



Call for Papers

The 2022 National and International Conference of The National Institute of Development Administration (NIC-NIDA)

**“Turning Challenges into Opportunities: Working toward SDGs, BCG and Inclusive
Growth in the Global Economy”**

August 18-19, 2022 between 9:00 a.m. – 5.30 p.m.

**The National Institute of Development Administration (NIDA), Bangkok, Thailand
(Online conference via ZOOM)**

1. Overview

The National Institute of Development Administration (NIDA) was established on April 1, 1966. It is an institution of higher education in Thailand that has produced personnel to meet the country's developmental needs. It offers graduate programs at the master's and doctoral levels, promotes the conducting of high-quality research and continuously provides academic services to the public with dedication and passion. At present, it offers studies in fields related to development administration, namely Public Administration, Business Administration, Development Economics, Applied Statistics, Social Development, Environmental Management, Language and Communication, Human Resource Development, Law, Integrated Tourism Management, Communication Arts and Management Innovation, and Business Management.

Over the years, NIDA has annually organized three major conferences, consisting of the National Conference (held on the Institute's anniversaries), the International Conference on Advancement of Development Administration - Social Sciences and Interdisciplinary Studies (NIDA ICADA-SSIS) and the NIDA International Conference for Case Studies on Development Administration (NIDA-ICCS). These conferences' shared objectives are to disseminate works of academics both in and outside NIDA, provide forums for sharing knowledge and exploring ideas, and present research that benefits the country's development.

This year, NIDA deems it appropriate to organize, for the first time, the NIC-NIDA Conference which combines the national and international academic conference with the case studies forum. The conference is on “SDGs and BCG Model” and will be conducted via Zoom on August 18 -19, 2022. Its main activities include keynote and plenary lectures, panel and roundtable discussions and academic presentations related to sustainable development in line with the United Nations' Sustainable Development Goals (SDG) and Bio-Circular-Green Economy (BCG). The keynote lectures and presentations will be delivered by academics from the 11 disciplines as stated above.

2. Conference Theme

“Turning Challenges into Opportunities: Working toward SDGs, BCG and Inclusive Growth in the Global Economy”

3. Overview of Conference Theme

Bio- Circular- Green Economic Model or BCG has been introduced by the research community and promoted by the Thai government as a new economic model for inclusive and sustainable growth. The BCG model capitalizes on the country’s strengths in biological diversity and cultural richness and employs technology and innovation to transform Thailand to a value-based and innovation-driven economy. The model also conforms to the UN Sustainable Development Goals (SDGs) and is also intended to align with the Sufficiency Economy Philosophy (SEP) which is the key principle of Thailand’s social and economic development. The Sustainable Development Goals (SDGs), also known as the Global Goals, are a universal call to action to end poverty, protect the planet and ensure that all people enjoy peace and prosperity. The 17 SDGs are a part of transforming our world: the 2030 Agenda, which was adopted by 193 Member States at the historic UN General Assembly Summit in September 2015 and came into effect on January 1, 2016. The SDGs have been developed through an unprecedented consultative process that brought national governments and millions of citizens from across the globe together to negotiate and adopt the ambitious agenda.



4. Conference Objectives

- (1) Be a platform that brings together researchers, academics, professionals, scholars and university students, national or international, to exchange their views and share their insights on the SDGs and BCG Models.
- (2) Promote the production and dissemination of research works in various fields relating to development administration.
- (3) Provide a public stage where academic, professional and student participants can present their research at the international level.
- (4) Promote the growth of research and development, and teaching and policy suggestions in the economic, social and governance realms.
- (5) Broaden social networks among academics from both local and international institutions, which could lead to initiation of new or further cooperation among them as well as support from agencies in both private and public sectors.

5. Activities of the Conference

The conference is held for two days, with the activities divided into the morning and the afternoon sessions as follows:

5.1 Thursday, August 18, 2022

Morning session:

- 1) Keynote Address
- 2) Special Addresses
- 3) Panel Discussion

Afternoon session:

- 1) Paper Presentations ~ (National Conference)
- Twelve Disciplines/Fields of Development Administration

5.2 Friday, August 19, 2022

Morning session:

- 1) Keynote Address
- 2) Special Addresses
- 3) Panel Discussion

Afternoon session:

1) Presentations ~ (International Conference) Eleventh Disciplines/Fields of Development Administration

- Teaching Case and Research Case Studies Presentations
- Paper Presentations
- Ph.D. Consortium

6. The Disciplines/fields

NIC-NIDA welcomes academic works related to development and administration, social sciences, and interdisciplinary studies with the major theme of “Turning Challenges into Opportunities toward SDGs, BCG and Inclusive Growth in the Global Economy” The academic works can be categorized into 2 categories: (1) the disciplines/fields, and (2) the authors. The details are shown below.

