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Leaders in Future Trends








Introduction

Organizer : **MOST** 科技部
Ministry of Science and Technology

Implementer : **STPI** NAR Labs 國家實驗研究院
科技政策研究與資訊中心
Science & Technology Policy Research and Information Center

LIFT Program Office
Date : April 1, 2020

Outline

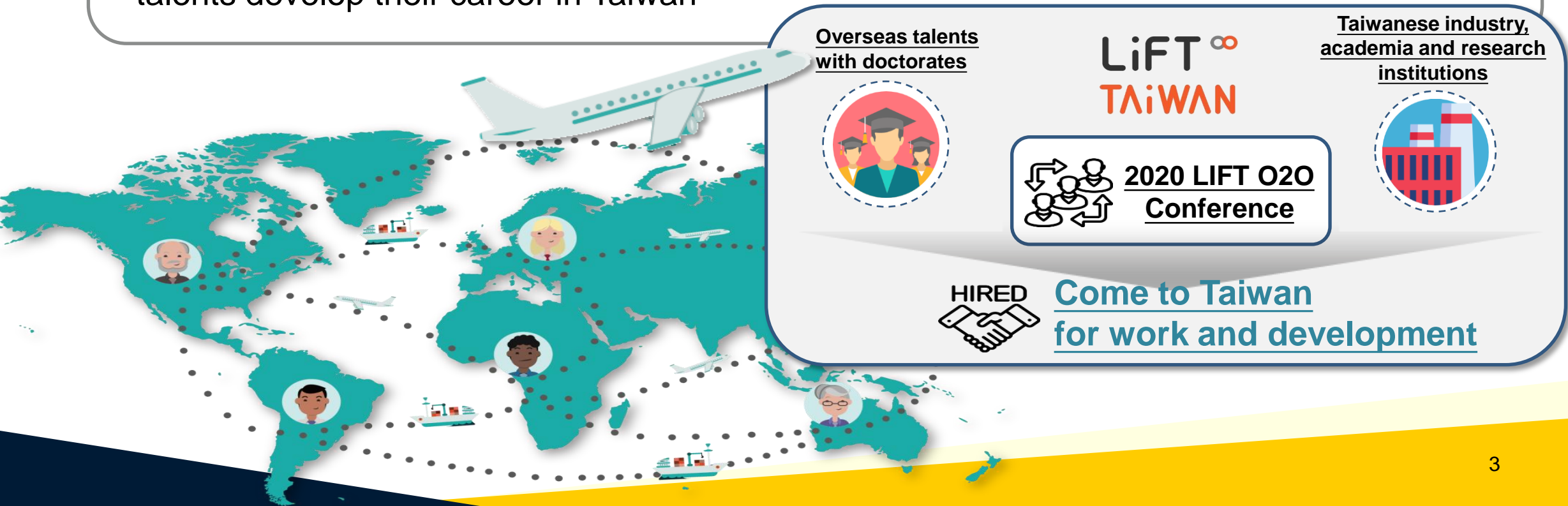
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I. Background

LIFT 2.0 Promotion Mechanism

- Construct an **exchange and matchmaking platform** to attract overseas top talents to Taiwan, offering **online/offline** supply and demand opportunities between **overseas scholars** and **Taiwanese industry, academia and research institutions** so that such talents develop their career in Taiwan



II. Platform Description

Goal

□ The LIFT Program intends to promote understanding of Taiwan's current situation among overseas scholars and offer direct matchmaking services for vacant posts. It plans to build an **online** supply and demand mechanism as well as organize **offline** exchange and matchmaking events. Participation is expected to encourage overseas talents to work and develop in Taiwan.

Promotion methods

Online matchmaking

Offline exchange

Step 1. Compile vacant posts in domestic industries

Invite industry and academia to publish vacant posts for top talents



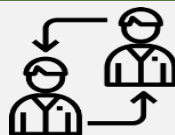
Step 2. Build a LIFT database of overseas talents

Invite overseas talents to post their resumes or sign up information in LIFT database.



Step 3. Establish pre-event matchmaking mechanism

Offer direct online matchmaking that actively offers a list of recommendations



Organize LIFT Conferences

- ▶ Select 100 overseas scholars to come to Taiwan for participation (subsidies for round trip plane tickets, food and accommodation)
- ▶ Approx. 10 days of event itinerary:

Consensus camp for visiting scholars

Visits to important Taiwanese industrial organizations

Tours at economic planning and development sites

Exchange and matchmaking conferences in northern, central and southern Taiwan

1st Session
October

2nd Session
December



Overseas top talents



Cross-field academic research units

III. Open Call Description (1/3)

Registration open from Mar 1
Deadline on Jul 31

A Open call content

How to join the LIFT 2.0 overseas talent platform?

