

Department Requirements for Exchange Students at NCKU, 2025-2026 Academic Year

Required documents in common by the Student Exchange Program (for all departments)

1. Headshot photo 2. Official enrollment certificate 3. Latest official transcript in English (Postgraduate students' transcripts should include both undergraduate and graduate records)	4. Study plan for the exchange period 5. Financial statement issued by a bank/financial institution 6. Passport's personal information page	7. Photo ID, both sides (optional) 8. Other supporting documents (optional) 9. Confirmation page
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Additional Requirements of Individual Departments are listed below.

College of Liberal Arts

Department	Fall Semester	Spring Semester	Departmental Requirements	Course Requirements
Department of Chinese Literature	V	V	Undergraduate & Postgraduate 1. Basic proficiency in Chinese (listening, speaking, reading and writing) is required as all courses are instructed in Chinese. 2. Applicants from non-Chinese speaking countries are required to submit a Chinese proficiency certificate of or above TOCFL level 3 or HSK level 5. 3. Autobiography, study plan and recommendation letter in Chinese are required.	No basic Chinese language courses provided. All courses are instructed in Chinese. Undergraduate: Must take at least one course of the department. Postgraduate: Must take at least one course of the institute.
Department of History	V	V	Undergraduate & Postgraduate 1. Applicants are required to submit a Chinese proficiency certificate (equivalent to CEFR A2) and an English proficiency certificate (equivalent to CEFR B2). 2. An average GPA of 3.0 or above is required.	Most courses are instructed in Chinese. Undergraduate: Must take at least one course of the department. Postgraduate: Must take at least two courses of the institute.

Department of Foreign Languages & Literature	V	V	<p>Undergraduate</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Basic proficiency in Chinese language (listening, speaking, reading and writing) is required. 2. Applicants from non-English speaking countries are required to submit an English proficiency certificate (TOEFL, TOEIC, IELTS, equivalent to CEFR B2) which was taken within two years. 3. Transcripts, autobiography and study plan in English are required. 4. An average GPA of 2.5 or above in previous years is required. <p>Postgraduate</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Applicants from non-English speaking countries are required to submit TOEFL-iBT 80 which was taken within two years. 2. Autobiography, statement of purpose in English and Personal English writings, including individual works, academic publications, thesis, or writing samples are required. 3. Applicants for graduate programs should specify their group, "literature" or "linguistics/TESL", in the study plan. 4. An average GPA of 2.5 or above in previous years is required. 	<p>Exchange students from the other departments are not allowed to take courses which are marked with "FLLD only".</p> <p>Most courses are instructed in English.</p> <p>Undergraduate Exchange students are required to take at least one B2 course offered by the department.</p> <p>Postgraduate Exchange students are required to take at least one K2 course each semester.</p>
Department of Taiwanese Literature	V	V	<p>Undergraduate</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Applicants are required to submit Taiwanese or Chinese proficiency certificates (equivalent to CEFR B1). 2. Applicants, who have taken Taiwanese or Chinese language classes, will have priority during evaluation. 3. Autobiography and study plan in Taiwanese or Chinese are required. <p>Postgraduate</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Applicants are required to submit Taiwanese, Chinese or English proficiency certificates (equivalent to CEFR B1). 2. Applicants, who have taken Taiwanese, Chinese or English language classes, will have priority during evaluation. 3. Autobiography and study plan in Taiwanese, Chinese or English are required. 	<p>Most courses are instructed in Chinese.</p>

Institute of Archaeology	V	V	Master's Only 1. Applicants are required to submit a Chinese proficiency certificate (equivalent to TOCFL A2) and an English proficiency certificate (equivalent to CEFR B1). 2. Autobiography and study plan in English or Chinese are required. The content should include academic specialization, motivation, knowledge of the institute, and study plan for the exchange period at NCKU. 3. Two Recommendation Letters. 4. An average GPA of 3.0 or above is required.	Most courses are instructed in Chinese. Must take at least one course of the institute.
MA Program in Drama	V	V	Master's Only 1. Applicants from non-Chinese speaking countries are required to submit a Chinese proficiency certificate (equivalent to TOCFL A2). 2. Autobiography and study plan in Chinese are required. 3. An average GPA of 3.0 or above is required.	All courses are instructed in Chinese. Must take at least one course of the department.
Institute of Art Studies	V	V	Postgraduate (Students from China may not apply for) 1. Applicants from non-Chinese speaking countries are required to submit a Chinese proficiency certificate (equivalent to TOCFL A2). 2. Autobiography and study plan in Chinese are required. 3. An average GPA of 3.0 or above is required.	All courses are instructed in Chinese. Must take at least one course of the department.

