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## **CAREER OBJECTIVE**

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To expand my knowledge and mastery over the topic of South China Sea and the Taiwan Strait, the relations in eastern Asia, and the bilateral relationship between Taiwan and China for my research and teaching career.

## **EDUCATION HISTORY**

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| *9th September, 2013<br>- 31 <sup>st</sup> January 2017          | Graduate Institute of Political Science,<br>National Taiwan Normal University,<br>No.162, Sec. 1, Heping E. Rd., Da'an Dist., Taipei City 10610,<br>Taiwan (R.O.C.)<br>886- 2-77341833<br>Email: <a href="mailto:twkunst@ntnu.edu.tw">twkunst@ntnu.edu.tw</a><br>Ph.D.in International Relations (Score 86.08%) |
| *1 <sup>st</sup> Aug. 2008<br>- 18 <sup>th</sup> June 2010       | FU HSING KANG College, NDU<br>No.70, Sec. 2, Zhongyang N. Rd., Beitou Dist., Taipei, 11258,<br>Taiwan (R.O.C.)<br>886-2-28954012<br>Email: <a href="mailto:ndufhk@ndu.edu.tw">ndufhk@ndu.edu.tw</a><br>Masters Degree in International Relations (Score 87.29%)   |
| *9 <sup>th</sup> September, 2002<br>- 8 <sup>th</sup> July, 2005 | FU HSING KANG College<br>No.70, Sec. 2, Zhongyang N. Rd., Beitou Dist., Taipei, 11258,<br>Taiwan (R.O.C.)<br>886-2-28954012<br>Email: <a href="mailto:ndufhk@ndu.edu.tw">ndufhk@ndu.edu.tw</a><br>Bachelor Degree in Political Science (Score 89%)  |
| *19 <sup>th</sup> June, 1997<br>- 16 <sup>th</sup> Dec., 1999    | FU HSING KANG College<br>No.70, Sec. 2, Zhongyang N. Rd., Beitou Dist., Taipei, 11258,<br>Taiwan (R.O.C.)<br>886-2-28954012<br>Email: <a href="mailto:ndufhk@ndu.edu.tw">ndufhk@ndu.edu.tw</a><br>Associate Degree in Political Science (Medal of Honour)   |

## **WORK EXPERIENCES**

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| *1 <sup>st</sup> Feb. 2022<br>- Current                    | Graduate Institute of Political Science, Fu Hsing Kang College, NDU<br>No.70, Sec. 2, Zhongyang N. Rd., Beitou Dist., Taipei, 11258,<br>Taiwan (R.O.C.)<br>Position – Associate Professor (1 <sup>st</sup> Feb., 2022 to Current)<br><u>Responsibilities</u> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>•Educating cadets &amp; graduate students on International Law, Introduction on International Relations.</li><li>•Researching on International Law and Maritime Issues.</li></ul> |
| *1 <sup>st</sup> Aug. 2017<br>- 31 <sup>st</sup> Jan. 2022 | Graduate Institute of Political Science, Fu Hsing Kang College, NDU<br>No.70, Sec. 2, Zhongyang N. Rd., Beitou Dist., Taipei, 11258,   |

Taiwan (R.O.C.)

Position – Assistant Professor (1<sup>st</sup> Aug., 2017 to 31<sup>st</sup> Jan., 2022)

Responsibilities

- Educating cadets & graduate students on International Law, Introduction on International Relations.
- Researching on International Law and Maritime Issues.

\*1<sup>st</sup> Feb. 2011  
– 31<sup>st</sup> Aug. 2013

Graduate Institute of Political Science, Fu Hsing Kang College, NDU  
No.70, Sec. 2, Zhongyang N. Rd., Beitou Dist., Taipei, 11258,  
Taiwan (R.O.C.)

Position - Lecturer (1<sup>st</sup> Feb., 2011 to 31<sup>st</sup> Aug., 2013)

Responsibilities

- Educating cadets on Political Warfare, Introduction on Politics, and Public Policy.
- Researching on Bilateral Relation between Taiwan & China and Political Warfare Operations for the university and the military.

\*18<sup>th</sup> June, 2010  
– 31<sup>st</sup> Jan. 2011

Brigade 602, division of Political warfare

Position:- Major, Political warfare officer

Responsibilities

- Educating soldiers on national security specifically on spying and forming good relations with the media and civilian leaders surrounding the headquarters.

