

## ESSAYS

Please complete the three required essays. Double-space your responses and use a minimum font size of 10. Please limit your answers to the designated number of words, and clearly label each essay.

1. Describe your short-term and long-term career goals and explain how your past experience together with an IMAS degree from NCCU will contribute to your achieving them. (1000 words maximum)
2. Based on your current understanding of the IMAS program curriculum, describe your initial study plan. Among other relevant information, please describe your specific research focus or interest, the rationale or motivation for pursuing your research interest, the relationship between your educational or professional experience and your research interest, courses that are related to your interest, and your plan to complete the program within a reasonable length of time. (1000 words maximum)
3. Please include any other information that you believe would be helpful to the Admissions Committee in considering your application. (500 words maximum)