College of Science

Department	Fall Semester	Spring Semester	Departmental Requirements	Course
Undergraduate: Department of Mathematics Postgraduate: Department of Applied Mathematics	V	V	Undergraduate and Postgraduate (Students from China may not apply for) 1. Applicants from non-Chinese or non-English speaking countries are required to submit a Chinese or English proficiency certificate (equivalent to CEFR B2). 2. Recommendation letters and Education certificates are required. 3. An average GPA of 3.0 or above is required.	Most teaching materials are in English but are taught in Chinese. Must take at least one required or elective core course of the department.
Department of Chemistry	V	V	Postgraduate 1. Applicants are required to submit a Chinese proficiency certificate of or above TOCFL A2. 2. Applicants from non-English speaking countries are required to submit English proficiency certificates (equivalent to CEFR B2). 3. Two recommendation letters are required. 4. An average GPA of 4.0 or above is required.	Most courses are instructed in Chinese. Must take at least one course of the department.
Department of Physics	V	V	Undergraduate (Students from China may not apply for) 1. Applicants are required to submit a Chinese proficiency certificate of or above TOCFL Level 3 or HSK Level 5. 2. Two recommendation letters are required. 3. An average GPA of 3.0 or above is required. Postgraduate (Students from China may not apply for) 1. Applicants from non-English speaking countries are required to submit an English proficiency certificate (e.g., TOEFL, TOEIC, IELTS, or equivalent to CEFR B2) taken within the past two years. Alternatively, applicants who have studied and obtained degrees from English-speaking countries may submit their diplomas as proof of English language proficiency. 2. Two recommendation letters are required. 3. An average GPA of 3.0 or above is required.	Undergraduate All courses are offered in Chinese. Postgraduate All courses are offered in English. Must take at least one course of the institute.

Department of Earth Sciences	V	V	Undergraduate and Postgraduate <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Applicants from non-English speaking countries are required to submit English proficiency certificates (equivalent to CEFR B2). 2. An average GPA of 3.0 or above is required. 	Unlimited
Department of Photonics	V	V	Undergraduate and Postgraduate <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Applicants from non-English speaking countries are required to submit English proficiency certificates (equivalent to CEFR B2). 2. Applicants from non-Chinese speaking countries are required to submit a Chinese proficiency certificate of or above TOCFL A2. 3. Applicants for Master's and Ph.D. programs are required to submit an acceptance letter from the department's supervisor. The form can be downloaded from the department's website. 4. An average GPA of 3.0 or above is required. 	Unlimited
Institute of Space and Plasma Sciences	V	V	Master's Only (Students from China may not apply for)	Most courses are instructed in English. Must take at least one course of the institute.

College of Engineering

Department	Fall Semester	Spring Semester	Departmental Requirements	Course
Department of Mechanical Engineering	V	V	Undergraduate & Postgraduate (Students from China may not apply for) 1. Applicants from non-Chinese or non-English speaking countries are required to submit a Chinese (TOCFL A2) or English proficiency certificate (equivalent to CEFR B2). 2. Two recommendation letters are required. 3. An average GPA of 3.0 or above is required.	Most courses are instructed in Chinese. Must take at least one course of the institute.
Department of Chemical Engineering	V	V	Undergraduate 1. Applicants are required to submit a Chinese proficiency certificate (TOCFL Level 2, HSK Level 4) or proof of learning Chinese for at least one year. 2. A recommendation letter is required. Postgraduate 1. Applicants from non-English speaking countries are required to submit English proficiency certificates (TOEFL, TOEIC, IELTS) or transcripts of English-taught courses. 2. A recommendation letter is required.	Undergraduate All courses are instructed in Chinese. Applicants should have sufficient Chinese skills. Must take at least one course of the institute. Postgraduate Some professional courses are taught in English. Must take at least one course of the institute.
Department of Civil Engineering	V	V	Unlimited	Undergraduate All courses are instructed in Chinese. Must take at least one course of the institute. Postgraduate Half of the courses are taught in English. Must take at least one course of the institute.
Master of the International Institute of Medical Device Innovation (MDI)	V	V	Master's Only (Students from China may not apply for) 1. Applicants are required to submit English proficiency certificates (IELTS, TOEFL, TOEIC, equivalent to CEFR B2). 2. Two recommendation letters are required.	All courses are instructed in English. Must take at least one course of the Institute.

Department of Materials Science & Engineering	V	V	Undergraduate & Postgraduate 1. Applicants from non-English speaking countries are required to submit English proficiency certificates (TOEIC, TOEFL, IELTS). 2. Applicants from non-Chinese speaking countries are required to submit a Chinese proficiency certificate of or above HSK Level 3 or TOCFL Level 3. 3. Two recommendation letters are required. 4. An average GPA of 3.0 or above is required.	Most courses are instructed in Chinese. Must take at least one course of the department/institute.
Department of Hydraulic & Ocean Engineering	V	V	Postgraduate Only (Students from China may not apply for) 1. Applicants from non-English speaking countries are required to submit English proficiency certificates (TOEFL, TOEIC, IELTS, equivalent to CEFR B2). 2. A recommendation letter is required.	Most courses are instructed in English.
Department of Engineering Science	V	V	Undergraduate & Postgraduate 1. A recommendation letter is required. 2. An average GPA of 2.5 or above is required.	Most courses are instructed in Chinese.
Department of Systems & Navel Mechatronic Engineering	V	V	Undergraduate (Students from China may not apply for) 1. Applicants from non-English speaking countries are required to submit English proficiency certificates (TOEFL, TOEIC, IELTS). 2. A recommendation letter is required. 3. An average GPA of 3.0 or above is required. Postgraduate (Students from China may not apply for) 1. Applicants from non-English speaking countries are required to submit English proficiency certificates (TOEFL, TOEIC, IELTS). 2. A recommendation letter is required. 3. Applicants for Master's and Ph.D programs are required to submit a consent letter from the department's supervisor. 4. An average GPA of 3.0 or above is required.	Undergraduate All courses are instructed in Chinese. Postgraduate Most courses are instructed in Chinese. Must take at least one course of the department/institute.

