Rules of Assessment of English Proficiency for Eligibility to Graduate from Department of Entertainment Management at I-Shou University

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Amendments to the Rules ratified and promulgated by the President on February 18, 2014

I. Legal Basis:

The Rules of Assessment of English Proficiency for Eligibility to Graduate from Department of Entertainment Management at I-Shou University (hereinafter referred to as the "Rules") are enacted by the Department of Entertainment Management (hereinafter referred to as the "Department") as per the Regulations for Assessment of Basic Competence for Graduation Eligibility for Students of I-Shou University.

II. Purpose:

The Rules are hereby enacted to improve students' English proficiency and professional skills, in order to further assist them in pursuing further education and in conducting personal career planning, as well as to correspond to the policies related to internationalization set up by the Ministry of Education.

III. Scope of Application:

The Rules are applicable to undergraduate students (include transfer students) admitted to the undergraduate program of the Department in the academic year 2011 and thereafter.

IV. Assessment Criteria:

No.	Test	Assessment Criteria: applicable to students admitted in the academic year 2011 and thereafter
1	General English Proficiency Test (GEPT)	Intermediate Level
2	Test of English as a Foreign Language (TOEFL)	PBT/ITP/IBT 527/527/70

3	Test of English for International Communication (TOEIC)	750
4	International English Language Testing System (IELTS)	5.5
5	National English Test in Proficiency for All on the Web (NETPAW)	Intermediate Level (Listening/Reading or Speaking/Writing)
6	Cambridge Main Suite	First Certificate in English (FCE)
7	Business Language Testing Service (BULATS)	ALTE Level 3

V. Implementation:

- 1. During the prescribed years of study, students of the Department must not only take all courses required by the Department but also fulfill the criteria on English proficiency specified above to be eligible for graduation.
- 2. Students who fulfill the criteria on English proficiency and professional skills specified above shall submit an application and the test report to the Department for approval before the end of the second semester of the junior year. After the application is approved, the non-credit bearing courses on English Proficiency will be registered as "Passed." Students who pass these courses by submitting valid test reports are not required to register such courses.
- 3. The English proficiency tests and the standard required to pass each test adopted by the Department/Institute corresponds to B2 level under the Common European Framework (CEF). Aforesaid tests include GEPT, TOEFL, TOEIC, IELTS, NETPAW, Cambridge Main Suite and BULATS.

VI. Measures for Failure to Fulfill the Criteria:

Students who fail to pass any of the abovementioned English proficiency tests are required to take the makeup course English Proficiency, which is exclusively offered to the junior and senior students, either by the Department or the General Education Center during summer or winter vacation. The standard tuition for the course shall be the same as that for any of the other summer courses. Once the students pass the evaluation test after completing the course, their score for "English Proficiency" shall be registered as "Passed". Students who have

attended the required English proficiency tests each academic year and failed to meet the required standard set by the Department for at least three consecutive academic year since initial enrollment, the University shall subsidize such students half of the tuition once only when they take the makeup course.

VII. The Rules become effective on the third day of promulgation after being adopted by the College Affairs Council and the University Academic Council, and ratified by the President.

Note: In the event of any disputes or misunderstanding as to the interpretation of the language or terms of these Rules, the Chinese language version shall prevail.