**National Tsing Hua University Excellent Internation cooperation Papers and Top-notched Papers Publication Subsidy Regulations**

Approved on October 4, 2018 by the Research and Development Meeting.

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I. Purpose of the subsidy: These Regulations are formulated to enhance the academic reputation of NTHU, encourage NTHU full-time faculty members to actively publish high-quality academic research outcomes, and support the cost of paper publication.

II. Subsidy items: The subsidy shall be for papers published by full-time NTHU faculty members under the name of National Tsing Hua University. Papers are divided into:

(1) Excellent Internation cooperation Papers (Top 20% in the field).

(2) Top-notched Papers (Top 2% in the field).

III. Subsidy amount: Subsidy shall mainly be for publication expenses. Generally, each faculty member may be subsidized only once a year. Recipients of the subsidy shall obtain approval for the expense within the approval deadline of the current year of receiving the subsidy. Receipts for approval shall be dated between January 1 and December 31 of the current year of receiving the subsidy.

(1) Excellent Internation cooperation Papers (Top 20% in the field): Subsidy amount shall generally be one-third of the amount applied.

(2) Top-notched Papers (Top 2% in the field): Subsidy amount shall generally be one-half of the amount applied.

IV. Application method: Application for each paper shall be submitted by one NTHU representative. Complete the application form and submit together with relevant documents to the Office of Research and Development for processing. The representative applicant shall attach a letter of consent of the representation from NHTU authors and other authors.

V. These Regulations were discussed and approved by the Research and Development Meeting, and shall be implemented upon the approval of the University President.