Professor Chwei-Liang Chiou Scholarship

(Established in 2022 by the Chiou Family in honour of the late Professor Chwei-Liang Chiou, who taught within the UQ School of Political Science and International Studies for over 40 years. This Scholarship intends to encourage students to enrich their studies through a travel experience in Taiwan, in recognition of Professor Chiou's place of birth and academic work promoting Taiwanese culture.)

1. Purpose

The purpose of the Scholarship is to encourage and support students in the Faculty of Humanities, Arts and Social Sciences to enrich their studies through travel in Taiwan.

2. Definitions

In these rules -

Approved Program means any program administered by the Faculty of Humanities, Arts and Social Sciences **Associate Dean** means the Associate Dean (Academic) of the Faculty of Humanities, Arts and Social Sciences **Scholarship** means the Professor Chwei-Liang Chiou Scholarship

3. Award, Value and Selection

- (1) One Scholarship will be awarded in a year in accordance with these rules.
- (2) The value of each Scholarship is at least \$5,000 for each year in which it is held.
- (3) Each Scholarship will be tenable for a maximum period of one year.
- (4) The Scholarship shall be awarded on recommendation from the Associate Dean after consultation with a selection committee, comprising –
 - (a) the Associate Dean (or nominee); and
 - (b) at least two academic staff members from the Faculty of Humanities, Arts and Social Sciences.

4. Eligibility and Award Criteria

- (1) An applicant is eligible for the Scholarship, if the applicant
 - (a) submits an application for the Scholarship to the Associate Dean, by the closing date for applications;
 - (b) is enrolled in the Approved Program; and
 - (c) has identified a travel experience in Taiwan to undertake within 12 months of the application.
- (2) The Scholarship is awarded to the student showing the greatest merit based on
 - (a) academic achievement;
 - (b) strength of personal statement outlining the benefits of receiving the Scholarship and how it will enable the recipient to undertake the travel experience; and
 - (c) the applicant's ability to explain the connection between the travel experience and their studies.
- (3) Where all other considerations are equal, preference will be given to applicants who are going on exchange at the National Taiwan University.

5. Conditions for Award

The recipient may hold the Scholarship for up to one year, subject to the recipient providing evidence of an airline receipt.

6. Payment of Award

The Scholarship will be paid upfront in one instalment subject to the recipient staisfying rule 5.

7. Deferment and Interruption of Award

A recipient may apply to the Associate Dean to have their Scholarship deferred for up to 12 months in exceptional circumstances only.

8. Termination of Award

The University may terminate a Scholarship if the student commits misconduct.