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March 15, 2017

DIVISION MEMORANDUM

No. 130 s. 2017

21ST CENTURY TEACHER EDUCATION

TO: ASDS
Chiefs, CID and SGOD
DEPS, SEPS, EPS, Section Heads
District Supervisors/District In-Charge
Elementary and Secondary School Heads
All Others Concerned

1. Attached is **Unnumbered NIR Regional Memorandum**, dated March 8, 2017, inviting participants to the **21st Century Teacher Education** program by the **Singapore Cooperation Programme (SCP)**, in coordination with the **Technical Education Skills Development Authority (TESDA)**.
2. For details, see attached communication and the enclosed **Scholarship Advisory No. 01, s. 2017**.
3. For the information and guidance of all concerned.

SALUSTIANO T. JIMENEZ, CESO VI
OIC - Office of the Assistant Regional Director
Concurrent, Schools Division Superintendent

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West City Elementary School Campus
Dumaguete City 6206



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MEMORANDUM

TO : Schools Division Superintendents
Heads of Public Elementary and Secondary Schools

FROM : *[Signature]*
GILBERT T. SADSAD
Director III
OIC Regional Director

SUBJECT: 21st Century Teacher Education

DATE : March 8, 2017

1. This is to inform the field that the Singapore Cooperation Programme (SCP), in coordination with the Technical Education Skills Development Authority (TESDA), is inviting interested personnel to attend the program, "21st Century Teacher Education", which will be held in Singapore on May 15 to 19, 2017
2. For details please refer to Scholarship Advisory No.01 (*attached*), and for inquiries and clarifications, please contact DepEd Scholarship Secretariat at (02) 633-9455 or through email at neap.pdd@deped.gov.ph.
3. Widest dissemination of this Memorandum is desired.

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Undersecretary for Curriculum and Instruction

MEMORANDUM
DM-CI-2017-00048

Scholarship Advisory No. 01, s. 2017

TO : Regional Directors
Schools Division Superintendents
Heads of Public Elementary and Secondary Schools

FROM :  **DINA S. OCAMPO**
Undersecretary

SUBJECT : 21st Century Teacher Education

DATE : 23 February 2017

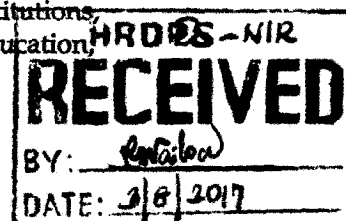
The Singapore Cooperation Programme (SCP), in coordination with the Technical Education and Skills Development Authority (TESDA), is inviting interested personnel to attend the program, "21st Century Teacher Education," which will be held in Singapore on 15 to 19 May, 2017.

The course will allow the participants to:

1. Identify emerging educational trends and issues that countries face in today's competitive global environment;
2. Understand the critical success factors for Singapore's successful transformation of its teacher-education system;
3. Understand the role of NIE in supporting the training and development of Singapore's teacher;
4. Understand policies governing how teachers are trained and deployed and how their performance is tracked;
5. Examine the factors behind the development of public teaching into one of the top professions in Singapore; and,
6. Apply and contextualize Singapore's "best practices" in teacher-education to participants' countries and education institution.

Interested applicants must:

1. Be principals, educators and mid- to senior officials from government institutions, education ministries and related government agencies involved in teacher education;
2. Be nominated by their respective governments;
3. Be proficient in spoken and written English; and,
4. Be in good health and medically fit to attend the course.



The Government of Singapore shall shoulder the following expenses: (1) daily training allowance of One Hundred Twenty Singapore Dollars (S\$120) from the first day to the last day of the course to cover meals and daily expenses; (2) transportation to course venue and site visits; (3) medical insurance to cover accident and hospitalization during the stay in Singapore in accordance with the policy of a local insurance company; and, (4) accommodation for the entire duration of the course.

All expenses pertaining to round-trip airfare costs, miscellaneous expenses prior to the course and costs relative to out-patient medical or dental treatments shall be shouldered by the participant.

