

The operational regulation for National Sun Yat-sen University students executing non-Ministry of Science and Technology industry-academia collaboration projects

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- I. This operational regulation has been established to elevate the connections between students of this university and industries, help them gain experience, and improve the competitiveness of industries so that students may achieve the goal of connecting learning and using.
- II. The university unit responsible for this matter is the Office of Global Industry-Academe Collaboration and Advancement.
- III. The qualifications for project participants are as follows.
 1. Qualifications for project leaders: University-eligible students who have obtained the written promise of the co-leader to advise their research and to provide them with relevant research equipment.
The preceding regulation does not apply to students of industries master's programs.
 2. Qualifications for co-leaders: full-time faculty of this university.
- IV. Students of this university who wish to be commissioned to execute industry-academia collaboration projects should proceed in accordance with the "Operational regulation for non-Ministry of Science and Technology industry-academia collaboration projects" of this university. The industry-academia collaboration contracts with business enterprises should be signed in the name of this university. The co-leaders need to cosign the contracts and the execution agreements. Co-leaders are equally responsible for the contracts.
- V. Disposal of assets purchased under and results from industry-academia collaboration projects:
 1. Unless otherwise stipulated in the contract, the books, instruments, and equipment purchased during project execution are the properties of this university, to be included in the management of university properties with the co-leader as their custodian.
 2. The ownership, management, and utilization of research outcomes stemming from the execution of the projects should be handled in accordance with the "Regulation for the management of R&D outcomes and technological transfers" of this university.
- VI. Surpluses from industry-academia collaboration projects should be handled in accordance with the "Operational regulation for non-Ministry of Science and Technology industry-academia collaboration projects" of this university. The project leader may transfer his or her project surplus to the co-leader. The project leader and co-leader discuss and decide how the surplus should be used.
- VII. Matters not fully addressed in this regulation should be handled in accordance with the "Operational regulation for non-Ministry of Science and Technology industry-academia collaboration projects" of this university.

VIII. This operational regulation is approved by the University executive council and the University Endowment Fund Management Committee. It is submitted to the President for approval and then execution. Subsequent revisions are subjected to the same approval process.

IX. This operational regulation will be used on a trial basis for three years, and it will be reviewed at the end of the trial period for its effectiveness. If the review finds it necessary to be broadly adopted, a separate regulation will be established for official implementation.