

Republic of the Philippines OFFICE OF THE PRESIDENT COMMISSION ON HIGHER EDUCATION



MEMORANDUM FROM THE CHAIRPERSON

TO:

ALL HIGHER EDUCATION INSTITUTIONS

ALL CHED REGIONAL DIRECTORS

ALL PERMANENT ALTERNATE FOCAL PERSONS FOR K TO 12

SUBJECT:

CALL FOR 1st QUARTER NOMINATIONS FOR AY 2017-18 FOR

SECTORAL ENGAGEMENT (SE) GRANTS UNDER CHED

MEMORANDUM ORDER No. 48, s. 2016

DATE:

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In line with the twofold goal of mitigating the impacts of the K to 12 transition on labor, and of providing opportunities for continuing professional development for Higher Education personnel with lesser teaching load, the Commission is pleased to announce the **Call for 1st Term Nominations for AY 2017-18 of the Sectoral Engagement Grants**, under CHED Memorandum Order no. 48, s. 2016: Guidelines for Availing of Sectoral Engagement (SE) Grants.

Through the grants, higher education personnel may participate in high-impact engagements with partners from the private, non-profit, and government sectors and receive a monthly, non-taxable grant (see Appendix 1: Mechanics of Sectoral Engagement Grants). These engagements seek to provide personnel with the opportunity to immerse themselves in other sectors and to be updated with existing industry practices to inform their instruction, while providing them the space to contribute their technical expertise in service of regional and national development.

In order to avail of the grants, Higher Education Institutions (HEIs) nationwide are enjoined to nominate their personnel through the **Online Nomination Portal (online.chedk12.com)** for ease of accessibility. The accounts for the Sending HEIs are the same as those used for the nominations under the Scholarships for Graduate Studies. For those who have yet to access the portal, the credentials (username and password) may be obtained at your respective CHED Regional Office via physical appearance or e-mail request through the official e-mail account of the HEI to the CHED Regional Office.

- For the complete instructions of the nomination process, please see Appendix 2.
- For the contact information of our respective regional offices, please see Appendix 3.

HEIs who have also brokered partnerships independent of the Commission may have these HEI-initiated partnerships accredited by the Commission through the portal (see Appendix

4: Mechanics of HEI-initiated partnerships). HEIs may nominate the personnel involved in said partnerships as well. All grantees nominated under the HEI-initiated partnership track are entitled to receive the same monthly grant provided under the Sectoral Engagement Grants.

The Commission reminds all HEIs that the deadline for 1st Quarter Nominations is on **December 5, 2016.** For inquiries, you may contact the Sectoral Engagement Grants Team at irsegrants@ched.gov.ph.

CHED Regional Directors are requested to ensure wide dissemination of this Memorandum.

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Chairperson /



Appendix 1: Mechanics of Sectoral Engagement Grants

Definition:	CHED-funded HEI faculty and staff immersion in non-academic institutions			
Objectives:	Align classroom instruction with existing industry practice Contribute technical expertise of higher education personnel in pursuit of regional and national development through commissioned research and extension work			
Eligibility:	Any HEI personnel, regardless of tenure, is eligible to be nominated provided that their teaching load does not exceed twelve (12) units during the time of their engagement. For non-teaching personnel, their work-load during the time of engagement must not exceed the equivalent of 12 units or 12 hours per week.			
Target Sectors:	Grantees may immerse with partners in: Industry (Private) - industry associations, local private companies, multinational companies Civil Society (Non-profit) - National networks of non-government organizations, civil society and people's organizations, foundations, cooperatives Government - National and regional line agencies, local government units, government owned and controlled corporations			
Monthly Grant Amounts:	Grantees engaged under full-time* engagements are entitled to the following: Doctorate Degree holders - Php 40,000 Master's Degree holders - Php 30,000 Bachelor's Degree holders - Php 22,000 For grantees under part-time engagements, they will receive half of the stated monthly grant amount. **Only personnel from Private HEIs and non-plantilla personnel from			
Mode of Engagement	SUC/LUCs are eligible to receive the monthly grant amount. Grantees may undertake either full-time or part-time engagements. • Full-time Engagements - Equivalent of 40 hours of output per week • Part-time Engagements - Equivalent of 20 hours of output per week Engagements may be office-based, output-based, or a combination of both.			
Duration of Engagement	Minimum: 3 months; Maximum: 2 years The 2 year maximum may be spread out during the entire duration of the K to 12 Transition Period (2016-2021).			
Return-Service	ervice CHED prescribes a return service ratio of 1:1 where each grantee must render a return service of 1 year to their Sending HEI for each year, or a fraction thereof, that they availed the grant. E.g. 6 month engagement = 1 year return service 1 year engagement = 1 year return service 1 year and 3 month engagement = 2 years return service			



