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Global Social Venture Competition (GSVC) Southeast Asia 2012-2013

A GLOBAL COMPETITION TO LAUNCH THE NEXT GENERATION OF SOCIAL ENTERPRISES.





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An Opportunity to:

- Showcase deas to bring sustainable social transformation.
- Be counseled and network with business professionals and social entrepreneurs.
- Represent the Region in the Global Finals at UC Berkeley, USA.
- Win prize money to grow your business.
- Meet interesting like-minded entrepreneurs from around Southeast Asia.

Participation:

Form a team including a graduate student or an individual who has graduated from a graduate program within the past two years.

Key Dates:

4 Nov 12 Due date to join the optional Early-Mentoring Program. Get free professional mentorship and a chance to win USD 500 by answering 6 questions on www.gsvc-sea.org.

12 Jan 13 Due date to submit a five-page executive summary* to gsvc.sea@gmail.com *Selected teams will present in GSVC-SEA Finals on 8-10 Mar 13 in Bangkok, Thailand.

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Global Social Venture Competition (GSVC) is back. Apply now...

The Global Social Venture Competition (GSVC) was launched in 1999 by the Haas School of Business of the University of California at Berkeley, USA. It is the largest and longest-running social business plan competition which promotes entrepreneurial start-up companies which offer measurable social or environmental benefits in addition to profits. In 2012, GSVC has grown to include over 600 teams worldwide, partnering with many of the world's top business schools. As one of the GSVC partners, Thammasat Business School (TBS) by International MBA Program and Center of Sustainable Enterprise host the regional competition for the GSVC in Southeast Asia and Oceania.

GSVC is a great opportunity for young entrepreneurs to showcase their business ideas to bring sustainable social transformation. Winning teams will get a chance to represent the Region in the Global Finals at UC Berkeley, USA; win prize money in total of USD 16,000 to grow the business. Participants will meet interesting, like-minded teams from around Southeast Asia and build a future network with world-class though-leaders in social entrepreneurship, as well as investors.

To enter the GSVC-SEA competition, please follow the following guides:

Team Qualification:

The team must include a graduate student or people who has graduated from any graduate program within the past two years from any school.

The Optional Early Mentoring Program:

This year, GSVC-SEA has added the **optional** <u>Early Mentoring Program</u> to help teams improve their quality of business ideas and executive summary preparation. Teams who enroll in this program will be counseled by the community or international business professionals and get a chance to a chance to win prize money of USD 500. Team can join the Mentoring Program by answering 6 questions on www.gsvc-sea.org and send it to our mailbox by **4 Nov 2012**. If teams do not enter this optional Mentoring Program, they can still enter GSVC-SEA by submitting executive summary in the Executive Summary Round.

The Executive Summary Round:

The team submits a five-page executive summary of a proposed venture, which is scalable and offers quantifiable social and/or environmental benefits incorporated into its mission and practices to the mailbox gsvc.sea@gmail.com of 12 Jan 2013

Please see more rules and regulations and download intend-to-compete form on our website www.gsvc-sea.org.

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