

NSYSU Regulations Governing the Independent Enrollment of New Immigrant Students

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Article 1 NSYSU (hereinafter referred to as the University), in order to process the applications of new immigrant students for admission to doctoral programs, master's programs (including in-service master's programs), and bachelor's programs (including transfer), hereby establishes the "NSYSU Regulations Governing the Independent Enrollment of New Immigrant Students" (hereinafter referred to as the Regulations) in accordance with Article 24 of the University Act and Article 19 of the Enforcement Rules, Regulations and Review Directions of University Admissions, and Regulations Governing Admission of New Immigrants to Universities.

Article 2 The University-Level Admissions Committee (hereinafter referred to as the Admissions Committee) is responsible for the admissions process for new immigrant students in accordance with the principles of fairness, impartiality, and openness, such as the deliberations on admissions regulations, enrollment quotas, and admission guide, the resolution of admissions criteria, the handling of admissions disputes, as well as other matters related to the admissions process.

The composition of the Admissions Committee and the formulation of related regulations shall follow the admissions regulations of the University.

Article 3 New immigrant students are those who have applied for naturalization approval in accordance with the provisions of Article 4, Paragraphs 1, Subparagraphs 1 to 3 of the Nationality Act (hereinafter referred to as "new Immigrant students"), and should submit the Certificate of ROC Naturalization Candidacy and a copy of the Letter of Approval, or other relevant documents to prove the same, at the time of application.

Students who have lost or are unable to produce the above-mentioned documents may authorize the University to verify their status. Failure to do so prior to registration will result in disqualification.

New immigrant students who have graduated from high school or have an equivalent education level may apply for admission to the University's bachelor's program; those who have earned a bachelor's degree or have an equivalent education level may apply for admission to the University's master's program; those who have earned a master's degree or have an equivalent education level may apply for admission to the University's doctoral program.

The eligibility for transfer admission is governed by Article 4 of the Standards for Recognition of Equivalent Educational Levels for University Admission.

Applications for admission with foreign academic records should follow the Regulations Governing the Assessment and Recognition of Foreign Academic Records by Institutions of Higher Education, Regulations Regarding the Assessment and Recognition of Academic Credentials for Mainland Area, and Regulations Governing the Examination and Recognition of Educational Records from Hong Kong and Macao.

Article 4 New immigrant students are limited to one enrollment in accordance with the enrollment regulations in the preceding article; new immigrant students applying for transfer admission are not limited to once only.

Article 5 The number of new immigrant students enrolled in each academic program of colleges, institutes, departments, and degree programs is calculated as an additional 2% to the original quota approved by the Ministry of Education for each college, institute, department, and degree program. Calculated quotas with decimals are rounded up to the nearest integer. Transferring enrollment quotas between colleges, institutes, departments, or degree programs is not permitted.

The vacancies resulting from the admission or the withdrawal of students enrolled in the colleges, institutes, departments, and degree programs (excluding suspended departments and degree programs) through the aforementioned process may be included in the transfer enrollment plan for the following academic year. After the transfer enrollment process, the number of students in each academic class and grade level shall not exceed the originally added quota to each college, institute, department, or degree program.

Article 6 This enrollment process is conducted on an independent basis and is limited to one application per year.

Article 7 The admission guide shall be submitted to the Admissions Committee for consideration and published no later than 20 days prior to the acceptance of applications. The admission guide should list in detail the admission departments, the number of years of study, enrollment quota, application requirements, examination items, examination dates, application procedures, forms to be submitted, admission methods, evaluation priority for candidates of the same final score, registration procedures, procedures for filling of vacancies, score review, admission dispute handling procedures, and other relevant regulations. Matters related to the rights and interests of candidates should be clearly stated and, if necessary, marked in bold or illustrated with examples to remind candidates and avoid misunderstandings.

