

Doctor of Philosophy Program in Development Administration (International)

Graduate School of Public Administration

National Institute of Development Administration (NIDA)

Introduction

The Doctor of Philosophy Program in Development Administration is a unique interdisciplinary program offered by the Graduate School of Public Administration at NIDA. The Program emphasizes the commonality of administration, competencies and knowledge that run through all organizations, both large and small. The program is designed to improve the skills of academics, researchers, executives and professionals from public and private agencies and institutions, including educational institutions, government agencies, business and non-government organizations in order for them to be able to better serve their organizations.

The selection and training of future scholars and administrators is a most serious responsibility in our society. How well these tasks are accomplished will be of great importance to the general public and to all levels of government. As we move toward convergence of organizational goals within a changing global environment, contemporary administrators will be required to exercise their decision-making power in an increasingly complex and uncertain world. This program is expected to provide graduates with the requisite conceptual, analytical, and effective skills that are relevant to their goals and also of significant value to society and to their workplace institution, business, or agency.

Program Objectives

The Graduate School of Public Administration recognizes that administration and management policies must reflect the current issues in each society as well as the changing international environment. These needs and aspirations are expressed in individual, institutional and societal levels. To meet these needs and aspirations, the Graduate School of Public Administration has identified the following objectives:

1. To enhance the body of knowledge in Development Administration, to examine the culture-boundedness of theories of Development, and to develop concepts of Development Administration that are relevant to indigenous problems and issues.
2. To produce qualified development administration specialists at the graduate level, who will be able to contribute significantly to the development of their society. The program will be of particular benefit to universities that need to rapidly and effectively upgrade their faculty and to government agencies and departments in developing countries with an express need for highly trained staff in their planning and technical divisions.
3. To support studies that investigate various aspects of the development administration field, such as policy and management and development management.

General Requirements

1. Applicants must received a Master's degree in any field from an accredited institution.
2. Applicants must have a minimum TOEFL scores of 550 or IELTS scores of 6, except for:
 - 1) Applicants who are native English speakers, being born and having permanent residence in a country using English as official language.
 - 2) Applicants who have been awarded both their bachelor's and master's degrees from international academic institutions where English was the medium of instruction and study.

Application Procedures

Applicants for the Doctoral Program must submit the following application documents:

1. A completed application form (the application form can be download from our websites <http://gspa.nida.ac.th> or www.nida.ac.th)
2. Statement of purpose
3. Two letters of recommendation
4. Curriculum Vitae (CV)
5. Two (1 inch) photos
6. One copy of passport
7. Copy of bachelor's and master's degree certificates (one for each)
8. Copy of bachelor's and master's degree transcripts (one for each)
9. Copy of proof for a minimum TOEFL scores of 550 or IELTS scores of 6
10. Application fee

Address

Completed application form and attached supporting documents (translated in English) must reach the following address:

The Director of the Doctoral Program in Development Administration
Graduate School of Public Administration

National Institute of Development Administration (NIDA)

Bangkapi, Bangkok 10240, Tel/Fax: (662)374-4977, E-mail: interphd@nida.ac.th

By: 17 July 2017 (Postdated deadline – Postal stamp by this date)

: 20 July 2017 (Walk-in)

We ask for your kind assistance to forward this announcement to the official, and scholars at your institutions who might be eligible and interested in applying for our program.

*For further information about the Doctoral program, please visit
<http://gspa.nida.ac.th> or www.nida.ac.th*

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ADMISSIONS OPEN



- Pioneer Ph.D. program in Public Administration established since 1984
- Visiting professors from world-class universities
- Global collaboration networks, e.g. Indiana University, Korea University, and Victoria University of Wellington
- Good opportunity for learning, sharing knowledge, and networking with other international students
- Two major fields:
 - Development Management
 - Policy Management

Requirements

1. MA/MS. in any field from an accredited institution by RCSC
2. A minimum TOEFL score of 550 or IELTS score of 6
3. Application fee of 1,300 Baht

Application Period:

Now - 20 July 2017

Class Hours:

Evening classes (18.00-21.00)

More information: <http://gspa.nida.ac.th>, www.nida.ac.th

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