\*16<sup>th</sup> May, 2008  
– 31<sup>st</sup> July, 2008

Brigade 602, division of Political warfare

Position:- Major, Political warfare officer

Responsibilities

- Educating soldiers on national security specifically on spying and forming good relations with the media and civilian leaders surrounding the headquarters.

\*1<sup>st</sup> Feb., 2008  
– 15<sup>th</sup> May, 2008

Brigade 602, division of Political warfare

Position:- Captain, Political warfare officer

Responsibilities

- Educating soldiers on national security specifically on spying and forming good relations with the media and civilian leaders surrounding the headquarters.

\*9<sup>th</sup> July, 2005  
– 31<sup>st</sup> Jan.. 2008

Brigade 602, headquarter company

Position:- Counsellor of Political warfare

Responsibilities

- Conditioning a military company, physically and psychologically, prior to missions.
- Assigning soldiers to each division, namely: the administration, the mess hall, and the mechanics division.

\*1<sup>st</sup> July, 2001  
– 8<sup>th</sup> Sept.. 2002

Military Hospital in Matsu island

Position:- Counsellor of Political warfare

Responsibilities

- Conditioning a special military company with medical skills, physically and psychologically, prior to missions.

\*16<sup>th</sup> April, 2000  
– 30<sup>th</sup> June, 2001

Brigade 104, fourth base, second Company

Position:- Counsellor of Political warfare

Responsibilities

- Conditioning a military company, physically and psychologically, prior to missions.

\*18<sup>th</sup> Dec., 1999  
– 15<sup>th</sup> April, 2000

Brigade 104, fourth base, third Company

Position:- Platoon leader

Responsibilities

- Giving guidance to sergeants to perform well in some missions.
- Training new recruits to have basic understanding and skills of being a soldier.

## **AWARDS & FELLOWSHIPS**

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\***Medal of Honor for Studying Performance**, Ministry of National Defense, 1997-1999

\***Medal of Excellent Efficiency for Working Performance**, Army Headquarter, 2005

\***Certificate of Award of Excellent Efficiency for Working Performance**, Army Command Headquarters, MND, 2008

\***Medal of Army Achievement for Working Performance**, Army Headquarters, 2009

\***Certificate of Award and Fellowship**, National Dr. Sun Yat-sen Memorial Hall, Taipei, 2009

\***Certificate of Award and Fellowship**, National Taiwan Normal University, 2014

\***Medal for Merit**, Ministry of National Defense, 2018

\***Medal of Outstanding Staff**, Army Command Headquarters, MND, 2019

\***Honored as an outstanding Teacher**, FHK College, 2020, 2024, 2025

\***Honored as an outstanding Advisor**, FHK College, 2021, 2025

\***Visiting Fellowship (2021 Overseas Academic Diplomacy Program) at Yonsei University, South Korea**, the Ministry of Foreign Affairs, 2021

\***Honored as an outstanding Teacher**, NDU, 2023

\***Medal of Outstanding Staff**, Army Command Headquarters, MND, 2023

## **TRAININGS**

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**Summer Camp of Leadership for Cadets**, National Association of Small & Medium Enterprises R.O.C., June 21<sup>st</sup>~June 25<sup>th</sup>, 2004

**Advanced Training on the subject of Political Warfare Operation**, The training centre for Political Warfare Operation, Ministry of National Defence, July 24<sup>th</sup>~Dec. 22<sup>nd</sup>, 2006

## **RESEARCH AND TEACHING INTERESTS**

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### **Teaching subjects in the University of National Defence, Taiwan**

Associate Professor International Law (undergraduate & graduate)

International Relations (undergraduate)

### **Research subjects**

Maritime Issues

The relations in eastern Asia

The issue of South China Sea & the Taiwan Strait

### **DISSERTATION**

**"The Future of Bilateral Relationships between Taiwan and China – a Study based on Neo-Functionalism,"** in 2010 for Master.

Advisor: Professor Hsieh, Yi Xu.

**"Joint Development of Hydrocarbon Deposits in the South China Sea: International Legal Perspective,"** in 2017 for Ph.D.