Department of Aeronautics & Astronautics	V	V	Undergraduate & Postgraduate (Students from China may not apply for) 1. Applicants from non-English speaking countries are required to submit English proficiency certificates (TOEFL, TOEIC, IELTS, equivalent to CEFR B1). 2. Applicants from non-Chinese speaking countries are required to submit a Chinese proficiency certificate of or above HSK Level 3 or TOCFL Level 2. 3. Two recommendation letters are required. 4. An average GPA of 2.5 or above is required.	Undergraduate Most courses are instructed in Chinese. Must take at least one course of the department/institute. Postgraduate Some of the courses are conducted in English. Must take at least one course of the department/institute.
Department of Resources Engineering	V	V	Undergraduate (Students from China may not apply for) 1. Applicants from non-English speaking countries are required to submit English proficiency certificates (TOEFL, TOEIC, IELTS, equivalent to CEFR B2). 2. Applicants are required to submit a Chinese proficiency certificate of or above HSK Level 7 or TOCFL Level 4. 3. Two recommendation letters are required. 4. Professional achievements or any other documents that would be advantageous for the application review. 5. An average GPA of 3.0 or above is required. Postgraduate (Students from China may not apply for) 1. Applicants from non-English speaking countries are required to submit English proficiency certificates (TOEFL, TOEIC, IELTS, equivalent to CEFR B2). 2. Two recommendation letters are required. 3. Professional achievements or any other documents that would be advantageous for the application review. 4. An average GPA of 3.0 or above is required.	Most courses are instructed in Chinese. Must take at least one course of the department/institute.

Department of Environmental Engineering	V	V	<p>Undergraduate</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Applicants from non-English speaking countries are required to submit English proficiency certificates (TOEFL, TOEIC, IELTS, equivalent to CEFR B1). 2. Applicants from non-Chinese speaking countries are required to submit a Chinese proficiency certificate of or above HSK Level 4 or TOCFL Level 2. 3. Professional achievements or other supporting documents will be a plus. <p>Postgraduate</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Applicants from non-English speaking countries are required to submit English proficiency certificates (TOEFL, TOEIC, IELTS, equivalent to CEFR B2). 2. Applicants for the Ph.D. program should submit their thesis copies or other related publications. 3. Professional achievements or other supporting documents will be a plus. 	<p>Undergraduate Most courses are instructed in Chinese.</p> <p>Postgraduate Most courses are instructed in English.</p> <p>Must take at least one course of the Department.</p>
Department of Biomedical Engineering	V	V	<p>Undergraduate (Students from China may not apply for)</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Applicants are required to submit English proficiency certificates (TOEFL, TOEIC, IELTS, equivalent to CEFR B2). 2. Applicants are required to submit a Chinese proficiency certificate (TOCFL Level2). 3. Two recommendation letters are required. <p>Postgraduate (Students from China may not apply for)</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Applicants are required to submit English proficiency certificates (TOEFL, TOEIC, IELTS, equivalent to CEFR B2). 2. Two recommendation letters are required. 	<p>Undergraduate Most courses are instructed in Chinese.</p> <p>Postgraduate Most courses are instructed in English.</p> <p>Must take at least one course of the Department.</p>

Department of Geomatics	V	V	<p>Undergraduate (Students from China may not apply for) Applicants from non-Chinese speaking countries are required to submit a Chinese proficiency certificate of or above HSK Level 4 or TOCFL Level 2, equivalent to CEFR A2.</p> <p>Postgraduate (Students from China may not apply for) Applicants from non-English speaking countries are required to submit an English proficiency certificate (TOEFL, TOEIC, IELTS) which was taken within three years.</p>	<p>Undergraduate Most of the courses are instructed in Chinese. Must take at least one course of the Department.</p> <p>Postgraduate All courses are instructed in English.</p>
Institute of Ocean Technology & Marine Affairs	V	V	<p>Postgraduate</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Applicants are required to submit English proficiency certificates (TOEFL, TOEIC, IELTS). 2. Applicants are required to submit a Chinese proficiency certificate (equivalent to CEFR B1). 3. Two recommendation letters are required. 4. Applicants for the Ph.D. program should submit their thesis copies or other related publications. 5. An average GPA of 2.5 or above is required. 	Must take at least two courses of the Department.
International Degree Program on Energy Engineering	V	V	<p>Undergraduate & Postgraduate (Students from China may not apply for)</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Applicants from non-English speaking countries are required to submit English proficiency certificates (equivalent to CEFR B2). 2. Two recommendation letters are required. 3. An average GPA of 2.5 or above is required. 	<p>Undergraduate & Postgraduate: All courses are instructed in English.</p> <p>Must take at least one course of the Department.</p>
International Master Program on Natural Hazards Mitigation and Management	V	V	<p>Master's Only (Students from China may not apply for)</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Applicants from non-English speaking countries are required to submit English proficiency certificates (IELTS, TOEFL, TOEIC, equivalent to CEFR B2). 2. One recommendation letter is required. 	All courses are instructed in English.
International Curriculum for Advanced Materials Program (iCAMP)	X	X		

