

Research Title: Working Performance Follow-Up of Graduates in Applied Statistics Program at Rajabhat Institute Suan Dusit

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Abstract

The objectives of this study are investigate the working competence of the graduates and compare the attitude toward the graduates working performance and graduate leaders. The data was obtained from 68 graduates covering 9 academic years and 54 graduate leaders. The findings were as follows:

Regarding competence in academic work performance, the findings indicated that most graduate leaders who worked in various organizations opined that the working performance of the applied statistics graduates were good. The standard of work performance reflected the graduate's degree performance: office heads with a lower bachelor's degree tended be satisfactory; office heads holding a good or upper bachelor's degree tended to be good workers.

Regarding attitude toward work performance techniques, it was revealed that the office heads from the different organizations opined that most of the applied statistics graduates had a good general approach to work. If considering from degree of the head of the office, it was found that the office heads who had lower and upper bachelor degree considered that the working performance of the applied statistics graduates were good in various sides but the office heads who got bachelor degree considered that the range of working techniques of the applied statistics graduates were close between good range and satisfactory range.

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With regard to personality, it was found that office heads of many organizations felt very satisfied with the graduate's personalities and their creative thinking. If considering from degree of the head of the office, it was found that most of the office heads who had got lower and upper bachelor degree felt very satisfied with the graduate's personalities.

The comparison of attitude between office head and the applied statistics graduates were found that the attitude towards "academic knowledge and competence" was not much as a different whole but in details there was a little difference. And as a whole the "working techniques" were different but in details were not different and the findings indicated that the expected personalities both as a whole and in details were not different.

The graduates and the office heads recommended that the applied statistics program should provide English and computer skills courses for the students in the program and also provide new technology courses for the students in order to make them aware of public and the nation.