Advisor: Professor Wang, Kuan Hsiung.

## **CONFERENCE PAPERS**

Yan-Bi Yu, **Chih-Wen Ku**, "The Ability of Cultural Meaning for Joint Combatant Commanders," in the Third year of Symposium of the Military Politics, FHK College, Taiwan, June 14, 2012.

**Chih-Wen Ku**, Shi-Ron Hsu, "An Evaluation of the Leak Divulged by Edward Snowden Based on the Workplace Ethics & How the Taiwan Military Reacts," in the Fifth year of Symposium of the Military Politics, FHK College, Taiwan, June 26, 2014.

**Chih-Wen Ku**, "FON Program and its Challenges for the SCS Claimants and the Implication on ROC's Law on Territorial Sea and the Contiguous Zone," in the Eighth year of Symposium of the Military Politics, FHK College, Taiwan, June 6, 2017.

**Chih-Wen Ku**, "The United States' FON Operation and its Challenges for the Philippines' Maritime Claim," in the 2017 Symposium of TPSA, NCCU, Taiwan, November 12, 2017.

Jen-An Ko, Yu-Cheng Chen, **Chih-Wen Ku**, "Assessment of China's National Defense Security Threat to Chinese Military Aircraft and Warship Cross-Regional Training: Taking Social Media Response as an Example," National Sun Yat-Sen Memorial Hall Zhongshan Lecture Hall, Taipei, June 8, 2018.

**Chih-Wen Ku**, Shi-Ron Hsu, Li-Wei Lin, "Research on our Government's response and actions to Taiwan's 31 measures: Taking Public Opinion as an Example," in the 21<sup>st</sup> Symposium of the Military-Social Science, FHK College, Taiwan, September 21, 2018.

**Chih-Wen Ku**, "Lessons from the Case between Timor-Leste and Australia toward the Settlement of the Disputed Islands in the South China Sea," in the 2018 Symposium of Association of International Relations, TKU, Taiwan, November 9, 2018.

Junchi Lo, Li-Wei Lin, **Chih-Wen Ku**, "Analyzing the United Front work against Taiwan during Xi Jinping's Administration from the Perspective of Sharp Power," in the Tenth year of Symposium of the Military Politics, FHK College, Taiwan, October 15, 2019.

**Chih-Wen Ku**, Hsing-Hsiang Liu, Shi-Ron Hsu, "Military Aircraft and Warships based on International Legal Perspectives," in the 21<sup>st</sup> Symposium of the Military-Social Science, FHK College, Taiwan, October 25, 2019.

**Chih-Wen Ku**, Hsing-Hsiang Liu, Jun-Min Jian, "To Re-visit the Legal Status of Taiwan Strait and its Right of Passage," in the Symposium on National Security, Asia-Pacific Regional Security and National Defense Technology Development Strategy, FHK College, Taiwan, November 15, 2019.

**Chih-Wen Ku**, "The Legal Status of Taiwan Strait and its Right of Passage based on International Legal Perspectives," in the 2019 Symposium of Association of International Relations, Institute of Diplomacy and International Affairs, MOFA, November 30, 2019.

**Chih-Wen Ku**, Zi-Chang Zeng, Shan-Chi Lin, "A Preliminary Research on the Legal Status of Unmanned Underwater Vehicles," in the Symposium on National Security, Asia-Pacific Regional Security and National Defense Technology Development, FHK College, Taiwan, September 25, 2020.

**Chih-Wen Ku**, Shan-Chi Lin, "The Purposes behind China's "Long-Distance Training over the sea" and its Legal Implications," in the 23<sup>rd</sup> Symposium of the Military-Social Science, FHK College, Taiwan, October 30, 2020.

Yu-Cheng Chen, **Chih-Wen Ku**, "A Study of Gray Zone Conflict: A Case Study of China's Response to Japan in East China Sea Territorial Dispute," in the 2020 Annual Symposium, TSJA, Taiwan, November 14, 2020.

**Chih-Wen Ku**, Yu-Cheng Chen, "The Purposes behind China's "Combat-ready patrol" and its Legal Implications," in the 2020 Symposium of Association of International Relations, NTNU, November 28, 2020.

