

National Kaohsiung University of Applied Sciences (KUAS)



History & Vision

Founded in 1963, National Kaohsiung University of Applied Sciences (KUAS) was originally known as the Provincial Kaohsiung Institute of Technology with the aim to educate technical professionals to meet the demands of national economic development. In 2000, the beginning of the new millennium, the Institute evolved to be a four-year technical university and the present name was adopted. This transformation from a junior college to a technological university has opened up a new page for KUAS. After more than a decade of development and expansion, now KUAS has reinvented itself as the leading technological university in southern Taiwan.

Currently, KUAS has four colleges offering top-quality undergraduate and graduate programs, serving more than 12,000 students and 100,000 alumni. The achievements of KUAS in teaching, research, and industry-academia collaboration have been highly recognized by the government. In 2012, KUAS received the grant for the Plan for Developing Technological University Paradigms awarded by the Ministry of Education (MOE). In addition, more than 10 research centers have been established on KUAS campus by the MOE and the Ministry of Economic Affairs, engaging in state-of-theart research in a variety of fields. In recent years, over 500 industry-academia collaboration contracts worth more than NT\$300 million have been signed between KUAS and the leading businesses and companies in Taiwan.

KUAS Facts

- ▶ The first university in Southeast Asia to receive the IS09002 certification (1998)
- ▶ The first university in Taiwan to be awarded the TIPS certification (2008)
- ▶ KUAS was ranked No.1 in the 2010 Technological University Evaluation conducted by the Ministry of Education (2010)
- ➤ The Incubation Center of KUAS was ranked No.1 in the performance evaluation conducted by the Ministry of Economic Affairs for three consecutive years (2011-2013)
- ▶ The first university in Taiwan to offer MBA program for Vietnamese students (2003-2015)

KUAS Global

To meet the demands of globalized education, KUAS has been active in establishing international with institutions around the world in recent years. The university has signed MOUs with partnering institutions in 13 countries to develop joint degree programs, student exchange programs and research collaboration. The partnerships will sure bring new opportunities and enable KUAS to become a truly internationalized university.

Statistics

Faculty	About 520 faculty members and 200 professionals		
Students	Undergraduate—About 8,950 Graduate—About 3,780 International—About 170 Total—More than 12,700		
Alumni	More than 100,000		
Academics 4 colleges, 18 departments, 8 doc programs, 20 master's programs, an master's programs for professio (continuing education)			
Real Estate Holdings	Chien-Kung Campus—about 10 hectares Yanchao Campus—about 106 hectares		

Academics

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College of Engineering	Bachelor's Degree	Master's Degree	Doctoral Degree
Department of Civil Engineering	•	•	•
Department of Chemical and Materials Engineering	•	•	•
Department of Mold and Die Engineering	•	• •	•
Department of Industrial Engineering and Management	•	•	•
Department of Mechanical Engineering	•	•	•
College of Electrical Engineering and Computer Science	Bachelor's Degree	Master's Degree	Doctoral Degree
Department of Electronic Engineering	•	•	•
Department of Computer Science and Information Engineering	•	•	
Department of Electrical Engineering	•	•	•
Institute of Photonics and Communications		•	
College of Management	Bachelor's Degree	Master's Degree	Doctoral Degree
Department of Finance and Institute of Finance and Information	•	•	
Department of International Business	•	•	•
Department of Tourism Management	•	•	
Department of Business Administration	•	•	
Department of Wealth and Taxation Management	•	•	
Department of Accounting	•	•	
Department of Information Management	•	•	
College of Humanities and Social Sciences	Bachelor's Degree	Master's Degree	Doctoral Degree
Department of Cultural and Creative Industries	•	•	
Department of Applied Foreign Languages	•	•	
Department of Human Resource Development	•	•	

Admission for International Students

Eligibility to Apply

- Nationality: foreign nationals, provided a copy of foreign passport
- **▶** Language Proficiency Requirement : Applicant must meet one of the following language requirements:

English: TOFEL (iBT) 80, IELTS 5.5 or High school diploma or Bachelor's degree from Taiwan or English speaking institutions. OR Chinese: TOCFL Advanced or High school diploma or Bachelor's degree from Taiwan or Chinese speaking institutions.

Application Deadline (Every Year)

Spring Semester		Fall Semester		
Application Submission	September 1-October 15	Application Submission	March 24–April 15	
Application Review and Evaluation	October 30-November 16	Application Review and Evaluation	April 20-May 15	
Notification of Admission Decision	December 1	Notification of Acceptance	June 1	
Registration	Mid February	Registration	Mid September	

Required Documents for Application

- (a) Two completed application forms
- (b) Two copies of study plan in Chinese or English (including study motivation, expected graduation year and future plans)
- (c) One photocopy of highest-level diploma and official transcript in English or Chinese from the school you attended.
- (d) Two letters of recommendation
- (E) One photocopy of financial statement issued by a bank of the country in which the student resides. (NTD \$200,000 (USD\$7,000) deposit)
- (F) One photocopy of passport
- (g) Certificates of English language and/or Chinese language proficiency
- (h) Scholarship application requirements

To Apply for Scholarship	
(a) Scholarship application form	
(b) One resume written in Chinese or English	
(c) Highest level of education school report written in Chinese or English	
(d) One copy of national test certificates (optional)	
(e) Two letters of recommendation	
(f) Certificates of language proficiency (Chinese and English)	
(g) Other reference documents	

Accommodation

Dormitory fees are subject to changes every academic year (per semester/person, excluding summer and winter breaks).

Room Type Campus	Twin Room	Quad Room
Chien-Kung Campus	US\$283~US\$400	US\$232~US\$298
Yanchao Campus	US\$428	US\$308

Tuition & Miscellaneous Fees

The fees are subject to changes every academic year.

Tuition	Miscellaneous	Total		
US\$1,068	US\$684	US\$1,752		
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US\$1,059	US\$462	US\$1,521		
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Tuition	Miscellaneous	Total		
US\$988	US\$873	US\$1,861		
US\$884	US\$873	US\$1,757		
US\$1,248	US\$742	US\$1,990		
US\$1,259	US\$742	US\$2,001		
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KUAS World Achievements



2014 Solar car with KUAS on the wings of technology and creativity



2014 First prize Taipei

Intel Invention Show &

Technomart









2015 International BBQ night on Mid-Autumn Festival

2015 Social Event with International Students at **KUAS**