## Cambodia Higher Education Improvement Project (P162971)

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Implementing Agencies: KINGDOM OF CAMBODIA, Ministry of Education, Youth and Sport

### **Key Dates**

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Bank Approval Date: 26-Apr-2018 Effectiveness Date: --

Planned Mid Term Review Date: 12-Oct-2020 Actual Mid-Term Review Date: -Original Closing Date: 30-Jun-2024 Revised Closing Date: 30-Jun-2024

## **Project Development Objectives**

Project Development Objective (from Project Appraisal Document)

The PDO of HEIP is to improve the quality and relevance of higher education and research mainly in STEM and agriculture at targeted higher education institutions, and to improve governance in the sector.

Has the Project Development Objective been changed since Board Approval of the Project Objective?

#### Components

Name

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Component 1: Improving Teaching and Learning Capacity:(Cost \$63.70 M)

Component 2: Improving Research in STEM and Agriculture:(Cost \$15.80 M)

Component 3: Strengthen Sectoral Governance and Project Management: (Cost \$13.00 M)

Component 4: Contingent Emergency Response

#### **Overall Ratings**

Name	Previous Rating	Current Rating
Progress towards achievement of PDO		<ul><li>Satisfactory</li></ul>
Overall Implementation Progress (IP)		<ul><li>Satisfactory</li></ul>
Overall Risk Rating		<ul><li>Moderate</li></ul>

### Implementation Status and Key Decisions

Though project is not yet effective, Ministry of Education, Youth and Sport (MoEYS) has developed annual implementation plans and appointed focal officials in charge of component activities. Various operations manuals are ready to guide the implementing agencies.

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### **Risks**

# **Systematic Operations Risk-rating Tool**

Risk Category	Rating at Approval	Previous Rating	Current Rating
Political and Governance	Substantial		Substantial
Macroeconomic	Moderate		Moderate
Sector Strategies and Policies	Moderate		Moderate
Technical Design of Project or Program	Moderate		Moderate
Institutional Capacity for Implementation and Sustainability	<ul><li>Substantial</li></ul>		<ul><li>Substantial</li></ul>
Fiduciary	Substantial		Substantial
Environment and Social	Low		Low
Stakeholders	Moderate		Moderate
Other			
Overall	Moderate		Moderate

# Results

# **PDO Indicators by Objectives / Outcomes**

Improve the quality and relevance of higher education and research at targeted HEIs								
►Students benefiting	from direct interventions to	enhance learning (Number,	Corporate)					
	Baseline	Actual (Previous)	Actual (Current)	End Target				
Value	0.00	0.00	0.00	16,356.00				
Date	01-Jul-2018 08-Aug-2018 08-Aug-2018 30-Jun-2024							
∡Students benefitin	ng from direct interventions to	o enhance learning - Female	e (Number, Corporate Su	pplement)				
	Baseline	Actual (Previous)	Actual (Current)	End Target				
Value	0.00	0.00	0.00	5,070.00				
►Number of HE partr	nership programs evaluated	as modest or higher by expe	ert panels (Number, Cus	tom)				
	Baseline	Actual (Previous)	Actual (Current)	End Target				
Value	0.00	0.00	0.00	30.00				
Date	01-Jul-2018	08-Aug-2018	08-Aug-2018	30-Jun-2024				
the revised curriculum and other improved outputs under the HE Partnership Program will be evaluated by multi-dimensional evaluation panel (led by Cambodian chair and includes international experts). The evaluation process will be based on a four-tier scoring.								

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▶Number of research projects in collaboratin with industry completed (Number, Custom)									
	Baseline	Baseline Actual (Previous) Actual (Current) End Target							
Value	0.00	0.00	0.00	35.00					
Date	01-Jul-2018	01-Jul-2018 08-Aug-2018 08-Aug-2018 30-Jun-2024							
Comments:	Collaboration includes (i) documented connection between the development of a research project with industry; (ii) membership of industry employees on research teams; or (iii) industrial funding for additional research activities.								
Number of resear	rch projects in collaboratin w	ith industry completed, led by	y female faculty (Numbe	r, Custom Breakdown)					
	Baseline	Actual (Previous)	Actual (Current)	End Target					
Value	0.00	0.00	0.00	10.00					
Date	01-Jul-2018	08-Aug-2018	08-Aug-2018	30-Jun-2024					

Improve governance in the higher education sector						
►Number of HEIs that complete accreditation process (Number, Custom)						
	Baseline	Actual (Previous)	Actual (Current)	End Target		
Value	0.00	0.00	0.00	25.00		
Date	01-Jul-2018	08-Aug-2018	08-Aug-2018	30-Jun-2024		

### **Overall Comments**

As the project is not yet effective, there has been no information to report on PDO indicators yet.

