

OCAC 2026 Taiwan Security Industry Visiting Program for Overseas Compatriot Entrepreneurs

Program Overview and Registration Guidelines

I. Objectives of the Program:

The security and surveillance technology industry is a key component of the government's Five Trusted Industry Sectors Promotion Plan and represents a major strength of Taiwan's industrial landscape. It is an emerging sector that integrates advanced technologies—such as artificial intelligence (AI), the Internet of Things (IoT), cloud computing, and big data analytics—into traditional security monitoring and protection systems.

To help overseas compatriot businesses better understand developments in smart security and cybersecurity technologies, the Overseas Community Affairs Council (OCAC) invites overseas compatriot entrepreneurs who are currently engaged in, or interested in developing, the security and surveillance technology sector to return to Taiwan.

Through visits to leading enterprises, industry-focused seminars, and exhibition tours, the program aims to enhance participants' understanding of industry trends and strengthen their capacity to respond to global supply chain restructuring and geopolitical challenges.

By connecting overseas compatriot businesses with Taiwan's technological strengths and leveraging their international networks, the program seeks to support global market expansion and foster concrete business opportunities and collaboration.

II. Program Dates:

April 20 (Monday) to April 24 (Friday), 2026, for a total of five days and

four nights.

III. Eligibility for Registration

- A. Participants must possess Mandarin-language communication skills and be overseas compatriot business people who are engaged in, or have relevant experience in, the security and surveillance technology sector in their country of residence. Applicants should also demonstrate an interest in cooperating with or investing in related industries in Taiwan and be capable of assisting in the expansion of these industries into overseas markets.
- B. Priority will be given to applicants who have not participated in OCAC-sponsored industry or economic and trade training programs (including training courses and workshops) or visiting delegations (including invitation and observation delegations) within the past two years.

IV. Review and Selection Process

- A. Applications will be reviewed by overseas embassies and missions, OCAC Cultural Centers, or overseas OCAC personnel, and then submitted to OCAC for final review and approval. A total of **30 participants** will be selected for the delegation. If fewer than **15 applicants** are approved following OCAC's review, the program will not be held.
- B. Official notifications of the review results are expected to be sent to the local embassies and missions or the Cultural Centers in early March 2026. The approved applicants will then be informed to complete online registration via the "OCAC Activity Registration System" within the specified period.

V. Program Content

The program spans **five days and four nights** and includes visits to relevant Taiwanese government agencies or institutions in the security and surveillance technology sector, thematic seminars, a visit to the **Secutech 2026**, company visits, business matchmaking sessions, and a concluding round table discussion. (Please refer to the draft itinerary below. The finalized itinerary

will be announced following OCAC's review and approval. OCAC reserves the right to adjust the agenda based on actual circumstances.

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Draft Agenda

Dates: From April 20 to April 24, 2026 (5 days and 4 nights)

Date	Schedule		Notes
April 20 (Monday)	Morning	Registration and orientation session	
	Noon	Group photo and welcome luncheon	
	Afternoon	1. Keynote speech 2. Visits to relevant government agencies or institutions	
April 21 (Tuesday)	All day	1. Visits to relevant government agencies or institutions 2. Visit Taiwan local security enterprise headquarters	
April 22 (Wednesday)		1. Visit Taiwan local security enterprise headquarters 2. Business Matchmaking 3. Integrative discussion	
April 23 (Thursday)	Morning	1. Visit Taiwan local security enterprise headquarters 2. Business Matchmaking 3. Integrative discussion	
	Afternoon	1. Visit Taiwan local security enterprise headquarters 2. Business Matchmaking 3. Integrative discussion	
	Evening	Farewell banquet	
April 24 (Friday)	All day	Visit to the Secutech 2026	Departure in the afternoon

Notice: OCAC reserves the right to adjust the agenda as necessary.

VI. Program fees:

A. **Expenses Covered by OCAC:** Lunch and dinner, accommodation, group transportation, visits, insurance, and venue expenses during the event.

B. **Expenses to be covered by participants:**

1. Round-trip airfare and related transportation expenses between the participant's place of residence and Taiwan, as well as transportation costs to and from the registration location, and other personal expenses.
2. During the workshop, accommodation will be arranged on a double occupancy basis (2 persons per room). Requests for early check-in, late check-out, or individual room bookings with additional costs should be submitted in advance. Such requests will be subject to hotel availability, and any associated expenses incurred shall be borne by the participant.
3. OCAC will provide **NT\$ 2 million travel insurance** or accident coverage, along with an **additional 10% accident medical insurance** during the event. If participants consider this coverage insufficient, they may **arrange additional insurance at their own expense**. Any medical expenses incurred during the program period in Taiwan due to illness or infection, including related treatment costs, shall be fully borne by the participant.

VII. Notice:

- A. Only **one participant** per household or company is allowed. To maintain group discipline, companions (including family members and assistants) are not permitted to accompany participants during this event.
- B. **Approved participants must register their personal information on the "OCAC Activity Registration System" and confirm check-in details with OCAC as required to obtain eligibility for participation.**
- C. As the schedule is intensive, participants are advised to evaluate their own health and physical condition to ensure they can manage the activities without difficulty. To avoid wasting resources, full participation is required for the entire duration of the event. Participants are not allowed to leave the group without prior approval from OCAC, except for special circumstances.

Those who are unable to fully participate should refrain from joining the program.

D. Participants are advised to purchase round-trip airfare only after receiving official confirmation of approval. If participants have any symptoms of discomfort before check-in or during the event, they should immediately notify OCAC or staff members and refrain from attending the activities.

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