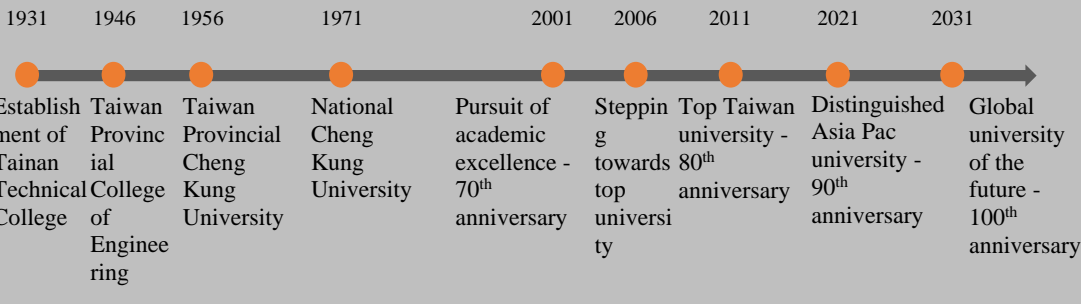


## Overview of National Cheng Kung University

<b>History &amp; Roadmap</b>	 <p>Timeline showing key milestones: 1931 (Establishment of Tainan Technical College), 1946 (Taiwan Provincial College of Engineering), 1956 (Taiwan Provincial Cheng Kung University), 1971 (National Cheng Kung University), 2001 (Pursuit of academic excellence - 70<sup>th</sup> anniversary), 2006 (Stepping towards top university - anniversary), 2011 (Top Taiwan university - 80<sup>th</sup> anniversary), 2021 (Distinguished Asia Pacific university - 90<sup>th</sup> anniversary), 2031 (Global university of the future - 100<sup>th</sup> anniversary).</p>
<b>Basic information</b>	<p>Campus: Eleven campuses in total (eight of the campuses form the 83-hectare main campus area; from which Kuei-Jen campus, An-Nan campus, and Dou-Liu campus are separate). Total campus area: approx. 186 hectares.</p> <p>Students: 21,276; Alumni: approx. 180,000</p> <p>Full-time faculty: 1,337; Full-time researchers: 358; Staff: 2,240</p> <p>Academic organization: 9 colleges, 43 departments, 35 independent departments, 14 degree programs</p> <p>Offers 45 bachelor's programs, 106 Master's programs (including 25 in-service Master's programs) and 59 Doctorate programs</p> <p>University-level research centers: 13</p> <p>Administrative structure: 6 departments, 3 offices, 2 educational buildings (the library and the museum) and 6 centers</p> <p>Affiliates: The Affiliated Senior Industrial Vocational Continuing Education High School, National Cheng Kung University Hospital and Tainan Hydraulics Laboratory</p>
<b>Motto</b>	<p>Seek for Truth; Toil for Good</p>
<b>Spirit</b>	<p>Virtuous practicality</p>
<b>Ideals</b>	<p>People from NCKU are able to stake out their own values within the global community. The culture of knowledge and technological innovation at NCKU shall be used for social development and to provide for the underprivileged on an ethical basis, connecting the cities, countries, and shared future of NCKU's people.</p>
<b>Missions</b>	<p>Enhance the university's social responsibility and influence to further the public interest</p> <p>Cultivate critical thinking, imagination, and empathy in students</p> <p>Stimulate industrial development to facilitate economic transformation and progress</p> <p>Participate in regional intergration and governance to fulfill the university's social responsibility</p>
<b>Visions</b>	<p>Built on the principles of educational innovation, excellence in research, and social responsibility, NCKU seeks to enhance the wellbeing of all human beings and strives to reach its goal of becoming a university of overall excellence in education, research, and social responsibility.</p>

University Development Goals	United Nations Sustainable Development Goals (SDGs)																
																	
Educational Performance Goals	Interdisciplinary education with problem-solving at its core					Outstanding research that guides sustainable development					Promote civic development and human welfare through social responsibility						
Core Strategies	Deep integration of Educational Pedagogical Content Knowledge (E-PCK) Reestablishment of educational example					Academic researches that seek for truth and toil for good Departure from the ivory tower through industry-academia-research collaborations					A borderless university fused with the city of Tainan Academia with human welfare at its heart						

End of reference period: October, 2018