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Elected representation

Elected representation Year: 2024

Have elected representatives on the university's highest governing body from: students, faculty, and staff Nakhon Si Thammarat Rajabhat University is dedicated to upholding principles of good governance, transparent administration, and inclusive participation from all sectors. The university provides opportunities for faculty representatives to serve on the University Council of Nakhon Si Thammarat Rajabhat University, the institution's highest governing body, ensuring that management remains transparent, fair, and reflective of the opinions of all stakeholders.



The council comprises one representative from the Faculty Council President and four faculty representatives elected from the university's full-time lecturers. These council members serve three-year terms and actively participate in the university council's meetings to offer opinions and recommendations concerning university policies, administration, and the development of educational quality.



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Recognize an independent students' union

Nakhon Si Thammarat Rajabhat University prioritizes developing students into knowledgeable and virtuous citizens with a democratic mindset who can actively contribute to sustainable social development. In promoting student organizations, the university supports the Student Council and Student Union to operate independently, transparently, and with accountability. These organizations serve as platforms for students to practice leadership, responsibility, civic awareness, democratic processes, and systematic teamwork within the framework of university regulations, under the supervision of the Division of Student Development. The executive committee of the Division of Student Development,

elected by students from across the university, is responsible for formulating operational plans, defining roles and responsibilities, issuing rules and regulations, overseeing the activities of various student clubs, and reporting operational results. The committee also has the authority to manage its own budget and activities, working cooperatively in accordance with democratic principles within the university. The Student Union organizes a wide range of activities to encourage student participation, benefit both students and society, foster civic responsibility, and build a peaceful campus community, such as:

- Workshops and seminars for the practical development of student leaders' potential, held from May 23–25, 2024, at Khanom Sunrise Resort & Hotel
- Participation in the 2nd Southern Rajabhat University Student Leaders Seminar, hosted by Suratthani Rajabhat University from November 11–13, 2024.
- A project titled “Enhancing Community Innovation through Social Engineering Processes,” organized by the Division of Student Development, Nakhon Si Thammarat Rajabhat University, from December 21–22, 2024, focusing on the development of soft skills and the application of social engineering tools in community-based activities.



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University principles on corruption and bribery

Nakhon Si Thammarat Rajabhat University is committed to upholding the principles of good governance, transparency, and social responsibility. The university has established management policies that strictly ban all forms of corruption and bribery. The university has established management policies that strictly ban all forms of corruption and bribery. It has also declared its commitment and issued a “No Gift Policy”, which forbids the acceptance of gifts or gratuities of any kind in the course of official duties. A formal anti-corruption oath-taking ceremony was held at the Nilpayak Conference Hall to demonstrate the university’s strong determination to combat all forms of corruption and misconduct, as well as to promote morality, ethics, and integrity among its staff.



This initiative strengthens transparency and accountability in line with the principles of good governance upheld by Nakhon Si Thammarat Rajabhat University. The declaration of the “No Gift Policy” signifies a collective pledge to build a robust organizational culture that rejects the acceptance of all gifts and gratuities related to official duties. It also encourages university personnel to develop a strong sense of integrity and to stand firm against all forms of corruption and unethical conduct.

The university has disseminated its principles and commitment to preventing corruption and bribery through its official website, www.nstru.ac.th, as well as various internal communication channels. Additionally, the university organized a campaign on International Anti-Corruption Day, which was attended by more than 400 participants, including administrators, faculty members, and students.



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Nakhon Si Thammarat Rajabhat University respectfully requests that no gifts or gratuities of any kind be offered in the course of performing duties, on any occasion, or during any festival. This aims to promote a culture and values of integrity in our operations.

Additionally, the university has organized various activities to promote integrity and ethical awareness among its personnel and students. These include a special lecture on “Good Governance and Organizational Transparency” and a pledge-signing ceremony to reaffirm the university’s commitment to fighting all forms of corruption. Furthermore, the university has consistently participated in the Online Integrity and Transparency Assessment (ITA Online) in collaboration with the Office of the National Anti-Corruption Commission (NACC) to assess the transparency of its



As a result, university personnel and students have become more aware of ethical principles, moral considerations, and good governance practices. The university received an ITA rating of “A – Good” with a score of 91.00, topped the anti-corruption indicator (10) with a perfect score of 100 points, and was acknowledged as a transparent and accountable organization.



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Nakhon Si Thammarat Rajabhat University serves the community under the concept of “University for Community Development,” aiming to apply knowledge and research outcomes to support policy formulation, management, and development at local, regional, and national levels.

The approach contributes to efficient, transparent, and participatory public administration. Faculty members and researchers from Nakhon Si Thammarat Rajabhat University are frequently invited to serve as experts and policy advisors at various levels.



Their advisory roles include serving as committee experts, participating in policy meetings, preparing policy proposals, and providing direct consultation to government and local agencies. Consequently,

government agencies have incorporated recommendations on utilizing cultural capital and promoting grassroots economic development in the draft development plan for Nakhon Si Thammarat Province. The effort also strengthens collaborative networks between the university and local administrative organizations to support sustainable development at the community level.



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- **On 24 April 2024**, Asst. Prof. Sujaree Kaewkong was invited to participate in the presentation of public policy proposals for the “Nakhon Si Thammarat Provincial Development Plan, Year 15,” with Mr. Khajornkiat Rakphanichmanee, Governor of Nakhon Si Thammarat Province, presiding. Her participation reflected the university’s commitment to supporting evidence-based policymaking and strengthening academic engagement with local administrative bodies. In addition, she collaborated with the university network to organize an exhibition booth showcasing and promoting locally produced goods, which enhanced community economic development.

- **On 23 June 2024**, Asst. Prof. Sujaree Kaewkong took part in an activity the Civic Political Development Center of Nakhon Si Thammarat Province organized for the dissemination of the Year 15 Public Policy Plan. The event, held at the meeting room of the Provincial Agricultural Council of Nakhon Si Thammarat, aimed to strengthen collaboration between academic institutions and local government organizations in the formulation and implementation of public policy for sustainable provincial development.

