# CYCU Regulation on the Establishment of Chair Professorship

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### Article 1

To recruit scholars and experts domestic and abroad with excellent academic or professional achievements who are agree with and conformed to the ideas and spirits of the university's holistic education to serve at the university so as to enhance academic standards, the university has thus stipulated the Regulation on the Establishment of Chair Professorships (hereinafter referred to as this Regulation) in accordance with Article 17 of the University Act, Article 10 of the Regulation Regarding University Evaluation, the Implementation Principles Regarding the Recruitment of Full-Time Outside-Complement Teaching Personnel by the Community Colleges or Above, and Article 32, Paragraph 2 of the Chung Yuan Christian University Organizational Regulation.

#### Article 2

Chair professorships shall have one of the following qualifications:

- 1. Academician of Academia Sinica or foreign academician with equivalent position level
- 2. Those who have awarded academic prizes from the Ministry of Education or national chair professorships.
- 3. Those who have awarded contract research Fellows by the National Science and Technology Council of the Executive Yuan.
- 4. The ones who are provided with qualifications equivalent to those prescribed in the previous three clauses mentioned above with outstanding contributions or prestigious reputations on the aspects of academic or professional fields.

# Article 3

The type of chair professorships and related treatments and obligations:

- 1. Full-time:
- (1) Assess salary ranks following full-time professors at the university, in addition, grant chair professorship subsidies, ranging from three hundred thousand New Taiwan Dollar to one million New Taiwan Dollar per academic year. Sponsored by donors (or

institutions) with the consent of the chair will not be subject to this limit.

- (2) Research space and equipment provided by relevant units.
- (3) At least two courses offered per semester, and publicly academic speech held at least once per semester. Works within the term of appointment shall be published in the name of Chung Yuan Christian University. If implement special tasks, one course may be waived after reporting to the president.
- (4) Participate in the implementation of large-scale integrated research projects and lead the task forces, assist in instructing and planning major research fields related to the university, or inculcate graduate students and cultivating prospective outstanding research talents in the university.
- (5) May concurrently serve as administrative positions.

# 2. Adjunct:

- (1) In addition to giving the hourly fee or lecture fee following the adjunct faculty at the school, grant chair professorship subsidies not more than seven hundred thousand New Taiwan Dollar per academic year in principle. Sponsored by donors (or institutions) with the consent of the chair will not be subject to this limit.
- (2) Research office provided by relevant units.
- (3) In light of adjunct faculty at least one course offered, or host a series of academic speeches or lectures.
- (4) Participate in the implementation of large-scale integrated research projects and lead the task forces, assist in instructing and planning major research fields related to the university, or inculcate graduate students and cultivating prospective outstanding research talents in the university.

The chair is recruited from abroad, the university may pay for the business (inclusive) or below-class round-trip flight tickets, limited to once per academic year.

#### Article 4

The expenditure for chair professorship subsidies shall be carried on by the following two manners:

- 1. Half prepared by the university and half raised by related units at the university, and the subsidy expenditure prepared by the university may not exceed half of the upper limit of the subsidies granted to full-time and adjunct chair professorships prescribed in Article 3.
- 2. Fully supported by the special projects subsidized by off-campus units. Donors (or institutions) may designate the academic fields to be granted. If any single payment has reached a certain amount that is capable of supporting one or more chair professorships, the donors (or institutions) may also designate the name of chair professorship and (or) the nominee of chair professorship. However, an even amount

of administrative resource expenditure shall be provided.

#### Article 5

The nomination of chair professorship to be appointed and the grant of chair professorship subsidy shall be proposed by the president, the academic office, or the donor (or institution), and after the verification of the chair professorship review committee of the university, reported to the president for approval, then ratified by various teacher's review committees at all levels.

The chair professorship review committee consists of ten to thirteen members. The vice-president, the provost, the research and development director and each college/school dean are appointed by the president as *ex-officio* members, and the vice-president shall be the convener. The university may invite the donors (or institutions) of the designated chairs attending to explain. The meeting of the chair professorship review committee shall be attended by members at least two-thirds of the total membership before it shall be convened, and the matters of decision shall be approved by at least two-thirds of the attending members.

#### Article 6

For the conference of chair professorship, the term of appointment will be three years in principle. Within one year before the expiration of the term of appointment, the original unit recruiting full-time chair professorship shall provide the implementation result report, while the original unit recruiting adjunct chair professorship shall provide the implementation result report per year to help assess. Those who pass the assessments may be proposed to be appointed again according to the procedures.

The proposition of appointment of the designated chair professorship will not be subject to the limit of time period.

#### Article 7

The full-time and adjunct chair professorships appointed according to this Regulation will not be subject to the limitation of retirement age, but the full-time chair professorships may not exceed the age of seventy-five.

# Article 8

The appointed full-time chair professorship exceeding the age of sixty-five shall meet one of the following conditions:

- 1. Serve as the academician of the Academia Sinica.
- 2. Served as the host of national chair professorship.
- 3. Has won the academic awards of the Ministry of Education or the outstanding

research awards of the National Science and Technique Council for three times and more.

- 4. Has published personal works within the last three years or published three and more important articles relevant to the courses taught in famous academic journals domestic or abroad within the last three years, and those indeed have made contributions to the academics.
- 5. Those who teach art subjects have creations, exhibitions, and technical instructions every year within the last three years, and hold the international reputations.
- 6. The courses offered to teach or the fields of expertise have been recognized as high technique or rare and hard to recruit the successors for a while.

## Article 9

Full-time chair professorships shall be counted in the complementation of the full-time faculty of the academic unit, and not more than four percent in the current complementation of the full-time faculty of the university in principle. Adjunct chair professorships will not be subject to this limit.

#### Article 10

The rights and corresponding obligations of the donors (or institutions) of the chair professorship subsidies and the chair professorships shall be stipulated separately, and may mutually enter into contracts with the university when necessary.

#### Article 11

This Regulation shall be passed by the university council and reported to the board of trustees for promulgation and implementation after approval, but Articles 7 and 8 shall be implemented after approval of the Ministry of Education.

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