



國立臺北護理健康大學

National Taipei University of Nursing and Health Sciences



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International Montessori Master's Degree Program
On-line Application Period: November 21, 2023~April 30, 2024
(Dual Degree Program with AMS Montessori Teacher Credential)

Introduction of Program.....

This program is designed for students with a bachelor's degree. Students take courses leading to AMS Montessori Early Childhood teacher certification while simultaneously working on two master's degrees.

Scope of Curriculum

1. Students are required to complete 33 credits of study for the program. Of the 33 credits, 24 credits are offered on-ground, and 9 credits are offered online. The courses are as follows:
Montessori Foundation I: Observation, Classroom Leadership, Parent Involvement.
Montessori Foundation II: Child Development, Montessori Philosophy.
Montessori Method I: Practical Life and Sensorial.
Montessori Method II: Language Arts and Mathematics.
Integrated Curriculum and Montessori: Physical and Life Science, as well as social study, and cosmic education.
Montessori Early Childhood Practicum I: Seminar I, Year-long Project Presentation and Student Teaching.
Montessori Early Childhood Practicum II: Seminar II, Year-long project Presentation and Student Teaching.
Education Research Methods: Research 1, Research 2, Research 3, Research 4
Others: Issues of Peace and Justice and Education Reform, Independent Study, and Master Thesis (Technical Report).
2. Students will earn two degrees and a Montessori credential after study all courses at least for 2-year successfully.
 - (i) MEd in Montessori Emphasis, offered by Chaminade University of Honolulu (CUH), U.S.A.
 - (ii) M.S. in Infant and Child Care, offered by National Taipei University of Nursing and Health Sciences (NTUNHS), Taiwan.
 - (iii) An American Montessori Society(AMS) Montessori Early Childhood Teaching Credential.

Study Period

This cohort will start in July 2024. This two-year intensive program will end in June 2026. The on-ground components of the program will be delivered from July to August 2024, and July 2025. All on-ground courses will be conducted at the NTUNHS campus in Taipei, Taiwan. Between September 2024 and May 2025, students will complete the practicum phase of the Montessori training either in Taiwan or in their home countries. Between August 2025 and June 2026 students will complete research courses on-line.

The program will be suspended if the minimum enrollment is less than 10 students.

Qualification

Qualified applicants must meet the following requirements:

1. Have a bachelor's degree from a university or college approved by the Ministry of Education, Republic of China (Taiwan), with a minimum undergraduate GPA of 3.0 or its equivalent.
2. A course-by-course evaluation from any NACES (National Association of Credential Evaluation Services) approved foreign transcript evaluation company.
3. Applicants whose native language is not English MUST should meet one of the following English proficiency requirements: a TOFEL score of at least 79 (IBT), or an IELTS score of at least 6.5, or a PTE score of at least 53*. *If you have already obtained a Bachelor degree from U.S.A., which is recognized by Taiwan's Ministry of Education. You may waive English proficiency test and transcript evaluation.

Application (English Documents required)

To apply, please complete and submit the following:

1. Complete the application form <https://edoca31icc.ntunhs.edu.tw/p/405-1055-62743.c3455.php?Lang=zh-tw>
2. Certified copy of a bachelor's diploma
3. Two original transcripts in English with an official school seal or stamp
4. Financial statement
5. Evidence of English proficiency
6. A non-refundable application fee of USD \$100 dollars for applications.
7. Curriculum Vitae/ Autobiography and other supporting materials
8. Study plan
9. Two letters of recommendation
10. A copy of passport ID page
11. Send all application documents to: No. 365, Ming-te Road, Peitou District, Taipei City 11219, Taiwan(R.O.C)
※All application documents must be posted to National Taipei University of Nursing and Health Sciences (NTUNHS) before April 30, 2024. Late submission will not be accepted. Applicants are encouraged to email scanned documents in PDF files to Dr. Pei-Chien Sun for Pre-assessment. Pre-assessment is no guarantee for your admission to the program. The final admission will be decided by Admission Committee of CUH and NTUNHS.
※Applicants are required to submit their official certificate/ diploma, transcript and financial statement to R.O.C. (Taiwan) Embassy or Representative Office for authentication after being accepted into the program by NTUNHS.

Tuition

The program is delivered as a whole package. The tuition for the whole package is USD\$26,000 dollars. Books, Montessori Manuals and lecture materials, dorm, student's insurance, and air tickets are not included.

Contact

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