College of Management

Department	Fall Semester	Spring Semester	Departmental Requirements	Course
Department of Accountancy	V	V	Undergraduate & Postgraduate (Students from China may not apply for) 1. Applicants from non-English speaking countries are required to submit English proficiency certificates (IELTS, TOEFL, TOEIC, equivalent to CEFR B1). Applicants from non-Chinese speaking countries are required to submit a Chinese proficiency certificate (equivalent to CEFR B1). 2. Autobiography in Chinese and English are required. 3. An average GPA of 3.0 or above is required.	Most courses are instructed in Chinese. Must take at least one course of the program. Students who wish to take courses of other departments or institutes must follow their policy. Exchange students from other departments can take courses with vacancies only.
Department of Statistics	V	V	Undergraduate & Masters Only (Students from China may not apply for) 1. Applicants from non-English speaking countries are required to submit English proficiency certificate (equivalent to CEFR B2). Applicants from non-Chinese speaking countries are required to submit a Chinese proficiency certificate (TOCFL, HSK, equivalent to CEFR B1). 2. One recommendation letter is required. 3. An average GPA of 3.0 or above is required.	Most courses are conducted in Chinese with the usage of English materials. All applicants are expected to have basic Chinese and English language skills. Must take at least one course of the institute.
Department of Transportation and Communication Management Science	V	V	Undergraduate & Postgraduate 1. Applicants are required to submit an English proficiency certificate (TOEFL iBT 69, TOEIC 630, IELTS 5.0) which was taken within two years. 2. Applicants are required to submit a Chinese proficiency certificate of or above HSK Level 7 or TOCFL Level 4. 3. Autobiography in Chinese and English are required. 4. For Chinese autobiography, please submit a handwritten autobiography (including a description of learning experience and motivation for application). 5. Transcripts should include the ranking in the class. 6. An average GPA of 3.0 or above is required.	Most courses are instructed in Chinese. Must take at least one course of the institute.

Institute of Telecommunications Management	V	V	Master's Only <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Applicants are required to submit an English proficiency certificate (TOEFL iBT 69, TOEIC 630, IELTS 5.0) which was taken within two years. 2. Applicants are required to submit a Chinese proficiency certificate of or above HSK Level 7 or TOCFL Level 4. 3. Autobiography in Chinese and English are required. 4. For Chinese autobiography, please submit a handwritten autobiography (including a description of learning experience and motivation for application). 5. Transcripts should include the ranking in the class. 6. An average GPA of 3.0 or above is required. 	<p>Most courses are instructed in Chinese.</p> <p>Must take at least one course of the institute.</p>
Institute of International Business	V	V	Master's Only <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Applicants are required to submit English proficiency certificates (IELTS, TOEFL, TOEIC). 2. An average GPA of 3.0 or above is required. 	<p>Most courses are instructed in English.</p> <p>Must take at least one course of the institute.</p>
Institute of Finance	V	V	Postgraduate (Students from China may not apply for) <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Applicants from non-English speaking countries are required to submit English proficiency certificates (IELTS, TOEFL, TOEIC, equivalent to CEFR B1). 2. Applicants from non-Chinese speaking countries are required to submit a Chinese proficiency certificate (equivalent to CEFR B1). 3. Autobiography in Chinese and English are required. 4. An average GPA of 3.0 or above is required. 	<p>Students who wish to take courses of other departments or institutes must follow their policy.</p> <p>Exchange students from other departments can take courses with vacancies only.</p> <p>Most courses are instructed in Chinese.</p> <p>Must take at least one course of the program.</p>
Institute of Physical Education, Health & Leisure Studies	V	X	Master's Only (Students from China may not apply for) <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Applicants are required to submit English proficiency certificates (TOEFL iBT 71, TOEFL CBT 197, TOEIC 600, IELTS 5.5). 2. Applicants are required to submit a Chinese proficiency certificate (TOCFL A2). 3. Autobiography in Chinese and English are required. 4. An average GPA of 3.0 or above is required. 	<p>Most courses are instructed in Chinese.</p> <p>Must take at least one course of the institute.</p>

Department of Industrial & Information Management	V	V	<p>Undergraduate (Students from China may not apply for)</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Applicants are required to submit English proficiency certificates (IELTS, TOEFL, TOEIC, equivalent to CEFR B1). 2. Applicants are required to submit a Chinese proficiency certificate (equivalent to CEFR B1). 3. Two recommendation letters are required. <p>Postgraduate (Students from China may not apply for)</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Applicants are required to submit English proficiency certificates (IELTS, TOEFL, TOEIC, equivalent to CEFR B1). 2. Priority will be given to applicants with Chinese language proficiency. 3. Two recommendation letters are required. 	<p>Undergraduate</p> <p>All courses are instructed in Chinese. Must take at least one course of the institute.</p> <p>Postgraduate</p> <p>Most courses are instructed in Chinese. Must take at least one course of the institute. Remote exchange applications are not accepted.</p>
Institute of Information Management	V	V	<p>Postgraduate (Students from China may not apply for)</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Applicants from non-English speaking countries are required to submit English proficiency certificates (IELTS, TOEFL, TOEIC, equivalent to CEFR B1). 2. Priority will be given to applicants with Chinese language proficiency. 3. Two recommendation letters are required. 	<p>Most courses are instructed in Chinese. Must take at least one course of the institute. Remote exchange applications are not accepted.</p>
Institute of Data Science	V	V	<p>Master's Only (Students from China may not apply for)</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Applicants from non-English speaking countries are required to submit English proficiency certificates (IELTS, TOEFL, TOEIC, equivalent to CEFR B2). 2. Applicants from non-Chinese speaking countries are required to submit a Chinese proficiency certificate (TOCFL, HSK, equivalent to CEFR B1). 3. A recommendation letter is required. 4. An average GPA of 3.0 or above is required. 	<p>Most courses are instructed in Chinese with the usage of English materials. All applicants are expected to have basic Chinese and English language skills. Must take at least one course of the institute.</p>
Institute of International Management (IMBA)	V	V	<p>Master's Only (Students from China may not apply for)</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Applicants are required to submit English proficiency certificates (IELTS 6.5, TOEFL iBT 80, TOEIC 785). 2. A recommendation letter is required. 3. An average GPA of 3.0 or above is required. 	<p>All courses are instructed in English. Students need to take at least a 1-day course (Mon.-Fri. 9:00~17:00) from IMBA during the exchange period (1 semester) in IMBA.</p>