Meet the qualifications (at least one from the following):

1. Possesses a doctoral degree from a foreign university with 2+ years overseas paying work experience at last job.
2. Possesses a master's degree from a foreign university with 3+ years overseas work experience on artificial intelligence.
3. Possesses a doctoral degree from a domestic university with 3+ years of overseas work experience, and is still overseas.

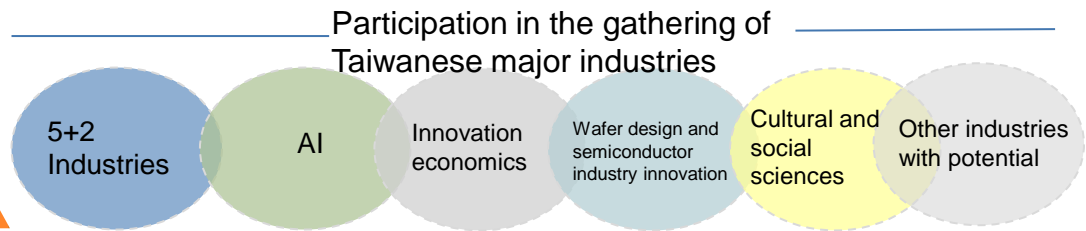
1. Recommendation by Science and Technology Divisions of overseas representative office

2. Registration at the LIFT official website

B Benefits for scholars

LIFT Features

- 0 cost to come back/go to Taiwan
- Learn the current state of Taiwan industries in a short time
- One-on-one in-depth exchanges with industrial representatives



Join LIFT for online selection of high-ranking vacant posts in Taiwan

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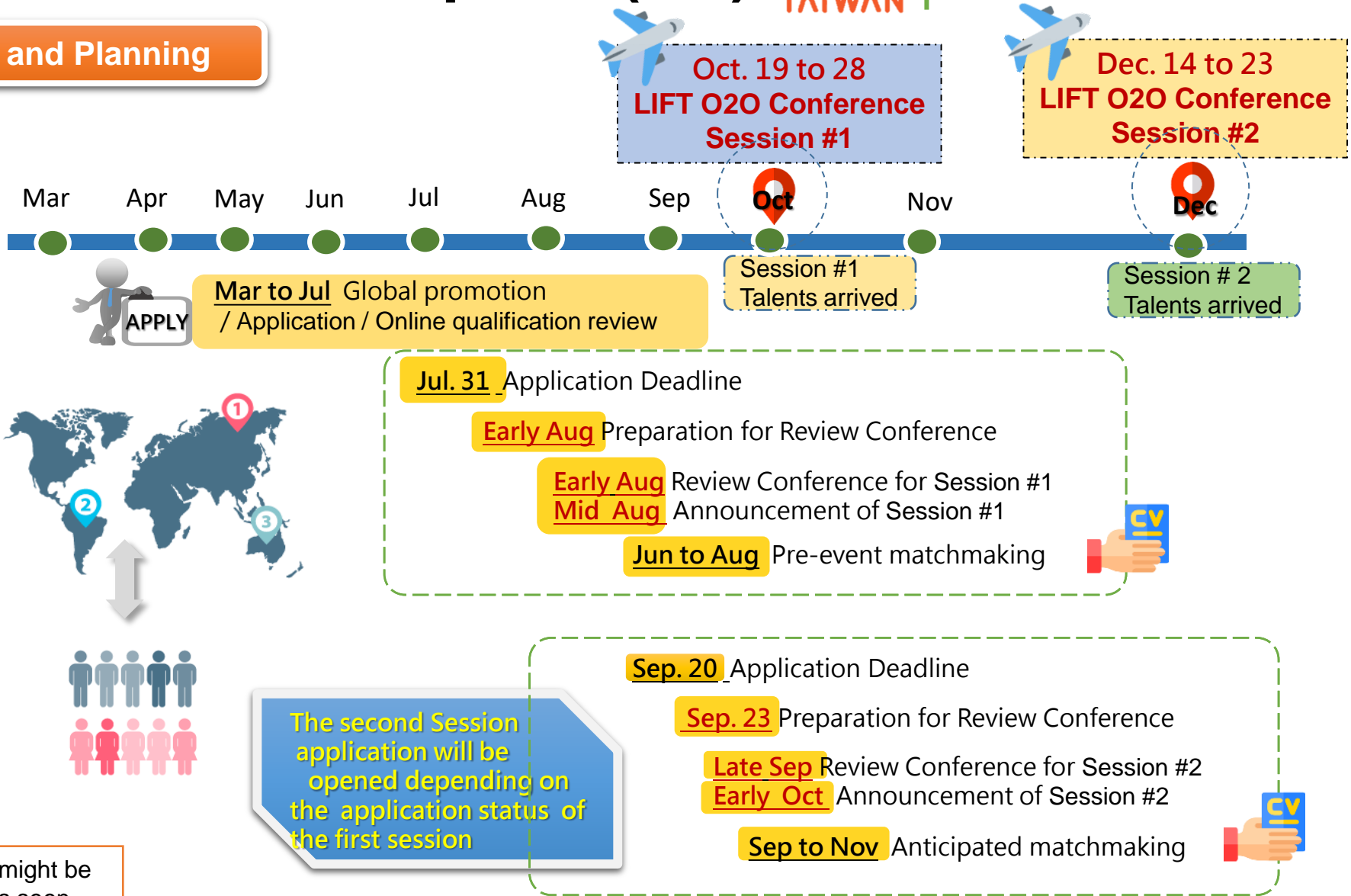
Taiwan is changing and you are the key!

