Graduate Institute of Teaching Chinese as a Second Language (TCSL)

• Degree Offered
  □ Bachelor Programs  █ Master’s Programs  □ Doctoral Programs

• Introduction
  As the population increases, the Chinese language is being spread more rapidly since it is the most used language in the world. Over the years, with the increasing economic and educational interflow between Taiwan and China, there has also been an increasing interest in the world population for learning Chinese. In order to meet with this increasing demand, the Graduate Institute of Teaching Chinese as a Second Language (TCSL), which is the first nationally accredited M.A. Program in Taiwan (Republic of China) in the field of Teaching Chinese as a Second Language, will begins its first year of operation on August 1, 1995.

• Research Fields
  1. The program provides rigorous training in the areas of modern Chinese linguistics, Chinese language pedagogy, and Chinese language instructional materials of all media. Courses in Chinese literature and Chinese culture are also included in the program.
  2. The program aims to train professionally qualified instructors of modern Chinese at levels up to university instruction either domestically or overseas.
  3. The doctoral program prepares its graduates to be leaders, creative scholars, and teachers in TCSL education.

• Graduation Requirements
  Course duration: 4 semesters
  The requirements for graduation: 36 credits
  Required courses: Chinese Language Teaching Methods and Materials, Chinese Linguistics, Syntactic Structures of Chinese, Research Methodology

• Languages of Instruction
  □ English  ■ Chinese  □ Other:

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