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**NOMINATION OF CANDIDATES FOR THE 2011 MASTER IN PUBLIC POLICY
(MPP) AND MASTER IN PUBLIC ADMINISTRATION (MPA)**

To: Undersecretaries
Assistant Secretaries
Bureau Directors
Directors of Services, Centers and Heads of Units
Regional Directors
Schools Division/City Superintendents
All Others Concerned

1. For the information and guidance of all concerned, the Lee Kuan Yew (LKY) School of Public Policy, National University of Singapore, is currently recruiting candidates for the **Master in Public Policy (MPP) and Master in Public Administration (MPA)** programmes in July 2011.
2. The MPP programme is a two-year degree for young professionals with 1-5 years of experience. This programme shall accrue the students the fundamental skills of public policy analysis from the discipline of politics, economics, and public management. The students will also be given the opportunity to elect their focus of studies in one of the five specializations, namely: Development Studies, Economic Policy and Analysis, International Relations and Security Studies, Social and Environmental Policy, and Public Management and Governance. They shall also enjoy direct practical experience by embarking on public policy or management study for a client.
3. The qualified candidates under the MPP programme may also avail an invaluable opportunity to obtain a double degree from LKY School as well as from other partner institutes such as, Columbia University's School of International and Public Affairs (SIPA), London School of Economics and Political Science (LSE), and Institut d'Etudes Politiques de Paris (Sciences Po). The students will spend one (1) year in Singapore and on the second year in New York, London or Paris, and quite often, the school offers full funding for the students admitted to the programme.
4. The MPA programme is a one-year degree for mid-career professionals with more than five (5) years of professional experience. The programme is designed to enhance the effectual capacity of these professionals in addressing complex and multi-dimensional policy issues. Likewise, it emphasizes management and decision-making factors.



5. For more information, please contact Ms. Domini Velasquez at telephone no.: (+632) 475-0676 or through e-mail address: domini.velasquez@gmail.com or visit the website: <http://www.lkyspp.nus.edu.sg>. The deadline for submission of application is on January 31, 2011.

6. Immediate and wide dissemination of this Memorandum is desired.



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Reference:

None

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