All required documents (Annex A) must be submitted to the Regional Human Resource Development Division (HRDD) Chiefs for evaluation and proper endorsement to the National Educators Academy of the Philippines - Professional Development Division (NEAP-PDD). Applications without the aforementioned endorsement shall not be accepted.

The Regional HRDD Chiefs are enjoined to submit the complete set of the documentary requirements of their nominees along with the Nomination Letter signed by the Regional Director via email to neap.pdd@deped.gov.ph on or before 3 March 2017.

The other details of the program are enclosed in this memorandum. For further inquiries and clarifications, you may contact the DepEd Scholarship Secretariat at (02) 633-9455 or through email at neap.pdd@deped.gov.ph.

Immediate dissemination of and appropriate action for this memorandum is desired.

- Enclosure A: *List of Requirements*
B: *Executive Summary*
C: *Annex A: Singapore Cooperation Programme (SCP)*
D: *Nominee Assessment Summary*
E: *Certification format*
F: *SCP Application Form*
G: *Essay Questionnaire*
H: *Scholarship Contract*

Annex A

SINGAPORE COOPERATION PROGRAM (SCP) - TECHNICAL EDUCATION AND SKILLS DEVELOPMENT AUTHORITY (TESDA)

21st Century Teacher Education

LIST OF REQUIREMENTS

A. Qualifications

- a. Officers and employees nominated by the head of department / agency, institution or university or non-governmental organization and private enterprise
- b. Filipino citizen
- c. Must have rendered at least two (2) years of service in the government (DepEd) at the time of nomination
- d. Must hold a permanent appointment at the organization nominating him/her
- e. Must have obtained at least a *Very Satisfactory* performance rating for two (2) consecutive period preceding the nomination
- f. Must have no pending administrative and/or criminal case
- g. Must have a college degree and/or sufficient demonstrated ability and experience related/relevant to the course applied for
- h. Must have no pending nomination for scholarship in another program/course
- i. Must have already rendered the required service obligation for a scholarship previously enjoyed
- j. Must meet the position level, age, education and experience required and specified by the donor country/organization/course
- k. Must have a good command of the English language (spoken and written)
- l. Physically and medically fit to travel
- m. Not an expectant mother

B. Documentary

- a. Detailed and updated Curriculum Vitae
- b. Letter of Application addressed to the donor organization
- c. Nomination Letter from the Regional Director or his/her duly authorized representative (thru the Regional HRDD Chiefs)
- d. Statement of present actual duties and responsibilities relevant to the course/program, signed by the immediate supervisor (1 original, 2 certified copies)
- e. Certification from the Head/Manager of the Human Resource Department (attached CERTIFICATION format)
- f. SCP Application Form with passport-size photos (4 sets)
- g. Nominee Assessment (1 original copy)
- h. Personal Data Sheet
- i. Service record
- j. Performance rating for two (2) consecutive rating periods immediately preceding the nomination
- k. Medical certificate of physical fitness issued by a physician from a recognized accredited health institution but not the same institution where the applicant is presently employed
- l. Certification that the applicant has no pending application for scholarship under another program signed by the immediate supervisor
- m. Certification of no pending administrative and/or criminal case signed by the applicant's respective legal / administrative officer
- n. Photocopy of Valid Passport (3 copies)
- o. Transcript/s of Records and diplomas for all degrees attained

Annex A

- p. Copy of professional certification/s
- q. Fully accomplished *Essay Questionnaire*
- r. Signed *Scholarship Contract*

**Scanned/soft copies of the Nomination Letter and the above-enumerated documents must be submitted before 3 March 2017 via email at neap.pdd@deped.gov.ph. All original documents of the chosen applicant are to be submitted to TESDA – Foreign Scholarship and Training Program on or before 3 March 2017.*

EXECUTIVE SUMMARY

Title of Program : 21st Century Teacher Education
Duration : May 15 – 19, 2017
Sponsored : Singapore Cooperation Programme
Venue : Singapore

Course Objectives:

This course will provide participants with an in-depth understanding of the development of teacher education in Singapore and the strategies the country adopts to sustain a quality teaching workforce.