Executive Master of Business Administration (EMBA)	X	X		
Advanced Master of Business Administration (AMBA)	X	X		
Doctor of Business Administration (DBA)	X	X		
Department of Business Administration	X	X		

College of Electrical Engineering and Computer Science

Department	Fall Semester	Spring Semester	Departmental Requirements	Course
Department of Electrical Engineering	V	V	Undergraduate Basic Chinese and English proficiency are required, in both listening and speaking. Postgraduate Basic Chinese and English proficiency are required, in both listening and speaking.	Most courses are instructed in Chinese. Must take at least one course of the department. (may be adjusted regarding actual situation)
Department of Computer Science & Information Engineering	V	V	Undergraduate (Students from China may not apply for) 1. Applicants from non-English speaking countries are required to submit English proficiency certificates (equivalent to CEFR B1). 2. An average GPA of 3.0 or above is required. Postgraduate (Students from China may not apply for) 1. Applicants from non-English speaking countries are required to submit English proficiency certificates. 2. Autobiography in Chinese and English are required. 3. Two recommendation letters are required.	Undergraduate & Postgraduate Most courses are instructed in Chinese. Must take at least one course of the department/institute.
Institute of Medical Informatics	V	V	Master's Only (Students from China may not apply for) 1. Applicants from non-English speaking countries are required to submit English or Chinese proficiency certificates. 2. Autobiography in English is required. 3. Two recommendation letters are required.	Most courses are instructed in Chinese. Must take at least one course of the institute.
Institute of Microelectronics	V	V	Postgraduate Basic Chinese and English proficiency are required, in both listening and speaking.	Most courses are instructed in Chinese. Must take at least one course of the institute.
Institute of Manufacturing Information and Systems	V	V	Postgraduate 1. Applicants from non-English speaking countries are required to submit English proficiency certificates. 2. Applicants are required to submit a Chinese proficiency certificate (TOCFL A2).	Most courses are instructed in Chinese. Must take at least one course of the institute.

Institute of Computer & Communication Engineering	V	V	Postgraduate Basic Chinese and English proficiency are required, in both listening and speaking.	Most courses are instructed in Chinese. Must take at least one course of the institute.
MS/PhD Degree Program on Nano-Integrated-Circuit Engineering	V	V	Postgraduate Basic Chinese and English proficiency are required, in both listening and speaking.	Most courses are instructed in Chinese. Must take at least one course of the program.
Graduate Program of Artificial Intelligence	V	V	Master's Only (Students from China may not apply for) 1. Applicants from non-English speaking countries are required to submit English or Chinese proficiency certificates. 2. Autobiography in English is required.	Most courses are instructed in Chinese. Must take at least one course of the institute.
Master Degree Program on Cyber-Security Intelligence	V	V	Master's Only (Students from China may not apply for) Basic Chinese and English proficiency are required, in both listening and speaking.	Most courses are instructed in Chinese. Must take at least one course of the program.

College of Social Sciences

Department	Fall Semester	Spring Semester	Departmental Requirements	Course
Department of Political Science	V	V	Undergraduate Only 1. Applicants from non-English speaking countries are required to submit English proficiency certificates (IELTS, TOEFL, TOEIC). 2. Applicants are required to submit a Chinese proficiency certificate (TOCFL, New HSK).	Most courses are instructed in Chinese. Must take at least one course of the department.
Department of Economics	V	V	Undergraduate & Master's 1. Applicants from non-English speaking countries are required to submit English proficiency certificates (IELTS, TOEFL, TOEIC). 2. Applicants are required to submit a Chinese proficiency certificate.	Most courses are instructed in Chinese. Must take at least one course of the department.
Department of Law	V	V	Undergraduate & Postgraduate 1. Applicants from non-English speaking countries are required to submit English proficiency certificates (IELTS, TOEFL, TOEIC). 2. Two recommendation letters are required.	Most courses are instructed in Chinese. Must take at least one course of the department.
Department of Psychology	V	V	Undergraduate & Postgraduate (Students from China may not apply for) Applicants are required to submit a Chinese proficiency certificate (equivalent to CEFR B1).	Most courses are instructed in Chinese. Must take at least one course of the department.
Institute of Education	V	X	Postgraduate 1. Applicants are required to submit a Chinese proficiency certificate (TOCFL Level 2). 2. Two recommendation letters are required.	Most courses are instructed in Chinese. Must take at least one course of the institute.

