

INFORMATION SESSION

CASE STUDY (INTERNATIONAL FIELD WORKSHOP)

MAY 13 & 14, 2019



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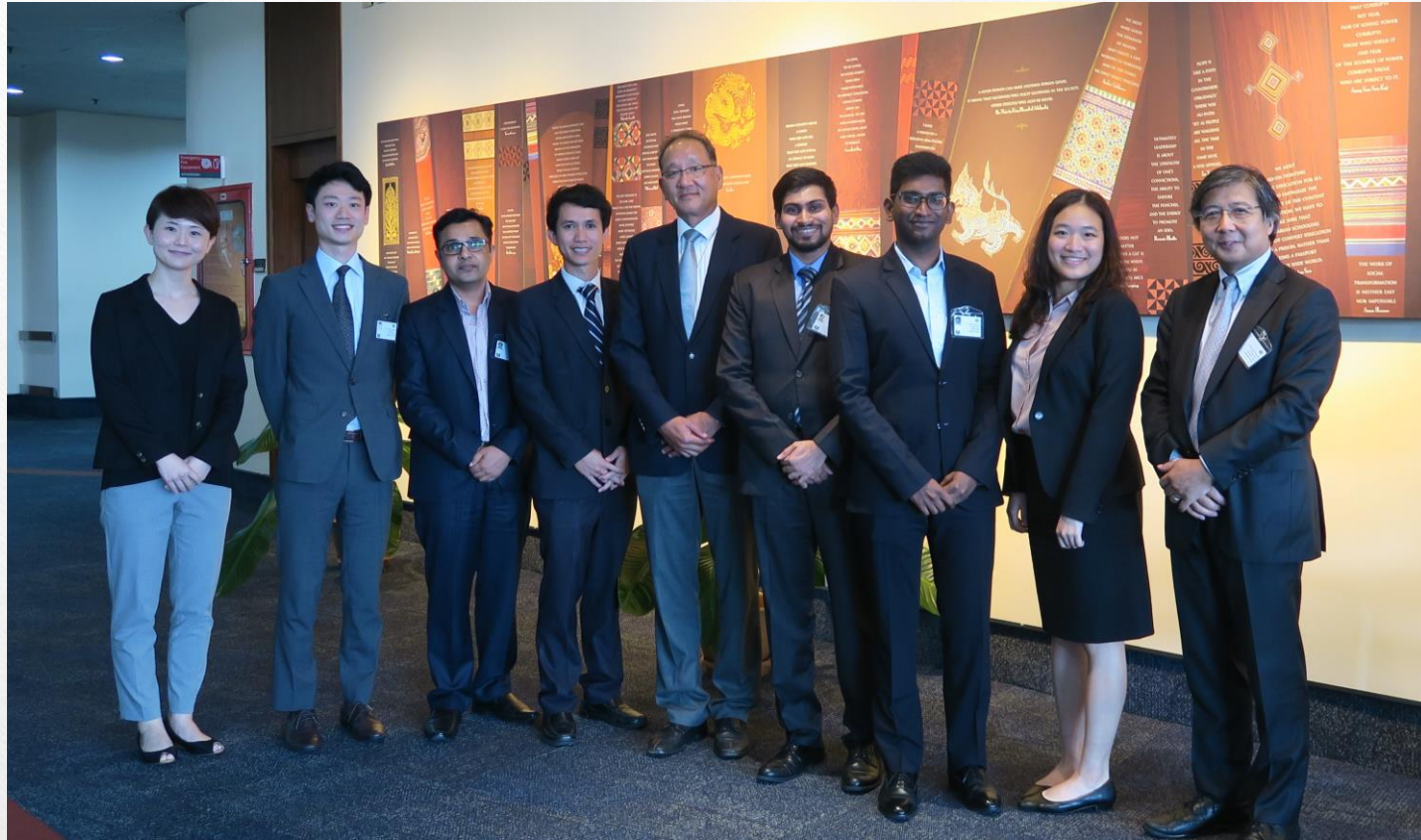
**Infosys campus (corporate HQ)
in Bangalore, India
August 2016**



World Bank Office
in Singapore
August 2016



**ERIA (Economic Research Institute for ASEAN and East Asia)
in Jakarta, Indonesia
August 2016**



UN ESCAP (United Nations Economic and Social Commission for Asia and the Pacific Office)
in Bangkok, Thailand
August 2017



After the meeting, he uploaded a brief comment about our visit on his Facebook page: "Meeting with the master's and Ph.D. students from the University of Tokyo, participating in Global Leader Program for Social Design and Management (GSDM). I am one of the international advisors to this program."