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III. Open Call Description (2/3)

Itinerary and Planning



* Itinerary might be adjusted as seen necessary by MOST

III. Open Call Description (3/3)

Regulations and Guidelines Related to Implementation of MOST's LIFT 2020

- Please consult the official website of MOST's LIFT 2020, including implementation regulations of Eligibility, Fund and Support, and Rights and Responsibilities.

Eligibility



Applicant Qualifications:

1. Under 45 years of age (born after January 1, 1975)
2. Possesses a doctoral degree from a foreign university and has at least 2 years of paying work experience at the applicant's last job outside Taiwan, or a master's degree from a foreign university and has at least 3 years of relevant overseas work experience in the field of artificial intelligence.
3. Possesses a doctoral degree from a domestic university, has at least three years of overseas work experience, and is still overseas at the time of application.
4. Applicants who are currently enrolled in an overseas Ph.D. program and plan to graduate before the end of 2020 may submit proof issued by the overseas university that they have passed their oral defense and dissertation review. Once they have received a doctoral degree certificate, applicants must submit a copy to MOST for review.



Application method:

1. Please apply via the LIFT Program website.
2. Please fill out the online application form (including educational background and autobiographical sketch), and upload the supporting documents.



Review method:

The Program's selection process will consist of a preliminary and secondary review in 2020. Industry and academic experts in relevant fields on the review committee will conduct a substantive review, and interviews will be conducted via telephone or videoconferencing when deemed necessary.

Fund and Support



1. Airfare subsidy to attend exchange (Economy Class)
2. The Program will arrange professional exchange activities, visits to national development projects and Taiwanese industry, academia and research institutions, as well as organize talent exchange and matchmaking events (10 days in total).
3. Free accommodation, meals and transportation will be provided during the event, excluding all other expenses.

