Taiwan Study Seminar for EU Officials (2016)

1. **Program:**

For EU officials to gain better understanding of the political, economic, social and educational developments in Taiwan, as well as the current cross-strait relations, the Ministry of Education in Taiwan sponsors the “Taiwan Study Seminar for EU Officials” in 2016. The programme includes group discussions, field trips and visits to various government agencies and private institutions, sightseeing and recreational activities.

1. **Qualification:**

EU full-time officials

1. **Date, Offering and Coverage:**
   1. Date: 1-5 Aug, 2016.
   2. Availability: 22 officials.
   3. Coverage:

* Travel expense

One Brussels-Taipei round-trip air ticket of economy class up to €1,400, to be reserved by accepted applicants via indicated travel agencies.

* Hotel accommodation from 31 Jul - 6 Aug, 2016

Six nights, to be reserved by the host university.

**4. Application Procedure:**

(1)Fill out the attached application form, together with curriculum vitae (with a photo) and a reference letter from the working unit; send them to the Education Division of Taipei Representative Office in the EU and Belgium, by email (edu@taipei-office.be) before the deadline of April 10, 2016.

(2)The final result will be announced by May 5, 2016, and the applicants will be informed individually.

**5. Additional Information**

Once accepted, please note the followings:

1.) The Programme is designed for the purpose of enabling EU officials to gain an in-depth and multi-faceted understanding of Taiwan and its current development. While partners and/or family are welcome to accompany participants to Taiwan at their own expense, requests for partners/family to participate in any part of the Programme cannot be considered.

2.) Should the participant decide to change their flight booking or cancel the trip, he/she will be fully responsible for costs incurred.

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**1. PERSONAL DATA**

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| Title： Mr./ Mrs./ Miss | Please attach a photograph (1 MB max.). |
| Surname： |
| First Name： |
| Nationality: |
| Telephone： |
| e-mail： |
| Mailing Address: | |
| Working Unit and Title: | |

**2. LANGUAGE PROFICIENCY**

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| LANGUAGEPROFICIENCY | COMPREHENSION | | | READING | | | WRITING | | | SPEAKING | | |
| Excellent | Good | Fair | Excellent | Good | Fair | Excellent | Good | Fair | Excellent | Good | Fair |
| CHINESE |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| ENGLISH |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
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**3 DECLARATIONS:**

* I declare thatthe information I have given on this application is complete and accurate to the best of my knowledge.
* I declare that I have read through and accepted the above Programme information/conditions.
* I declare that I have not participated in the Mandarin Training Programme (MTP) or Taiwan Study Seminar Programme (TSS) for EU officials since 2013.
* I declare that I took part in \_\_\_\_\_\_\_(PA) in\_\_\_\_\_\_\_(year). (if applicable)

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| **Applicant’s Signature**  **Date \_\_\_\_\_ /\_\_\_\_\_/\_\_\_\_\_** |

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