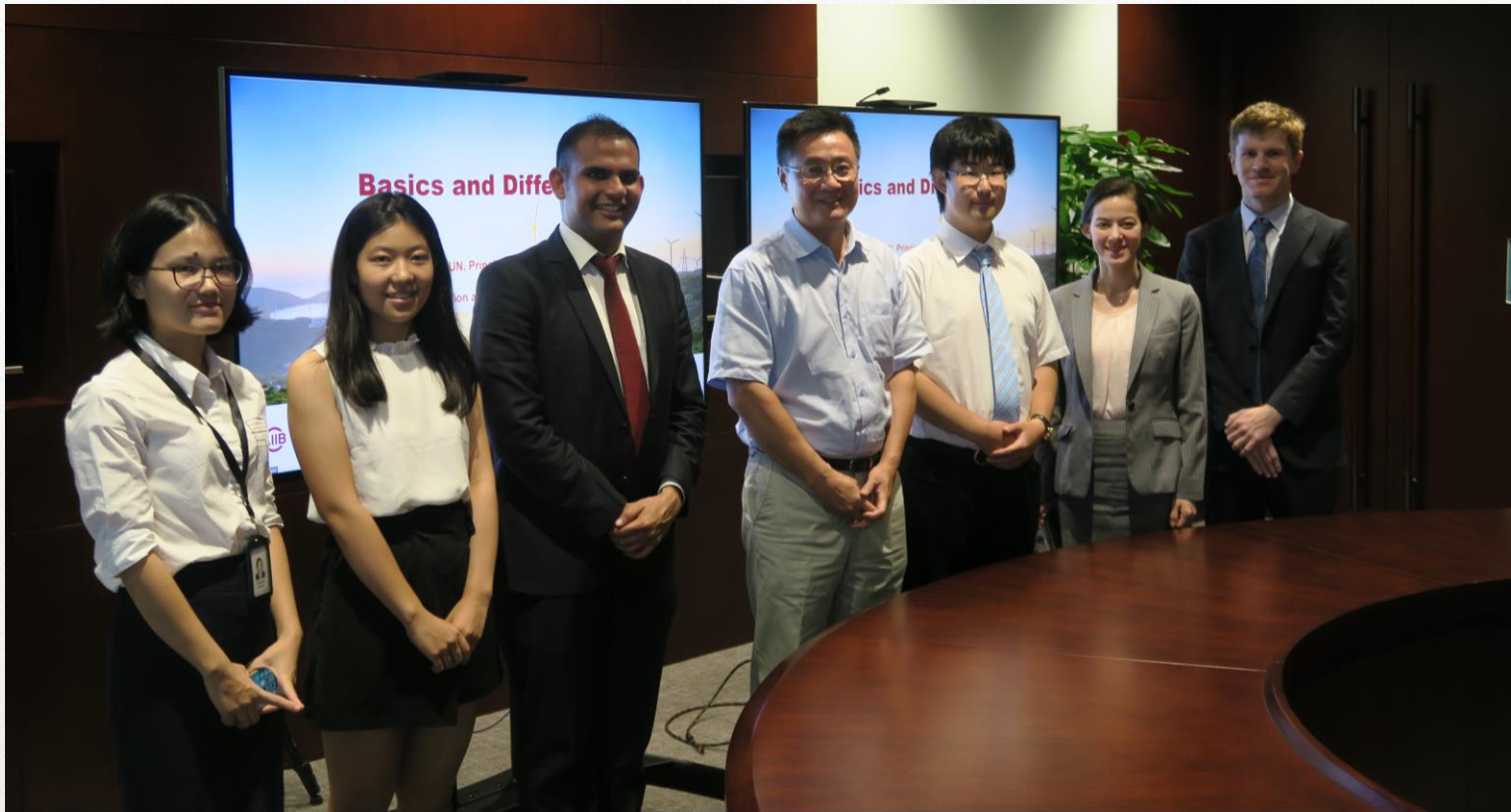
**Meeting with the late Dr. Surin Pitsuwan
(Former Secretary-General of ASEAN and Thailand's Minister of Foreign Affairs)
in Bangkok, Thailand
August 2017**



