## **Appendix 1: Self-Check & Declaration for International Students**

## **Kaohsiung Medical University**

	Applied Program				
Full Name		(in Chinese)	Application Number (Be automatically assigned)		
		(in English)			
	Ide	ntification Verification Self-Cl	neck		
According to Article 2 of International Students Undertaking Studies in Taiwan, an individual of foreign					
	•	seas Chinese student status at the time	* *		
the qualification of the applicant, please place a check mark $\checkmark$ in the blank provided:					
1. Have you ever studied in Taiwan? Yes No					
1. 2.					
2.	☐ Yes ☐ No ☐ Uncertain				
3.					
	Overseas Chinese Students?	Yes No Uncertain	-		
4.	Have you ever studied in Taiwan's colleges/universities permitted by Ministry of Education to recruit				
	individually Overseas Chinese Students?  Yes  No  Uncertain				
5.	Have you applied for admission through University Entrance Committee for Overseas Chinese				
	Students in academic year 2018? Yes No				
		Declaration Form			
1.	<b>Declaration Form</b>				
1.	I hereby certify that I understand Article 2 of < Nationality Act >. [According to Article 2 of Nationality Act of the R.O.C.]				
	A person shall have the nationality of the R.O.C. under any of the conditions provided by the following				
	Subparagraphs:				
	(1) His/her father or mother was a national of the R.O.C when he/she was born.				
	(2) He/she was born after the death of his/her father or mother, and his/her father or mother was a				
	national of the R.O.C at the time of death.				
	(3) He/she was born in the te	rritory of the R.O.C, and his/her pare	nts can't be ascertained or both were		
	stateless persons.				
	(4) He/she has undergone the	e naturalization process.			
2.	I hereby declare that I have me	et the requirements indicated in the "	Regulations Regarding International		
	Students Undertaking Studies	in Taiwan" issued by the Ministry of	Education of R.O.C		
3.	I hereby declare that I am qualified for at least one of the five requirements:				
	(1)At the time of application,	I am holding a foreign citizenship, a	and I am not an overseas compatriot		

student, nor had I ever possessed citizenship of R.O.C., Taiwan.

- (2)At the time of application, I am holding a foreign citizenship and citizenship of R.O.C., Taiwan, but have never had the household registration in Taiwan, and have been living in a foreign country continuously for no less than 6 years (no less than 8 years needed for applications to School of Medicine, School of Dentistry and School of Post-Baccalaureate Medicine), and have not studied under the status of overseas compatriot students, and have not received the student status from the University Entrance Committee for Overseas Chinese Students in the year of enrollment.
- (3)At the time of application, I am holding a foreign citizenship and Taiwan citizenship, and have obtained documents issued by Ministry of Interior indicating that I have given up R.O.C nationality for at least 8 years, and have been living in a foreign country continuously for no less than 6 years (no less than 8 years needed for applications to College of Medicine, School of Dentistry and School of Post-Baccalaureate Medicine), and have not studied under the status of overseas compatriot student and have not received the student status from the University Entrance Committee for Overseas Chinese Students in the year of enrollment.
- (4)At the time of application, I am holding a foreign citizenship and a permanent residence status in Hong Kong or Macau, having no history of a household registration record in Taiwan, and at the time of application, has resided in Hong Kong, Macau, or another foreign country for no less than 6 years is qualified to apply for admission. (no less than 8 years needed for applications to College of Medicine, School of Dentistry and School of Post-Baccalaureate Medicine)
- (5)At the time of application, I am a former citizen of Mainland China and hold a foreign nationality, having no history of household registration record in Taiwan, and at the time of application, has resided overseas continuously for no less than 6 years. (no less than 8 years needed for applications to College of Medicine, School of Dentistry and School of Post-Baccalaureate Medicine)
- 4. All documents I have provided (including qualifications, passport and other relevant documents whether in original or photocopy) are authentic and valid. Should any of the documents is found of forgery or in violation of any University's regulation, my admission to KMU will be revoked, and no proof of acceptance will be issued.
- 5. The proof of the highest level of education attained that I have provided (for Bachelor's degree applicants high school diploma; for Master's degree applicants Bachelor's degree diploma; and for Ph.D. degree applicants Master's degree diploma) is valid and legally recognized by the country from which I graduated. The diploma provided is equivalent to which is awarded by certified schools in Taiwan. If this is found to be fraudulent (including those through alterations and forgery) and in violation of any regulation, my admission will be refused, my student status will be revoked, and no transcript or diploma will be issued.
- 6. I have never been expelled from any university or college in Taiwan under these circumstances (with drop-out records due to failure in conduct grades, academic grades, or being indicted guilty by the criminal law). Should I am found of breach any of the regulations, my admission will be canceled and my student status will be revoked.
- 7. If I apply for the initial household registration in Taiwan or acquire naturalization or restoration of