Appendix 2: Online Nomination Process for Sectoral Engagement Grants

PHASES	HEI	FACULTY/NON-TEACHING STAFF	CHED	SECTORAL PARTNER
Account Creation to Nomination	Obtains CHED K-12 online nomination portal log-in details from respective CHEDRO Update HEI profile and accomplish built-in nomination forms	Each individual nominee will receive verification e-mail for their account creation in online portal		
Application for SE Grants & Initial Screening	Inputs existing partnerships details and uploads documentary requirements, if applicable (Refer to Appendix 2) Reviews all the submitted requirements of nominee and endorses him/her to CHED for screening	Logs-in, updates profile and uploads individual requirements via online portal (Refer to Appendix 2)	PMU conducts initial screening, endorses to SE Technical Working Group (TWG) TWG vets the endorsed nominees	
Approval and Engagement Posting Application		Nominees without existing partners gain access to engagements posting board containing all approved engagements Applies for available engagement posting	approves shortlist of eligible nominees Release of Provisional Notice of Award to SHEI and approved nominee	
Partner Screening to Engagement Proper	Nominees with exis engagement upon sul Agreement and Individ (Refer to Ag		Partner conducts internal screening process of applicants	



Appendix 3: Contact Information of CHED Regional Offices for requesting access to credentials in the Online Nomination Portal

Region	Permanent Alternate Focal Person	Emaîl Address	Contact Number	Reg'l Transition PMU Email Address
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Appendix 4: Mechanics of HEI-initiated partnerships

The following HEI-initiated partnerships are eligible for accreditation:

There are currently two modes of partnerships that the Commission is accrediting, namely:

- Existing Partnerships those that are currently governed by a MOA/MOU
- Prospective Partnerships those that are yet to be formalized between the HEI and the partners

Partnerships falling under either mode are eligible to apply provided that they meet the following criteria:

- The duration of the partnership lasts a minimum of 3 months after November 2016
- The nature of the engagement entails tapping the expertise of HEI personnel in the form of faculty and/or staff immersion, commissioned research, or extension activities.

The following requirements must be accomplished by the Sending HEI in addition to the nomination requirements of the grantees:

- Existing Partnership Form (embedded in the online nomination portal)
- Partner Profile Form (embedded in the online nomination portal)
- Engagement Proposal Form (embedded in the online nomination portal)
- Proof of Partnership (to be uploaded):
 - If the partnership already exists, a scanned copy of the Memorandum of Agreement governing the partnership
 - If the partnership is still being brokered, a scanned copy of an exchange of letters between the HEI and Partner certifying their interest in entering the partnership
- Additional Requirements for Industry and Civil Society:
 - Certificate of Registration from Securities and Exchange Commission (SEC)
 - Audited Financial Report stamped by the Bureau of Internal Revenue (BIR)
 - List of Recognitions, Achievements and Accomplishments with brief descriptions signed and certified by the Executive Director (maximum one page)
- Additional Requirements for Government Agencies:
 - Program Brief/Concept Note
 - Cover Letter signed by Head of Project