6.1 The disciplines/fields

- 1) Applied Statistics & Information and Technology (AS)
- 2) Business Administration (BA)
- 3) Communication Arts & Management Innovation (CM)
- 4) Development Economics (DE)
- 5) Environmental Development (EnD)
- 6) Human Resource Development (HRD)
- 7) Language and Communication (LC)
- 8) Law
- 9) Public Administration (PA)
- 10) Social Development (SD)
- 11) Tourism Management (TM)

6.2 The author categories

1) University faculty members and independent academics whose works have been presented or published

2) Novice researchers desiring to make their debut (i.e., university faculty members, independent academics, and university students who have never submitted their works anywhere else).

3) University students

7. Date of Conference

Thursday - Friday, August 18-19, 2022 between 9:00 a.m. – 5.30 p.m.

8. Type of Article

1. Research Article
2. Academic Article
3. Review Article
4. Teaching Case study
5. Research Case study
6. Thesis (for the Ph.D. Consortium program)

All accepted papers will be published in the conference proceeding. The organizing committee will also select the quality papers for invited to publication in the NIDA Journals:

- 1) NIDA Development Journal (Indexed in TCI, Tier 3)
- 2) NIDA Case Research Journal (Indexed in TCI, Tier 2)

The selection is subject to the rules, terms, and conditions of the stated journals. The final decision for the journal publication will be made by the review board of the journals. Only the authors of qualified works will be invited to give a presentation at the conference and published in the NIDA Development Journal and NIDA Case Research Journal or if (1) the author(s) submit his/her both abstract(s) and full paper(s) by the due dates, (2) their works are peer reviewed and qualified by the selected reviewers, and (3) the author(s) give his/her/their presentations at the conference.

Also, a certificate will be presented to the author(s) whose his/her/their article(s) has been peer-reviewed and awarded as a top paper/top case. Those papers will be published in the NIDA Development Journal and NIDA Case Research Journal.

** Thesis (for the Ph.D. Consortium program) not included in this condition**

9. Important Dates

<u>Activity</u>	<u>Date</u>
Full paper (including case studies) submission	Now – June 15, 2022 Deadline has been extended to July 15, 2022
Notification of the full paper reviewing result	March 30, 2022 (onwards)
Conference registration	May 1, 2022 (onwards)
Conference presentations	August 18, 2022
<i>*For national-level papers <u>ONLY</u></i>	
Conference presentations	August 19, 2022
<i>*For international-level paper/case studies/ Ph.D. Consortium <u>ONLY</u></i>	
Distribution of the Proceeding 2022	November 2022 (or later)

10. Article Submission

10.1 Full Paper/ Case Study Submission:

- Full paper (including case studies) must be written according to the format given in the “The paper template” section.

- Full paper (including case studies) submission must be made via <http://conference.nida.ac.th/> and within the given due dates and as the attached file(s) in the MS Word format only.

- The maximum length of both an abstract is 150 - 250 words, that of a full paper no longer than 25 pages (excluding tables, appendices, and references) and keywords of 3-5 words.

10.2 Ph.D. Consortium:

- Students who are midway through their Ph.D.

- In the process of research proposal (Thesis)

- The presenters must submit their research papers to their advisors for endorsement and approval to be eligible to present in the conference.

- The presenters will be awarded a certificate by the organizer without any obligation to publish their papers.

- Submission must be made via <http://conference.nida.ac.th/>

11. Format Instructions

All Full paper (including case studies) must be typed in English and in the APA format only (<http://www.apa.org/>). The language use must be grammatically correct. Full papers must be submitted by the given due dates. Full papers with poorly written English will not be considered.

12. Certificates and Awarded Papers

For Full Paper/Case Study: Each presenter will get a certificate after their presentation. The best paper will be awarded “**Top Paper Award**” and will get

(1) Certificate for Top Paper Award

(2) 5,000 bath (Thai)

Please be informed that the committee’s decision is considered final.

For Ph.D. Consortium: The presenters will be awarded a certificate by the organizer without any obligation to publish their papers.

13. Project Coordinators

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*Remarks:

1. Any full paper already submitted to the conference cannot be withdrawn from the reviewing process. If it is withdrawn, a penalty will be applied.
2. The penalty for withdrawing from the reviewing process is that the author(s) of the withdrawn paper(s) will not be allowed to submit any full paper to the conference for two years after.
3. Any accepted full paper shall be included in the Proceedings. The author(s) of those papers also cannot withdraw the paper(s) from being included in the Proceedings, and the same penalty will be applied.
4. Any follow ups absolutely are the authors' sole responsibility. An inquiry can be made to the organizing team, if the authors have not received feedbacks on their submissions or registration in timely fashion.
5. The author(s) is/are solely responsible for the submission process if any loss or missing occurs.
6. Before submitting your paper, please ensure that it has been carefully read for typographical and grammatical errors. If English is not your first language, have your paper proof-read by an English speaking person. Papers will be returned if the standard of English is not considered to be good enough for publication.
7. The editorial team reserves rights on any changes/updates of the submission process and instructions without notice. The author(s) must be alert on any possible or unexpected changes/dates.

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