**NATIONAL CHUNG HSING UNIVERSITY**

**Regulations for the Appointment of Professors Emeritus**

 December 2, 2000— Passed by the 39th University Council meeting

 December 11, 2009— (Articles 2 through 6) amended and passed by the 57th University Council meeting

 December 12, 2011— (Article 5) amended and passed by the extended 61st University Council meeting

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 December 12, 2014— (Article 2) amended by the 71st University Council meeting

Article 1 National Chung Hsing University (hereinafter, NCHU or “the University”) has formulated the following regulations to honor retired full-time professors who have made extraordinary contributions to teaching, research, or University administration with the title of Professor Emeritus.

Article 2 A Professor Emeritus must meet either of the following criteria:

1. Seven or more consecutive years of service as a full-time professor at the University; international recognition for extraordinary contributions to academia; AND service as an Academia Sinica academician or recipient of a Republic of China President’s Award, the Ministry of Education Academic Award or National Chair Professorship, the MOST Excellence Award or Outstanding Contract Researcher Award, the Foundation for the Advancement of Outstanding Scholarship’s Outstanding Scholarship Award, or other international award(s) of equal significance

2. Service as the NCHU President, performance of administrative duties at the University in an adjunct capacity, or service as a full-time professor at the University for 15 consecutive years or more

Article 3 The process for Professor Emeritus nomination shall be as follows:

1. The faculty evaluation committee of each department and graduate institute may recommend retiring professors to the faculty evaluation committee of its superordinate college for review and nomination.

2. The faculty evaluation committee of each office, center, and independent degree program may recommend retiring professors to the competent college-level faculty evaluation committee for review and nomination.

The nomination form for the nomination process described in the preceding paragraph is included in the Appendix.

Article 4 Professor Emeritus candidates shall be reviewed and approved by the NCHU Faculty Evaluation Committee and be referred to the NCHU President for formal appointment in a public venue.

Article 5 Professors Emeritus may continue to use the University’s public facilities and any equipment belonging to them. Those who require a laboratory or research space for a major research project shall apply with the department/graduate institute affairs meeting on an annual basis.

Article 6 These regulations and any amendments made hereto shall be implemented following approval by the University Council.