

# **Regulations for Implementation of International Studies for Students of International College at I-Shou University**

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Article 1 The *Regulations for Implementation of International Studies for Students of International College at I-Shou University* (hereinafter referred to as the “Regulations”) is enacted to help students of the College to broaden their international visions and enhance their competitive edge. These Regulations shall apply to students admitted to the College in the academic year 2011 and thereafter.

Article 2 To meet the requirement for graduation, students of the College should select one of the following five options for international studies:

1. With the University’s approval, undertaking overseas studies at any university in Europe, the U.S., Australia or Asia where courses are taught in English, or undertaking overseas studies at any department of a sister university in mainland China (accredited by the Ministry of Education) that offers courses taught in English. Students should study one semester or one academic year, with a minimum requirement of nine credits per semester and a proof of credits earned.
2. With the University’s approval, undertaking overseas studies for at least four weeks during the summer break. Students must obtain credits on foreign language or specialized subject courses and a proof of credits earned.
3. With the University’s approval, undertaking an internship related to their majors at any institution abroad for one full semester or one to two months during the summer break.
4. With the University’s approval, representing the University participating in any international competition or event abroad for at least two times before graduation.
5. With the University’s approval, working as an international volunteer abroad for

at least four weeks; or as a volunteer or participant for any international competition or event held domestically. Such students shall obtain a minimum of 160 volunteer hours before graduation.

Article 3 Students who have completed the international Studies as specified above shall submit an application to the department concerned for approval. After the application is approved, the non-credit bearing course on International Studies will be registered as “Passed.”

Article 4 The Regulations become effective on the third day of promulgation after being adopted by the College Affairs Council and the University Administration Council as well as being reviewed and ratified by the President.

*Note: In the event of any disputes or misunderstanding as to the interpretation of the language or terms of these Regulations, the Chinese language version shall prevail.*