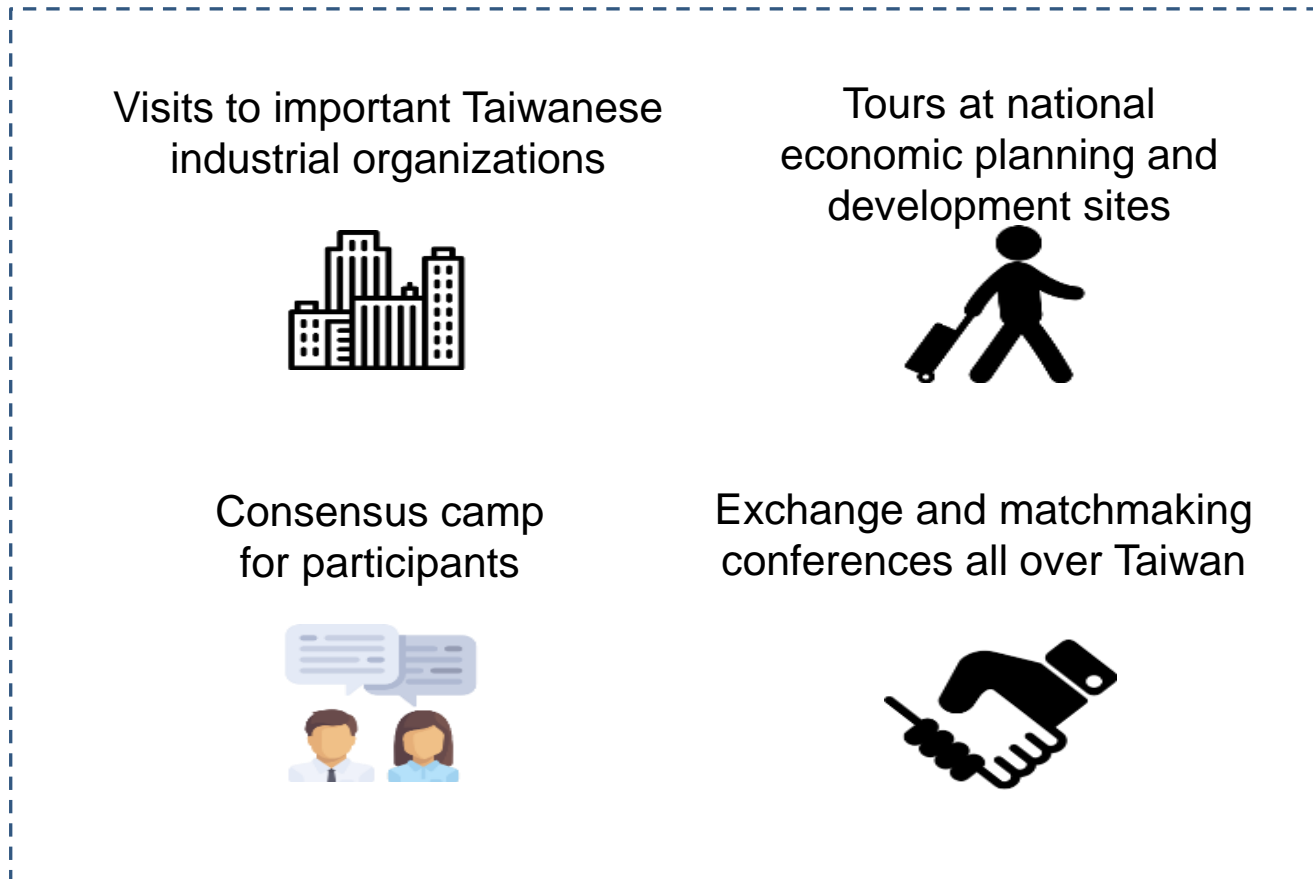
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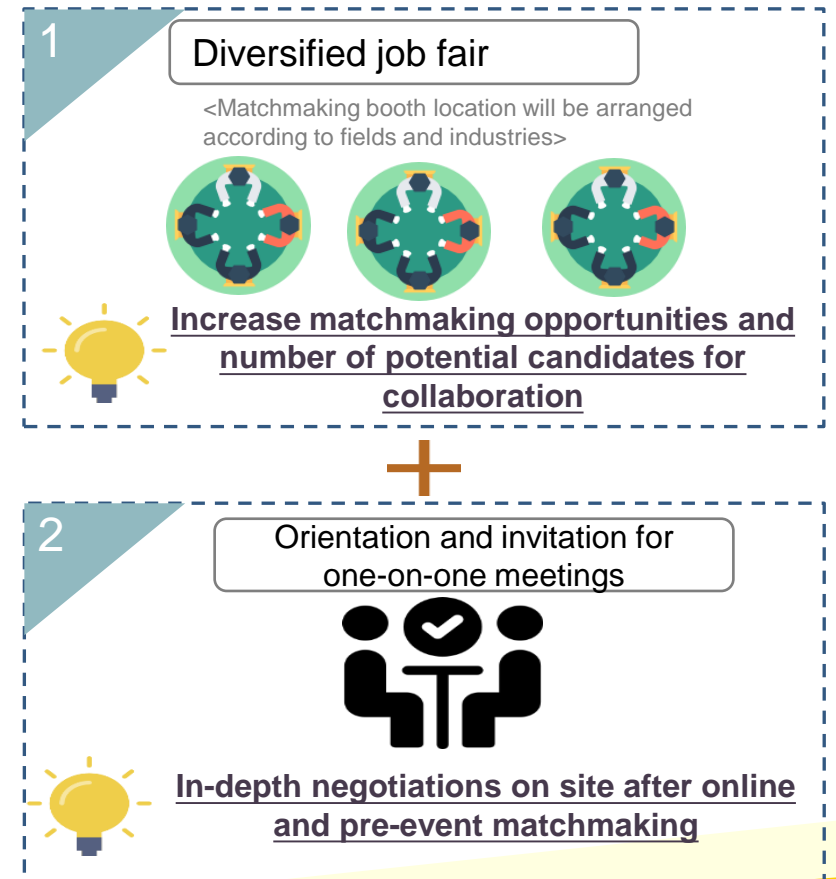
- If an applicant who has been selected to attend the first session of the “Leaders in Future Trends O2O Conference” wishes to instead attend the second session due to urgent matters, the applicant must notify the LIFT Program Office within 15 days after the announcement of selected applicants is made. If an applicant fails to provide notification before the deadline, he/she must submit a new application.
- The subsidy is only available to those attending the activity during 2020. Selected applicants shall sign an agreement with the Program Office before the start date of the Leaders in Future Trends O2O Conference. Selected applicants who cannot attend the conference or fails to sign the agreement for any reasons will not have any right under this program.

