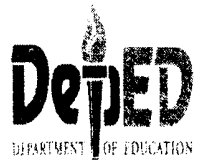




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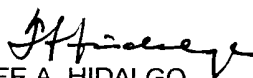
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No. 272, s. 2005

2005 SEAMEO-JASPER RESEARCH AWARD

To: Bureau Directors
Regional Directors
Schools Division/City Superintendents

1. The Southeast Asian Ministers of Education Secretariat in Bangkok, Thailand, in cooperation with the Department of Education (DepED) invites nominees for the 2005 SEAMEO-JASPER Research Award Competition.
2. The SEAMEO-JASPER Research Award, established by the government of Canada and SEAMEO in 1990, covers themes relevant to social development in Southeast Asia and of interest to Canadian researchers. The theme for the 2005 competition "Education for a Healthy Society", would place increasing importance on education and advocacy for health in promoting a healthy lifestyle and disease prevention among school children and the youth.
3. The strands for this year's theme include the following:
 - a. educating for health security and disease prevention (including HIV AIDS, AVIAN Flu, SARS, Malaria, Dengue and other diseases);
 - b. advocating on prevention of substance abuse and promotion of healthy lifestyles;
 - c. promoting recreation, sports, and overall well-being; and
 - d. encouraging healthy consumption, nutrition and diet.
4. The 2005 SEAMEO-JASPER Research Award aims to:
 - a. recognize exemplary research conducted by Southeast Asian nationals in the region; and
 - b. encourage young scholars to conduct further research in their chosen field.
5. Regional Directors, Schools Division/City Superintendents and school principals are encouraged to submit pertinent research work/s of those who are interested to join and had undertaken a study.
6. The guidelines and the submission form for the competition are enclosed.
7. Immediate dissemination of this Memorandum is desired.


FE A. HIDALGO
Undersecretary
Officer-in-Charge

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Allotment: 1—(D.O. 50-97)

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Sheila, MPPD-TS, DM SEAMEO-JASPER Research Award
September 9, 2005

Guidelines to the 2005 SEAMEO-Jasper Research Award

1. The theme of the 2005 SEAMEO-Jasper Research Award is "Education for a Healthy Society".
2. The strands of the theme include the following:
 - Education for health security and disease prevention (including HIV/AIDS, Avian Flu, SARS, Malaria, Dengue and other diseases)
 - Advocacy on substance abuse prevention and promotion of healthy lifestyles
 - Promoting recreation, sports and overall well-being
 - Encouraging healthy consumption, nutrition and diet
3. For the 2005 award cycle, a travel fellowship is awarded for the dissemination of the winning research in Canada and Southeast Asia. The fellowship will include travel expenses to Canada (20 days). It would also include assistance in travel arrangements as well as health and travel insurance.

The awardee will be notified by the SEAMEO Secretariat and will receive a Plaque of Recognition in an Awarding Ceremony during the 28th SEAMEO High Officials Meeting in Bangkok, Thailand.

4. The eligible applicants shall have passed the following requirements:
 - A national of a SEAMEO-Member Country
 - Completed/earned a Master's or Doctorate (graduate and post-graduate) degree
 - Not more than 55 years old at the time of application
 - Physically fit to travel to Canada and Southeast Asia; certification by a competent physician may be requested before traveling
 - For studies/projects conducted by a team of researchers with multiple authors, only one person (the senior author) will be eligible for nomination. The submission should include a written note from the co-author(s) waiving any claim to the award, should the research be selected; and a statement indicating the nominee's level of responsibility (in percentage) for the research work
5. The research entry
 - Must be a completed research study/project conducted in Southeast Asia (or research covering one or more countries in the

region) relating to "Education for a Healthy Society" and deal with one or more thematic strand(s)

- The research must have been completed within the past three years
- If the research paper has already been published, the revised paper should incorporate some new aspects/dimensions or updated information, findings or analysis
- Research conducted for graduate/post graduate theses or doctoral dissertations will not be accepted
- All submissions (including photo captions and other materials) should be in English

6. A Selection Committee composed of representatives of relevant international organizations, experts in the field covered by the theme, previous SEAMEO-Jasper awardees and officials of SEAMEO will be convened to review the submissions. Selection will be based on the quality of the research report, its relevance in improving education in Southeast Asia and potentials for promoting better understanding between Canada and Southeast Asia.

7. The submission of nominations includes the following:

- Completed nomination form
- Seven (7) copies of the summary of the research paper (not more than 20 pages, inclusive of the rationale, objectives, methodology, findings, conclusions, recommendations and references/bibliography)
- Seven (7) copies of the research abstract (one-page)
- One (1) copy of the complete research paper
- Hard copy and electronic submissions must reach the SEAMEO Secretariat on or before 30 October 2005
- The submissions should be clearly marked and addressed to:

2005 SEAMEO-Jasper Research Award

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2005 SEAMEO-Jasper Fellowship Award

Submission Form

website: www.seameo.org

Name:

Surname First/Given Middle (If any)

Nationality

Sex

Male

Female

Date of Birth

Date Month Year

Place of Birth

City/Province Country

Mailing Address

Office

Residence:

Telephone Nos:

Office (1) Office (2)

Residence Mobile

FAX:

E-mail Address:

The Research Entry

Descriptive Title:

Research Team Members (Names, Institutions and nature of their participation):

Other prizes, awards or citations received
(please cite year and award-giving body):

Date Started: _____ Date Completed: _____

Study Site(s)/Locale: _____

Implementing Agency/Unit:

Funding Agency (if any):
