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**... as New Taiwan Atomic Chairman Comes to Power...**

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**Government officials have appointed Min-Shen Ouyang as the new chairman of the Taiwan atomic energy council in a recent cabinet reorganisation.**

Dr Ouyang has served as senior vice chairman to the council for the past two years, and will now succeed Ching-Piao Hu as chairman on 1st February this year.

Dr Ouyang, 53, received his MSc in nuclear engineering from the National Tsing Hua University, before going on to receive his PhD in mechanical engineering from the University of Wisconsin. He has worked on many projects whilst serving as a committee member at the atomic energy council, including evaluating radiation protection and the Lungmen project for construction of Taiwan's fourth nuclear power plant.

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