

Prakas on “*Cambodian Scientific Committee for Research and Doctoral Programs*”

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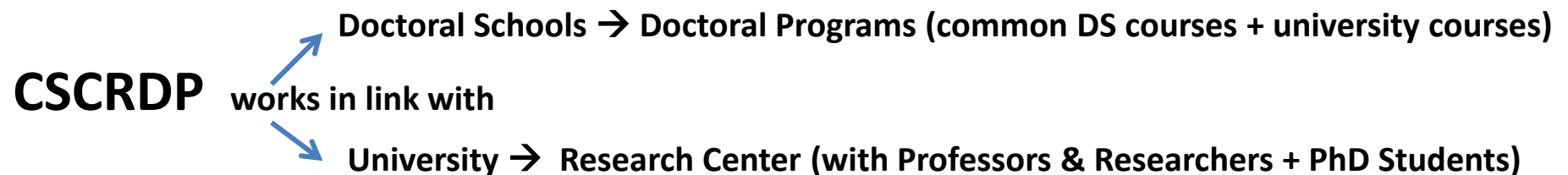
The mains elements and goals of this Sub-decree

3 elements :

- Creation of a **Cambodian Scientific Committee for Research and Doctoral Program (CSCRDP)** / Cf. Chapter 2
- Creation of **Doctoral Schools (by scientific fields)** / Cf. Chapter 3
- **Monitoring and evaluation for Doctoral programs** / Cf. Chapter 4

4 goals :

- Increasing the quality of **Cambodian scientific research & PhD programs**
- **Building the Scientific Committee and Establishment of the missions for CSCRDP**
- **Determining the conditions and criteria to create the Doctoral Schools (DS)**
- **Advancing the implementation of the politic and provisions of the law on PhD programs**



IMPORTANT :
Universities & Institutions
proposed here are only
examples

Ministries with coordination by MEJS

9 DS

C.S.C.R.D.P.

A.C.C.

Chamber of Industry

R.C.C.
CHEAR

DS
Sciences
of
engineer
&
Architectu
re

DS
Math
Physic
Chemical
Sciences

DS
Health
Sciences
(medicine
pharmacy,
dental,
nursing
training)

DS
Sciences of
Education
Sports
&
Psychology

DS
Law
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ent &
Sociology

DS
Arts
Languages,
Linguistic,
Literature
Philosophy

DS
Biology –
animal &
vegetable
Physiology,
Nutrition
Agriculture
Fishing
Environment

DS
Fine Arts
Culture
Archeology
Theology

DS
History
Geography
Geopolitics'
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Defense

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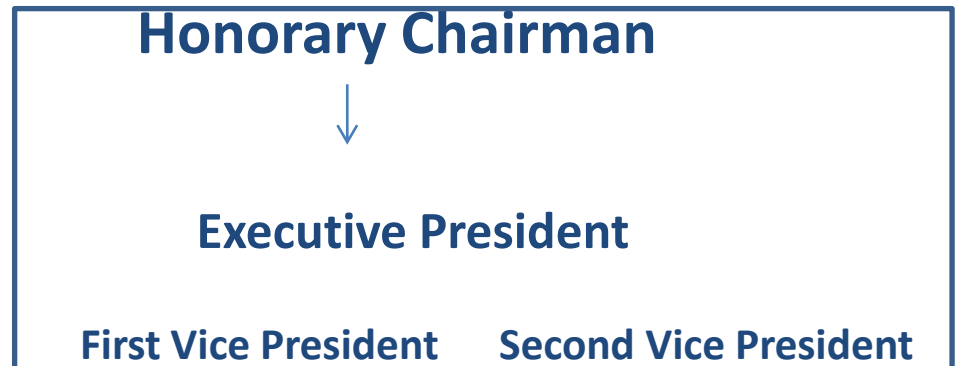
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* = structure which manages DS; ... = other Scientific Cambodian structures & foreign institutions

Composition and management for CSCRD

- **CSCRD composition (30 members)**
 - **Minister of Education Youth and Sport**
 - **Director of each DS (9)**
 - **1 member (Foreigner or Local) external professor for each scientific field in link with DS (9)**
 - **1 member for each Ministry associated at CSCRD (7)**
 - **3 members of particular Institutions= 1/ACC, 1/ RCC, 1/ CHEAR(3)**
 - **1 member from Chamber of Commerce of Cambodia (1)**
- **Management of CSCRD**
 - + a **Secretary = operational unit**

Executive Chairman and First Vice President are chosen among Directors of DS or Professors



Doctoral Schools : creation

- **9 DS = 9 scientific fields, are proposed, but this number may change = Cf. Slide 3**
- **A Ds is created by *Prakas* signed by Minister of Education, at the request of the CSCRDP**
- **The operation criteria will be notified by internal rules & regulations, unique to each DS, after positive advice from CSCRDP**
- **Each Ds has a secretary , in the University which has the portage of DS**
- **Subject to the conditions and criteria for DS, an HEI can built a portage project of DS**

Doctoral Schools : members

member considerations :

- Subject to the scientific and administrative conditions each, public or private university, can become member of a DS ; the demand has to be submitted to the CSCRD**
- An Institution which proposes many pedagogic master or Doctoral programs can be member of many DS**
- An HEI which proposes Doctoral program ,without the positive advice to be member of a DS, disposes of 12 months to obtain the member agreement**
- An Institution, member of a DS, losses its agreement to stay member, if this Institution is not complying with the scientific and administrative conditions**
- Membership of a DS, or a loss of member statute, should be determined by a Ministry Prakas (after advice of the CSCRD)**

Doctoral Schools : operating rules

- **Each DS is managed by a Director, a Deputy director + 2 members = staff of DS**
- **To be member of staff => to have a PhD diploma, to be professor or qualified researcher since more 5 years, to manage already 5 PhD students, to have 5 (local or international) publications**
- **Each DS can propose some common PhD courses for students of Institution members**
 - => Division of competences between Cambodian Universities**
- **Each PhD student must register in an University to learn PhD training + to do research**