

SOUTHEAST ASIAN REGIONAL CENTER FOR GRADUATE STUDY AND  
RESEARCH IN AGRICULTURE (SEARCA)

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URL: <http://www.searca.org>; Email: [geidd@searca.org](mailto:geidd@searca.org)**DAAD-SEARCA SCHOLARSHIP APPLICATION FORM***(Please type or write in block letters. Tick appropriate boxes.)*Degree/Course applied for (please check):  MS  PhD

Major Field (please state): \_\_\_\_\_

Duration: From \_\_\_\_\_ To \_\_\_\_\_

Desired Study Post /University (pls. check):

- University of the Philippines Los Baños (UPLB), Philippines
- Kasetsart University (KU), Thailand
- Universiti Putra Malaysia (UPM), Malaysia
- Institut Pertanian Bogor (IPB), Indonesia
- Universitas Gadjah Mada (UGM), Indonesia

**A. PERSONAL INFORMATION**

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1. Full Name: \_\_\_\_\_  
(Family) (First Name) (Middle Name)

2. Nationality: \_\_\_\_\_

3. Home Address: \_\_\_\_\_

Tel: \_\_\_\_\_

Fax: \_\_\_\_\_ Email: \_\_\_\_\_

4. Country: \_\_\_\_\_

5. Employer (Institution or Company): \_\_\_\_\_

6. Employer's Address: \_\_\_\_\_

PO Box: \_\_\_\_\_ Tel: \_\_\_\_\_

Fax: \_\_\_\_\_ Email: \_\_\_\_\_

7. Date of Birth: \_\_\_\_\_ Place of Birth \_\_\_\_\_

Day Month Year

8. Religion: \_\_\_\_\_

9. Gender: Male  Female 10. Civil Status: Single  Married  Widow/er 

11. If married, name and address of spouse: \_\_\_\_\_

Tel. No. \_\_\_\_\_ Email: \_\_\_\_\_

No. of children \_\_\_\_\_

12. Name and address of person to contact in case of emergency: \_\_\_\_\_  
 \_\_\_\_\_  
 \_\_\_\_\_ Tel. No. \_\_\_\_\_  
 Fax No. \_\_\_\_\_ Email: \_\_\_\_\_

13. Particulars of National Registration Identification Card: \_\_\_\_\_  
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14. Passport Number \_\_\_\_\_ Expiration Date: \_\_\_\_\_  
 Date and Place of Issue: \_\_\_\_\_

**B. PROFESSIONAL INFORMATION**

**I. Education**

15. College/University attended (please start with the most recent):

| Name of College /University and Country | Year |    | Major Subject/Field of Study | Diploma/ Degree |
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|   | From | To |                              |                 |
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**II. Work Experience and Background**

16. Employment History (in chronological order starting with the most recent, please use extra sheets if necessary):

| Position | Name of Institution/ Employer | Year |    |
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17. Description of most recent job (Duties and Responsibilities):

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18. Description of major area of interest (please use extra sheets if necessary)

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19. Conferences/seminars attended (please use extra sheets if necessary):

| Name of Conference/Seminar | Venue | Are you Paper<br>Presenter/ Resource<br>Person? | Dates |    |
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20. Courses attended including courses at SEAMEO Regional Centers/Projects (please use extra sheets if necessary):

| Name of Course | Country/SEAMEO Regional<br>Center/Project | Dates |    |
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21. Completed (unpublished) Researches (please use extra sheets if necessary):

| Title of Research | Role in the Project<br>(e.g. Study Leader or<br>Team Member) | Duration |    |
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22. a) Refereed Scientific Publications (please use extra sheets if necessary):

| Details of Publication (include the full citation) | Year Published |
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b) Non-Refereed Publications (please use extra sheets if necessary):

| Details of Publication (include the full citation) | Year Published |
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23. Membership in Professional Organizations

| Name of Organization | Inclusive Dates of Membership | Role (if Officer) |
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**III. LANGUAGE PROFICIENCY**

24. Language proficiency (please indicate “Excellent”, “Good”, or “Fair”):

| Language | Reading | Writing | Speaking |
|----------|---------|---------|----------|
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Need for remedial English course (please check):    Yes             No

What is your IELTS/TOEFL or English Examination Score? \_\_\_\_\_

Where did you take your IELTS/TOEFL or English Examination? \_\_\_\_\_

**IV. OTHER APPLICATION DETAILS**

25. State briefly reason for pursuing the degree:

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26. Expected employment/job position upon completion of degree:

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27. Have you applied for scholarship from other funding institutions? Yes  No   
 If yes, please answer numbers 28 and 29. If no, please proceed to number 30.

28. Please enumerate names of funding or scholarship institutions:

| Name of Organization/<br>Funding Institution | Date of Application | Status of Application/<br>Results |
|--|---------------------|-----------------------------------|
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29. If you are offered a scholarship by any of the institutions listed in No. 27, would you still pursue your application for DAAD-SEARCA scholarship? Yes  No

30. How/where did you learn about SEARCA?

- SEARCA website (www.searca.org)
- Event attended or hosted by SEARCA
- Social media (i.e. SEARCA Facebook page)
- A school or university in your country
- Newspaper or Online advertisement
- Friends or family
- Others (please specify): \_\_\_\_\_

31. What do you know about SEARCA?

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32. What is the title of your proposed research/dissertation topic? \_\_\_\_\_

Describe briefly your research objectives and how these would contribute to community/institutional development \_\_\_\_\_

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33. What SEARCA priority thrust/sub-theme does proposed research topic belong to (please tick)

| <b>Social Inclusion</b>   | <b>Environmental Sustainability</b>  | <b>Cross-Cutting Strategic Thrusts</b>  |
|---|--|---|
| <input type="checkbox"/> Strengthening of Value Chains and Agribusiness Commodity Systems<br><input type="checkbox"/> Integration of small-scale farmers into commercial food systems<br><input type="checkbox"/> Food and Nutrition Security<br><input type="checkbox"/> Productivity-enhancing innovations and modern technologies<br><input type="checkbox"/> Rural entrepreneurship toward off-farm and non-farm businesses | <input type="checkbox"/> Climate change adaptation and resiliency<br><input type="checkbox"/> Natural Resource Management <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li><input type="checkbox"/> Agro-biodiversity conservation</li> <li><input type="checkbox"/> Organic farming</li> <li><input type="checkbox"/> Conservation farming</li> <li><input type="checkbox"/> Agri-tourism</li> <li><input type="checkbox"/> Land and water resource management</li> </ul> | <input type="checkbox"/> Sub-regional cooperation in trade and investments<br><input type="checkbox"/> Regional Economic Integration (AFTA and AEC 2015)<br><input type="checkbox"/> Government Policies, Institutions, and Governance Mechanisms/Reforms that can address and redress rural poverty, inequitable growth, and environmental degradation |

I declare that the information provided about and by me in this application for the DAAD-SEARCA Scholarship award is true, complete and correct to the best of my knowledge. I acknowledge that supplying false or misleading information may result in the disqualification of my application.

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Date

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Signature of Applicant