



Call for Papers: *Chung-Hwa Buddhist Studies*

The Chung-Hwa Institute of Buddhist Studies, an accredited research institute dedicated to academic research and publication in Chinese Buddhism, has launched a grant project for graduate students. In line with the institute motto declared by founder Master Sheng Yen, “ Our roots are Chinese; and branches are global,” the Chung-Hwa Institute of Buddhist Studies and the Sheng Yen Education Foundation cooperate to offer with opportunities of publication and financial supports via the journal, *Chung-Hwa Buddhist Studies*.

I. Topics of contribution

Academic articles related to Chinese Buddhism of any period within a wide variety of fields, e.g., literature, history, philosophy, art, psychology, education, etc., are welcome.

II. Prospective contributors

Students currently enrolled in domestic and international graduate programs are welcome to submit their academic works. Prospectives with a Master's degree who are considering further study are invited as well.

III. Deadline

An issue deadline is set on July 30th annually. Manuscripts received after July 30th will be considered for the next year. Manuscripts received by the deadline will be reviewed for the issue published in December annually.

IV. Prize

Accepted articles from students in M.A. programs or contributors with a Master's degree will be awarded a prize of NT\$10,000 (approximately 300 USD) .

Ph.D. students whose article gets accepted will receive a prize of NT\$20,000



(approximately 600 USD).

*This project will be offered continuously until further announcement. (Twenty percent tax will be deducted.)

V. Submission checklist

1. A “Contributor's Information Sheet.” (This form is available on-line at <http://www.chibs.edu.tw>)
2. A validated statement of enrollment in graduate program, or a copy of the Master's degree diploma.
3. A recommendation letter from the academic adviser. Comments on the article submitted must be included in the recommendation letter as well.
4. Digital versions of the article (DOC and PDF files), along with font files for special characters (if any).

***The listed are all required. Please email them to: grant@chibs.edu.tw**

VI. Submission guidelines

1. Manuscripts are expected in Chinese, English, or Japanese, with a length of 10,000 to 20,000 words. A complete manuscript should include the following components: the title, an abstract within 600 words, and five keywords in both English and Chinese (or Japanese), along with table of contents and references. Please see “manuscript formatting” for the suggested format of manuscripts (available at <http://www.chibs.edu.tw>)
2. All submissions will be reviewed anonymously by two outside reviewers. Acceptance of submitted manuscripts will be based solely upon the opinions of the reviewers. Authors unwilling to meet reviewers’ suggestion for revision will be considered as withdrawal of the submission.
3. *Chung-Hwa Buddhist Studies* reserves the right to revise articles. The author is responsible for proofreading before publication.



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4. Authors submitting a manuscript to the *Chung-Hwa Buddhist Studies* should not simultaneously submit the manuscript to another journal. Copyright of all accepted works will transfer to the *Chung-Hwa Buddhist Studies*. CHIBS may include articles in on-line databases or CD/DVD titles for academic distribution. The authors will be provided two copies of the published *Chung-Hwa Buddhist Studies* and ten excerpted copies. Written permission must be obtained in advance to reprint or reproduce articles.

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