Dharma Drum Institute of Liberal Arts (DILA)

【法鼓文理學院】

2021 Fall Exchange Student Application Guidelines

The Dharma Drum Institute of Liberal Arts (DILA) exchange student program is open primarily to domestic and overseas universities and institutions that have signed cooperation agreements with DILA. The goal of this program is to expand the student’s learning opportunities and international horizons and enhance Chinese language proficiency. Participants will not only interact with local students, international students and faculty, but also deepen their understanding of our school and Taiwan, in addition to becoming an active element in contemporary international society.

1. Study Duration
* Applicants for one semester: September 2021 ~ January 2022.
* Applicants for one academic year (two semesters): September 2021 to June 2022.

Note:

1. Exchange students of local and foreign schools must have an equivalent level of education (for example, those studying for a bachelor’s degree may only apply for DILA’s bachelor’s program).
2. Exchange length must be at least one semester and no more than one academic year.
3. Application Deadline: ~ April 30, 2021
4. Eligibility
5. The applicant’s current area of study and degree level must correspond to the department of our institute that is being applied for.
6. Chinese language proficiency: the applicant should meet one of the following requirements: -
7. Equivalent to CEFR language proficiency indicator A1 (entry level) in Chinese language proficiency.
8. Formal Chinese language training in the home country for more than one year.
9. Required Documents (PLEASE send scanned files in PDF format):

(The OIA will not accept delayed applications or incomplete application documents)

1. Exchange student application form (Appendix 1).
2. Photos (passport size attached to the application form).
3. Passport.
4. Certificate of study.
5. Study plan.
6. Recommendation letter (University Professor).
7. Chinese language proficiency test transcript.

Please email the above required documents to:

Dharma Drum Institute of Liberal Arts (Office of International Affairs)

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1. Exchange Program list:
2. Department of Buddhist Studies (Bachelor's Degree, Master's Degree and Doctoral Degree).
3. Master's Degree Program in Life Education.
4. Master's Degree Program in Social Enterprise and Innovation.
5. Admission Announcements

The Office of International Affairs will send the admission notice and invitation letter for successful applicants before May 30, 2021.

1. Tuition Fees:
2. Fees payable (payable to the school):
3. Dormitory fee (2-person room): NT$ 7,500/per semester (per person)
4. Accommodation deposit: NT$1,000
5. Student Insurance fee: NT$600/per semester
6. International student health insurance fee: NT$3,000/per semester
7. Internet access fee: NT$1,000/per semester
8. Personal Living Expenses (food, transportation, books): Estimate NT$6,000~8,000/per month.
9. Notes for exchange students
10. After receiving the admission notice and invitation letter from DILA, please proceed to apply for a visa as soon as possible. For visa-related information, please visit the Taiwan Ministry of Foreign Affairs, ROC (Taiwan Cultural Economic Office) of your country of residence.
11. During the exchange period, you must take courses equivalent to 6 credit hours in this school. If your original school has a maximum credit hours limit, please be sure to follow your school's course selection regulations.
12. Once the registration procedures at the exchange school have been completed, you are deemed to be a student of DILA and shall abide by all regulations and shall not do anything harmful to the reputation of the two schools.
13. During the exchange period, you should keep in close contact with this office (DILA, Office of International Affairs) and look after your own personal safety.
14. Contact information:

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1. School presentation:
2. Department of Buddhist Studies: <https://en.bs.dila.edu.tw/>
3. Life Education Master's Degree Program: <https://le.dila.edu.tw/>
4. Social Enterprise and Innovation Master's Degree Program: <https://se.dila.edu.tw/>



