21 世紀全球競爭趨勢首重人才培育,各國無不積極投入人才建設,以教育強化國家競爭力。教育部長吳清基博士於教育施政理念與政策中揭櫫,面對三E(Excellence 卓越、Efficiency 效率、Equity公平)時代之來臨,各國教育改革均致力於健全優質教育環境、落實適性學習教育、提升教師素質與教學品質、強化國際競爭力及追求卓越發展。

本校為符應教育施政五大主軸(以全人教育為目標、以生命教育 為基礎、以終身教育為精神、以完全學習為歷程、以健康校園為園地), 積極強化高等教育人才培育,以開創前瞻領域教育、增進學生人文科 技素養、專門知能學習與終身學習力、提升英語能力與國際競爭力、 建構安全教育環境、善盡大學社會責任為圭臬,實現卓越、績效、創 新、科技與服務之精緻教育。

為完成大學「教學、研究、服務」三大功能目標,本校積極落實 全方位校務發展工作,自89年合併成立以來,逐漸擴大校務規模,除 原有行政教學單位,更陸續成立各研究中心、實習廠場及檢驗中心等。 組織編制隨實務運作調整,目前積極進行教學系所整併及課程整合, 98學年度新設14個跨領域專業學程,以加強學生就業競爭力;提升師 資素質與研究成果,98學年度延攬了23位優秀且具教學與研究熱忱的 專任教師,鼓勵並獎助教師進修與研究,通過升等者總計25人,助理 教授以上教師占91.63%。

在教育部指導與全體師生共同努力下,本校各方面表現均有長足 的進步,98 年度獲選教育部首屆綠色大學示範學校、獲得教育部大學 教學卓越計畫 6,900 萬元獎勵、榮獲教育部政府服務品質獎優等及 99 年第七屆國家新創獎等殊榮。學生代表參賽方面,98 學年度課業輔導 社榮獲服務性類組特優獎、八色鳥活動隊榮獲體育及康樂性類組優等 獎、蘭潭國樂社、管樂社及民雄潄音國樂社榮獲全國音樂比賽南區決 賽絲竹室內樂合奏及國樂合奏優等獎項,全國大專校院運動會棒球、 羽球、拔河、游泳、田徑、跆拳道、柔道等方面均分別獲得各獎項前 3 名,表現傑出,其他團體或個人參與校外比賽或學術論文發表等亦成 果豐碩。

在國際學術交流合作方面,迄今已與40所國外學校締結姊妹校。 98 學年度與姊妹校美國愛達荷大學、日本明治大學、日本酪農學園大 學、泰國湄洲大學、泰國坤敬大學、泰國皇后詩麗吉植物園、法國南 特木業學院、大陸西北農林科技大學、南京農業大學、福建農林大學 及蒙古國立農業大學,進行學者互訪、技術交流、研究合作、交換學 生及師生短期訪問交流等合作計畫,積極拓展師生國際視野。

在硬體設施的充實方面,完成了雲嘉南動物疾病診斷中心、生科 院健康館、農學院景觀學系大樓、動物產品研發推廣中心、森林生物 多樣性教學研究大樓、植物溫室等新建工程並啟用,並賡續進行各項 研究設施的擴充與補強,以提供師生更優質的研究環境與學習空間。

本校奠基在嘉義技術學院及嘉義師範學院的深厚基礎下,秉持校 訓「誠樸、力行、創新、服務」之精神,擘畫宏觀的校務發展願景與 藍圖,未來更將持續結合農業、教育、人文藝術、理工、管理、生命 科學等六大領域之特色與優勢,培育追求卓越與創新、效率與公平、 術德兼備、全人發展,關懷社會並具備文化意識與全球視野之優秀人 才,引領師生同仁朝向國際一流大學的目標邁進。

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Preface

With the trend of globalization, the cultivation of human resources has become pivotal in the 21st century. Every country in the world endeavors to foster human resources, hoping to strengthen their national competitiveness through education. The Minister of Education, Dr. Ching-Ji Wu, indicates in his administrative plan that facing the age of 3E (Excellence, Efficiency, Equity), countries worldwide all work on establishing a well-rounded educational environment, practice individually-adaptive pedagogies, improving teaching quality, enhancing national competitiveness, and seeking excellence.

To meet the five principles of the Ministry of Education (holistic education, life education, lifelong education, mastery learning, and healthy campus), National Chiayi University is dedicated to improving the cultivation of human resources in higher education. Through establishing prioneering educational domains, we set our mission to develop students' knowledge of humanities and technology, professional knowledge, lifelong learning abilities, English proficiency, and international competitiveness. We aim to establish safe educational environment; and to fulfill universities' social responsibility. Our vision is to accomplish excellence, innovation, and betterness education in technology and service.

To fulfill the three functions of universities "teaching, research and service," the University endeavors to achieve development in every aspect. Since two colleges merged into one in 2000, it has been gradually expanding our service scale; in addition to administrative and teaching units, it has established research centers, plants and farms for internship, and analytical centers. The university structure was also adjusted according to the practical experience; currently the University is working on teaching unit consolidation and curriculum integration, and 14 new interdisciplinary programs were provided in the academic year 2009 to improve the students' competitiveness in the job market. In the aspect of improving the teaching and research quality, the University recently recruited as many as 23 full-time teachers, while 25 in-service teachers passed their promotion in the past year. 91.63 percent of our teachers hold the rank of Associate Professor or above.

Under the collaborative effort made by the Ministry of Education and all the staff, faculty and students, the University has made significant progress in every aspect. It was selected in academic year 2009 as the model for the first Green University program initiated by the Ministry of Education; moreover, it was awarded a grant of NT\$69 million for the Teaching Excellence Project. It was also the winner of the Government Service Quality Award and the 7th National Innovation Award. In the aspect of students' achievements, many students' clubs won awards in academic and musical events. Our students also won a number of prizes in baseball, badminton, swimming, judo, tug of war, and track and field at National Intercollegiate Athletic Game. Other achievements in group or individual contest results or academic research are also very outstanding.

In the aspect of international exchange and collaboration, the University has cooperated with 40 foreign institutes. In the academic year 2009, it encouraged academic visits, technology exchange, research cooperation and exchange students with many universities, including the of Idaho, USA; Meiji University, University Japan; Rakuno Japan; Gakuen University, Maejo University, Thailand; Khon Kaen University, Thailand; Queen Sirikit Botanic Garden, Thailand; Ecole Superieure du Bois, France; Northwest A&F University, China; Nanjing Agricultural University, China; Fujian Agriculture And Forestry University, China; and Mongolian State University of Agriculture, China. It is our hope that our faculty and students can broaden their horizons through these meaningful activities.

In the aspect of facility improvement, the University constructed a number of teaching and recreation halls with highly advanced equipment for entertaining, learning and conducting research. Just to name a few of them, they included the NYCU Animal Disease Diagnostic Center, Center of Animal Product, and Building of Bio-Agriculture Technology.

We have come a long way since two colleges merged into one in 2000. It is important that all the members put into practice the University motto, Simplicity, Action, Innovation and Service, to expect a prosperous future for our community. In the future, the University will continue to combine the features and advantages of its six colleges, and cultivate human resources who seek excellence and innovation, efficiency and justice, moral and technique, and holistic-person development. They also need to care for the society and have a cultural and global perspective. It is our belief that we will soon achieve our goals in becoming an internationally recognized university.

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