College of Planning and Design

Department	Fall Semester	Spring Semester	Departmental Requirements	Course
Department of Architecture	V	V	Undergraduate & Masters Only 1. Applicants are required to submit either an English proficiency certificate (equivalent to CEFR B2) or a Chinese proficiency certificate (equivalent to CEFR A2). 2. Two recommendation letters are required. 3. An average GPA of 3.0 or above is required.	Most courses are instructed in Chinese. Must take at least one course of the institute.
Department of Industrial Design	V	V	Undergraduate & Postgraduate 1. Applicants from non-English speaking countries are required to submit English proficiency certificates (IELTS, TOEFL, TOEIC, equivalent to CEFR B2). 2. Applicants have to be proficient in Chinese reading and writing. 3. A portfolio of work is required. (If a particular piece/project is a collaborative work, state your contribution and the number of the team members.)	Most courses are instructed in Chinese. Must take at least one course of the department.
Institute of Creative Industries Design	V	V	Master's Only (Students from China may not apply for) 1. Applicants from non-English speaking countries are required to submit an English proficiency certificate (equivalent to CEFR B2) which was taken within two years. 2. A portfolio of work and A recommendation letter are required. 3. An average GPA of 3.0 or above is required.	All courses are instructed in English. Must take at least one course of the institute.
Master Program on Techno Art	X	X		

Department of Urban Planning	V	V	<p>Undergraduate</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. It is suggested that non-native speakers of Chinese or English can submit English proficiency certificates to facilitate the review process. Applicants who have studied in English-speaking countries can submit certified documents or diplomas instead. 2. Applicants from non-Chinese speaking countries are required to submit (1) Chinese proficiency certificate (TOCFL A3, HSK Level 5, equivalent to CEFR B1), (2) Autobiography handwritten in Chinese, and (3) a certificate of Chinese language classes. 3. Two recommendation letters are required. 4. An average GPA of 2.5 or above is required. <p>Postgraduate</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Non-native speakers of Chinese or English shall submit EITHER Chinese OR English proficiency certificates. <ol style="list-style-type: none"> (1) Chinese proficiency certificates: Chinese handwritten autobiography, Chinese proficiency certificate (TOCFL Level 3, HSK Level 5, equivalent to CEFR B1), and Certificate of Chinese language classes. (2) English proficiency certificates: English proficiency certificate (equivalent to CEFR B2) or Applicants who have studied and obtained degrees in English-speaking countries, such as Australia, Canada, the United Kingdom, Ireland, New Zealand, South Africa, or the United States of America, can submit their diplomas as proof of English language proficiency. 2. Two recommendation letters are required. 3. A consent letter from a department faculty member agreeing to be their advisor during the exchange period is required for those seeking exemption from the course requirement. 4. An average GPA of 3.0 or above is required. 	<p>Undergraduate</p> <p>Most courses are instructed in Chinese. Must take at least one course in the department each semester.</p> <p>Postgraduate</p> <p>Must take at least one course in the department each semester OR have a consent letter offered by the department faculty to be their advisor during the exchange period.</p>
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College of Bioscience & Biotechnology

Department	Fall Semester	Spring Semester	Departmental Requirements	Course
Department of Life Sciences	V	V	<p>Undergraduate (Students from China may not apply for) Applicants from non-English speaking countries are required to submit English proficiency certificates (equivalent to CEFR B1) or Applicants who have studied and obtained degrees in English-speaking countries, can submit their diplomas as proof of English language proficiency.</p> <p>Postgraduate (Students from China may not apply for) Applicants from non-English speaking countries are required to submit English proficiency certificates (equivalent to CEFR B2) or Applicants who have studied and obtained degrees in English-speaking countries, can submit their diplomas as proof of English language proficiency.</p>	<p>Undergraduate Most courses are instructed in Chinese. Must take at least one course of the department.</p> <p>Postgraduate Most courses are instructed in English. Must take at least one course of the department.</p>
Department of Biotechnology and Bioindustry Sciences	V	V	<p>Undergraduate (Students from China may not apply for) Applicants from non-English speaking countries are required to submit English proficiency certificates (TOEIC, IELTS, TOEFL).</p> <p>Postgraduate (Students from China may not apply for) Applicants from non-English speaking countries are required to submit English proficiency certificates (TOEIC, IELTS, TOEFL). A previous research record(optional) and a future research plan are required.</p>	<p>Undergraduate Half of the courses are instructed in English. Must take at least two courses of the department.</p> <p>Postgraduate Most courses are instructed in English. Must take at least two courses of the department.</p>
Institute of Tropical Plant Sciences and Microbiology	V	V	<p>Master's Only (Students from China may not apply for)</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> Applicants from non-English speaking countries are required to submit English proficiency certificates (TOEIC, IELTS, TOEFL). A statement about previous research record and One-page future research plan are required. 	<p>Most courses are instructed in English.</p>

AS Graduate Program in Translational Agricultural Sciences	V	V	<p>Ph.D. Only (Students from China may not apply for)</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none">1. Applicants from non-English speaking countries are required to submit English proficiency certificates (TOEIC, IELTS, TOEFL, equivalent to CEFR B2).2. Past research experience and summary of future research plans are required.3. Applicants are required to submit a consent document from the department's supervisor.	All Courses are instructed in English. Lab rotation.
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College of Medicine

Department	Fall Semester	Spring Semester	Departmental Requirements	Course
Department of Cell Biology and Anatomy	V	V	Master's Only 1. Applicants from non-English speaking countries are required to submit English proficiency certificate (IELTS 5.5, TOFEL ITP 527, TOEFL iBT 72, TOEIC 785) or Applicants who have studied and obtained degrees in English-speaking countries, can submit their diplomas as proof of English language proficiency. 2. Three recommendation letters are required.	Most courses are instructed in English. Must take seminar courses at the Institute. Course taking has to be consulted with the assigned advisor of the Institute after acceptance.
Department of Physiology	V	X	Master's Only (Students from China may not apply for) 1. Applicants are required to submit an English proficiency certificate (TOEIC 785). 2. Applicants are required to submit a Chinese proficiency certificate (equivalent to CEFR B1). 3. Research Project and three recommendation letters are required. 4. An average GPA of 3.0 or above is required. 5. Biomedical related background is required.	Most courses are instructed in English.
Department of Pharmacology	V	X	Master's Only 1. Applicants from non-English speaking countries are required to submit English proficiency certificates (TOEIC 650, IELTS, TOEFL) taken within two years. 2. Basic Chinese proficiency is required. 3. Applicants should have a biomedical background. 4. Two recommendation letters are required.	Most courses are instructed in Chinese.
Department of Food Safety/Hygiene and Risk Management	V	V	Master's Only (Students from China may not apply for) Applicants from non-English speaking countries are required to submit an English proficiency certificate (TOEIC 650).	Most courses are instructed in Chinese.