## **Intermediate Results Indicators by Components**

Component 1: Improving Teaching and Learning Capacity							
►Signed agreements for higher education partnership programs (Number, Custom)							
Baseline Actual (Previous) Actual (Current) End Target							
Value	0.00	0.00	0.00	17.00			
Date	01-Jul-2018 08-Aug-2018 08-Aug-2018 30-Jun-2024						
▶Faculty members who receive advanced degree (Number, Custom)							
	Baseline	Actual (Previous)	Actual (Current)	End Target			
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Date	01-Jul-2018	08-Aug-2018	08-Aug-2018	30-Jun-2024		
	le faculty members who rece	ive advanced degree (Numbe	er, Custom Breakdown)			
	Baseline	Actual (Previous)	Actual (Current)	End Target		
Value	0.00	0.00	0.00	10.00		
Date	01-Jul-2018	08-Aug-2018 08-Aug-2018 30-Jun-				
►Number of classro	oom built (Number, Custom)					
	Baseline	Actual (Previous)	Actual (Current)	End Target		
Value	0.00	0.00	0.00	80.00		
Date	01-Jul-2018	08-Aug-2018	08-Aug-2018	30-Jun-2024		
▶number of laborate	ories constructed or rehabilita	ated (Number, Custom)				
	Baseline	Actual (Previous)	Actual (Current)	End Target		
Value	0.00	0.00 0.00 0.00				
Date	01-Jul-2018	08-Aug-2018	18 08-Aug-2018 30-			
►Number of dormito	ories built (Number, Custom)					
	Baseline	Actual (Previous)	Actual (Current)	End Target		
Value	0.00	0.00	0.00	4.00		
Date	01-Jul-2018	08-Aug-2018	08-Aug-2018	30-Jun-2024		
⊿Share of female	students living in newly cons	tructed dormitories under the	project (Percentage, Cu	stom Supplement)		
	Baseline	Actual (Previous)	Actual (Current)	End Target		
Value	0.00	0.00	0.00	60.00		
►Number of HEIs th	nat produce consolidated FM	reports (Number, Custom)				
	Baseline	Actual (Previous)	Actual (Current)	End Target		
Value	0.00	0.00	0.00	5.00		
Date	01-Jul-2018	08-Aug-2018	08-Aug-2018	30-Jun-2024		
Comments:	Consolidated FM re	eports based on HEIP FM guide	lines for HEIs.			
►Number of target I	HEIs that complete tracer stu	dies (Number, Custom)				
	Baseline	Actual (Previous)	Actual (Current)	End Target		
Value	0.00	0.00	0.00	5.00		

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Date	01-Jul-2018	08-Aug-2018	08-Aug-2018	30-Jun-2024					
Comments:	HEIs that complete annua	HEIs that complete annual tracer studies are counted one.							
▶Number of HEIs that collect, record and report on the grievances from students (Number, Custom)									
	Baseline	Actual (Previous)	Actual (Current)	End Target					
Value	0.00	0.00	0.00	5.00					
Date	01-Jul-2018	08-Aug-2018	08-Aug-2018	30-Jun-2024					

Component 2: Improving Research in STEM and Agriculture							
▶Number of submitted articles to peer-reviewed international journals (Number, Custom)							
Baseline Actual (Previous) Actual (Current) End Target							
Value	0.00	0.00	0.00	24.00			
Date 01-Jul-2018 08-Aug-2018 08-Aug-2018 30-Jun-2024							
Comments: Journal submission document means the PDF version of the submitted article through an online system or an email from the journal's editor with submitted article.							

Component 3: Strengthen So	ectoral Governance and	Project Management						
▶Draft legislation on HEI auto	onomy submitted to Coun	cil of Ministers (Yes/No, C	ustom)					
	Baseline Actual (Previous) Actual (Current) End Target							
Value	No	No	No	Yes				
Date	01-Jul-2018 08-Aug-2018 08-Aug-2018 30-Jun-2024							
►Human resource developme	ent master plan approved	(Yes/No, Custom)						
	Baseline	Actual (Previous)	Actual (Current)	End Target				
Value	No	No	No	Yes				
Date	01-Jul-2018	08-Aug-2018	08-Aug-2018	30-Jun-2024				
►Number of HEIs that input d	lata into HEMIS (Number,	, Custom)						
	Baseline	Actual (Previous)	Actual (Current)	End Target				
Value	5.00	5.00	5.00	40.00				
Date	01-Jul-2018	08-Aug-2018	08-Aug-2018	30-Jun-2024				
Comments:	HEIs must input data thro	ugh the system.						

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►Number of IQA units that submit report with recommendatins to BoD (Number, Custom)							
	Baseline Actual (Previous) Actual (Current) End Target						
Value	0.00	0.00	0.00	20.00			
Date	01-Jul-2018	08-Aug-2018	08-Aug-2018	30-Jun-2024			
Comments:	HEIs that submit are counted once. The report must follow the MoEYS IQA guidelines.						

### **Data on Financial Performance**

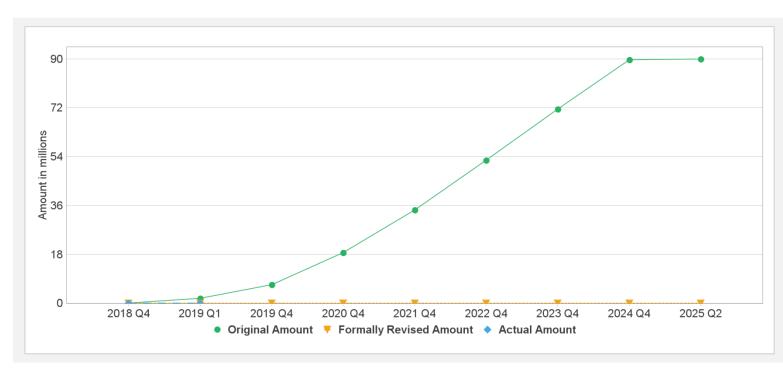
### Disbursements (by loan)

Project	Loan/Credit/TF	Status	Currency	Original	Revised	Cancelled	Disbursed	Undisbursed	% Disbursed
P162971	IDA-62210	Not Effective	USD	90.00	90.00	0.00	0.00	86.51	0%

### **Key Dates (by loan)**

Project	Loan/Credit/TF	Status	Approval Date	Signing Date	Effectiveness Date	Orig. Closing Date	Rev. Closing Date
P162971	IDA-62210	Not Effective	26-Apr-2018	12-Jul-2018		30-Jun-2024	30-Jun-2024

#### **Cumulative Disbursements**



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There has been no restructuring to date.

# Related Project(s)

There are no related projects.

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