



Declaration of Intent Administration Integrity and Good Governance

The National Institute of Development Administration (NIDA) is a state-owned advanced autonomous educational institution, established following the royal initiative of His Majesty King Bhumibol Adulyadej The Great in 1966 to produce development administrators, having “knowledge and integrity” and social and national responsibilities in different fields of study to serve Thai society and to develop the Institute to become a High Performance Organization as well as an organization with good governance in order to become a main academic pillar for the nation. NIDA has adopted His Majesty King Bhumibol Adulyadej’s Speech at the First Commencement Ceremony of the National Institute of Development Administration, on November 19, 1970, as NIDA philosophy:

“Everyone of you who has graduated from this institution is considered to possess a high level of academic competence. Therefore, you are the hope for the Thai people, including myself, who rely on your knowledge, ideas, wisdom, and ability to administer and develop our country for greater stability, progress, and happiness. May you accept this honorable duty with confidence, determination and ingenuity to cooperate with one another to perform your duty with great diligence, fairness and justice, both for yourselves and the people.”

Based on His Majesty Bhumibol Adulyadej’s Speech, NIDA is today committed to producing human resources who will have knowledge, capabilities and integrity. NIDA has proposed shared values, namely, “WISDOM for Change”. The term of WISDOM can be explained as follows:

W - “World Class,” which refers to the NIDA community’s determination to transform the Institute into a World Class university.

I - “Innovation,” which refers to the NIDA community’s determination to introduce innovation to Thai society.

S - “Social Responsibility,” which refers to the NIDA community’s determination to benefit society and avoid socially harmful action.

D - “Discipline,” which refers to the NIDA community’s determination to have all personnel become well-grounded and demonstrate good conduct.

O - “Open-mindedness,” which refers to the NIDA community’s determination to have all personnel become tolerant and hospitable towards the opinions of others.

M - “Morality,” which refers to the NIDA community’s determination to have all personnel believe in and practice the principles of dignity, integrity and good governance.

NIDA has always driven all shared values and currently, employ the moral institution which is one of NIDA’s shared values. To implement it, all groups of NIDA community, including administrators, academic staff, support staff and students has agreed to participate in and define as our identity which is the NIDA’s common morality in 3 areas: honesty, responsibility and service mind for all communities to perform such identity into action presenting the concrete results, expand it to public and keep changing to become the model agent regarding moral institution for other organizations.

On behalf of NIDA Administrators, I wish to make this Declaration of Intents in our administration by adopting the royal speech and shared values to our working principles with commitment and dedication to administer our institute with integrity, morality, transparency and good governance to make the main academic pillar and ensure sustainable development to our nation.

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