# UNIVERSITY OF NIGERIA, NSUKKA STUDENT AFFAIRS DEPARTMENT

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To: The Dean Of Faculties,	From: The Dean,
	Student Affairs Department
Our Ref: UN/DSA/5A/Vol.	Date: 10 <sup>th</sup> March, 2023

### Subject:

# Notice for Scholarship:

With reference to the letter from the Ministry of Education, Republic of China (Taiwan) dated 9<sup>th</sup> February, 2023 offering the students of University of Nigeria, Nsukka and Enugu Campus scholarship on various field of study with the underlisted Universities in (Taiwan) China, specifically to pursue their first degree courses for four (4) years, Masters Degree and PHD programs.

All the interested students are through this medium **NOTIFIED** to collect the Scholarship forms from the Co-ordinator, Scholarship Unit office, Student Affairs Department, University of Nigeria, Nsukka.

Enclosed herein is a copy of the Scholarship invitation letter directed to the Dean, Student Affairs Department and other relevant documents for more highlights on the Scholarship program.

**NOTE:** All the completed/submitted forms shall leave the Dean's office on 3<sup>rd</sup> April, 2023.

Professor Edwin O. Omeje Dean of Students

cc: Vice Chancellor Deputy Vice Chancellor, Academics Deputy Vice Chancellor, UNEC. Public Relation Officer Director ICT Student Union Govt.

# Taipei Trade Office in the Federal Republic of Nigeria No. 23A, Thompson Avenue, Ikoyi, Lagos Email: nga@mofa.gov.tw Mobile: 01-4538935

# Ref. No. NGA/009/023/LAG

Professor Edwin O. Omeje Dean Student Affairs Division University of Nigeria Nsukka, Enugu State

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Dear Prof.,

# APPLICATION FOR THE 2023 TAIWAN SCHOLARSHIP PROGRAM

We are writing to introduce to your institution the 2023 Taiwan Scholarship Program and Huayu enrichment scholarship program. These scholarship programs are granted by the Ministry of Education (MOE) in Taiwan to encourage outstanding Nigerian students to undertake degree programs and study Mandarin Chinese Language in universities or college-affiliated mandarin centers in Taiwan. The scholarship aims at promoting bilateral academic relations between Taiwan and Nigeria and also encourage international students and individuals to study the Mandarin Chinese language and Taiwan's culture.

The 2023 Taiwan Scholarship will be open for application until 5 April 2023. Interested applicants are advised to visit: <u>https://www.roc-taiwan.org/ng\_en/post/5280.html</u> and <u>https://www.roc-taiwan.org/ng\_en/post/5288.html</u> to view the requirements and submit the required documents to the Taipei Trade Office in Nigeria by post.

Kindly find attached the 2023 Taiwan Scholarship Program Introduction Slips. Please feel free to contact our office (Tel: 01-4538935) for further inquiries or clarifications.

While looking forward to your response, I wish to avail myself of this opportunity to express to you the assurances of my highest consideration.

Sincerely

LIU, Yih-Ping Andy Representative



### 2023 Taiwan Scholarship Program

### I. Main Purpose

The Taiwan Scholarship is granted by the Ministry of Education (MOE) to encourage outstanding Nigeria students (excluding students from Mainland China, Hong Kong, and Macau) to undertake degree programs in Taiwan. It offers study opportunities for a wide range of disciplines at universities in Taiwan. This program also aims at promoting people-to-people relationship between Nigeria and Taiwan, and increasing bilateral academic and educational links of higher learning as well. Likewise, focal point of the program is to develop outstanding and prospective professionals and experts to meet the needs in a global village.

#### II. Scholarship Grant

a. Tuition and related fees:

The MOE will provide each recipient with tuition fees for up to NTD\$40,000 (approximately US\$1,333)per semester. If the total exceeds NTD\$40,000, the remaining amount must be paid to the university/college by the student. Tuition and academic fees do not include any of the following: administrative fees, thesis advising fees, insurance premiums, accommodation and internet access fees, all of which, if any, are payable by the recipients.

b. Stipend:

(a) Undergraduate : A monthly stipend of NTD15,000 (approximately US\$500);

(b) Master : A monthly stipend of NTD20,000 (approximately US\$667) ;

(c) Doctoral : A monthly stipend of NTD20,000 (approximately US\$667).

