



# Taiwan International Graduate Program - X

## TIGP - X



- Provide flexible terms of research stay (3 M ~ 3 Y) for PhD students
- Cultivate international PI-to-PI collaboration
- Support living and research cost while in Taiwan

## International Collaboration among PIs



**Student's Co-advisor**

at Academia Sinica

**PhD Student**

from Foreign University

**Student's Thesis Advisor**

at Home University



**= TIGP-X Applicant**



Fellowship provided  
while in Taiwan

Up to ~US\$ 1,670 / month



On-campus  
Accommodation

(provided for the first year  
with price ~USD 180/month)

# Benefits

as a

**TIGP-X PhD  
student**



Round-trip airfare

(economy class)



Counseling  
service

Home Universities

Since 2023

Academia Sinica (AS)

AS researcher  
submits the TIGP-X  
application for review

Co-advisor from AS is  
encouraged to attend the  
thesis defense

Students obtain degree  
from Home University



Requirements:

1. Existing collaboration between researchers from both sides
2. Selecting a topic of mutual interest

Students spend  
significant time at both  
sides (3 M ~ 3 Y at AS)

Students publish  
papers with both sides  
as affiliations



# Timeline

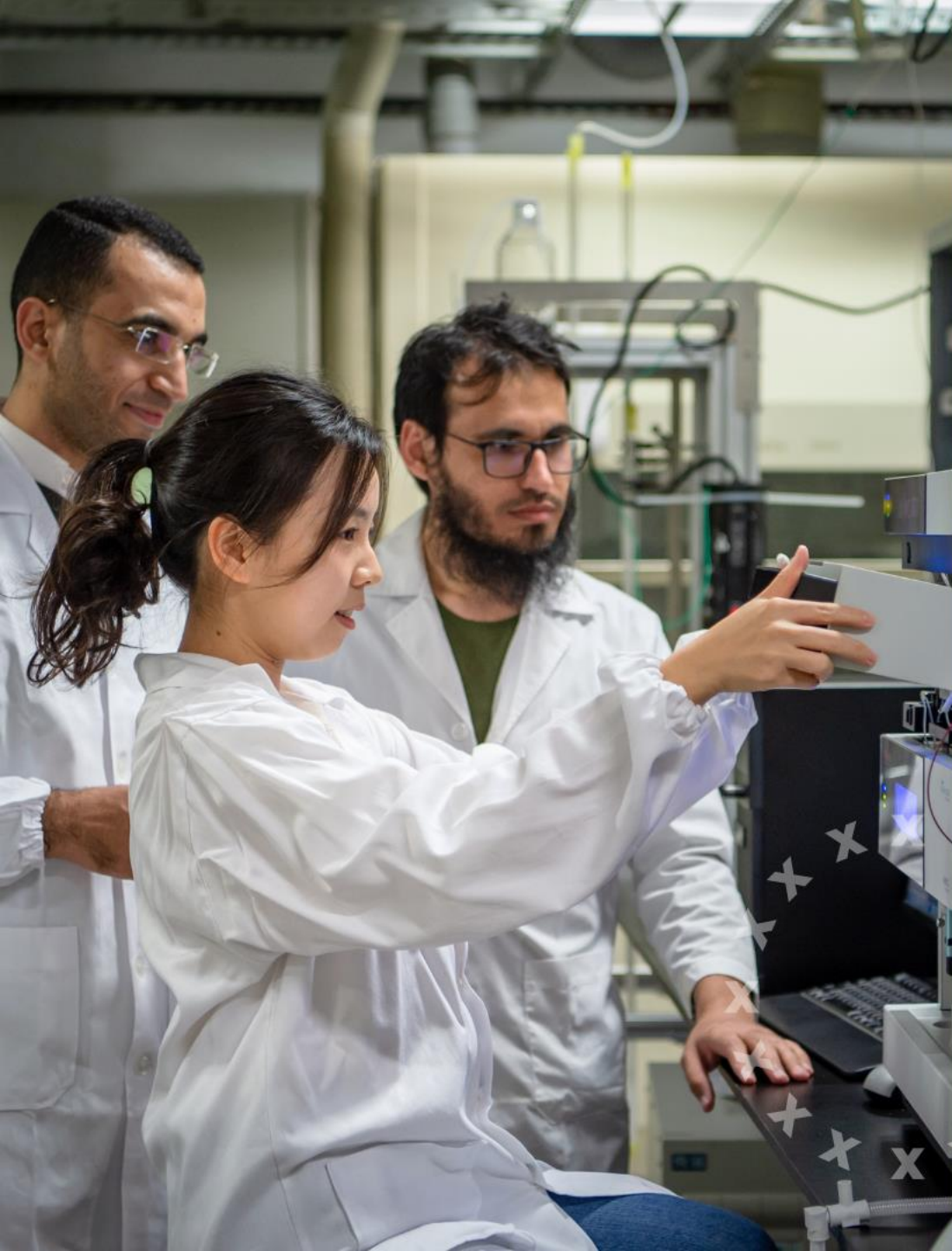
	Year 1	Year 2	Year 3	Year 4	Year 5	Year 6
<b>Courses and/or Degree Requirements (Qualifying Exam *1)</b>	Home University	Home University	Home University			Home University *2
<b>Defining Thesis Problem</b>		Home University & Academia Sinica	Home University & Academia Sinica			
<b>Thesis Research</b>		3 M – 3 Y in Taiwan				
<b>Thesis Defense</b>						Home University & Academia Sinica

**Home  
University**

**Home University &  
Academia Sinica**

**Academia  
Sinica**

\*1, Subject to the regulations of the Home University; \*2, If needed



Academia Sinica, Taiwan

# Taiwan International Graduate Program-X (TIGP-X)

**Trial Period from October 2023 to September 2024**



Cultivating international PI-to-PI collaboration



Co-advising PhD student from foreign university

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