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Announcement of Suranaree University of Technology

RE: Scholarship for SUT Graduate International Students B.E. 2564 (2021)

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In order to amend the Announcement of Suranaree University of Technology RE: Scholarship for SUT Graduate International Students to increase appropriateness of the Announcement, by virtue of Section 21 and Section 24 of the Suranaree University of Technology Act, B.E. 2533 (1990) in conjunction with Article 5 of the Suranaree University of Technology Regulations on SUT Finance and Asset B.E. 2549 (2006) as amended by the Suranaree University of Technology Regulations on SUT Finance and Asset (No. 3) B.E. 2556 (2013) and the Resolution of the Meeting of the SUT Finance and Asset Committee No. 4/B.E. 2564 (2021) on 26 April B.E. 2564 (2021), SUT hereby issues the Announcement as follows:

Article 1 This Announcement is called “Announcement of Suranaree University of Technology RE: Scholarship for SUT Graduate International Students B.E. 2564 (2021)”.

Article 2 This Announcement shall come into force from the academic year B.E. 2564 (2021) onwards.

Article 3 Repeal of inconsistent announcements, circular notices, resolutions, and orders

Announcement of Suranaree University of Technology RE: Scholarship for SUT Graduate International Students B.E. 2559 (2016) dated 7 October B.E. 2559 (2016) including other announcements, circular notices, resolutions, and orders inconsistent to this Announcement shall be repealed and this Announcement shall be enforced instead.

Article 4 Objectives of Scholarship

This Announcement is aimed to provide international undergraduate / student earning honor... student earning honor class with an opportunity to pursue study at SUT graduate schools. The Scholarship provision shall increase internationalization of Suranaree University of Technology in numerous aspects such as gaining public attention at international level, creation of education settings for both undergraduate and graduate students, formation of international network and collaboration, etc. The provision shall also develop SUT students both in quantity and quality.

Article 5 Amounts of Scholarship

No more than 20 scholarships per academic year including both for Master's and Doctoral programs shall be provided to Scholarship Recipients.

Article 6 Criteria for Eligible Applicants

6.1 Applicants need to be international students earning Bachelor's degree with honor and applying for Master's program, continuous Master's/Doctoral program, or Doctoral program.

6.2 International Applicants with Master's degree and GPAX of over than 3.5 from other education institutes applying for Scholarship of Doctoral program need to publish at least one international journal in the top position (Q1) or middle-high position (Q2) level of Scopus database.

6.3 Applicants need to have competent English language skill by taking English proficiency test and achieve at least minimum scores in response to SUT requirement.

6.4 Applicants need not be recipients of other scholarships elsewhere.

Article 7 Scholarship Application

Scholarship application needs to be done at Center for Educational Service, Center for International Affairs, or via other platforms as determined by SUT.

Article 8 Scholarship Criteria and Grant Procedures

SUT Institutes shall appoint the selection committee as it deemed appropriate and by approval of SUT institute committee. Criteria for Scholarship Applicants are as follows:

8.1 Applicants need to fulfil criteria as stated in Article 6.

8.2 Applicants need to possess competence in publishing academic journal.

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8.3 The selection committee needs to properly allocate amounts of Scholarship to different SUT institutes.

8.4 Applicants need to fulfil other criteria as determined by the selection committee.

8.5 The Scholarship grant result shall be announced on the same date as the announcement date of education application result.

Article 9 Amounts of Scholarship and Period of Scholarship Grant

Applicants earning Scholarship shall be exempted from tuition fee, university support fee, and student activity support fee and shall gain monthly allowance with 10,000 Baht (ten thousand Baht only) throughout curriculum period starting from the official date of gaining SUT student status as follows:

9.1 For Recipients of Master's program, Scholarship shall be granted for 6 academic semesters.

9.2 For Recipients earning Master's degree within the period eligible to apply for further study in Doctoral program, Scholarship shall be granted for additional 9 academic semesters.

9.3 For Recipients of continuous Master's/Doctoral program, Scholarship shall be granted for 9 academic semesters.

9.4 For Recipients of continuous Bachelor's/Doctoral program, Scholarship shall be granted for 15 academic semesters.

9.5 Recipients changing academic degree from Master's to Doctoral degree shall be granted with Scholarship of no more than 15 academic semesters from the official date of gaining SUT student status.

9.6 Recipients dropping from classes shall be suspended from monthly allowance during the drop period.

Article 10 Obligations of Scholarship Recipients

Recipients shall have obligations as follows:

10.1 Recipients earning Scholarship of Master's program need to have at least 72 workload teaching hours of laboratory classes per academic semester throughout the period of Scholarship grant in regards to this Announcement.

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10.2 Recipients earning Scholarship of Doctoral program need to have at least 72 workload teaching hours of lecture or laboratory classes per academic semester throughout the period of Scholarship grant in regards to this Announcement.

10.3 Subjects to be taught by Recipients shall be determined by the institutes that Recipients enroll in and approval of the institute committee.

10.4 In the event Recipients are not capable of performing work or have less duties than the settled plan, Recipients need to submit petitions to the institute committee to request for work alleviation or for performing other work in each academic semester instead. However, the workload teaching hours need to be at least 72 hours per academic semester.

Article 11 Graduation Criteria

All Recipients in regards to this Announcement, both those with active and terminated Recipient status during request for graduation need to perform as follows:

11.1 Recipients of Master's program need to have at least one journal published at national level in either Group 1 or Group 2 of the TCI database or at international level of the Scopus database.

11.2 Recipients of Doctoral program need to have at least one journal published at international level in the top position (Q1) or middle-high position (Q2) levels of the Scopus database, and be the first author stated in the journal.

Article 12 Termination of Recipient Status

Recipient status as stated in Article 9 shall terminate upon either one of these following conditions:

12.1 Recipients graduating from the academic degree in request for Scholarship.

12.2 The period of earning Scholarship as stated in Article 9 is over.

12.3 Recipients fail to fulfil the obligations as stated in Article 10.

12.4 Recipients gaining GPAX of less than 3.25 for two consecutive academic semesters, excluding Recipients choosing thesis education plan.

12.5 Recipients are retired or suspended from SUT.

12.6 Recipients submit petitions in request to withdraw from the Recipient status with approval of the institute committee.

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12.7 The institute committee makes decision Recipients be withdrawn from Recipient status.

Article 13 Recipients are not liable for repayment of the earned Scholarship.

Article 14 The Rector of SUT shall hold authority in the event of disputes or uncertainties.

In the event disputes or uncertainties arisen as a consequence of this Announcement, the Rector of SUT shall hold authority to make decision. The decision of the Rector of SUT is final.

Issued on 17 May B.E. 2564 (2021)

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