The monthly stipend will be distributed by the recipient's university/college. The duration of stipend begins from the month of the recipient's registration on campus and ends when the award period expires or upon the recipient's graduation, withdrawal, suspension, expulsion, or revocation of the scholarship.

III. Duration of Scholarships

a. Undergraduate program: maximum 4 years;

- b. Master program: maximum 2 years;
- c. Doctoral program: maximum 4 years.

After satisfactory completion of a degree-study program, the student may apply for another Taiwan Scholarship for a higher degree. However, the maximum total length of awards is 5 (five) years.

### IV. Award Period

September 1, 2023, through the end of the specific study period (maximum durations as set forth in part III)

### V. Number of Awardee: 3

### VI. Eligibility:

An applicant must meet all of the following criteria:

a. High school graduate or above, with an excellent academic performance in most recent formal academic experience, of good moral character, and does not possess criminal records.

b. Citizen of Federal Republic of Nigeria;

c. Not a national of the Republic of China (Taiwan);

d. Not a R.O.C. (Taiwan) Overseas Compatriot student;

e. Has never enrolled in Taiwan for the same level of degree studies;

f. Is not an exchange student in accordance with any agreements of cooperation between an international university/college and an educational institute in Taiwan, at the time of receiving a Taiwan Scholarship;

g. Has never received the scholarship to undertake any degree programs for more than the total award period of 5 years;

h. Has never been disqualified from a Taiwan Scholarship;

i. Is not a recipient of any other scholarship or subsidy offered by the Taiwan government or by any other educational institutions in Taiwan.

VII. Application Deadline: 5 April, 2023 (postmarked)

VIII. Application Documents:

a. A completed Taiwan Scholarship Application Form

b. A photocopy of the applicant's Nigerian passport

c. A photocopy of diploma and transcript of highest degree obtained (Please obtain an authenticated translation if the original is not in English or Chinese. Translated documents must be authenticated by a Taiwan representative office.)

d. A photocopy of application for admission to a participating university in Taiwan

e. A photocopy of language proficiency proof:

(a) Applications for non all-English study programs: Photocopy of score report or certificate

for attaining Level 3 or above on the "Test of Chinese as a Foreign Language" (TOCFL).

(b) Applications for all-English study programs: If English is not your native language, a score

report for an English proficiency exam, such as the TOEFL, is required. Applicants who apply to a program not included in the Ministry of Education's English Program List must provide a photocopy of an all-English program proof document issued by their intended university/college in Taiwan.

f. Two reference letters, signed and sealed in envelopes.

g. A completed "Taiwan Scholarship Terms of Agreement."

# IX. Universities Participating in the Taiwan Scholarship Program:

Applicants must apply directly for admission within the deadlines specified by the individual universities for the Taiwan Scholarship.

X. Selection & Notification of Application Result:

a. Selection of applicants will be based on a comprehensive review of documents and, if necessary, may include an interview.

b. Applicant will be notified of scholarship decision by May 31, 2023.

c. Applicants awarded a Taiwan Scholarship will be required to submit proof/letter of admission to their university/college to Taipei Trade Office by June 30, 2023. Once admission is confirmed, the said Office will issue an official Certificate of Scholarship to the award recipient.

# XI. Correspondence and information:

Taipei Trade Office in Nigeria

P.O. Box: P.M.B. 40028 Falomo, Ikoyi, Lagos, Nigeria Office Address: 23A Thompson Ave, Ikoyi, Lagos, Nigeria Email: nga@mofa.gov.tw Tel: 014538935

### Attachment

1.TAIWAN SCHOLARSHIP APPLICATION FORM

2.TERMS OF AGREEMENT FOR THE MOE TAIWAN SCHOLARSHIP PROGRAM

3.List of Universities and Colleges Offering Degree Programs Taught in English,2024Academic Year

4. Universities and Colleges Providing Tuition & Miscellaneous Expense Discounts for MOE Taiwan Scholarship Recipients, 2023 Academic Year

# 2023 Ministry of Education(Taiwan) Huayu Enrichment Scholarship Program

### 1.Introduction:

To encourage International students and individuals to undertake Mandarin Chinese language study in Taiwan, the Ministry of Education of the Republic of China (Taiwan) established the Ministry of Education Huayu Enrichment Scholarship (HES) Program for studying Mandarin Chinese and Taiwan's culture at university- or college-affiliated Mandarin training centers in Taiwan.