The course will allow participants to:

- Identify emerging educational trends and issues countries face in today's competitive global environment.
- Understand the critical success factors for Singapore's successful transformation of its teacher-education system.
- Understand the role of NIE in supporting the training and development of Singapore's teacher.
- Understand policies governing how teachers are trained and deployed and how their performance is tracked.
- Examine the factors behind the development of public teaching into one of the top professions in Singapore.
- Apply and contextualize Singapore's "best practices" in teacher-education to participants' countries education situation.

Synopsis and Methodology:

Topics to be covered include:

- The Fourth Industrial Revolution and its impact on education in the 21st century.
- Current state of Teacher Education.
- Importance of professional development of teachers.

- Roles of schools in teacher capabilities development and sustaining a quality teaching workforce
- Performance Management and performance-tracking of Singapore's teachers.

Participant's Qualification:

- Principals, educators and mid to senior officials from government institutions, education ministries and related government agencies involved in teacher education.
- Nominated by their respective governments
- Proficient in spoken and written English
- In good health and medically fit to attend the course.

Program Arrangement

The following expenses will be borne by the Government of Singapore.

- A daily training allowance of One Hundred and Twenty Singapore Dollars (S\$120) from the first day to last day of the course to cover meals and daily expenses. [Complimentary breakfast is provided in the hotel from the first day to one day after the course.];
- Transportation to course venue and site visits;
- Medical insurance for participants to cover accident and hospitalization during their stay in Singapore in accordance with the policy of a local insurance company; and
- Accommodation for the entire duration of the course.

NOTE:

- (i) Round-Trip airfares are not included
- (ii) Participants are to bear their personal miscellaneous expenses that might be incurred prior to receiving their training allowance
- (iii) Any expenses for out-patient medical/dental treatments should be borne by the participants themselves

**FOREIGN SCHOLARSHIP AND TRAINING PROGRAM
TECHNICAL EDUCATION AND SKILLS DEVELOPMENT AUTHORITY**

ANNEX A – Singapore Cooperation Programme (SCP)

I. Who are qualified to apply?

- ✓ Officers and employees nominated by the head of department/agency, institution or university or non-governmental organization and private enterprise
- ✓ Must have rendered at least two years of service in the government at the time of nomination
- ✓ Must hold a permanent appointment at the organization nominating him/her
- ✓ Must have obtained at least a very satisfactory performance rating for two consecutive periods preceding the nomination
- ✓ Must have a college degree and/or sufficient demonstrated ability and experience related/relevant to the course applied for
- ✓ Must have no pending administrative and/or criminal case
- ✓ Must have no pending nomination for scholarship in another program/course
- ✓ Must have already rendered the required service obligation for a scholarship previously enjoyed
- ✓ Must meet the position level, age, education and experience required and specified by the donor country/organization/course

II. Terms and Coverage:

Please see the Executive Summary for the Program provided.

III. Basic Documentary Requirements – Nominees must submit the following on or before the deadline set by TESDA:

- A. **Nomination Letter** indicating why the nominee is being endorsed and signed by the Department Secretary or Head of Agency/University or Entity or the duly authorized official, addressed to:

GUILING A. MAMONDIONG
Director General/Secretary
Technical Education and Skills Development Authority
East Service Road, South Superhighway, Taguig City

ATTENTION: Foreign Scholarship & Training Program Unit

- B. **Personal Data Sheet** to include list of training programs and seminars attended - 1 original, 2 certified copies
- C. **Statement of PRESENT Actual Duties and Responsibilities RELEVANT** to the course signed by the immediate supervisor – 1 original, 2 certified copies
- D. **Certification from the Head/Manager of the Human Resource Department**
(Please see attached CERTIFICATION format)
- E. **SCP Application Form** with passport-size photos – 4 sets
 - Handwritten application forms will not be accepted
 - All copies must bear original photos
 - Use 4A bond paper

The applications forms may be downloaded at:

www.scp.gov.sg/content/scp/courses_offered_applicationprocedure/application_procedure.html

