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**SUBJECT : 2021 Eastern Regional Organization for Public Administration (EROPA) Virtual Conference**

The Eastern Regional Organization for Public Administration (EROPA), an organization of experts, scholars, and practitioners of Public Administration in the Asia-Pacific that aims to advance the economic and social development of the region through the promotion of the study, practice, and status of public administration and management, will be holding the **2021 EROPA Virtual Conference**.

This year's Conference will be hosted by The Kingdom of Thailand, through the National Institute of Development Administration (NIDA) and EROPA Secretariat, and will be streamed via **Facebook Live** through the Graduate School of Public Administration – National Institute for Development Administration, Thailand's Facebook page: [www.fb.com/nida.ac.th](http://www.fb.com/nida.ac.th) on **2-3 August 2021, 9.00 to 17.00 (Bangkok time), or 10 a.m. to 6:00 p.m. (Philippine time)**.

The topics that will be discussed by scholars and practitioners across Asia-Pacific focus on the theme, *"Public Governance for Inclusive Growth: Accountability, Engagement, and Digital Transformation in the COVID-19 Pandemic Era"*, with the following sub-themes:

1. Promoting Government Accountability for Inclusive Growth
2. Stakeholder Engagement for Inclusive Policy-Making
3. Making Service Delivery Inclusive through Digital Transformation
4. Improving Public Sector Performance through Employee Engagement

Scholars, practitioners, and government agencies and institutions are invited to watch the virtual Conference, for added appreciation of public administration and governance as a discipline.

For further details about the Conference, please visit the official website of the 2021 EROPA Conference at <http://gspa.nida.ac.th/eropa/>.

  
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