**Chih-Wen Ku**, "State Practice of the Law of the Sea in Southeast Asian Countries—Centering on the Right of Innocent Passage," in the 2020 Symposium of CSIL, Taipei, December 19, 2020.

**Chih-Wen Ku**, Zi-Cheng Zeng, "A Revisit of the Regime of Islands and Taiping island as an Example for the World," International Seminar in the South China Sea Situation under the Current US Indo-Pacific Strategic Layout, Fo Guang University., Taiwan, March 12, 2021.

**Chih-Wen Ku**, Min-Chung Hsieh, Shan-Chi Lin, "Re-interpretation of the US-Japan Security Treaty under the Indo-Pacific Strategy: Centered on the Right of Passage through the Taiwan Strait," Symposium on National Security, Indo-Pacific Regional Stability and National Defense Science and Technology Development under the Biden Administration of the United States, FHK College, Taiwan, October 6, 2021.

**Chih-Wen Ku**, "The United States' FON Operations and Its Challenges for the SCS Claimants: An International Legal Perspective," Academic Symposium on the Regional Security Situation in the South China Sea under the U.S. Cold War Situation, Taipei, November 9, 2021.

Yu-Cheng Chen, **Chih-Wen Ku**, "The U.S.-Japan Security Treaty under the Indo-Pacific Strategy and the Issue on the Right of Freedom of Navigation through the Taiwan Strait," in the 2021 Annual Symposium, TSJS, Taiwan, November 13, 2021.

**Chih-Wen Ku**, "Controversy and Reflection on the Withdrawal of the US Army from Afghanistan: From the Perspective of Human Rights," in the 2021 Symposium of CSIL, Taipei, December 12, 2021.

Chuan-Ping Wang, Min-Chung Hsieh, **Chih-Wen Ku**, "Discussion on China's Application of Gray Strategy-taking Underwater Unmanned Vehicles as an example," International Seminar on the Stability in the Eurasian Region and National Security under Post-Pandemic Era, FHK College, Taiwan, April 15, 2022.

**Chih-Wen Ku**, "Controversy and reflection on the armed conflict between Russia and Ukraine," in the 2022 Symposium of CSIL, Taipei, June 16, 2022.

**Chih-Wen Ku**, "An Introduction on How AUKUS Could Apply a Military Conflict in the Taiwan Strait," in the Thirteenth year of Symposium of the Military Politics, FHK College, Taiwan, September 23, 2022.

Su-Ping Chang, **Chih-Wen Ku**, "The Role of AUKUS to the Future Military Conflict in the Taiwan Strait," in the 2022 Symposium of TPSA, Tunghai University, Taichung, December 3, 2022.

**Chih-Wen Ku**, "An Initial Exploration of International Legal Issues regarding Unplanned Maritime Encounters: A Case Study of the Encounter between U.S., Canadian, and Chinese Warships in the Taiwan Strait," The Forum of Military Law in 2023, MCNDU College, Taiwan, September 13, 2023.

**Chih-Wen Ku**, "An Analysis of the CCP's Claims on the Legal Status of the Taiwan Strait based on Gray Zone Strategy," in the 26<sup>th</sup> Symposium of the Military-Social Science, FHK College, Taipei, October 10, 2023.

Jun-sen Lu, Jhih-Siang Liu, **Chih-Wen Ku**, "U.S. Military Alliances and an Possible Military Conflict Scenario in the Taiwan Strait: Taking AUKUS as an Example," in the 2023 Annual Symposium, TSJS, Taipei, October 14, 2023.

Jhih-Siang Liu, Jun-sen Lu, **Chih-Wen Ku**, "Analyzing PRC's Public Opinion Strategy on the 2022-2023 Taiwan Military Exercises from the Perspective of Cognitive Warfare: A Case Study on the 'Weibo' Platform," in the 2023 Annual Symposium, CAPS, New Taipei City, October 21, 2023.

**Chih-Wen Ku**, "Exploring International Legal Aspects of the Israel-Palestine Conflict," in the 2023 Symposium of CSIL, Taipei, December 17, 2023.

**Chih-wen Ku**, "Strengthening Jurisdiction through Legislation and Practices: China's Approaches to the Taiwan Strait." Conference on International Legal Issues and Responses Concerning the Taiwan Strait, National Academy of Marine Research (held in Central Police University), September 25-26, 2024.

