National Sun Yat-sen University Department of Photonics Guidelines for Application for Scholarship by the Master's Students Studying (or Directly Studying) at the Ph.D. Program

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Article 1: Eligibility of scholarship applicants

The students being graduated from the Master's Program and studying at the Ph.D. Program of the Graduate Institute, or the Master's students of the Graduate Institute having passed the application for direct admission to the Ph.D. Program, shall be eligible for application for scholarship.

Article 2: Scholarship disbursement guidelines

A scholarship of NT\$40,000 shall be disbursed every year, and the disbursement shall be made for two years. The number of scholarship recipients each year shall not exceed 5 students. This expense is sourced from one of the funds of the Department and the Graduate Institute indicated in the "Guidelines for Elite Ph.D. Bursaries and Scholarships" of the University.

Article 3: **Rights and obligations**

Party B (each of the scholarship recipients) has to obtain a Ph.D. degree within the study period of the Ph.D. students as specified by Party A (the University).

Article 4: Penalty clause for breach of the Agreement

If Party B fails to obtain a Ph.D. degree within the study period of the Ph.D. students as specified by Party A, or discontinues from the Ph.D. Program in the midway of the study period (including voluntary or non-voluntary discontinuance of schooling), then Party B has to return the full amount of the actually received scholarship to Party A. But if Party B's discontinuance of schooling is caused by a non-voluntary factor concerning personal health or family, and after the discontinuance of schooling is proposed and then reviewed and approved by Party A, the above restriction shall not apply to the student.