The admissions process may be conducted by written examination, interview, review of application documents, skill subject examinations, or assessment of actual work, but the admissions process may not be based on the results of standardized entrance examinations, such as the General Scholastic Ability Test (GSAT), Advanced Subjects Test (AST), Test of English Listening Comprehension (TELC), or TVE Joint College Entrance Examination. The admission guide should specify the examination items, the scoring method, and the proportion of each item in the total score. Matters related to the rights and interests of candidates should be clearly stated. If the admissions process is conducted by interview, skill subject examinations, or assessment of actual work, it should be audiotaped, videotaped, or documented in detail; the written record should be completed before the admissions committee decides on the admissions list, and the reasons for the exceptionally high or low scores should be stated in the evaluation sheet.

Article 8 The Admissions Committee shall calculate the final scores of each candidate based on their overall scores in the tests specified in the admission guide and then determine the minimum admission standards for each college, institute, department, and degree program before the release of the results and shall admit candidates in order of the highest final score. Candidates who meet the admission standards and are within the quota are approved for admission, while the rest are on the waiting list.

If the number of candidates meeting the minimum admission standard is less than the enrollment quota, the number of students admitted can be less than the enrollment quota, and no students may be placed on the waiting list after justification is submitted to and approved by the Admissions Committee.

If there are still vacancies after all admitted students have enrolled, waitlist students may be enrolled until the original enrollment quota set forth in Article 5 is reached before the deadline specified in the admission guide; however, the deadline may not exceed the start date of the school calendar for the semester in the academic year of admission.

If two or more candidates with the same final score compete for the last vacancy in any college, institute, department, or degree program, the decision shall be made after comparing them according to the evaluation priority of candidates with the same final score as specified in the admission guide. If the scores or ranking of the candidates are the same in each item compared, they will be admitted regardless of the limitation of the 2% of the general enrollment quota, and the result should be reported to the Ministry of Education for reference.

Article 9 The number of new immigrant students who have applied, been accepted, and have registered should be reported to the Ministry of Education for future reference within the prescribed time frame after the admissions list for each academic class is released.

Article 10 The University shall execute due care in the admissions process in all matters relating to the examination. Persons involved in the admissions process are also under a duty of confidentiality. Those with relatives within the third degree of consanguinity applying for admission shall recuse themselves from all examination matters. The original scoring sheets or documents of the admissions process shall be sent to the Office of Academic Affairs for retention for one year. However, if an appeal is filed in accordance with the Regulations, the original score sheet or document shall be retained until the appeal process is completed or the administrative remedy process is concluded.

Article 11 If a candidate has doubts about his or her admission results or believes that the admission examination was improperly administered to the detriment of his or her personal rights, he or she may apply for a review of his or her results or submit a written appeal in accordance with the provisions stated in the admission guide. If the matter cannot be resolved through proper procedures, the candidate may file an appeal with the Admissions Committee within 20 days of the date of the announcement of the admissions list or notice, stating the facts and reasons and submitting relevant documents and evidence. Late appeals will not be accepted.

Upon receipt of an appeal, the Admissions Committee shall provide a formal response within one month and inform the complainant of the administrative remedy procedures. If necessary, an ad hoc panel should be established to conduct an impartial investigation. Any member of the panel shall recuse himself/herself if any of the circumstances described in Article 32 of the Administrative Procedure Act exist.

The appeal should be filed with the candidate himself/herself as the complainant and, in principle, reviewed in writing. If necessary, the panel may agree to have the complainant or a relevant person present to explain the case in accordance with its authority or at the request of the complainant.

An appeal may only be reviewed once. The results of the review will be submitted to the Admissions Committee Chair for approval, and the complainant will be notified by letter.

Article 12 New immigrant students who have forged, altered, or falsified admission documents will be disqualified from admission; If the student is already enrolled, his/her registration will be canceled, and no relevant academic credentials will be issued to the student; if the above-mentioned acts are

discovered after graduation, the University will revoke the student's graduation status and cancel the student's degree certificate.

Article 13 Any matters not covered herein will be handled in accordance with the relevant regulations of the Ministry of Education and the University.

Article 14 These regulations are approved by the Admissions Committee meeting and reported to the Ministry of Education for approval and implementation prior to the publication of the admission guide, and the same applies to any amendments.

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Any dispute over interpretations of these regulations shall be resolved in the court of law based on the Chinese version.