



## 國立屏東科技大學

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### ◎History

- 1924: Kaohsiung State Pingtung Extension School of Agriculture was founded and has undergone several times of reforms.
- 1997: National Pingtung University of Science and Technology

### ◎Introduction

In the past 5 years, NPUST's academic research achievements comprise targeting for one of the top 15 universities on the cumulative points of weighted impact factor based on WOS journals, in the fields of agriculture sciences as well as ecology and environment sciences. NPUST is also on the list of top 15 universities in the total number of publications and citation frequencies in the fields of agriculture sciences, plant and animal sciences, immunology and microbiology, ecology and environment sciences, and earth sciences. Furthermore, NPUST has successively been granted with funding for the promotion of Teaching Excellence by the Ministry of Education for years. NPUST is devoted to improving teaching quality, participating in research competitions, and helping students achieve excellence. Known for its tropical agriculture, NPUST has received distinction in teaching, research, and building human capacity. Based on its strength in tropical agriculture and other areas, NPUST has acquired a sterling reputation both nationally and internationally. In order to take advantage of NPUST's strength in tropical agriculture and to make greater contribution to the society, the university promoted "product oriented research" (POR). NPUST has established links with more than 154 world-renowned universities through various academic exchanges, distance education, faculty and student exchanges, resources sharing, and joint research. There are about 640 international students currently enrolled at NPUST. NPUST projects to position itself as one of the world's leading academic institutions.

### ◎Recruitment

#### 1. Academic Programs & Language of Instruction

##### ※ College of Agriculture

- Graduate Institute of Bioresources/PhD. (Chinese/English)
- Department of Plant Industry/Bachelor; Master; PhD. (Chinese)
- Department of Food Science/Bachelor; Master; PhD. (Chinese/English)
- Department of Forestry/Bachelor; Master (Chinese)
- Department of Aquaculture/Bachelor; Master; PhD. (Chinese/English)
- Department of Animal Science/Bachelor; Master (Chinese)
- Department of Plant Medicine/Bachelor; Master (Chinese)
- Department of Wood Science and Design/Bachelor; Master (Chinese)
- Department of Biological Science and Technology/Bachelor; Master (Chinese/English)

### ※ College of Veterinary Medicine

- Department of Veterinary Medicine/Bachelor; Master; PhD. (Chinese/English)
- Graduate Institute of Animal Vaccine Technology/Master (Chinese)
- Graduate Institute of Wildlife Conservation/Master (Chinese)

### ※ College of Engineering

- Department of Environmental Science and Engineering/Bachelor; Master; PhD. (Chinese/English)
- Department of Mechanical Engineering/Bachelor; Master (Chinese)
- Department of Civil Engineering/Bachelor; Master; PhD. (Chinese/English)
- Department of Soil and Water Conservation/ Bachelor; Master (Chinese)
- Department of Vehicle Engineering/Bachelor; Master (Chinese)
- Department of Biomechanics Engineering/Bachelor; Master (Chinese)
- Graduate Institute of Materials Engineering/Master (Chinese)

### ※ College of Management

- Graduate Institute of Landscape Architecture and Recreation Management/Master (Chinese)
- Graduate Institute of Management of Innovation and Technology/Master (Chinese)
- Department of Agribusiness Management/Bachelor; Master (Chinese)
- Department of Management Information Systems/Bachelor; Master (Chinese)
- Department of Industrial Management/Bachelor; Master (Chinese)
- Business Administration/Bachelor; Master (Chinese)
- Department of Fashion Design and Management/Bachelor; Master (Chinese)
- Department of Hotel and Restaurant Management/Bachelor; Master (Chinese)
- **International Bachelor's Degree Program in Finance (English)**

### ※ College of Humanities and Social Sciences

- Graduate Institute of Technical and Vocational Education/Master (Chinese)
- Graduate Institute of Hakka Cultural Industry/Master (Chinese)
- Department of Social Work/Bachelor; Master (Chinese)
- Department of Modern Languages/Bachelor; Master (Chinese)
- Department of Recreation Sports and Health Promotion/Bachelor; Master (Chinese)
- Department of Child Care/Bachelor; Master (Chinese)

### ※ International College

- **Department of Tropical Agriculture and International Cooperation/Bachelor; Master; PhD. (English)**
- **International Master Program in Food Science (English)**
- **International Master Program in Soil and Water Engineering (English)**
- **International Master Program in Agribusiness Management (English)**
- **International Program in Ornamental Fish Technology and Aquatic Animal Health/Master; PhD. (English)** (Sep. 2016 starts)
- **International Degree Program of Animal Vaccine Technology/Master; PhD. (English)** (Sep. 2016 starts)