2. Numbers of Scholarship for academic year 2023: 2 for Nigerian

### 3.Scholarship:

Ministry of Education will grant the scholarship recipient a monthly stipend of NT\$ 25,000 (approximately \$833) for maximum one (1) year.

The recipient is responsible for his/her own expenses. It's advised to prepare \$3,000USD to cover the initial expenses like tuition, rent deposit and daily expenses.

### 4. Duration of study:

### (1) Duration

In general, the duration of award is one year. The recipient can still choose shorter period like 9 months, 6 months, 3 months or summer class for 2 months (June to July, or July to August).

(2) Annual award periods

a. The annual award period is from 1st September 2023 through 31st August 2024. If the recipient fails to undertake the study in Taiwan during this period, his/her award status will be cancelled.

b. The recipient should be matriculated for the study term/quarter at the individual Mandarin training center as specified in the award. The recipient may defer his/her matriculation if approved by the selected Mandarin training center and the Ministry of Education; in any case, the yearly award period expires on August 31.

c. If the recipient begins his/her study after the intended study term/quarter has started, their award period will become effective from the month he/she matriculates at his/her individual Mandarin training centers in Taiwan.

(3) A recipient's award period will end when his/her specified award period has finished. However, the award will terminate as soon as a recipient drops out, being expelled from a training Mandarin center, or if his/her scholarship is revoked, whichever comes first.

### 5. Eligibility

An applicant must meet all of the following criteria:

a. Be a Nigerian citizen of 18 years of age or older, a high school graduate or above, with an excellent academic performance in his/her most recent formal educational study experience and be of good moral character.

b. Is not a ROC (Taiwan) national.

c. Does not have the status of being a Taiwan overseas compatriot student.

d. Is not currently a registered student at a Mandarin training center, and has never been a degree-seeking student at any university or college in Taiwan.

 e. Is not an exchange student in accordance with an agreement of cooperation between Taiwan and Nigeria.

f. Has never received an award neither under this scholarship program nor the Taiwan Scholarship Program.

g. Is not a recipient of any other scholarship or subsidy offered by the Taiwan government or any other educational institutions in Taiwan.

### 6. Application process:

(1) Deadline: 15, April 2023.

(2) Required application documents:

a. Application form for ROC(Taiwan) Ministry of Education Huayu Enrichment Scholarships 2022(as appendix A),

b. One photocopy of applicant's diploma or highest degree of education (Printed in English),

c .Academic records listing courses and grades (Printed in English),

e. One letter of recommendation (Printed in English),

f. One photocopy of application form to a Mandarin training center affiliated to universities/colleges in Taiwan

g. One photocopy of National ID and valid passport.

h. Current bank statement covering a period of six months signed by the branch manager. Note: Please visit "study in Taiwan" website (http:www.studyintaiwan.org) for more information concerning Mandarin training centers in Taiwan.

(3) Selection: Taipei Trade Office in Nigeria will review the application documents and inform the selected applicants for interview by 1 May 2023.

Note: No application documents will be returned.

(4) Approval: Applicant is responsible for processing his/her application to the Mandarin training center.

(5) Notification of Admission: Scholarship recipient needs to submit a copy of the admission

letter to the Taipei Trade Office in Nigeria no later than June 30 2023 in order to secure the scholarship. Late submission of the document will be deemed as relinquishing the scholarship. In this case, the Taipei Trade Office in Nigeria will award the scholarship to offer alternate qualified candidates.

Required information can be browsed at https://taiwanscholarship.moe.gov.tw/web/scholarship.aspx

7. Correspondence and information:

Taipei Trade Office in Nigeria P.O. Box: P.M.B. 40028 Falomo, Ikoyi, Lagos, Nigeria Office Address: 23A Thompson Ave, Ikoyi, Lagos, Nigeria Email: nga@mofa.gov.tw Tel: 014538935

### Attachment

1.Application Form for ROC (Taiwan) Ministry of Education Huayu Enrichment Scholarship 2.List\_of\_Chinese\_Language\_Centers\_in\_Taiwan The Terms of Agreement Ministry of Education

3. The Terms of Agreement Ministry of Education Huayu Enrichment Scholarship Program