Department of Public Health	V	V	Undergraduate and Postgraduate (Students from China may not apply for) 1. Applicants from non-English speaking countries are required to submit English proficiency certificate (IELTS 5.5, TOFEL ITP 530, TOEFL CBT 197, TOEFL iBT 72, TOEIC 785) or Applicants who have studied and obtained degrees in English-speaking countries, can submit their diplomas as proof of English language proficiency. 2. Two recommendation letters are required (Signed by the recommender). 3. An average GPA of 3.0 or above is required.	Undergraduate All courses are instructed in English. Postgraduate Most courses are instructed in Chinese.
Department of Environmental and Occupational Health	V	X	Postgraduate only 1. Applicants from non-English speaking countries are required to submit English proficiency certificates (TOEIC, IELTS, TOEFL). 2. Basic Chinese proficiency is required. 3. Two recommendation letters and Other supporting documents, such as awards, honors, or publications are required.	Most courses are instructed in Chinese. Students should consult with their advisors about courses taken in NCKU.
Department of Nursing	V	V	Undergraduate Applicants are required to submit a Chinese proficiency certificate (equivalent to CEFR B1). Postgraduate 1. Applicants from non-English speaking countries are required to submit English proficiency certificates (IELTS 5.5, TOEFL ITP 527, TOEFL iBT 79, TOEFL CBT 193). 2. Bachelor of Nursing Graduate Certificate.	Undergraduate A telephone interview is required (students must provide a contact number to facilitate the interview). Most courses are instructed in Chinese. Postgraduate Bachelor's Degree in Nursing required. Most courses are instructed in English.

Department of Physical Therapy	V	V	<p>Undergraduate (Students from China may not apply for)</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Applicants from non-English speaking countries are required to submit English proficiency certificates (IELTS 5.5, TOEFL ITP 530, TOEFL CBT 197, TOEIC 750). 2. Applicants are required to submit a Chinese proficiency certificate (TOCFL Level 3). 3. Autobiography in Chinese and English are required. 4. Two recommendation letters (Signed by the recommender) are required. <p>Master's (Students from China may not apply for)</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Applicants from non-English speaking countries are required to submit English proficiency certificates (IELTS 5.5, TOEFL ITP 530, TOEFL CBT 197, TOEIC 750). 2. Autobiography in Chinese and English are required. 3. Two recommendation letters (Signed by the recommender) are required. 	<p>Undergraduate</p> <p>Most courses are instructed in Chinese. Must take a minimum of 6 credits within the department per semester.</p> <p>Master's</p> <p>Most courses are instructed in Chinese. Must take at least two courses of the department. Must choose Physical Therapy Seminar and one of the following discussion courses:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> (1) Independent Study in Orthopedic Physical Therapy (2) Independent Study in Cardiopulmonary Physical Therapy (3) Seminar for Pediatric Physical Therapy (4) Independent Study in Neurological Physical Therapy
Department of Occupational Therapy	V	V	<p>Undergraduate</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Applicants from non-English speaking countries are required to submit English proficiency certificates (equivalent to CEFR B2). 2. Applicants are required to submit a Chinese proficiency certificate (TOCFL Level 2, HSK Level 4). <p>Master's</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Applicants from non-English speaking countries are required to submit English proficiency certificates (equivalent to CEFR B2). 2. Applicants are required to submit a Chinese proficiency certificate (TOCFL Level 2, HSK Level 4). 3. Applicants are required to submit a consent letter from the department's supervisor. 	<p>Undergraduate</p> <p>Most courses are instructed in Chinese. Must take at least two courses of the department.</p> <p>Master's</p> <p>Most courses are instructed in Chinese. Must take at least one course of the institute.</p>

Department of Medical Laboratory Science & Biotechnology	V	V	<p>Undergraduate (Students from China may not apply for)</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Applicants from non-English speaking countries are required to submit English proficiency certificates (TOEFL, TOEIC, IELTS). 2. Applicants from non-Chinese speaking countries are required to submit a Chinese proficiency certificate (TOCFL). <p>Master's</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Applicants from non-English speaking countries are required to submit English proficiency certificates (TOEFL, TOEIC, IELTS). 2. Applicants from non-Chinese speaking countries are required to submit a Chinese proficiency certificate (TOCFL). 	<p>Undergraduate</p> <p>Most courses are instructed in Chinese.</p> <p>Must take at least one course of the department.</p> <p>Master's</p> <p>Most courses are instructed in Chinese.</p> <p>Must take at least one course of the department.</p>
Institute of Behavioral Medicine	V	V	<p>Postgraduate (Students from China may not apply for)</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Applicants from non-English speaking countries are required to submit English proficiency certificates (IELTS, TOEFL, TOEIC). 2. Applicants from non-Chinese speaking countries are required to submit a Chinese proficiency certificate (TOCFL, HSK). 	<p>All courses are instructed in Chinese.</p> <p>Institute will interview applicants for further confirmation.</p>
Institute of Clinical Medicine	V	V	<p>Postgraduate (Students from China may not apply for)</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Applicants from non-English speaking countries are required to submit English proficiency certificate (IELTS 5.5, TOEFL iTP 530, TOEFL CBT 197, TOEFL iBT 72, TOEIC 750) or Applicants who have studied and obtained degrees in English-speaking countries, can submit their diplomas as proof of English language proficiency. 2. Basic Chinese communication proficiency is required (relative certificate will be preferred). 3. A research plan (not exceeding 2000 words), Two recommendation letters (Signed by the recommender), and other supporting documents are required. 4. An average GPA of 3.0 or above is required. 	<p>Students should consult with their advisors about courses taken in NCKU.</p> <p>Must take a seminar course at the Institute.</p> <p>Sufficient English courses to satisfy the graduation requirements.</p>

