

An Academia Sinica owned and operated Center of Academic Activities houses a lounge, cafeteria, recreation rooms, accommodations, a bookstore and medical service.

(1) AccommodationThe Center of Academic Activities is an ideal place for a short visit (less than a month) to Academia Sinica. There are 70 single rooms and 52 double-rooms in the Center of Academic Activities. There are 72 single rooms, 54 double-rooms and one suite in the Center of Academic Activities. All rooms are equipped with telephone, internet connection, TV, and a refrigerator. The daily rates for single room is 1100 (deluxe); for double is 1400 (deluxe). The check out time is at noon. Only NT\$ is accepted for payment. However, the US\$ (cash) can be exchanged to NT\$ at counter for one's convenience.

One may browse the detail service on the following <http://gao.sinica.edu.tw/huo-dong/room-online-en.php>

Tel: (+886-2) 2785-2717

Fax: (+886-2) 2783-3905

Reservation should also be made via Institute (Preparatory Office) or Research Center

(2) Restaurants

2-1 Chinese Cuisine

A Chinese Restaurant is located in the first floor dining area of the Center of Academic Activities. This Chinese restaurant offers breakfast, lunch, supper, and banquet. The dining times are:

Breakfast: 07:30 - 09:00

Lunch: 11:30 - 13:30

Dinner: 17:00 - 20:30

The reservation hotline is 02-2785-2717 ext. 1222.

The Chinese restaurant also provides fixed menu meal at lunch and supper. It is partially subsidized to benefit Academia Sinica employees and students. The regular prices are NT\$ 40 and 65 for lunch and supper, respectively, Monday through Friday, per person. An Academia Sinica ID is required.

2-2 The Coffee Shop

A coffee shop is also located on the first floor (to the left of the main entrance) of the Center of Academic Activities. It serves hot and cold drinks, cookies, cakes, ice cream, sandwiches, a western style food on breakfast, lunch, supper, and afternoon snacks. A discount lunch with a designated entry is served on every weekday. The price is merely NT\$200. It is interesting to note that one may sit/rest in the “free” area without ordering any food or drink. The hours are 07:00-22:00 daily. Reservation can be made by phone 2785-2717 ext. 1219

2-3 Western style food

A European-Style Restaurant is located behind the Center of Academic Activities. It serves western style food. A discount buffet with one choice of main dishes charges serve at noon with a flat price (NT\$220). The hours: Lunch: 11:30 -14:00; Dinner: 17:30 - 20:30. Reservation can be made by phone 2785-2717 ext. 8105.

(3) Gymnasium

The gymnasium opens from 6 am to 10 pm everyday except Monday morning (6 am to noon) and Chinese Lunar Year.

Facilities include:

(1) one 25x50-meter warm-water indoor swimming pool (a hat and goggle needed)
(2) one fitness room (base on first come first serve, the maximum for each equipment is 20 minutes at peak times)
(3) two aerobic dance rooms (reservation is needed)
(4) one indoor jogging track (approx. 200 meter a loop)
(5) three badminton courts (reservation is needed)
(6) two tennis courts (reservation is needed)
(7) one basketball/volleyball court (reservation is needed)

The fee (NT\$) charged are itemized at below.

Items	AS Employees and students	General public	Remark
Admission fee/per entry	50	150	Apply to all
Aerobic room	150	300	

rental/hours			
Tennis court rental/hr	150	300	
Badminton court rental/hr	100	200	
Basketball court rental/hr	200	500	

There is no extra charge for using the fitness equipments, jogging track, and swimming pool. The swimming pool is closed for two 30-minute segments (11:30-12:00 and 16:30-17:00) for cleaning.

Reservations can be made in person or phone 2785-2717 ext. 7328, 7329 during the open time.

Note: (1) Guests in the Center of Academic Activities and Scholars' Guest House are treated as employees.

(2) The charges on employees apply to their parents, children, and spouse. A valid ID is required for employees and students.

(3) Frequent users may consider to buy either a yearly admission pass for NT\$3000 with unlimited entries or for a 12-entry coupon book for NT\$500.

(4) Food (except for drinking water) and smoking are prohibited in the Gymnasium

(5) All safety regulations must be strictly observed.

(4) Medical Service

An infirmary (as mentioned in "Medical Cares") is located on the 1st floor of the gymnasium building to provide basic medical consultancy and minor ailment treatment. On call doctors are volunteers from prestigious teaching hospitals. A part time pharmacist and full time nurse for medicine dispose. The service hours are Monday to Friday from 14:00 to 16:00. For more information and appointment reservation, please call 2789-9437.

(5) Sifen Bookstore

This on-campus bookstore is located in the basement of the Center of Academic Activities. Hours: 10:30 - 19:30 Monday through Saturday. Academia Sinica employees and students with a valid ID enjoy 15% discount for books. The Academia Sinica souvenirs (ties, mugs, T-shirts, warming suits, and etc.) are also sold in the bookstore. Tel: 2783-9605