- F. **Copies of Valid Passport** (Personalia Pahina only) – 3 copies
- G. **Nominee Assessment** (Please see attached form provided) – 1 original copy

HONEYLET T. ESPINO
Desk Officer
Telefax: 817-9095
Mobile: 0917-8060759
Email: tesda.fstp.unit@gmail.com

Program/Course:

Name	Agency	Position	Age	Degree/ Education	Related Training Programs	Work Experience	Duties and Responsibilities

(Letter Head of the Agency/Department)

CERTIFICATION

Mr. /Ms. _____ herein referred to as the
Applicant and Mr./Ms. _____ referred hereto
as the Personnel Manager certify that:

The Department of _____ thru its Scholarship Committee
endorses the nomination of Mr. /Ms. _____
to the _____ scheduled from
_____ to _____ and sponsored by the
_____.

The said applicant has no pending administrative or criminal case;

The applicant has no pending nomination in another course;

The applicant rendered the required service obligation for a scholarship previously
enjoyed;

The applicant's PES ratings for two immediate rating periods were at least Very
Satisfactory;

The applicant is physically and mentally fit to travel and attend training abroad; and

The applicant shall not withdraw from the nomination and once accepted shall complete
the course and not be allowed to cancel or terminate the scholarship/training without
justifiable reason and without giving prior notice to and getting the approval from the donor
institution, TESDA and his agency.

This certification is issued as part of the requirements for application to short-term, non
degree courses under the Foreign Scholarship Training Program.

Done this _____ day of _____ 20 _____.

Applicant

HR/Personnel Manager

SINGAPORE COOPERATION PROGRAMME APPLICATION FORM

AFFIX A
RECENT
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Please type or write clearly in capital letters. Do not leave any space blank. Use "NIL" or "N/A" where applicable.

Programme: Singapore Cooperation Programme Training Award (SCPTA) /
Small Island Developing States Technical Cooperation Programme (SIDSTEC)
Course Title: 21st Century Teacher Education
Course Dates: 15 to 19 May 2017

PART ONE: APPLICANT DETAILS (TO BE COMPLETED BY APPLICANT)

Applicant's Particulars

Title	Dr/Mr/Mrs/Ms/Others (please circle accordingly)		
Family Name			
Given Name			
Gender		Date of Birth (dd/mm/yy)	
Nationality		Representing Government of	
Passport Number		Passport Expiry Date (dd/mm/yy)	
Religion		Dietary Restrictions (if any)	

Contact Details

Country/Territory			State/Province			City/Town		
Office Address							Postal Code	
	Country Code	Area Code	Number	Personal Email				
Telephone No.								
Mobile				Other Email				
Fax No.								

Person to be notified in case of emergency

Name			Relationship			
Address		Telephone No.	Country Code	Area Code	Number	
			Email			

NOTE This application form should be duly completed and endorsed by the Ministry of Foreign Affairs or the National Focal Point for Technical Assistance in your country/territory. Forms which are incomplete or not endorsed will not be accepted.

SINGAPORE COOPERATION PROGRAMME APPLICATION FORM

Employment History

Organisation	Department	Designation	Nature of Job	From (dd/mm/yy)	To (dd/mm/yy)
					PRESENT

Educational Qualifications

Educational Qualification Attained	Educational Institution	From (dd/mm/yy)	To (dd/mm/yy)

Professional Qualifications

Description of Qualification	Date Attained

Previous Attendance

Have you attended any courses sponsored under the Singapore Cooperation Programme previously? If yes, please state the name and date of course(s).	Yes/No

NOTE: This application form should be duly completed and endorsed by the Ministry of Foreign Affairs or the National Focal Point for

SINGAPORE COOPERATION PROGRAMME APPLICATION FORM

PART THREE: TO BE COMPLETED BY DIRECT SUPERVISOR

I nominate (Dr/Mr/Mrs/Ms*) _____ holding Passport No. _____ for the training course.

_____ Name and Designation	_____ Email Address
_____ Name of Organisation	_____ Country code Area code Office tel no.
_____ Signature	_____ Country code Area code Office fax no.

