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# NIDA Symmer Camp 2014

During June 17 - 26, 2014, the National Institute of Development Administration organized the 3rd Summer Camp on "Sustainable Tourism" which was open for both international and Thai students with several of educational backgrounds. Over 100 college students across Asia and European countries joined the 10 days program. The highlights of this event comprised of a reception party, academic sessions, group discussions, Thai course as well as field trips to the Grand Palace, the Ayutthaya Historical Study several community-based attractions. Last but not least, the Summer Camp was ended with a memorable farewell party at the Phu View Resort, Nakorn Ratchasima Province.

"Sustainable Tourism" was the theme for this 3rd Summer Camp 2014. The objectives of this program were to reinforce and strengthen the IIIII ... II. wision of MADA Holbert Morld-class while stry while helping increase visibility and awareness of NIDA as a state academic institution among Thai and international students. Also under the theme of sustainable tourism, the program was another way to show the world that NIDA can be a hub of learning, not only for Thai students but students from all over the world. More importantly, the program aimed to create the opportunities for sharing idea and knowledge, creating networks and learning experience with other by accepting and understanding each other and their cultural differences. Last but not least, the Summer Camp was another significant way to make foreigners see that Thailand is still a great and safe destination to visit regardless of the recent political crisis.

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# Larita J. Killian, Ed.D., IUPUC, USA visited NIDA

On May 2nd 2014, Dr. Larita J. Killian, Associate Professor, Accounting Division of Business, Indiana University - Purdue University Columbus (IUPUC) from USA came to visit NIDA and gave a special lecture on the topic "Internal Control" for NIDA's students and also met with NIDA's faculties. This opportunity allowed both IUPUC and NIDA to idea for further collaboration as well as strengthens the academic collaboration between the two institutes.

## **IUPUI's Visit**

Assoc. Prof. Dr. Raweewan Auepanwiriyakul, Vice President for Academic Affairs, together with faculty members and OIA team officially welcomed Prof. Dr. Ali Jafari, CEO of the Course Networking, Indiana University - Purdue University, the United States of America along with distinguished delegate. The event was held on April 28, 2014 and the activities on that day included discussion on academic collaboration such as Course Networking at the Meeting Room, 14th floor, workshop at Computer Lab 1, 9th floor, Sayam Boromrajakumari Building and dinner hosted by NIDA administrators at Ruenrose Restaurant. 





## 1<sup>st</sup> NIDA Cultural Hours

Office of International Affairs organized the 1st Cultural Hours on Friday, June 13, 2013, 3.00 – 4.30 p.m. at Meeting room, 2<sup>nd</sup> Floor, Sports and Student Union Building. NIDA's Thai and international students along with OIA Team with total number of 24 participants were invited to join the event for sharing knowledge and experiences. For the 1st Cultural Hours, it was a great pleasure that Mr. Paul Skeffington voluntarily presented, and exchanged his Canadian information and cultures to our participants in this activity





### Mr. Matthew Bond from USA visited NIDA

On May 15th 2014, Mr. Matthew Bond, Program Development Unit manager, World Learning - International Development and Exchange Program, Washington DC from USA came to visit NIDA and also met with Asst. Prof. Dr. Kanokkarn Kaewnuch, Assistant to the president for International Affairs to seek and discuss upon the potential and opportunities for academic collaboration in the future.