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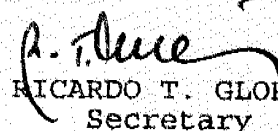
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DECS MEMORANDUM
No. 52, s. 1997

SCHEDULE OF COURSES AT SEAMEO-RECSAM
FOR ACADEMIC YEAR 1997-1998

To: Regional Directors
Schools Superintendents

1. The SEAMEO-Regional Center for Education in Science and Mathematics (SEAMEO-RECSAM) in Penang, Malaysia announces the courses offered for elementary and secondary school teachers for Academic Year 1997-1998.
2. The courses, as shown in Inclosure No. 1 have a duration of six (6) or ten (10) weeks and are offered once or twice during the five-year period (July 1995-June 2000).
3. The qualification of participants and pertinent papers to be submitted are listed in Inclosure No. 2. Interested parties may submit their pertinent papers properly indorsed by the school principal, schools superintendent and the regional director to the SEAMEO-RECSAM Scholarship Committee, DECS, UL Complex, Pasig City.
4. Applicants whose pertinent papers are pre-screened, are requested to report for interview and medical examination two (2) months before the start of a course. Applicants who pass the interview and medical examination are nominated to RECSAM. The notice of acceptance will be received by the successful applicant directly from SEAMEO-RECSAM.
5. The SEAMEO-RECSAM grantee enjoys the following privileges: free economy air fare from Manila to Penang and return, a reasonable stipend, payment of salary during the term of scholarship and allowances (clothing allowance and pre-departure allowance) from local funds.
6. SEAMEO-RECSAM also accept paying participants from both public and private sectors who may be interested in attending the courses. Inclosure No. 3 shows the various schemes and corresponding costs for the fee-paying participants.
7. Immediate dissemination of this Memorandum is desired.


RICARDO T. GLORIA
Secretary

Incis.:

As stated

Reference:

DECS Memorandum: No. 46, s. 1996

Allotment: 1-2--(M.O. 1-87)

To be indicated in the Perpetual Index
under the following subjects:

SCHOLARSHIPS
SCIENCE EDUCATION
TEACHERS

Inclosure 1 to DECS Memorandum No. , s. 1997

Schedule of RECSAM COURSES for Fiscal Year 1997/1998

BATCH I

Duration: 10 weeks (7 July to 13 September 1997)

PS-105: An Early Start To SETS (Science, Environment, Technology and Society)

SM-102: CCT (Critical and Creative Thinking) in Mathematics : What, Why and How?

Duration: 8 weeks (21 July to 13 September 1997)

PS-312: AVA: Strengthening Primary Science Teaching

BATCH II

Duration: 10 weeks (6 October to 13 December 1997)

PS-103: Children's Scientific Skills: Teaching and Assessment

SB-210: Computer-Based Learning (CBL): Enriching Science and Mathematics Teaching

Duration: 8 weeks (20 October 1997 to 13 December 1997)

PM-515: Involving Slow Learners in Mathematics

BATCH III

Duration: 10 weeks (2 March to 9 May 1998)

SS-102: HOTS in Secondary Science

PM-101: Mathematical Problem Solving: Designed or Incidental?

AB-413: Action Research: Improving Teaching in Science and Mathematics

For Category of Courses:

Level	P = Primary
	S = Secondary
	A = All (Primary and Secondary)
Subject	S = Science
	M = Mathematics
	B = Both Science and Mathematics

Inclosure 2 to DECS Memorandum No. .s.1997

Qualifications of Participants

1. Must not be more than 45 years old.
2. Must have a weighted average of not lower than 2.0, B or 85 in his/her undergraduate transcript of records.
3. Must have science or mathematics as his/her major/minor subject or area of specialization.
4. Must be actually involved in science or mathematics activities.
5. Must have at least 5 years of teaching experience.
6. Must not possess a masteral degree.
7. Must not have been a recipient of any scholarship grant during the last 5 years.
8. Must be socially/emotionally mature and physically and mentally fit.
9. Married women should not be pregnant or the youngest child not less than two (2) years old.

Pertinent Papers to Submit

1. Recommendation duly approved and indorsed by the school principal, school superintendent and regional director.
2. Personal data sheets (CS Form 212) stating therein present involvement in science and mathematics education.
3. Transcript of Records.
4. Service Record.
5. Medical certificate by a government physician.
6. Certificate of Good Moral Character.

RECSAM COURSES
(For Fee-Paying Participants)

Type A (Residential with full board and lodging)

<u>Component</u>	<u>10-week course</u>	<u>8-week course</u>	<u>6-week course</u>
	<u>RM</u>	<u>RM</u>	<u>RM</u>
Tuition Fees	1,500	1,200	900
Food	630	504	380
Accommodation	1,050	840	630
Materials	360	360	360
Out-of-Pocket Allowance	560	448	340
Local Travel	70	70	70
Service Charge (4%)	167	137	107
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	RM4,337	RM3,559	RM2787
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	US1,735	US1,424	US1,115

Type B (Non-residential without food)

<u>Component</u>	<u>10-week course</u>	<u>8-week course</u>	<u>6-week course</u>
	<u>RM</u>	<u>RM</u>	<u>RM</u>
Tuition Fees	1,500	1,200	900
Materials	360	360	360
Out-of-Pocket Allowance	560	448	340
Local Travel	70	70	70
Service Charge (4%)	100	83	67
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	RM2,590	RM2,161	RM1,737
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Type C (Non-residential with food)

<u>Component</u>	<u>10-week course</u>	<u>8-week course</u>	<u>6-week course</u>
	<u>RM</u>	<u>RM</u>	<u>RM</u>
Tuition Fees	1,500	1,200	900
Food	280	224	170
Materials	360	360	360
Out-of-Pocket Allowance	560	448	340
Local Travel	70	70	70
Service Charge (4%)	111	92	74
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	RM2,881	RM2,394	RM1,914
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Note: Accommodation is on a twin-sharing basis in a non-airconditioned room.

