# **Graduate Institute of Environmental Education**

My research focuses on both the development and impact of the EEA (Environmental Education Act) in Taiwan and infusion of EE into national 1-12 grade curriculum framework. In addition to the implementing EEA and new curriculum framework into domestic settings, my research group has joined regional and international collaborative studies as well.

### Techniques used in study

My research works are mainly qualitative oriented. Content analysis, focused group discussion, interview and questionnaire survey are adopted in my studies.

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# The impact of EE Act in Taiwan

TEEA could be regarded as a solution to many of the problems that environmental education in Taiwan had been facing over the preceding 10 to 20 years. It was necessary to have a national act to integrate all the resources; certify EE personnel, facilities and places, and institutes; and build up a funding system.

EE is crucial for national sustainable development and environmental protection. A national EE act helped to guarantee stable EE funding and personnel that could help advance national sustainable development and environmental protection goals.

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