# National Chung Hsing University

National Chung Hsing University, founded in 1919, was originally a special department of Taihoku Imperial University (today's National Taiwan University). It became independent in 1943 and was moved to Taichung. After the retrocession of Taiwan to the Republic of China in 1945, it was named the Taiwan Provincial Agricultural Junior College, offering courses in agronomy, forestry, and agricultural chemistry.

The college was reorganized and expanded in 1961 into the College of Science and Engineering, which was then combined with the College of Law and Commerce in Taipei (founded in 1949), to become Taiwan Provincial Chung Hsing University.

With the addition of an evening school to the College of Law and Commerce in Taiper and the main campus in Taichung, the university was granted national university status in 1971. A College of Liberal Arts was set up in fate 1968.

In the 1986 academic year, the university had a teaching and research staff of 993 and a student body of 12,061, including 11,531 undergraduates and 530 graduate students engaged in advanced studies.

#### Programs Offered by National Chung Hsing University

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College of Arts			A 11 0
Chinese	:		4.1
Foreign Literature	•		- 313
History	•		- 77
College of Law &			
Commerce			1.18
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Public Administration	•		*18
Economics	•	•	
Sociology and Social work			1.70
Land Economics & Administration	•		11.3
Accounting	•		
Statistics	•		
Business Administration	•		
Cooperative Economics	•		
Public Finance	•	•	- 1
Urban Planning			- 1
College of Science &			
Engineering			
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Applied Mathematics		Ξ	• :
Mechanical Engineering		-	4,5
Civil Engineering		_	
Environmental Engineering		•	
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Agronomy	•	•	•
Horticulture	•	•	
Forestry	•	- ·	
Water & Soil Conservation	•	•	
Soil	•	•	•
Plant Pathology	•	•	• .
Entomology	•	•	•
Food Science	•	•	•
Agricultural Economics	•	•	•
Animal Husbandry	•	•	
Veterinary Medicine	•	•	
Agricultural Mechanics	•		
Agricultural Marketing			

The university has four colleges and two evening schools. The College of Liberal Arts has three departments; the College of Law and Commerce, ten departments and five research institutes; the College of Science and Engineering, seven departments, four graduate institutes, and nine subordinate units; the College of Agriculture, thirteen departments, eleven graduate institutes, and nine subordinate units; Taichung Evening School, five departments; and Taipei Evening School, ten departments. In addition, the university has a Computer Center and an Agricultural Biotechnology Laboratory.

Since 1971, National Chung Hsing University has carried out many joint projects with foreign universities. Exchange visits and joint academic ventures have been conducted with California State University the University of West Florida, California State University at Fresno, the Ohio State University, Kon-kuk University (Korea), Jeonbug National University (Korea), the University of Munich, and the University of Tübingen.

### National Central University

National Central University, founded in Nanking in 1915 and reactivated in Taiwan in 1962, now consists of four colleges, thirteen departments, and Universities and Colleges

### Programs Offered by National Central University

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twelve graduate institutes.

The four colleges are science, engineering, liberal ans, and management. Their departments include physics, geophysics, and atmospheric physics, mathematics; chemical, civil, mechanical and electrical engineering; Chinese literature, English, French; and business administration and information management. The graduate institutes are geophysics, mathematics, atmospheric physics, physics and astronomy, statistics, optical science, civil engineering, chemical engineering, computer science and electronic engineering, mechanical engineering, Chinese literature, and industrial economics.

In addition, three research centers have recently been established for the coordination and promotion of interdisciplinary research. They are the Center of Space Science and Remote Sensing, the Center of Optical Sciences, and the Center of Environmental Engineering.

Among the university's main facilities are a computer center equipped with a Vax 8650 and a Cyber 170-720 computer, as well as a library with a seating capacity of two thousand. National Central University has a scenic campus covering more than 135 acres.

In the 1986 academic year, the university had an enrollment of 2,765, with 376 faculty members and 100 staff members.

## National Sun Yat-sen University

National Sun Yat-sen University was named after the founding father of the Republic of China to commemorate his great accomplishments. It was established on July 1, 1980, with four departments and two institutes. It is one of the newest higher educational institutions in the Republic of China and the first comprehensive university in the



An archery course at National Sun Yal-sen University.

Programs Offered by National Sun Yat-sen University

Departments	Bachelor's	Master's	Doctoral
College of Liberal Arts Chine & Literature Foreign Languages & Literature	•	•	
College of Science Chemistry Physics Biology Applied Mathematics	:	•	
College of Engineering Electrical Engineering Mechanical Engineering Materials Science & Engineering	:	:	:
College of Management Business Management Information Management Financial Management	:	•	
College of Marine Sciences Marine Resources Marine Biology Marine Geology		:	
Sun Yas-sen Institute for Interdisciplinary Studies	•		

Kaohslung-Pingtung area in southern Taiwan.

The university now has five colleges with eleven departments and ten graduate institutes. Among them, the Sun Yat-sen Institute for Interdisciplinary Studies concentrates mainly on the study of Dr. Sun's thought in the fields of economics, political science, and social science.

In the 1986 academic year, the university had an enrollment of 1,582 students, with 273 faculty members and 101 staff members. The ultimate goal of the university is to build a medium-sized institution of higher education that includes colleges of arts, sciences, engineering, management, marine sciences, fine arts, and medicine.

### Soochow University

Soochow University, founded by missionaries of the Methodist Episcopal Church in 1900, was located in the city of Soochow, Kiangsa, China-