## 2. Tuition and Fees

College/Departments	Average Fee/Year (USD)
Agriculture; Veterinary Medicine; International Studies	\$3,365-4,210
Engineering	\$3,520-4,245
Humanities and Social Science; Management	\$3,200-4,080

## 3. Dormitory

Dorm Type	Number of Beds	Room Type	Fee/Year (USD)
Male Dormitory	228	4 borders/room	\$725
Female Dormitory	208	4 borders/room	\$725

**4. Living Cost:**

About \$290USD-\$430USD/month

**5. Scholarship**

Content / Title	Coverage/Year (USD)	Eligibility
NPUST Scholarship to Excellent Foreign Students	<b>Bachelor:</b> Free tuition fee or free accommodations; <b>Master &amp; PhD:</b> Full scholarship (tuition fee-waived, maximum 12 credits fee-waived/semester, on-campus dormitory fee-waived, with monthly stipend) or partial scholarship (tuition fee-waived, maximum 12 credits fee-waived/semester, on-campus dormitory fee-waived, without monthly stipend)	<b>Bachelor:</b> Sophomore, Junior and Senior; Average grades 75%/year or above <b>Master:</b> Year 1 to 2; Average grades 80%/year or above; TOEFL paper 520 points or above <b>PhD.:</b> Year 1 to 3 or 4; Average grades 80%/year or above; TOEFL paper 520 points or above ( <a href="http://oia.npust.edu.tw/bin/home.php?Lang=en">http://oia.npust.edu.tw/bin/home.php?Lang=en</a> )
NPUST Ph. D Assistantship	<b>Ph. D:</b> Tuition waiver, monthly stipend will be NTD 14,000 at least	TOFEL iBT 71, IELTS 5.5, TOEIC 785, or BULATS ALTE Level 3, Fulfil the requirement by the advisor's permission

**6. Admission Requirements**

Submission Dates for Application	Evaluation
1 <sup>st</sup> January to 31 <sup>st</sup> March (Enroll in September); 1 <sup>st</sup> August to 31 <sup>st</sup> October (Enroll in February)	Application form and other required materials ( <a href="http://oia.npust.edu.tw/bin/home.php?Lang=en">http://oia.npust.edu.tw/bin/home.php?Lang=en</a> ) 2. Telephone interview (optional)

**7. Chinese Language Center**✧ **General Course**

Terms	Class Duration	Total Hours	Tuition(approx.) (USD)	Application Deadline
Fall Semester	Sep. ~ Jan.	270	\$1,000	Aug. 15 <sup>th</sup>
Spring Semester	Feb. ~ Jun.	270	\$1,000	Jan. 15 <sup>th</sup>

✧ **Short-Term Program**

Terms	Class Duration	Total Hours	Tuition Fees (approx.) (USD)	Application Deadline
Summer Intensive Course	Jul. ~ Aug	72	\$310	July
Semester Course (Spring Semester)	Feb.~ Jun.	30	\$130	February
Semester Course (Fall Semester)	Sep.~ Jan.	30	\$130	September

**8. Contact Information:****※ Office of International Affairs**

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**※ Chinese Language Center**

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E-mail: [clc@mail.npust.edu.tw](mailto:clc@mail.npust.edu.tw)

**9. Application Procedure:****※ Regular Program**

(1) Required documents (in English or in Chinese):

A. Application form (online system: <http://courseeng.npust.edu.tw/Admission/> )

B. Study plan (at least 300 words)

C. Research proposal (master or doctoral program's applicant only) (optional)

D. Diploma (authenticated by Taiwan Embassy/Taipei Economic and Cultural Office or university)

E. Transcript (authenticated by Taiwan Embassy/ Taipei Economic and Cultural Office or university)

F. Two recommendation letters (by different writers, free format)

G. Financial statement (at least \$3,000USD)

H. English certificate (ex. TOEFL paper/TOEFL CBT/TOEFL IBT/IELTS/TOEIC)

I. Mandarin certificate (The certificate is required when applying for bachelor's program of other colleges except international college. ex. TOCFL or HSK.)

J. Other certificates (optional)

(2) Application procedure:

A. Register online: <http://courseeng.npust.edu.tw/Admission/>

B. Fill out the online application form and upload all documents

C. Click on "Apply" icon to submit the application

(3) Application fee: Free application

Contact E-mail: [international@mail.npust.edu.tw](mailto:international@mail.npust.edu.tw)

**Remarks:**

- Applicants should follow and submit the application documents according to "MOE Regulations Regarding International Students Undertaking Studies in Taiwan". This regulation is published on Taiwan Ministry of Education's website. Please check MOE (<http://english.moe.gov.tw/mp.asp?mp=1>) and NPUST's website momentarily for more information.
- Fees above are for reference only and might be changed according to the policies of university and Ministry of Education.

