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The core of the NISPAcee activities is to promote the development of public administration disciplines and training programmes in post-Communist countries. This means increasing the quality of instruction and research and assisting in school/institute development on the international, regional and national levels.

Part of the mission is also to foster the development of civil service human resources by spreading the practices of good professional public management, public policy and governance and assisting in the overall political and economic transition through effective public service. Most important is the creating of conditions for increased professionalism of the civil service especially through the facilitation of contact between government representatives responsible for public service and representatives and consultants from member institutions.

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The conference was held on 6–8 March 2012 in Bangkok, Thailand. It was organized by the National Institute of Development Administration (NIDA).

The International Conference on Advancement of Development Administration 2011 (ICADA 2011), hosted by the National Institute of Development Administration (NIDA) lasted two days (20–21 February 2012). The theme of ICADA 2011 was “Governance and Poverty Reduction in Developing Countries” including academically related issues. The aims of this conference were (1) to bring together international academics, professionals, and undergraduate/graduate students with the general public by providing a stage for the latest research in development administration and related fields to be presented and discussed and (2) to provide a forum for professionals with practical experience of the social and economic development of developing countries to exchange their views and share their knowledge with leading countries.

During the conference there were established contacts with representatives of science from the National Institute of Development Administration (NIDA) and other countries participating in the project (Japan, Indonesia, Philippines, India, Malaysia, Nigeria, Germany, France, United Kingdom).

The National Institute of Development Administration (NIDA) was established following His Majesty King Bhumibol Adulyadej’s vision of advancing Thailand’s development through the establishment of an advanced educational institution to prepare people to become agents of change for the national development.

NIDA was originally established to support the national development in Thailand; this objective has now been expanded to encompass the regional development in countries outside of Thailand, with the aim of producing advanced degree graduates who can serve in the public, business, and nonprofit sectors. At present, NIDA is a state-supported graduate

institution with university status, and it is one of very few higher education institutions in Thailand that offer exclusively graduate degree programs.

NIDA is a dynamic, unique, service-oriented graduate institution which seeks to meet many of Thailand's and the region's critical needs in development administration. Recognizing the increasing interdependence of nations across the globe and responding to the priorities of Thailand's Plan for Higher Education, NIDA seeks to meet the new challenges of international cooperation, understanding, and service.

Through teaching, training, research, and consulting, NIDA provides its students with the necessary knowledge, analytical ability, and other skills to be applied at the community, national, and international levels. NIDA's several schools, centers, and supporting services are constantly evolving as they adopt the latest technology and methodology. NIDA is recognized as a leading quality institution.

Faculty members' task performance greatly contributes to NIDA's education excellence. Eighty-five percent of the faculty members hold doctoral degrees or equivalent. NIDA's present and former faculty members play important roles and serve many vital positions in helping regulate national policies and direct national development and administration.

NIDA is well-known as a unique higher education institute in Thailand which provides men and women at the graduate level with a variety of skills necessary for public policy planning, decision making, and management in the public and private sectors. Generally, NIDA's graduates are currently serving in key positions in both public and private sectors in Thailand.

NIDA's faculty members and curriculums, as well as programs and services are enriched through various exchange programs and national and international relationships. These are key paths to achieving the goals of an international institution of higher education.

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International Scientific Conference “Global Accounting, Finance and Economics Conference” in Melbourne on 20–21 February 2012

On 20–21 February 2012 I took part in the international scientific conference: “Global Accounting, Finance and Economics Conference”, the Author's paper: *Public Finance in Poland in the Process of European Union Integration*. The purpose of the trip was to raise knowledge and expertise and exchange of experience in the operation of public finance in a variety of political systems. The aim was also to establish cooperation with foreign universities and scientific institutions.

The conference was held on 20–21 February 2012 in Melbourne, Australia. Conference was organized by the Australian Research Centre for Accounting, Finance and Economics (ARCAFE), World Business Institute and Melbourne University.

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