**Chih-Wen Ku**, Tsung-Pu Lin, "Legal Issues related to the Entry of PRC Vessels into ROC's Jurisdictional Waters," in the Fifteenth year of Symposium of the Military Politics, FHK College, Taiwan, October 18, 2024.

**Chih-Wen Ku**, "Analyzing International Law Issues Arising from the Second Thomas Shoal Ship Collision Incident between China and the Philippines," in the 2024 Annual Symposium, CAPS, Taipei City, October 26-27, 2024.

**Chih-Wen Ku**, Miao-Chia Sun, Tsung-Pu Lin. "The Legal Disputes and Big Data Analysis of Public Opinion regarding the Kinmen-Xiamen Waters Incident," in the 27<sup>th</sup> Symposium of the Military-Social Science, FHK College, Taipei, November 8, 2024.

Tsung-Pu Lin, **Chih-Wen Ku**, Miao-Chia Sun, "The PRC's Intentions behind Routine Law Enforcement Patrols in the Waters Between Kinmen and Xiamen: A Case Study of Public Opinion on Online News and Social Media," in the 2024 Symposium of TPSA, Tamkang University, Taiwan, November 24, 2024.

**Chih-Wen Ku**, Wei-Hong Su, Hai-Qing Huang, "CPC's Vessels Intruding into Waters under ROC's Jurisdiction: A Discussion on Legal Issues and Policy Responses," in the 2024 Q4 Military Law and 1st Conference on Military Operations and Law, National Taipei University Department of Law, New Taipei City, November 28, 2024.

**Chih-Wen Ku**, "Lessons from International Practices on Submarine Cable Maintenance for Taiwan," in the 2025 Symposium of CSIL, Taipei, September 20, 2025.

**Chih-Wen Ku**, "China's 'Law-Practice Interaction' and the Dynamic Construction of Jurisdiction: The Case of the South China Sea," Enhancing Indo-Pacific Resilience Amidst a Volatile Geopolitical Landscape: South China Sea Security, Cooperation, and Strategic Foresight, hosted by NTU, Center for Public and Business Administration Education (NCCU), Taipei, September 23, 2025.

**Chih-Wen Ku**, Yan-zhang Lee, "Taiwan's Submarine Cable Protection and Legal Response Strategies: Lessons from Australia and NATO Practices," in the Sixteenth year of Symposium of the Military Politics, FHK College, Taiwan, October 17, 2025.

**Chih-Wen Ku**, "From International Norms to Domestic Law: Challenges and Prospects for Submarine Cable Protection in Taiwan," in the 2025 Q4 Military Law and 2nd Conference on Military Operations and Law, MCNDU College, Taipei City, November 25, 2025.

## **JOURNALS**

**Chih-Wen Ku**, "The Divergence and Convergence of the Cross-Strait Relations: A Neo-Functionalism Analysis," *Defense Journal*, NDU, 2010, 25(4).

**Chih-Wen Ku**, "The linkage of Network Centric Warfare and humanitarian aid: the case study of linkage in Morakot typhoon," *Army Bimonthly*, Army Headquarter, Feb. 2012, 521(48).

**Chih-Wen Ku**, "How to obtain Sovereignty based on the Cases of Disputed Islands from the Practices of Principle of Effective Control of International Laws," *FHK Academic Journal*, Dec. 2014, 23-36.

**Chih-Wen Ku**, "Analysis on the Practices of Joint Development of UNCLOS: Cooperating among the States on Cases of Disputed Seas," *FHK Academic Journal*, June 2015, 21-42.

**Chih-Wen Ku**, Yu-Cheng Chen, "The South China Sea Disputes and the Joint Exploitation of Oil/Gas," *Prospect & Exploration*, August 2015, 13(8), 73-96.

Shi-Ron Hsu, **Chih-Wen Ku**, "China's Policy on Overseas Chinese Affairs under the Xi Administration: A Case Study of Overseas Chinese Service Centers," *Prospect & Exploration*, December 2015, 13(12), 54-71.

**Chih-Wen Ku**, "The Lessons from the Case between Timor-Leste and Australia toward a Possibility of the Settlement of - Sovereign Right of the Disputed Islands in the South China Sea," *Review of Global Politics*, January 2019, 65, 29-55.

