**Fully Funded Short-Term Research Internship (STRI) Program**

**in Medicinal & Applied Chemistry**

**at Kaohsiung Medical University (KMU), Taiwan**

The Ministry of Education-Taiwan, launched a new program titled “Taiwan Experience Education Program at Asia plus (TEEP@AsiaPlus)" scheme to welcome Asian Countries’ students to join and explore different universities and colleges in Taiwan for short term research internship. This STRI@KMU Program in Medicinal & Applied Chemistry program is promoted, funded, and approved by Ministry of Education-Taiwan (MOE), proposed and organized by KMU, and co-organized and supported by TEEP@AsiaPlus and Elite Study in Taiwan (ESIT).

KMU, the first private and top medical university in Taiwan, established at 1954 and has a multicultural and bilingual environment with international students from more than 50 countries. The Department of Medicinal and Applied Chemistry was established on 1990 and possess more than 20 professors in 5 research areas covering all chemistry domains. Our department ranked No#1 in medicinal and applied chemistry field in Taiwan and possess large number international students and have great research interaction with medicine (4 affiliated KMU hospitals). We are proud our department is a great place where medicine meets chemistry.

The STRI@KMU Program is specifically designed for Asian countries students/scholars to experience and explore KMU in depth in a short time (4 ~ 6 months) through research and study activities at department of medicinal and applied chemistry, KMU, Taiwan. The STRI@KMU program highlights short term research experiences and English teaching curriculum by (1) intern at various research labs at different fields of advanced medicinal and applied chemistry research areas, (2) exploring and handling of various advanced research equipment at KMU, (3) great research interaction with medicine and learning advanced medicinal chemistry courses. In addition to gaining professional knowledge and skills, this STRI@KMU program also offers great opportunities to continue to pursue higher education at KMU and for participating students to learn Chinese, improve their language proficiency, and gain understating of Taiwanese culture.

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| **Program:** | Short-Term Research Internship (STRI) Program |
| **Field:** | Chemistry |
| **School:** | Kaohsiung Medical University (KMU), Taiwan |
| **Organizer:** | Kaohsiung Medical University (KMU), Taiwan |
| **Co-Organizer:** | Taiwan Experience Education Program at AsiaPlus |
| **Internship Period:** | * 4~6 months (Minimum term should be at least 4 months) |
| **Total Intern Positions:** | 10 |
| **Application period:** | 2019/02/26 ~ 2019/03/31 |
| **Result Announcement:** | 2019/04/10 |
| **Internship Period:** | Starts at 2019/04/15 and ends at 2019/12/31 |
| **Internship covers:** | 1) Round-trip airfare offered up to NTD 20,000  2) Free accommodation is provided.  3) Grant of NTD 5,000 per student per month are available for living cost.  4) Free medical insurance during the intern stay  5) Free access to research facilities.  6) Attending conferences and special lectures are available. |
| **Dormitory Information:** | International dormitory at KMU (3-4 students/room) |
| **Eligibly:** | 1. Must hold Citizenship of any Asian countries except Taiwan  2. Current undergraduates/graduates (master/doctoral) students or graduated/degree holders of bachelors/masters or company/industry workers are eligible to apply for this internship  3. Educational background must be in chemistry (any branches) or related to chemical sciences (Analytical/Physical/Organic/Inorganic/Pharmaceutical/ Polymers/Materials/Medicinal/Bio-Chemistry. |
| **Contact Information:** | For general information and program application, please contact Ms. Lo at [peggielo@kmu.edu.tw](mailto:peggielo@kmu.edu.tw) or call +886-7-312-1101 ext.2215. <https://chem.kmu.edu.tw/>  For further academic and research related questions, please contact Professor Kumar ([kumar@kmu.edu.tw](mailto:kumar@kmu.edu.tw)) |

**Application Form for Short-Term Research Internship (STRI) Program - TEEP@AsiaPlus in**

**Department of Medicinal and Applied Chemistry,**

**Kaohsiung Medical University, Taiwan**

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| **Personal Information** | | | | | Attach recent  photograph here  (about 1〞x 2〞) | |
| Full Name | |  | | |
| Sex | | □Male □Female | | |
| Date of Birth | | (Month) ／(Day) ／(Year) | | |
| Nationality | |  | | |
| Passport No. | |  | | |
| E-mail | |  | | |
| Mobile Number | |  | | |
| Skype ID/No. | |  | | |
| Current Position | | Student: □BS □MS □PhD Working as (Specify ): | | | | |
| Contact Address | |  | | | | |
| **Educational Profile** | | | | | | |
|  | Name of College/Institute/  University/Company | | City/Country | Major/Specialization | Duration | Degree |
| Bachelor degree |  | |  |  | From：  (month/year)  To： |  |
| Master Degree |  | |  |  | From：    To： |  |
| Doctoral Degree |  | |  |  | From：  To： |  |
| Other work/research Experiences |  | | | | | |
| **Interested field of chemistry in this STRI (Specify) :** | | | |  | | |
| **Which professor would you like to apply for (Specify):** | | | |  | | |
| **Willing to apply STRI for** | | | | **months (4 ~ 6 months)** | | |
| **Emergency Contact Person in your country or in Taiwan** | | | | | | |
| **Name** |  | | **Phone** |  | **Relationship** |  |
| **Address of Contact** |  | | | **Email** |  | |
| **References:** | | | | | | |
| **Referee 1**  **Name:**  **Relation to applicant:**  **Title/Position:**  **Address:**  **Email and Phone number: ( )**  **Referee 2**  **Name:**  **Relation to applicant:**  **Title/Position:**  **Address:**  **Email and Phone number: ( )** | | | | | | |
| **Declaration** | | | | | | |
| I authorize this University to verify all of the above information provided. After being admitted into this STRI@KMU provided, if any of the information provided are found and proved to be false, I have no objections in accepting the consequence of having my grant status revoked.  **Applicant’s Signature: Date: (month) (day) (year)** | | | | | | |

**Additional Documents Required:**

1. Detailed Resume/CV
2. Highest-level qualification degree certificate or diploma
3. Highest-level qualification degree Transcripts (Consolidated grade sheet)
4. 1 ~ 2 Recommendation letters - At least one recommendation letter from your current or previous college or company.
5. Passport Copy
6. Research plan and proposal
7. Potential Adviser Agreement Form
8. **\*Scanned electronic copy of filled application form along with required documents should be submitted through email as a zipped file to Miss Peggie Lo,** [**peggielo@kmu.edu.tw**](mailto:peggielo@kmu.edu.tw)

**Kaohsiung Medical University (KMU)**

**Department of Medicinal and Applied Chemistry**

**TEEP Potential Adviser Agreement Form**

Student Information:

Full Name：

Phone： E-mail：

I, Prof. , has been confirmed that I’m the potential adviser of the application student named for his/her thesis /dissertation during his/her stipulated study period in TEEP program in the Department of Medicinal and Applied Chemistry, KMU.

Professor’s signature：

Date：