Please describe why the applicant has been nominated for this course:

Please describe what skills / knowledge you would like the applicant to gain from this course:

PART FOUR: ENDORSEMENT (TO BE COMPLETED BY NATIONAL FOCAL POINT FOR TECHNICAL ASSISTANCE / MINISTRY OF FOREIGN AFFAIRS OF NOMINATING GOVERNMENT)

By signing below, I confirm that I endorse the above nominee and that I believe all the statements in this form to be correct.

(Ministry's Official Stamp)

PILAR G. DE LEON

Name

Director IV, AS

Chief of Services for Administration

Designation

Signature
tesda.fstp.unit@gmail.com

Email Address

Technical Education & Skills Development Authority

_____ Name of Organisation		
+63	02	817 - 9095
Country code	Area code	Office tel no.
+63	02	817 - 9095
Country code	Area code	Office fax no.

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Annex G

SINGAPORE COOPERATION PROGRAM (SCP) - TECHNICAL EDUCATION AND SKILLS
DEVELOPMENT AUTHORITY (TESDA)
21st Century Teacher Education

ESSAY QUESTIONS

(Use a separate sheet, if necessary)

Name of Applicant : _____

1. Briefly discuss your work functions.

2. Why do you want to be part of the program?

3. How can your school benefit from your attendance to the program?

4. What initiatives can you implement to promote awareness and/or appreciation of early childhood education?

5. Cite examples wherein you applied the lessons you gained from a training/conference/scholarship to your school.

MEMORANDUM OF AGREEMENT
(Scholarship Contract)

I, _____ (NAME), Filipino, of legal age and with residence at _____ (HOME ADDRESS),
_____ (POSITION) of _____ (SCHOOL /
OFFICE /STATION) for and in consideration of the scholarship grant on
_____ (PROGRAM CODE AND TITLE OF THE COURSE) at the
_____ (VENUE OF THE COURSE) for the period
_____ (INCLUSIVE DATES OF THE COURSE) do hereby agree to observe
the following terms and conditions:

- a. shall maintain the academic standards and other course requirements set for by the program of the institution and Department of Education (DepEd) and that failure to do so would be sufficient grounds for disqualification and termination of the scholarship;
- b. shall conduct myself in such manner as not to bring disgrace or dishonor to myself, the institution and the DepEd;
- c. shall return to my official station and resume my functions immediately upon the completion or termination of my scholarship or training grant;
- d. shall, at the end of my scholarship or training grant, submit to the head of my office and the Department of Education (DepEd) through the National Educators Academy of the Philippines (NEAP) a copy of my scholarship reports containing lessons for the conduct of echo seminars to share new learnings, teaching innovations, and strategies to my co-teachers and administrators; various trainings, program highlights and general impressions constituting my (scholar's) evaluation of the program;
- e. shall, upon return to my station, implement the echo seminars and submit reports to the Professional Development Division, National Educators Academy of the Philippines at Second Floor, Mabini Building, DepEd Complex, Meralco Avenue, Pasig City;
- f. shall teach the subject / conduct echo seminars on the course in which I was granted the scholarship and continue to serve my school / division / region for at least three years which is the service obligation equivalent for a year of scholarship or a fraction thereof;
- g. shall refund in full to the Department of Education such sums of money as may have been defrayed by the Philippine government for expenses incidental to my scholarship, for failure to comply with any of the foregoing conditions

through my fault or willful neglect, resignation from the service, transfer to other agencies, voluntary retirement or other causes within my control.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I set my hand this ____ day of _____ at _____.

DepEd Scholar
(signature over printed name)

Chairman, Scholarship Committee
(signature over printed name)

Witness:

Regional Director*
(signature over printed name)

Head, Scholarship Secretariat**
(signature over printed name)

Notarized:

SUBSCRIBED AND SWORN TO before me this ____ day of _____.
Affiant exhibiting his Community Tax Certificate No. _____ issued at _____ on _____.

*initials of immediate supervisor under Director's signature

**initials of other members of the Scholarship Secretariat