

# My Life at National Chung Hsing University (NCHU)

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My journey at National Chung Hsing University (NCHU) has been a tapestry of memorable experiences, academic challenges, and personal growth. From the moment I stepped onto the sprawling campus in Taichung, I knew I was about to embark on an extraordinary adventure.

One of the most unforgettable places on campus for me is the serene lake surrounded by lush greenery. It's not just a picturesque spot; it's my secret corner where I find solace amidst the rigors of academic life. The tranquil environment, with ducks gliding gracefully over the water and the gentle rustling of leaves, offers a perfect escape from the bustling world. Many of my evenings are spent here, with a book in hand or simply reflecting on my day.

Another special place is the library, a haven for knowledge seekers. The modern architecture,

coupled with an extensive collection of books and research materials, makes it an ideal place for intellectual pursuits. The silent study rooms have witnessed countless hours of my academic endeavors, from late-night cramming sessions to collaborative group projects.

NCHU is not just about academics; it's a melting pot of cultures and traditions. The university organizes numerous cultural events and trips that provide a deeper understanding of Taiwan's rich heritage. One such event that remains etched in my memory is the Mid-Autumn Festival celebration. The campus comes alive with vibrant lantern displays, traditional music, and delicious mooncakes. Participating in the lion dance and making lanterns with my friends were experiences that brought us closer, fostering ...

The TCUS (Taiwan Comprehensive University System) events have been a significant part of my experience at NCHU. These events, which bring together students from various universities in the system, offer a platform for cultural exchange and mutual learning. One of the most memorable TCUS events was the annual sports meet. Competing in various sports and cheering for our teams created a strong sense of camaraderie and school spirit. The friendly rivalry and the joy of winning medals made these events highl...

The cultural trips around Taiwan organized by the university are also highlights of my time here. Exploring the night markets of Taipei, hiking in Taroko Gorge, and visiting the historic temples in Tainan have given me a profound appreciation of Taiwan's diverse culture and stunning landscapes. These trips are more than just sightseeing; they are opportunities to bond with fellow students and create lifelong memories.

One of the most cherished memories of my time at NCHU is a spontaneous road trip to Sun Moon Lake with a group of friends. The crystal-clear waters, surrounded by misty mountains, provided a

breathtaking backdrop for our adventure. We rented bicycles and rode around the lake, stopping occasionally to take in the scenic beauty and capture moments on our cameras. That trip, filled with laughter and camaraderie, epitomized the spirit of friendship and exploration that NCHU fosters.

The campus life at NCHU is vibrant and dynamic, with numerous clubs and organizations catering to a wide range of interests. I joined the debate club, which not only honed my public speaking skills but also introduced me to a diverse group of passionate individuals. The debates and discussions we had, often stretching late into the night, broadened my perspective and enhanced my critical thinking abilities.

Another unforgettable event was the Dragon Boat Festival. I had the opportunity to join the university's dragon boat team. The intense training sessions, early morning practices, and the thrill of the race on the day of the festival were exhilarating. The sense of accomplishment and teamwork we felt after crossing the finish line is something I will never forget.

In conclusion, my life at National Chung Hsing University has been a blend of academic rigor, cultural enrichment, and personal growth. The campus, with its beautiful spots and vibrant community, has become a second home. The experiences and memories I have gathered here are treasures that I will carry with me long after I leave. NCHU is not just a university; it's a place where dreams are nurtured, and lifelong friendships are forged.