

2025 Taiwan Global Pathfinders Initiative

Diplomatic Allies Inbound Track

Proposal-based Application Form

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| Preferred field of training, internship, or exchange: | | Profile photo | |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Smart agriculture <input type="checkbox"/> Sustainable tourism <input type="checkbox"/> Sports diplomacy <input type="checkbox"/> Cultural diplomacy | | | |
| Preferred organization for training, internship, or exchange: _____ | | | |
| Personal information | | | |
| Name: _____ | Gender: _____ | Religion: _____ | |
| Marital status: <input type="checkbox"/> Single <input type="checkbox"/> Married | Dietary restrictions: <input type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/> Yes: _____ | | |
| Date of birth (YYYY/MM/DD): _____ | | | |
| Passport number: _____ | Phone: _____ | | |
| Email: _____ | Mobile: _____ | | |
| Have you been to Taiwan before? <input type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/> Yes: Details: _____ | | | |
| Home address: _____ | | | |
| Emergency contact | | | |
| Name: _____ | Relationship to applicant: _____ | | |
| Phone: _____ | Mobile: _____ | | |
| Work/internship experience (if applicable) | | | |
| Organization | Department | Position | Duration(YYYY/MM) |
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| Education | | | | |
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| School name | | Dates attended (YYYY/MM) | | |
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| Language proficiency (Circle your level) | | | | |
| Language | Listening | Speaking | Reading | Writing |
| | Basic / intermediate / fluent | Basic / intermediate / fluent | Basic / intermediate / fluent | Basic / intermediate / fluent |
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| Other skills and experiences (e.g., work performance, exchange student, special achievements) | | | | |
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| Statement of purpose | | | | |
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| Recommender (if applicable) | | | | |
| Recommendation statement: | | | | |
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Proposal template

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| A. Personal information | |
| Name | Juan Pérez |
| Nationality | Paraguay |
| Date of birth | March 3, 2001 |
| Education | Bachelor's degree in agricultural science |
| Institution | National University of Asunción |
| Language proficiency | Spanish (native), English (fluent), Chinese (basic) |
| B. Proposal | |
| Topic: Smart agriculture | |
| Motivation and vision: To meet the growing challenges of climate change and food security, the development of smart agriculture has become a trend in modern farming. My hometown relies heavily on traditional agriculture, but faces climate instability, resource wastage, and low production efficiency. I aspire to study smart agricultural technologies in Taiwan and apply them in my home country to improve productivity and sustainability. | |
| C. Target institutions and exchange activities | |
| Target institution: World Vegetable Center | |
| <ul style="list-style-type: none">- Learn smart agricultural technologies, including IoT applications, drone monitoring, and precision fertilization- Participate in short-term internships at Taiwanese smart agriculture enterprises to understand data-driven agricultural management- Visit smart farms across Taiwan to explore various agricultural models and strategies- Attend agricultural forums and seminars to engage experts and discuss the future of smart agriculture | |

D. Expected outcomes

- Gain hands-on experience in the practical application of smart agriculture technologies
- Prepare a research report analyzing how Taiwan's smart agricultural techniques can be applied in Paraguay
- Establish connections with Taiwanese agricultural technology companies for possible future collaboration
- Organize post-program sharing sessions in Paraguay to share knowledge acquired with local farmers and government agencies

E. Expected timeline & plan

Duration: one month

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| Week 1 | Orientation, acclimatization, visits to academic and research institutions |
| Week 2 | Training and internships in smart agriculture technologies |
| Week 3 | Participating in forums and networking events |
| Week 4 | Documenting experiences, writing reports, and preparing to share what has been learned upon returning home |

F. Budget

| Item | Estimated cost (NTD) | Note |
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| Airfare | 100,000 - 120,000 | |
| Accommodation & meals | @ 3,500/day × 30 days = 105,000 | Lodging and food |
| Local transportation | @ 5,000/month | Public transport and travel expenses within Taiwan |
| Study & internship materials | 10,000-15,000 | Printing, study and experiment materials, etc. |

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| Miscellaneous (event fees, etc.) | 10,000-15,000 | |
| Total | Approx. 260,000 | |

G. Conclusion

Through this program, I aim to acquire an understanding of smart agriculture and advanced techniques in Taiwan. The insights I gain will help me improve agricultural practices in my home country, increasing farmers' productivity and incomes. This exchange will also strengthen the cooperative relationship between Taiwan and Paraguay, and foster technology transfer and international friendship.