

# Who We Are

The National Academy for Educational Research (NAER) is a government-sponsored educational think tank in Taiwan. Our main purpose is to conduct long-term integrative and systematic research in the field of education. Based on our research findings, we offer policy proposals to help the Ministry of Education formulate the nation’s long-term educational policies. Our final goal is to make a positive contribution to the sustainable development of education in Taiwan.

We are dedicated to the following: studying educational systems and policies, researching and developing curriculum guidelines, surveying and monitoring the achievement levels of students, reviewing primary and secondary school textbooks, reviewing and translating academic glossaries in various disciplines, developing and integrating teaching media and materials, hosting workshops for in-training education personnel, and expanding academic exchanges and cooperation both domestically and internationally.

## | Our History

NAER was established in 2011, after the merging five other major educational institutes:

- National Institute for Compilation and Translation, founded in 1932.
- National Institute of Educational Resources and Research, founded in 1956.
- Taiwan Provincial Institute for Elementary School Teachers Inservice Education, founded in 1956.
- Taiwan Provincial Training & Development Institute for Secondary School Teachers, founded in 1987.
- National Academy for Educational Research Preparatory Office, founded in 2000.

Today it has three campuses: our headquarters in Sanxia, the Taipei branch, and the Taichung branch.



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Predecessors

3

Campuses

8

Centers

60+

Research Fellows

# What We Do

Our mission is to carry out research on topics of critical importance in the field of education, offer professional development courses to in-training primary and secondary school principals and directors, and develop a wide variety of educational media and teaching resources.

## | Evidence-based Research

Our research is focused on curriculum & instruction, human resource management, equity and quality, and educational accountability. Based on our assessment of Taiwan’s long-term educational needs, we plan and implement a wide variety of research projects, investigate problems in education, find ways to rectify these problems, and promote innovative and groundbreaking plans.

## | Professional Development

We provide holistic leader-training system for school administrators, propose diverse and interactive modes of learning, and design practical problem-based themed courses to improve the professional knowledge and abilities of school administrators.

## | Public Service

We manage longitudinal educational databases, edit and translate academic and reference books, collect and produce educational resources, publish educational books and journals, hold workshops and conferences, and offer various educational services to the public.



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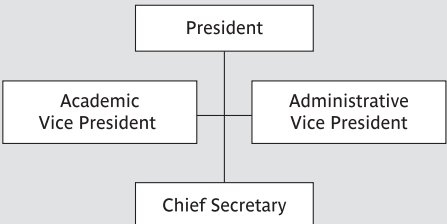


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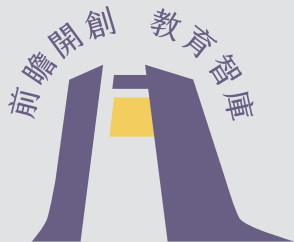
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# Organizational Structure



Centers	Administrative Offices
Research Center for Education Systems and Policy	Office of Planning
Research Center for Curriculum and Instruction	Office of General Affairs
Research Center for Testing and Assessment	Personnel Office
Research Center for Translation, Compilation and Language Education	Office of Budget and Accounting
Center for Textbook Research	IT Taskforce
Research Center for Indigenous Education	Library
Center for Educational Resources and Publishing	
Center for Educational Leadership and Professional Development	



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