

Driving local agricultural products from self-sufficient production to creative economy

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Nombre: Driving local agricultural products from self-sufficient production to creative economy

Descripción: **TICA: Thailand International Cooperation Agency**
is a national focal point for Thailand's international development cooperation. TICA was established in 2004 to realize Thailand's aspiration to be a contributor of development cooperation. Believing that global challenges are best addressed by international cooperation and global partnership, today we continue to strengthen our contribution to achieve global development agenda through various capacity-building and human resources development programs. In response to the recent changes in the global landscape of development cooperation, especially through the concept of South-South and Triangular Cooperation, TICA continues to realign our focuses in order to deliver Thailand's commitment to be a relevant partner in global agendas including the 2030. Agenda for Sustainable Development.

AITC : Annual International Training Course

was initiated in 1991 as a framework in providing short-term training for developing partners. Today, the AITC remains one of TICA's flagship programs. It offers not only a training experience, but also a platform in exchanging ideas and establishing professional network among participants from across the developing world. Aiming at sharing Thailand's best practices and experience to the world, the AITC training courses focus on development topics of our expertise currently categorized under five themes namely; "Sufficiency Economy Philosophy" or SEP, Food security, Public Health, Climate Change, and other topics related to Sustainable Development Goals (SDGs).

Faculty of Agriculture, Khon Kaen University,

as situated in the region with harsh environment, has long experiences, more than 50 years, working with poor small-scale farmers. The knowledge based on SEP has been implemented in every aspect of agricultural production. Under a changing world, Faculty of Agriculture are fully aware that conventional practice solely may not be able to alleviate poverty of farmers, therefore, bridging creative agriculture, together with SEP is always our focus. Authentic experiences of ours can be good examples and can inspire participants worldwide.

AITC Theme : SEP

was bestowed by His Majesty the King Bhumibol Adulyadej. Application of the philosophy has contributed to the balanced and stable development from individual, family and community to society by developing the ability to cope with changes arising from extensive and rapid change in the material, social, environment and cultural conditions. Application of SEP in agricultural fields can be related to three main issues including economy, natural resource and environment, and technology. Application of SEP in driving agricultural products from self-sufficient production and household consumption to be in a position of new market of creative economy may yield small-scale farmers more competitive and subsequently higher income and sustainability.

Fuente principal: Tailandia

Fuente secundaria: -

Tipo de beca: Parcial

Fecha de vencimiento: 03/08/2020

Requisitos: **General criteria**

Candidates must possess qualifications as specified in "Guideline for Thailand's Annual International Training Course Programme" No. 2 "Qualifications"

2.1 Candidates must be nominated by central government agencies in a country from the AITC eligible countries/territories list. (See "List of Eligible Countries/Territories")

2.2 Candidates should be an officer or agent (preferably from government agencies) currently working in the area related to the training topic.

2.3 Candidates must have a degree and/or professional experience suitable to the training topic.

2.4 Candidates must have a good command of English.

2.5 It is recommended that candidates be less than 55 years of age.

2.6 Candidates must be in good health.

2.7 Nomination of female candidates is encouraged.

2.8 TICA reserves the rights to revoke fellowship offered to participants who are pregnant during the period of training.

Specific Requirements

- currently working with at least five-year experience in community/rural development or relevant fields.

Beneficios: Training Fellowship include training fee, accommodation, allowance, insurance, airport transfer and social programme.

Lugar de postulación y documentación a presentar: The nomination must be supported by the following two documents;
- Application form
- Medical Report

Two (2) copies of originals of all forms duly filled out, counter-signed and stamped by the authorized person must be submitted.

