



# **National Kaohsiung Normal University**

**非洲菁英人才培育計畫：短期專題研習  
(遠距)醫療與人文班**

**African Elite Cultivation Program  
Medicine and Humanity**

**Online Course**

**Admissions Guide**

National Kaohsiung Normal University

February 2023

## Important Dates

|                        | Dates (Taiwan time )        |
|------------------------|-----------------------------|
| Enrollment Date        | February 2023 till May 2023 |
| Admission Notification | May 2023                    |
| Course Date            | June 26 to July 2, 2023     |

## **I. Introduction**

To cultivate cross-disciplinary thinking on medicine and humanity, NKNU provides medicine and humanity online course. The courses will cover issues including: medical literature and cultural trends, medical humanities and narrative medicine, medical humanities and child care, aging writing and disability, health care and humanities. Through the courses, students are expected to advance their understanding of medicine and humanity and develop critical thinking on cross-border, cross-disciplinary topics.

### **A. Course Objectives**

The course aim to cultivate the following skills:

1. To identify cross-border issues in medicine and humanity
2. To analyze medicine and health-related issues in literature
3. To exercise critical thinking on interaction between medicine and humanity

### **B. Course Content**

1. Cross-disciplinary thinking on literature, politics and medical culture
2. Cross-cultural and cross-border interaction on medicine and humanity
3. Communication and reflection on medicine and humanity
4. Understanding of medicine, health care and humanity
5. Comparing the development and practice of modern medicine East and West

## **II. Quota**

Open enrollment for 30 participants (priority will go to person with recommendations from teachers.)

## **III. Eligibility**

The course is ideal for:

1. African Citizenship with High School or Higher Education
2. Educators, School Staff, Students or Government Officials
3. Africans residing in other countries are welcomed.

## IV. Application

- A. Registration Date  
February till May 2023, Taiwan time.
- B. Course Registration: Applicants log in to the Google form to register and upload the application documents within the registration date
- C. Registration Website and QR Code: <https://forms.gle/GYCxgUeiUTHmdSks7>



- D. Application Documents: (Please upload clear documents.)
  - 1. One electronic copy of the original passport.
  - 2. One electronic copy of the original graduation certificate of the highest degree.  
(Note: if the original graduation certificate is not in Mandarin or English, a Mandarin or English translation is required.)
  - 3. One student ID/proof of employment. (Note: if the original graduation certificate is not in Mandarin or English, a Mandarin or English translation is required.)
  - 4. Recommendation Letter
- E. Course Platform: Online/Live via Google meet (including asynchronous videos and synchronous course.)
- F. Course Date:  
Expected to be launched during **June 26 to July 2, 2023, Taiwan time.**
- G. Notes:
  - 1. If the application documents are incomplete or the number of copies submitted is insufficient, it will be regarded as unqualified, and the applicant must bear full responsibility.
  - 2. Please fill in the correct email address and contact number for registration. The organizer will contact the applicant. If the applicant fails to reply within the time limit, it will be deemed that the applicant has cancelled the course.
  - 3. After the applicant completed the registration, please initiative to write an email to confirm about the status of the submitted documents.

## **V. Course Content**

### **A. Course Highlights:**

1. Cross-border thinking and interaction between medicine and humanity
2. EMI teaching method
3. Interactive group communication and participation
4. Flexible courses according to individual progress
5. Course preparation and feedbacks
6. Course consultation and guidance
7. Multiple Assessments
8. Professional supports and developments

### **B. Course Delivery**

1. 24-hour Online Courses: Online/live via Google Meet using EMI teaching providing topic course sharing, comprehensive discussion, task feedback and guide participants to conduct self-exploration courses.
2. 12-hour Self-review: Online self-review including assignments, watching videos, problem solving, group work and other tasks to be completed. With additional resources available, either individually or in groups, participants can work at their own pace.
3. 4-hour Counseling: Course introduction and participants will have individual counseling with mentor.
4. 10-hour Assessment: Course reflection records, presentations and evaluation

