CYCU Regulations Governing Scholarship for Doctoral Students Continuing Education in Europe

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- Article 1. CYCU hereby establishes the Regulations in order to encourage excellent doctoral program students (hereinafter referred to as the "doctoral students") to continue education and research in the universities or research organizations in the territories of Europe for a short term, in order to develop their global view, promote the academic exchange and keep in line with the world
- Article 2. Each doctoral student may receive the scholarship no more than NT\$100,000 per semester and for no more than two semesters. The quota of awardee shall be decided subject to the annual budget.
- Article 3. The awardee who has received any other related fellowship totaling more than the limit of the scholarship herein in the duration of the incentives shall not claim the scholarship, provided that where said fellowship totals less than the limit of the scholarship, the awardee may be granted the reimbursement no more than the price difference.
- Article 4. The current doctoral student who wishes to apply for the scholarship shall satisfy the following conditions:
 - 1. Have attended CYCU's doctoral programs for two semesters or more.
 - 2. The requested schools must be the universities in the territories of Europe recognized by Ministry of Education, and the requested research organizations shall be recognized by the advisor.
 - 3. The applicant shall provide the related written permission or invitation letter issued by the schools or research organizations referred to in the preceding subparagraph.
 - 4. The application may be filed per semester (season) or school year.
- Article 5. The selection is conducted once per semester. The acceptance of applications will be published by the Office of International and Cross-Strait Education by the end of April and October per year.
- Article 6. The applicant shall prepare the following documents:
 - 1. Application form for selection: Including basic information, family economic status, education background and work experience, career development and the list of results achieved by his/her thesis or work;
 - 2. Official grade report for university and graduate school;
 - 3. Research protocol: Including research target, cooperative entities, mode of cooperation, contents of research, and expected results;
 - 4. Advisor's recommendation letter;
 - 5. Invitation letter or written permission issued by the international affairs office or college/department chair of the requested school;
 - 6. Related certificates, in the case of the economically disadvantaged.
- Article 7. The President shall designate the Vice President to act as the convener of the review committee, and Dean of International Affairs, Dean of Research and Development, and Dean of Student Affairs as the ex officio members, and may invite related professional faculty to act as the members.

The review consists of documentary review and written exam. The documentary review accounts for 60% of the total grades, and the written exam 40% of the total grades.

The review committee may take the following applicant's circumstances into consideration as the first priority when conducting the review:

- 1. With the R.O.C. Nationality and registered domicile in the R.O.C.;
- 2. The poor family or economically disadvantaged with related certificates;
- 3. For short-term continuing education and research as an exchange student;
- 4. The requested school is one partnering university of CYCU in the territories of Europe.
- Article 8. CYCU shall publish the name list of awardees by the end of May and November per year. Where the awardee fails to continue education and conduct research abroad according to the authorized plan, he/she shall refund the scholarship.

The awardee shall complete the registration of admission with CYCU in the duration of the incentives, unless special approval is given by CYCU.

- Article 9. The awardee shall perform the following obligations:
 - 1. Submitting the research result and report about learning abroad.
 - 2. Sharing the experience at the relevant colleges/departments.
- Article 10. The Regulations are passed by the School Administration Council, and shall be promulgated and enforced by the President. The same shall apply where the Regulations are amended.