Taiwan citizenship during the period of my study, and thus lose my status of foreign student, I will accept the discontinuation of my student status by the University.

8. I have read all the regulations in the handbook and abide by rules mentioned above.

Note:

According to the regulations of <u>Regulations Regarding Study and Counseling Assistance for Overseas Chinese Students in</u> <u>Taiwan</u>:

(1) The term "overseas Chinese student" refers to a student of Chinese descent who has come to Taiwan to study, who was born and lived overseas until the present time, or who has been living overseas for six or more consecutive years in the immediate past and obtained permanent or long-term residency status overseas. Note that for those applying to study in the departments of medicine, dentistry, or Chinese medicine at Taiwan universities, the minimum required number of consecutive years of overseas residency is eight years.

(2) The term "overseas" refers to locations or countries outside of Taiwan, mainland China, Macao, and Hong Kong. The "consecutive years of residency" is defined as Overseas Chinese Students staying in Taiwan for less than 120 days per calendar year. If the calculated calendar year is not one complete calendar year, their stay in Taiwan should not exceed 120 days within the calculated calendar year period.

I, applying for admission Academic 2018-2019 to Kaohsiung Medical University, have never possessed an overseas Chinese student status at the time of the application. **I authorize KMU to verify all of the above information provided.** After being admitted into KMU, if any of the information provided are found and proved to be false, I have no objections in accepting the consequence of having my student status revoked.



## **Appendix 2: Application Checklist**

\* A complete application must include the following items. Please submit these items either by uploading or by post and Check ( $\checkmark$ ) the completed items for your own confirmation.

Applied Program:			
Check	Items of Documents for Admission Application		
	On-line Application form including KMU Scholarship form with autograph		
	An authenticated photocopy of the highest-level qualification certificate or diploma (Chinese or English version is required if the certificate or diploma provided is in neither of the languages aforementioned.)		
	An authenticated photocopy of official transcript of the highest-level certificate (Chinese or English version is required if the transcript is in neither of the languages aforementioned.)		
	Financial statement/financial guarantee that shows financial sustainability for study in Taiwan, or proof of the scholarship provided by a government agency, university, college, or private organization.		
	<ul> <li>Proof of Nationality:</li> <li>Photocopy of a valid passport or certificate of nationality</li> <li>Photocopies of the applicant's parents' passports or certificate of nationality</li> <li>Taiwan Alien Resident Certificate (ARC) (if applicable)</li> <li>« Forfeited Nationality Permit Certificate » issued by Ministry of the Interior for at least 8 years (for applicants who hold foreign nationality, and once held R.O.C. nationality)</li> <li>« Certificate of Entry/Exit Dates » issued by National Immigration Agency (for applicants both hold foreign nationality)</li> </ul>		
	Study Plan		
	Two Letters of Recommendation		
	Other documents required by specific departments/graduate institutes		
	Passport-size photograph		
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	Documents or proofs of other competences :		
Applicant's Signature :			Date:// (month) (day) (year)