

**Ministry of Science and Technology**  
**Application Form for Outstanding Research Award (ORA)**  
(Research Fields : Humanities and Social Sciences)

I、Notes :

- A. Upload 1-5 representative research achievements (practical works included) achieved in recent 5 years before the deadline of the application. Fill in the form of research achievements in recent 5 years (C302) and summarize systematically the academic value and contributions of research achievements, which will be the references for the evaluation of this award.
- B. The applicant can choose to fill in either the Chinese or English version of the Research Performance Appraisal (please refer to the appendices).

II、Categories :

A. Fundamental Research

The research achievements should be focused on the breakthrough of scientific problems and meet at least one of the following requirements:

- being academically original or of great academic value.
- being innovative and influential in academic studies, as well of great contributions to academic development.

B. Applied Research

The research achievements should be practical in solving problems of economy, society, well-being, environmental sustainability, and industrial efficiency in Taiwan. It should also have great contributions to the improvement of knowledge and technology for human life.

III、Review Criteria

Shared criteria for fundamental research and applied research

1. The quality, significance, and innovation of research achievements and the contributions in academic and practical aspects.
2. The importance of the academic achievements derived from participating the domestic and international academic affairs or receiving academic awards that make great contribution to personal and the overall academic development.

### Specific criteria for applied research

1. The research achievements that fulfil social responsibility, and make significant contributions to the improvements for practical problems. Please provide the concrete facts.
2. The research achievements focus on solving the practical problems of human society, with the results highlighting the merits and impact of humanities and social sciences.

## **Appendix**

### **Research Achievements Appraisal of Applicant for Outstanding Research Award (Research Fields : Humanities and Social Sciences)**

- \* The applicant's research performance will be evaluated by the research achievements. Please fill in the form completely and accurately. The principal investigator should update personal data sheet on the academic research service portal of Ministry of Science and Technology.
- \* The application form is limited to 5 pages. (font size: 12pt; single line spacing)
- \* The period of writing in the past 5 years is from September 2015 to August 2020.

1. Summarize systematically the academic value and contributions of your representative research achievements based on the form of your research achievements in recent 5 years (C302) (practical works included).
2. Describe the contributions to the cultivation of young scholars, establishment and service for the research team and academic community, as well as the major contributions to our society in recent 5 years.
3. Other supporting materials  
(Awards or honors received, plenary or invited talks given at international conferences, positions or services performed in international, eminent academic organizations or associations, e.g. supervisor, council member, journal editor or review panelist.)