditure Reimburse Form, and submit it to MOFA for cancellation upon verification.
- X. MOFA shall set other regulations for matters not covered under these guidelines.