Doi Tung Development Project Co-ordination Center
in Chiang Rai, Thailand
August 2017



**Asian Development Bank
in Manila, Philippines
August 2017**



Asian Infrastructure Investment Bank (AIIB)
in Beijing, China
August 2018



United Nations Development Programme (UNDP) China Office
in Beijing, China
August 2018

Objectives

- Motivate you to seek ways to collaborate with diverse stakeholders in the international fora
- Help you identify today's social challenges from global and regional perspectives and to design solutions to such challenges

Requirements

Participants are required to:

- **be actively involved from the planning stage to lead discussion with professionals;**
- **fill the gap between your own specialized knowledge and the social demand; and**
- **connect yourselves with professionals to develop your future career.**

When and where

- **Scheduled for a period from August 21 to 29 to visit Beijing, Chiang Rai (Thailand) and Manila**

Our target organizations include ...

Beijing

- **Asian Infrastructure Investment Bank (AIIB)**
- **United Nations Development Programme (UNDP) China**
- **Baidu**

Chiang Rai

- **Mae Fah Luang Foundation**

Manila

- **Asian Development Bank (ADB)**
- **Philippine Institute for Development Studies (PIDS)**
- **Association of Development Financing Institutions in Asia and the Pacific (ADFIAP)**
- **World Health Organization (WHO) Philippines**

If you want to participate ...

- Those who want to participate in this course should submit a proposal as instructed.
- Only those who have passed selection process based on the proposal, and interview as needed, are allowed to participate.
- Registration for the course will be done by GraSPP Office so that students cannot register via UTAS by themselves.

Who pays the cost?

- Please check with the graduate school or program you are currently enrolled whether financial support would be available.

How to apply?

- Please prepare a proposal on how you will plan to organize discussion on a subject with professionals at our target organizations.

How to apply? (continued)

1. **Proposals should define what to discuss and explain the motivation behind.**
2. **Issues to be discussed should involve global and strategic perspectives.**
3. **Issues to be discussed should help draw some policy implications.**
4. **The overarching theme is “Innovation and Financing Strategies for implementing the SDGs” with which your proposal should be closely connected.**

How to apply? (continued)

- At the end of your proposal, please add a brief description of your academic interests and strengths as well as the implications of your participation in IFW for your future career goal.

How to apply? (continued)

- The proposal should be not more than 1,000 words with 12-point font size in A4 paper.
- Please make sure that you follow this limit—otherwise, the proposal will not be accepted.

How to apply? (continued)

- Please submit **the proposal and your CV, both in a single PDF file**, by e-mail to the following addresses with the subject line IFW2019S2.

TO: GSDM Office <gsdm-ppoffice@pp.u-tokyo.ac.jp>

CC: Toshiro Nishizawa <tnishizawa@pp.u-tokyo.ac.jp>

BY noon on Friday, May 24 (Tokyo time)

Important factors considered in evaluating the proposal

- how the applicant ties his/her academic interests with social issues
- how the applicant could make the good use of the participation in IFW for her/his future professional career development
- *most importantly*, how the proposal attracts attention and interest of professionals at the target organizations

What will follow next?

- **Proposal submission deadline: May 24**
- **Interviews of short-listed candidates: May 27-28, if needed**
- **Nomination: May 28**
- **Orientation: June 3, 4, 5 or 6 (TBC)**
- **Preparation (including a few team meetings) from early June to mid-August**
- **Scheduled departure: August 21**

Course grading

The course grade will be based on:

- Preparation 30%
- Participation 40%
- Individual report 30% (not more than 1,600 words to be submitted by September 2)

† **Course grades will not become available to be counted to satisfy the completion requirement for those who plan to graduate in September 2019.**

**I look forward to teaming up
with you this time or going
forward.**

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