



IN-COUNTRY SCHOLARSHIP

The Bangsamoro Development Agency (BDA) in partnership with the Australian AID announces the opening for the In-Country Scholarship Program (ICSP 2).

About ICSP <http://www.pahrodf.org.ph/icsp/downloadable-documents/icsp-brochure-2015>

The Department of Foreign and Trade (DFAT) through Philippines-Australia Human Resource and Organisational Development Facility (PAHRODF) is opening the Phase 2 of In-Country Scholarship Program.

This program aims to build potential leaders and increases technical professionals for Filipino-Bangsamoros primarily in conflict affected areas in Mindanao.

Eligibility Requirements

1. Filipino citizen from Mindanao and is committed to work for the development of the Bangsamoro
2. Must have a cumulative work experience of a least two (2) years, either in public or private sector.
3. Must have finished a four-year bachelor's degree program.
4. Must have not been the subject of any disciplinary actions that warranted suspension or expulsion from your employees, (A certification of no pending administrative case from employer is required.)
5. Not a beneficiary of any scholarship or other education assistance program at the time of application or during the duration of the scholarship,
6. Must pass the program entry requirements of the academic institution where you intend to enroll.

Applicants seeking for an endorsement letter from our office should provide a photocopy (Authenticated) of the following documents to BDA:

1. NSO – Birth Certificate
2. Voter's ID/Barangay Clearance
3. Transcript of Records and Diploma
4. Police Clearance
5. NBI Clearance
6. One (1)- page concept paper (Outlining the relevance of the chosen program/field of study to your current employment and how the newly acquire knowledge and skills will be used to the development of Bangsamoro Development priorities)
7. Employment Certification, for employed person (No conviction or pending administrative case)

Deadline for the submission of the documents is on **January 31, 2016**. ICSP aspirants who complied with the above requirements should undergo a written essay examination at the nearest BDA office in your areas.

Furthermore, the partner organizations (BDA, BMLI & DepEd-ARMM) of the In-Country Scholarship Program conducted meeting last January 7, 2016. It was firmed-up that they will endorse aspirants under their respective Priority Fields of Study. It was agreed that aspirants who wanted to avail Education-related courses should obtain their endorsement letter from DepEd ARMM and at least an eligible or LET Passer.

Enumerated below are the Priority Fields of Study under BDA:

- A. Public Finance
- B. Public Administration
- C. Human Resource Management & Development
- D. Policy Development
- E. Program Management
- F. Agricultural Development
- G. Rural Development
- H. Public Health
- I. Peace and Development Studies
- J. Micro-Finance
- K. Entrepreneurship Engineering (Civil, Mechanical, Electrical)
- L. Development Communications
- M. Disaster Risk Reduction and Management
- N. Climate Change Adaptation.

For more information, visit <http://www.pahrodf.org.ph/icsp>.