Application form must be filled in typed-block letter. Soft file of the Application Form and Medical Report Form can be found at

<http://www.tica.thaigov.net/main/contents/files/information-20170608-115634-792820.pdf>

Junto con la documentación antes mencionada deberá presentarse en AUCI;

- Formulario de la AUCI
- Decreto 234/86
- Carta de aval de la Institución donde trabaja dirigida a AUCI
- dos (2) copias de la CI
- Fotocopia de Certificado de Conocimiento de idioma inglés

Toda la documentación debe presentarla en:

Presidencia de la República - Torre Ejecutiva - Plaza Independencia 710 P.7 Of. 703 "Sección Becas"

Contacto en caso de dudas:

becas@auci.gub.uy

tel 150 int 3402

Observaciones:

Airfares are not included

Visa arrangement –Participants will be responsible for obtaining appropriate visa prior to their travel to Thailand, if required. List of countries entitled for visa exemption and visa on arrival to Thailand can be found at <http://www.consular.go.th/main/th/customize/62281-Summary-of-Countries-and-Territories-entitled-for.html>. TICA will provide facilitation to participants who require visa application i.e. liaising with the Royal Thai Embassy/ Consulate and advising on appropriate procedure and necessary documents for visa application.

Participants must cover all costs arising from visa application i.e. visa fee, travel cost to the Royal Thai Embassy/ Consulate, postal fee (in case visa application is made by post,) transit visa fee (in case participants needs to apply for visa to Thailand at a transit country). The visa fee can be reimbursed upon presenting an original receipt of the fee but not exceed 2,000 THB.

Participants must not bring their family members with them during their training period. Participation in the training cannot be used as reference for visa application to Thailand of his/her family member.

Airport meeting service –Transfer to and from airport will be provided to

participants

Ofrecimiento N° 2036.1

Nombre ofrecimiento: Driving local agricultural products from self-sufficient production to creative economy

Información específica: **Course Objectives**

The training aims to;

To provide concept of SEP, academic knowledge on modern business management, logistics and supply chain management, digital marketing concept and strategy

To get participants acquainted with examples on driving agricultural products from self-sufficient production and household consumption to creative economy by applying SEP.

To provide opportunities for participants to gain new knowledge, experience and inspiration from Thai researchers, Thai farmers, and leaders of Small and Micro Community Enterprise (SMCE) who are able to promote and moving local agricultural products from self-sufficient production and household consumption to creative economy.

To provide study tour, SMCE, and farm visits for participants leading to moving local products to creative economy.

To share experience among participants on how to make local products more competitive.

Assignment and Evaluation

In-class participation.

Submission and presentation of "Country Report" Success factors in driving local products to high end market or niche market and value added in local agricultural products: A case study of participant' s country

Report - on a possible application of the SEP to their respective countries/territories

Project Assignment –Submission and presentation of group and individual project assignments Training Assignment

Reading Assignment

Attendance –Participants are required to attend all activities organized during the course. TICA reserves the rights to revoke its fellowship offered or take appropriate action in case a participant is in attendance of less than 90 percent of the training hours.

Course Outline

Topics of the training are;

Agricultural Systems in sufficient economy and low input agriculture; SEP

concepts

Making small-scale farmers more competitive and resilience through bridging SEP and creative economy; Application of SEP on small-medium scale financial management and marketing issues.

Local agricultural products, production and utilization; Genetic resources management for sustainable production: current, and future, Farmer organizations to promote agricultural products

Application of the SEP and creative agriculture on production technology and other technological issues; Application of creative agriculture in food production, landscape and environmental management, ecotourism, green energy and green cities.

Course Methodology

Training methodologies to be used during this training course include;

Lecture

Group discussion

Individual and group assignment

Study Trips/Field Trips

Tipo de curso:	CURSO CORTO
Modalidad de curso:	Presencial
País:	Tailandia
Ciudad:	-
Idiomas:	inglés
Fecha de inicio:	03/11/2020
Fecha de fin:	26/11/2020
Fecha límite de inscripción:	03/08/2020
Duración aprox.:	-
Disciplinas:	Ciencias agrarias (veterinaria y agronomía) Cultivos. Gestión de cultivos Desarrollo agrario y agricultura familiar Economía y política agraria
Observaciones:	-