Li-Wei Lin, **Chih-Wen Ku**, "A Research of US-India Military Interactions and Arms Sales under US Indo-Pacific Strategy," *Prospect & Exploration*, September 2019, 17(9), 115-138.

**Chih-Wen Ku**, "US's Challenges to the Philippines' Maritime Claim under FON Program: An International Legal Perspective," *Chinese (Taiwan) Review of International and Transnational Law*, December 2019, 15, 55-81.

**Chih-Wen Ku**, "A Preliminary Research on the Legal Status of Unmanned Underwater Vehicles and the Implications on the Incident of China Seizing the U.S.'s UUV in a Foreign State's EEZ in 2016," *Marine Affairs and Policy Review*, March 2020, 8(1), 87-116.

Yu-Cheng Chen, Mao-Chia Sun, **Chih-Wen Ku**, Li-Wei Lin, "Examining the Impact of the 31 Taiwan-Related Measures on Public Opinion in Taiwan: A Corpus-Based Analysis," *Mainland China Studies*, June 2020, 63(2), 111-150. (TSSCI)(Best Academic Paper of the 2023 Taiwanese Political Science Association)

Yu-Cheng Chen, **Chih-Wen Ku**, "The Legal Status of Unmanned Underwater Vehicles and the Implications of China's Development of UUVs," *Defense Security Brief*, December 2020, 9(2), 14-26.

Yu-Cheng Chen, **Chih-Wen Ku**, "A Study on China's Utilise Its Maritime Militia in The South China Sea from A Legal Perspective and Its Implications for Taiwan," *The Military Law Journal*, June 2021, 67(3), 37-52.

**Chih-Wen Ku**, "The Conflict of Legal Status of the Kerch Strait and How It Could Inform Right of Passage Through the Taiwan Strait," *Wenti Yu Yanjiu*, December 2021, 60(4), 139-181. (TSSCI)

Yu-Cheng Chen, **Chih-Wen Ku**, "Pattern Analysis of the Sino-Philippine Confrontation in the Disputed Maritime Features in the South China Sea," *Prospect Quarterly*, April 2022, 23(2), 57-113. (TSSCI)

**Chih-Wen Ku**, "The Regime of Islands and a Review of the South China Sea Arbitration," *Chinese (Taiwan) Review of International and Transnational Law*, June 2022, 18(1), 1-36.

**Chih-Wen Ku**, Yu-Cheng Chen, "The U.S.-Japan Security Treaty under the Indo-Pacific Strategy and the Issue on the Right of Freedom of Navigation through the Taiwan Strait," *Japan and Asia-Pacific Studies Quarterly*, July 2023, 8(2), 137-170.

Jun-Sen Lu, Jhih-Siang Liu, **Chih-Wen Ku**, "An Analysis of the U.S. Military Alliances and a Future Military Conflict in the Taiwan Strait," *Review of Global Politics*, January 2024, 85, 27-55.

**Chih-Wen Ku**, "An International Law Analysis of the Ship Collision Incident at the Second Thomas Shoal between China and the Philippines," *Chinese (Taiwan) Review of International and Transnational Law*, December 2024, 20(2), 67-94.

**Zong-Pu Lin, Chih-Wen Ku, Mao-Chia Sun**, "The Legal Contestation and Media and Public Responses to the Chinese Communist Party's "Normalized Law Enforcement" Operations in the Kinmen-Xiamen Waters," *Publication of Military Social Science*, 2026, 28. Accepted

**Chih-Wen Ku**, "China's Maritime Claims and Practices in the Taiwan Strait as Analyzed through the Concept of Gray Zone," *Wenti Yu Yanjiu*, 2026, 65. Accepted (TSSCI)

## **Projects**

"The Impact of the South China Sea Arbitration on Cross-Strait Relations and Taiwan's Policy Responses."

Researcher, Mainland Affairs Council, Executive Yuan, Aug. 1 – Nov. 30, 2015.  
Project No. MAC-1040100848.

"A Study on the International-Law Status of Taiwan as Not Subordinate to the People's Republic of China—An Analysis of Foreign Court Judgments, International Practice, and Diplomatic Precedents."  
Researcher, Ministry of Foreign Affairs, Apr. 1 2018 – Jan. 31 2019.