IV. 2020 LiFT Conference

LIFT O2O Conference, Taiwan Itinerary



Matchmaking model



LIFT 2.0 Program

Airfare Subsidy Table (Economy Class)

Unit : NTD

Region	Maximum Airfare Subsidy
Western United States and Western Canada	68,000
Eastern United States and Eastern Canada	92,000
Central America	96,000
Northeast Asia	32,000
South Asia	64,000
Southeast Asia	52,000
New Zealand & Australia	112,000
Middle East	112,000
Europe	130,000
Others	(According to relevant standards)

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2019 LIFT Conference



SHIH-MING TSAI

Phalanx Biotech



I-FAN LIN

Academia Sinica
CITI



SHIH-CHUNG WEI

LCY CHEMICAL CORP.



YI-CHUN CHIEN

NCCU Department
of Political Science



CHENG-HSIN LU

NYMU Brain Research Center



YING-CHU LO

Academia Sinica ABRC



YUNG-TSEN CHEN

ADAT Technology Co., Ltd.



CHIH-TING KUO

Universe Circular Tech.



YI-HSUN SU

National Institute of
Cancer Research



FU-LONG CHANG

棗子科技 Co.



YU-CHUN CHEN

TSMC



PEI-JUNG WU

NARLabs STPI



HSIANG-I CHUANG

Hsinchu Ke Yuan
Elementary school



SHANG-NAN TSAI

NKUST Department of
Mold and Die Engineering



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MIN-I LEE

NTU Center for Condensed
Matter Sciences



FU-HAO CHEN

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RONG-BING CHIU

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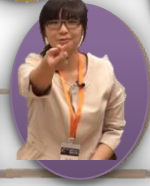
YU-LIN CHEN

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NARLabs STPI



V. Rights and Responsibilities

LIFT 2.0 Guidelines for Participants' Rights and Responsibilities

For regulations and guidelines related to the Program's Funding & Support and Rights & Responsibilities, please refer to announcements and content on the official website of MOST's LIFT 2020.



◀ Scan to see LIFT guidelines for participants' rights and responsibilities

Right No. 1

The Program will provide subsidies covering single round-trip economy class airfare to and from Taiwan for the selected applicant's attendance at the Leaders in Future Trends O2O Conference, and such airfare will be for the most direct route from the selected applicant's place of residence or work. (Relevant subsidy regulations will be announced on the Program website.)

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Right No. 2

Subsidies will be provided for accommodations, meals, and transportation during the activity period; other expenses will not be covered.(the LIFT O2O conference will be held for 10 days in total)

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Right No. 3

Participants of the subsidy will have the chance to visit important Taiwanese industrial organizations and have **one-on-one in-depth meetings with industrial representatives.**

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Responsibility No. 1

If an applicant selected to attend the first session of the "Leaders in Future Trends O2O Conference" wishes to instead attend the second session due to urgent matters, the applicant must notify the LIFT Program Office within 15 days after the announcement of selected applicants. If an applicant fails to provide notification before the deadline, he/she must submit a new application.

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Responsibility No. 2

If a selected applicant accepts an offer of employment at an enterprise/university/research organization during the exchange activity period in Taiwan, he/she shall notify the LIFT Program Office and provide proof of employment, and he/she may cease participating in exchange activities after obtaining the Program Office's consent.

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Responsibility No. 3

While returning/coming to Taiwan to attend the LIFT O2O-Conference, selected applicants must participate in all exchange activities. However, if a selected applicant accepts an offer of employment at an enterprise/university/research organization while in Taiwan to participate in the Program, even if he/she does not participate in all activities, he/she may still be subsidized for airfare subsidy with an official proof of employment.

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Responsibility No. 4

The Program Office shall retain the right to terminate the agreement of any selected applicants who: violate the laws of the ROC (Taiwan); have already found a professional position in Taiwan prior to returning/coming to Taiwan; or fail to cooperate with the Program Office during the exchange period in Taiwan.

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Responsibility No. 5

The selected applicants shall submit a report at the end of the exchange period (or when their agreements are terminated ahead of time) in accordance with their agreement. They shall also be required to complete follow-up telephone or written surveys by this Program concerning the effectiveness of the Program within the 2-year period after obtaining subsidies.

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