Institute of Gerontology	V	V	Master's Only (Students from China may not apply for) 1. Applicants from non-English speaking countries are required to submit English proficiency certificates (IELTS, TOEFL, TOEIC) or Applicants who have studied and obtained degrees in English-speaking countries, can submit their diplomas as proof of English language proficiency. 2. Applicants are required to submit a Chinese language certificate (TOCFL Level 3, HSK Level 5). Records of taking Chinese language courses and Chinese language certificates are preferred. 3. Autobiography in Chinese and English are required. 4. A research plan regarding Gerontology (including issue, motivation, problem, plan, and no more than 2 pages) and Three recommendation letters are required. 5. An average GPA of 3.5 or above is required.	Most courses are instructed in Chinese. Must take at least two courses of the department. Students have to take a RESEARCH SEMINAR of the institute each semester (0 credit).
Department of Biochemistry and Molecular Biology	X	X		
Department of Microbiology and Immunology	X	X		
School of Pharmacy	X	X		
School of Dentistry	X	X		
Institute of Clinical Pharmacy and Pharmaceutical Sciences	X	X		
Institute of Basic Medical Sciences	X	X		
Institute of Molecular Medicine	X	X		

Institute of Oral Medicine	X	X		
Institute Allied Health Sciences	X	X		

Academy of Innovative Semiconductor and Sustainable Manufacturing

Department	Fall Semester	Spring Semester	Departmental Requirements	Course
Program on Integrated Circuit Design	V	V	Postgraduate Only (Students from China may not apply for) 1. Applicants from non-English speaking countries are required to submit English proficiency certificates (TOEFL iBT, IELTS, TOEIC). 2. Two recommendation letters are required.	Must take at least one course (3 credits) of the program.
Program on Semiconductor Technology	V	V	Postgraduate Only (Students from China may not apply for) 1. Applicants from non-English speaking countries are required to submit an English proficiency certificate (TOEFL iBT, IELTS, TOEIC). 2. Two recommendation letters are required.	Most courses are instructed in Chinese. Must take at least one course (3 credits) of the program.
Program on Semiconductor Packaging and Testing	V	V	Postgraduate Only (Students from China may not apply for) 1. Applicants from non-English speaking countries are required to submit an English or Chinese proficiency certificate equivalent to CEFR B1 Level. 2. Thesis research applicants should contact a program professor aligned with their research interests to obtain a consent document for joining their lab (via email), and submit it with their application. 3. An average GPA of 2.5 or above is required.	Most courses are instructed in Chinese.
Program on Key Materials	V	V	Postgraduate Only (Students from China may not apply for) 1. Applicants from non-English speaking countries are required to submit an English or Chinese proficiency certificate (TOEFL, TOEIC, IELTS). 2. Basic Chinese proficiency is required. 3. Thesis research applicants should contact a program professor aligned with their research interests to obtain a consent document for joining their lab (via email), and submit it with their application. 4. An average GPA of 2.5 or above is required.	Most courses are instructed in Chinese. Must take at least one course of the program.

Program on Smart and Sustainable Manufacturing	V	V	<p>Postgraduate Only (Students from China may not apply for)</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none">1. Applicants from non-English speaking countries are required to submit an English or Chinese proficiency certificate (TOEFL, TOEIC, IELTS, equivalent to CEFR B1).2. Basic Chinese proficiency is required.3. Thesis research applicants should contact a program professor aligned with their research interests to obtain a consent document for joining their lab (via email), and submit it with their application.4. An average GPA of 2.5 or above is required.	Most courses are instructed in Chinese.
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Miin Wu School of Computing

Department	Fall Semester	Spring Semester	Departmental Requirements	Course
MS Degree Program on Intelligent Technology Systems	V	V	Master's Only (Students from China may not apply for) 1. Applicants are required to submit an English proficiency certificate (TOEFL, TOEIC, IELTS). 2. Applicants are required to submit a Chinese language certificate (TOCFL Level 2).	Most courses are instructed in Chinese. Must take at least one course of the program.
Master Degree in Intelligent Computing	V	V	Master's Only (Students from China may not apply for) 1. Applicants are required to submit an English proficiency certificate (TOEFL, TOEIC, IELTS). 2. Applicants are required to submit a Chinese language certificate (TOCFL Level 2).	Most courses are instructed in Chinese. Must take at least one course of the program.
Intelligent Computing Industrial Doctorate Program	V	V	Master's Only (Students from China may not apply for) 1. Applicants are required to submit an English proficiency certificate (TOEFL, TOEIC, IELTS). 2. Applicants are required to submit a Chinese language certificate (TOCFL Level 2).	Most courses are instructed in Chinese. Must take at least one course of the program.