| <b>Taiwan<br/>Time</b> | <b>African<br/>Time</b> | Monday<br>26 June  | Tuesday<br>27 June  | Wednesday<br>28 June  | Thursday<br>29 June   | Friday<br>30 June               |
|------------------------|-------------------------|--|---|---|---|---------------------------------|
| 1500-1600              | 0900-1000               | Opening ceremony   | Hospital, Medical Care<br>and Humanity<br><br>Lecturer:<br>Dr. Xie Mingfang, M.D.<br><i>(asynchronous )</i> | Diplomacy, Medicine and<br>Humanity<br><br>Lecturer: Vincent Liu<br>Ministry of Foreign Affairs<br><i>(asynchronous )</i> | Nursing, National Health<br>Policy, Long-Term Care<br>Policy in Taiwan<br>Lecturer: Prof. Chen Hsiu,<br>Chen<br>National Taipei University<br>of Nursing and Health<br>Sciences<br><i>(asynchronous )</i> | Final Evaluation                |
| 1600-1700              | 1000-1100               | Course Introduction  | Hospital, Medical Care<br>and Humanity  | Diplomacy, Medicine and<br>Humanity   | Nursing, National Health<br>Policy, Long-Term Care<br>Policy in Taiwan  | Preparation for<br>Presentation |
| 1700-1800              | 1100-1200               | Lecturer:<br>Prof. Yvonne Chang<br><br><i>(synchronous/online )</i>                                  | Lecturer:<br>Dr. Xie Mingfang, M.D.<br>Kaohsiung United<br>Hospital<br><i>(synchronous/online )</i>         | Lecturer: Vincent Liu<br>Ministry of Foreign Affairs<br><i>(synchronous/online )</i>                                      | Lecturer: Prof. Chen Hsiu,<br>Chen<br>National Taipei University<br>of Nursing and Health<br>Sciences<br><i>(synchronous/online )</i>   |                                 |
| 1800-1900              | 1200-1300               | Individual Counseling  | Individual Counseling   | Individual Counseling   | Individual Counseling   |                                 |
| 1900-2000              | 1300-1400               | Medicine and Humanities:<br>An Overview<br>Lecturer:<br>Prof. Yvonne Chang<br><i>(asynchronous )</i> | Medicine, Humanity<br>and Literature<br>Lecturer:<br>Prof. Jade Lee<br><i>(asynchronous )</i>               | Medicine, Humanity<br>And Culture<br>Lecturer:<br>Prof. Elyssa Chen<br><i>(asynchronous )</i>                             | Medicine, Humanity<br>and Movie<br>Lecturer:<br>Prof. Yvonne Chang<br><i>(asynchronous )</i>  | Final Presentation              |

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| 2000-2100 | 1400-1500 | Medicine and Humanities:<br>An Overview<br><br>Lecturer:<br>Prof. Yvonne Chang<br><i>(synchronous/online )</i> | Medicine, Humanity<br>and Literature<br><br>Lecturer:<br>Prof. Jade Lee<br><i>(synchronous/online )</i> | Medicine, Humanity<br>And Culture<br><br>Lecturer:<br>Prof. Elyssa Chen<br><i>(synchronous/online )</i> | Medicine, Humanity<br>and Movie<br><br>Lecturer:<br>Prof. Yvonne Chang<br><i>(synchronous/online )</i> |                  |
| 2100-2200 | 1500-1600 |  |   |   |  |                  |
| 2200-2300 | 1600-1700 | Review   | Review  | Review  | Review   | Closing Ceremony |

※PLEASE NOTE THIS SCHEDULE IS TENTATIVE AND SUBJECT TO CHANGE

## **VI. Admission Announcements**

- A. Admission Announcement: May 2023, Taiwan time  
Official notification of acceptance will be sent by email to successful applicants.
- B. Admission Criteria: Priority will be given to applicant who meet the qualifications and have passion for Mandarin.
- C. If the admitted students are found not to meet the requirements, or the certificates and materials are false, forged, cheated, borrowed, altered, etc., the organizer will cancel the admission qualification and will not issue any course certificate.
- D. If the applicant uses the admission qualification of the school to seek improper exchange of benefits and the facts are proved to be clear, the organizer has the right to cancel the admission qualification.

## **VII. Awards**

- A. Applicants will be offered scholarship for internship at National Kaohsiung Normal University upon completion of the courses with satisfactory performance.
- B. 2-hour credits will be recognized and transferrable once admitted to National Kaohsiung Normal University as a student or intern.

## **VIII. Others**

- A. If there are any matters not covered in this admission guide, it shall be handled in accordance with the relevant laws and regulations of Ministry of Education (MOE) and National Kaohsiung Normal University.
- B. When the number of applicants for a class does not reach the enrollment quota, the National Kaohsiung Normal University reserves the right to decide whether to enroll in that class, and all registration materials submitted by those who have not successfully enrolled in the class will be destroyed on their behalf.

## **IX. Contact**

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