Membership of the Taiwan-UK University Alliance

Application Form

**Please submit your application by sending your completed application form to** [**Sandy.Chi@britishcouncil.org.tw**](mailto:Sandy.Chi@britishcouncil.org.tw) **no later than at 11:59pm UK time on 30 April 2023.**

Before completing this application form, please read the Guidance for Applicants.

If you have any questions about this call please contact [Sandy.Chi@britishcouncil.org.tw](mailto:Sandy.Chi@britishcouncil.org.tw).

We look forward to receiving your application.

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| **I have read and understood the above** (Please put an X sign) | **Yes** |  | **No** |  |

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| section 1: APPLICANT details | |
| Name of Institution |  |
| Lead Applicant  name and email address  (This should be at PVC level and would be the individual that represents your institution on the Steering Committee of the Taiwan UK University Alliance |  |
| Institution address |  |
| Biography of the Lead Applicant. (Max 500 words) |  |
| Please provide a brief introduction of the Applicant’s institution and confirm that your institution is a UK research intensive institution. (Max 500 words) |  |
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| section 1: APPLICATION QUESTIONS | | |
| What is your track record of successful collaboration with higher education institutions in Taiwan? (Max 500 words) |  | |
| What is your vision for membership of TUKUA? What do you hope to accomplish through membership? (Max 500 words) |  | |
| From the priority themes listed below please select the top **three** that you are most interested in engaging in UK-Taiwan joint research collaboration, rank them in order of interest (with 1 being the highest and 3 the lowest) and describe why your institution is well placed to contribute to research collaboration in this area. (Max 1,500 words) | | |
| **Priority Theme** | **Rank your top three themes in order of interest**  (1 being the highest, 3 being the lowest) | **Describe why your institution would be well placed to contribute to research collaboration in the three priority themes you have selected.** |
| English as the language of teaching and learning  (Max 500 words) |  |  |
| Green energy and Net Zero solutions (Max 500 words) |  |  |
| Health tech and engineering biology (Max 500 words) |  |  |
| Emerging technologies  (Max 500 words) |  |  |
| Cybersecurity and digital resilience  (Max 500 words) |  |  |
| Tomorrow’s talent (Max 500 words) |  |  |
| How would your institution’s membership of TUKUA contribute towards achieving an equal gender balance and promote diversity, ensuring no-one is excluded from participation in the activities of TUKUA on the basis of ethnicity, gender, religious belief, sexual orientation, or disability?  (Max 300 words) |  |  |

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| section 3: Additional information | |
| Please use the space below to include any additional information that you feel is relevant to your application.  (Max 300 words) |  |

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| section 4: SIGN-OFF | |
| The proposal must be signed off by the Lead Applicant | *I hereby declare that all information provided in this application (and any other required documents) is correct, accurate and complete to the best of my knowledge*.  Name, position, date: |