"A Trend Analysis of Xi Jinping's United Front Strategy toward Taiwan."  
Co-Principal Investigator, National Defense University, Political Warfare College, Jul. 1 – Oct. 31 2018.

"Constructing an Early-Warning Model for Cross-Strait Conflict and Crisis."

Principal Investigator, National Defense University, Political Warfare College, Jul. 1 – Oct. 31 2018.

"A Study on the Integration of Cross-Regional Counterintelligence Networks."

Co-Principal Investigator, Ministry of National Defense, Research Project, Feb. 1 – Oct. 31 2019.

"An Initial Exploration of China's 'Sharp Power': A Public-Opinion Perspective on Xi Jinping's United Front Strategy toward Taiwan."

Principal Investigator, Ministry of National Defense, Feb. 1 – Oct. 31 2019.

"A Study of Xi Jinping's United Front Strategy toward Taiwan through Big-Data Methods in Digitally Supported Military Social Science: The Case of the '26 Preferential Measures for Taiwan.'"

Principal Investigator, National Defense University, Political Warfare College, Jul. 1 – Oct. 31 2020.

Recipient of the Ministry of Foreign Affairs 2021 Grant for 'Academic Diplomacy Program for Scholars Abroad'. "The Impact of Taiwan-ROK Military Cooperation on the Strengthening of the Indo-Pacific Strategic Posture." Conducted resident research at the Institute of Chinese Studies, Yonsei University (Korea). Project No. MOFA-11047502970.

"A Comparative Analysis of the Professional Quality of ROC and PRC Military Personnel."

Researcher, Ministry of National Defense, Aug. 1 – Oct. 31 2021. Project No. MND-1100171763.

"Digitally Supported Military Social Science: A Case Study on the Legal Status, Strategic Options, and Public Opinion Regarding Taiping Island."

Principal Investigator, National Defense University, Political Warfare College, Jul. 1 – Oct. 31 2021.

"Digitally Supported Military Social Science: An Analysis of Cross-Strait Security Discourses on the Russia-Ukraine War."

Principal Investigator, National Defense University, Political Warfare College, Jul. 1 – Nov. 30 2022.

"A Study on the Similarities between U.S. Foreign Policy toward Ukraine and toward Taiwan—A Mearsheimer Perspective."

Principal Investigator, National Defense University, Political Warfare College, Jul. 1 – Nov. 30 2023.

"Does the PRC's 'Blockade' of Taiwan Constitute a Quasi-War?—An Inquiry from the Perspective of International Law."

Principal Investigator, National Defense University, Political Warfare College, Jul. 1 – Nov. 30 2025.



"Safeguarding Taiwan's Submarine Cable Security under China's Gray-Zone Strategy: Lessons from the Baltic Sea Incident."

Principal Investigator, National Defense University, Political Warfare College, Jul. 1 – Nov. 30 2025.

### **Other Publications**

**Chih-Wen Ku**, Kuan-Hsiung Wang, (September 22, 2021) "11. International Relations & Co-operation | Taiwan", in: Encyclopedia of Public International Law in Asia Online, General Editor: Seokwoo Lee. <[http://dx.doi.org/10.1163/2772-8161\\_EPIL\\_COM\\_1082](http://dx.doi.org/10.1163/2772-8161_EPIL_COM_1082)>.

**Chih-Wen Ku**, (November 21, 2022) "11. East China Sea Policy & South China Sea Policy", in: Encyclopedia of Ocean Law and Policy in Asia-Pacific, General Editor: Seokwoo Lee. <<https://doi.org/10.1163/9789004532090>>.

### **Perfessional Services**

#### **Judge for the JESSUP International Law Moot Court Competition**

Taiwan National Rounds, 2024-2025

#### **Executive Editor**

FHK Academic Journal, 2023-2024

#### **Reviewer**

Taipei University Law Review; Essays of PLA Studies; Fu Hsing Kang Academic Journal; Tamkang Journal of International Affairs; ROC Navy Academy Journal of General Education

### **SPECIAL EXPERIENCES**

Guide FHK Cadets to the US Military Academies, 2011, 2013

Grant for Research at the Institute for China Studies, Yonsei University, South Korea, 2021

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