

## **2011 International Development Cooperation Student Paper Competition**

### **First-place Winner**

- Tooreka Teemari, Min-Chien Huang, mentored by Dr. Hsueh-Jung Lu, National Taiwan Ocean University

“Tuna distribution in relation with climatic variability as an indicator of revenue influx to Tropical Pacific islands economy”

### **Second-place Winner**

- Luis B. Gomez L., Shih-Hong Su, mentored by Dr. Chung-Hsiang Hsieh, National Pingtung University of Science & Technology

“Establishment of Rapid Drought Tolerance Screening Technique for Dominican Rice Genotypes”

### **Third-Place Winner**

- Idrissa Beogo, Cheng-Yu Ho, mentored by Dr. Nicole Huang, National Yang-Ming University

“For-profit healthcare provider seekers: characteristics and choices patterns in urban Burkina Faso”

### **Highly Commended**

- Fatima del Carmen Caceres Santamaria, Sheng-Ming Hsu, mentored by Dr. Shih-Hsun Hsu, National Taiwan University

“Study of Climate Change Adaptation to Sustainable Agricultural Development in Nicaragua”

### **Notices:**

1. The first-place winner will receive a stipend to conduct research in the home country of the TaiwanICDF scholarship student in the team and a certificate of merit. Second- and third-place winners will receive NT\$20,000 and NT\$15,000 respectively, as well as certificates of merit. NT\$5,000 and certificates of merit will be awarded to the team selected as “highly commended.” The stipend to conduct research awarded to the first-prize winner includes transportation (direct flights and accommodation for five days) to the home country of the TaiwanICDF scholarship student (visa fees not included). A field report and a presentation must be completed no later than the end of February 2012.
2. Authors who have received awards should submit their papers to the Journal of International Cooperation (JIC) by December 18, 2011 to receive their cash prizes.

Further notice will be sent to the winners for detailed information.