

## DTU Holds the Opening of the 1st Doctoral and the 9th Master's course

Right after being formally approved by MOET to offer a PhD program in Computer Science and Business Administration, DTU has become the first and only private university nationwide to provide students with Doctoral study and research opportunities. On January 10th, DTU formally held the opening of their 1st Doctoral and the 9th Master's courses. With its great determination to train Doctoral and Master's candidates, DTU is making the "Duy Tan Dream" come true to commemorate the 20th anniversary of its founding.



*Distinguished Teacher Le Cong Co delivers a speech*

At the opening, Distinguished Teacher Le Cong Co said: *"The constant development of DTU comes from the spirit of solidarity and sustained efforts of all DTU lecturers and staff over the past 20 years. The biggest concern of the DTU Board of Provosts now is how to improve the quality of training in Doctoral and Master's programs to meet the ever increasing requirements for highly-skilled experts in Danang and the Central Region. You need to actively take an interest in topics that can improve the socio-economic development of our country. You should also improve your foreign language skills and general knowledge so that you will be confident enough to integrate into ASEAN 2015. DTU will always assist you in your studies and your work."*



*Attendees at the opening*

Mr. Ho Van Nhan, Vice-Director of the DTU Graduate School, announced a list of thirteen PhD candidates for the 1st course, including seven in Business Administration and six in Information Technology (IT). Of the total of 143 Master's candidates, there were 74 in Business Administration, 29 in Accounting, 21 in Construction and 19 in IT. The DTU Graduate School also presented details of the academic programs, their content and plans for the various majors to the candidates. Well-known for its quality of education, DTU has become a trusted institution for students. Dam Van Hung, a PhD candidate in Business Administration and Vice-Chairman of the Lien Chieu District People's Committee in Danang, said: *"With its advanced academic programs, DTU provides us with many more opportunities for further study and research. We will follow the course regulations and work hard to get the best results."*

DTU lecturers and staff have always worked hard for improvement and will work even harder to commemorate the 20th anniversary of its founding. DTU expects to gain more achievements in teaching to confirm its prestige and reach new heights of success.

Over the past 19 years, thanks to its hard work, DTU has made steady progress in education and training to supply the local labor market with highly-qualified employees. DTU has constantly invested in infrastructure development and international partnerships to *"Stand on the Shoulders of Giants"*.

Duy Tan University has expanded partnerships with many well-known universities around the world to offer students a variety of advanced and internationally-standardized programs. These include partnerships with Carnegie Mellon University (CMU), one of the top four American universities in IT, Pennsylvania State University (PSU), one of the top three universities in Business Management and Hospitality and Tourism, and

California State University, CSU Fullerton and Cal Poly, one of the top five American public universities in Civil Engineering and Architecture on the West Coast. In addition, DTU has offered four Master's programs since 2009, including Information Technology (MSIT), Business Administration (MBA), Accountancy (MACC) and Construction (MSCIE).

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