



ASIA
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COLLEGE

— C O N S O R T I U M —

GRADUATION

Asia Pacific College

Celebrating Graduation of Class 2020

Our graduating students are especially in our thoughts during this unpredictable environment. Much as we desire to host our usual Commencement Exercises, we are in a quandary, as much as you are, if and when we can again meet for this grand celebration. Until this time, the Department of Education (DepEd) and Commission on Higher Education (CHED) discourage in-person commencement exercises.

Rest assured that we will guide you towards a smooth transition from school to industry life despite these difficult times. We are sharing with you the following steps that will help you make that leap from school to higher education or the workplace.

What can be applied as graduation credentials?

For graduating students (enrolled on their last term of academics), the following documents may already be requested, in lieu of the Diploma or Transcript of Records (TOR):

1. *Certificate of Candidate for Graduation*: With pending grades (incomplete academic requirements)
2. *Certificate of Graduation*: Completed all academic requirements (all courses with passing grades)
3. *TOR* for Board Examination purpose only

Online application for graduation (for 3rd term graduates) will be on June 1-13, 2020. A separate email announcement will be released regarding this.

How do we conclude Internship or Immersion of Graduating Students?

Our graduating students are most probably deployed for Internship or Immersion.

1. For the College graduating students, we will comply with directives as indicated in CHED COVID-19 Advisory No. 6 issued on 13 April 2020. Our undergraduate Interns will no longer be deployed to industry partners. Instead, alternative modes for achieving the required internship outcomes will be exercised. The students' Industry Professors will be requested to assess the hours already rendered as well as the outputs submitted, as applicable. These are essential feedback on the readiness of your sons or daughters, our students, to resume their professional practice in industry.
2. Grade 12 students will no longer be deployed, in compliance with the directives indicated in DepEd Memo No. 42 issued on 15 March 2020, and continue immersion by way of attendance in the SHS Internship Supplemental Course on Home Study mode. Additionally, the Bootcamp Program will also proceed on Home Study mode using CoursePacks.