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<b>Student Number</b>	Approximately 15,000 students	
<b>Academic Year / Semesters Dates</b>	Fall Semester (mid-September to mid-January) Spring Semester (mid-February to the end of June)	
<b>Language of Instruction</b>	Chinese / English	
<b>Credit Workload per Semester (ECTS Credits)</b>	1 SU credit = 18 hours Approximately 2 ECTS credits = 1 SU credit	
<b>Exchange Students Application Deadlines</b>	Fall Semester (mid-September to mid-January): May 1 Spring Semester (mid-February to the end of June): November 1	
<b>Application Documents</b>	<b>STEP 1 《On-line Application》</b>  <b>Please upload the following documents by deadline.</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>● <a href="#">Online application for Fall 2022 Exchange Program</a> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- An official transcript from home university (all prior to the exchange);</li> <li>- A photocopy of passport;</li> <li>- A study plan &amp; Statement of purpose;</li> <li>- Certification of nomination from the home university; and</li> <li>- A passport-size colored photo for registration procedure.</li> </ul> </li> <li>● <a href="#">Application for on/off campus school dormitory</a> (dormitory is NOT guaranteed)</li> <li>● <a href="#">Chinese Proficiency Evaluation</a> (Only for students who had studied Chinese before)</li> </ul>	
	<b>STEP 2 《Health certificate submission》</b>  <b>Please provide an original copy of completed Health Certificate (Valid for 3 months before the entry date) AFTER your application is approved.</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>● Stay NOT exceed 180 days: <a href="#">Health Certificate for Short-Term Students(Form C)</a>.</li> <li>● Stay OVER 180 days: <a href="#">Health Certificate for Resident Application</a>.</li> <li>● The ORIGINAL copy needs to be handed in at Orientation. Please refer to our website for further details: <a href="http://icae.scu.edu.tw/en/incoming/Application/Procedures">http://icae.scu.edu.tw/en/incoming/Application/Procedures</a></li> </ul>	



<b>Courses of Study (Webpage)</b>	2022 Fall courses will be available in the in late August to mid-September 2022. Please refer to previous courses for you reference: <a href="http://icae.scu.edu.tw/index.php/en/incoming/int-crcm">http://icae.scu.edu.tw/index.php/en/incoming/int-crcm</a>
<b>Language Courses (if applicable)</b>	We offer free 4 credits Chinese language courses for exchange students. (from Beginning to Intermediate) Other language courses are available at Chinese Language Center (Tuition Based): <a href="http://mandarin.scu.edu.tw/index.php/en/">http://mandarin.scu.edu.tw/index.php/en/</a>
<b>Welcome Days/ Orientation</b>	Fall Semester 2022: TBA
<b>Tuition and Fees (if applicable)</b>	Tuition is waived for exchange students. However, some of the courses may require administrative fee (ie. one-on-one tutor class of department of music).
<b>Accommodation (contact or webpage)</b>	Students may choose to stay either on/off-campus dorm or rent a studio. Please visit our website for the housing information. <b>Please note: Dormitory is NOT guaranteed.</b>
<b>Costs of Living</b>	For reference only. Food: NT \$10,000 / month Transportation: NT \$1,500 / month
<b>Rent</b>	Please refer to our website for the most updated price information of dormitories: <a href="http://icae.scu.edu.tw/en/in-exchange/facilitating">http://icae.scu.edu.tw/en/in-exchange/facilitating</a> The Student Housing Center will provide off-campus housing information. The estimated cost for off-campus housing is NT\$8,500 ~ \$15,000 / month.
<b>Other Costs (phone, books, travelling, etc.)</b>	Depends on personal plan. Approximately NT\$5,000 / month
<b>Buddy Program</b>	We provide Buddy Program service where every exchange student will be paired with 1 SU volunteer student. The volunteer students will help exchange students with matters related to studies and daily life, including airport pick-up, assistance in checking in accommodation, courses registration and the other administrative process, help to adjust to the campus life, including transportation, dining map, medical treatment, etc.  There is no need for exchange students to sign up for this program as International Affairs Center will automatically assign every accepted exchange student a SU volunteer. The contact information of new coming exchange students will be forwarded to the corresponding volunteer students before the semester begins.
<b>Further Information</b>	Website of Office of International & Cross-Strait Academic Exchange <a href="http://icae.scu.edu.tw/en">http://icae.scu.edu.tw/en</a>
<b>Last Update</b>	March 2022