

Taipei Representative Office Press Release

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Taipei Representative Office in Greece will begin to accept Huayu Enrichment Scholarship applications from Feb. 1 to March 31, 2015

To encourage international students to undertake Huayu (Mandarin) courses in the Republic of China (Taiwan); in order to provide them with opportunities to increase their understanding of Taiwanese culture and society, and to promote mutual understanding and interactions between Taiwan and the international community, Taiwan's Ministry of Education has established the Huayu Enrichment Scholarship program.

Each recipient will be awarded a monthly stipend of 25,000 NTD. Huayu Enrichment courses will include a summer term (June and July or July and August), along with short term classes, which may last 3, 6 or 9 months to a year respectively.

International applicants above the age of 18, who possess a high school diploma or above, have shown excellent academic performance, and are of good moral character are eligible.

Applicants need to submit the following documents to local embassies or missions between February 1st and March 31st:

- a. An application form.
- b. A photocopy of his/her passport or any other documents that can verify the nationality of the applicant.
- c. A photocopy of the certificate of the highest credential and transcript.
- d. A photocopy of the applications to an accredited Mandarin Language Center in Taiwan.
- e. Other documents required by local embassies or missions.

For guidelines and application form, please logon to <http://taiwanscholarship.moe.gov.tw>. Please direct your enquiries via email: taipeigrece@gmail.com.

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Taipei Representative Office in Greece will begin to accept Taiwan Scholarship applications from Feb. 1 to March 31, 2015

To encourage outstanding international students to undertake degree studies in Taiwan so as to familiarize themselves with the academic environment in Taiwan and promote communication, understanding and friendship between Taiwan and countries around the world, Taiwan's Ministry of Education (MOE) establishes the Taiwan Scholarship Program, awarding each recipient tuition and payment of academic fees and subsistence allowance.

The maximum period of each scholarship is four years for undergraduate programs, two years for master programs, and four years for doctorate programs.

Applicants must be a foreign national with a high-school diploma or post-secondary degree(s), with an excellent academic record..

Applicants should send the following document within the period specified enclosed to the nearest Taiwan Embassy or Representative Office in their country:

- (i) Taiwan Scholarship Application Form (attachment)
- (ii) A copy of the applicant's passport or other nationality certificates.
- (iii) A copy of the highest degree and academic transcripts. Documents in a language other than Chinese or English must be translated into Chinese or English and the translated documents must be authenticated.
- (iv) A copy of admission application materials to universities/colleges in Taiwan (e.g., copies of application fee remittance, application form, receipt of application from universities/colleges, e-mails, etc.)
- (v) A copy of a language proficiency certificate.
- (vi) Two reference letters from principals, professors or supervisors, signed and sealed in envelopes.

For program guideline and application form, please logon to <http://taiwanscholarship.oe.gov.tw>.

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The Taipei Representative Office in Greece will begin accepting applications from Greece, Bulgaria and Cyprus, from February 1st through March 31st, 2015. For inquiries, please send email to taipeigreece@gmail.com.

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