



Talk Show
**"Digital Tech Startup Competencies and Leadership
for Digital Transformation in Vietnam 4.0"**

Date: 09h30 -11h30, November 14th 2017

Venue: C2 Conference Room - HUST

Summary

The requirements on the startup competencies particularly the tech startups that need to have all dimensions of competencies including knowledge, skills, attitudes, attributes and digital leadership to make them ready and successful for the digital transformation in the Vietnam 4.0 Era.

The audience will learn from the research results of the startup community in Thailand on the required competencies which the key stakeholders from ICT industry, government and academic including the startup community itself as well think that the startups should have in order to become successful in the world of very tough competition. During the speech, the speaker will also share and learn from the audience on what they think the critical competencies and digital leadership for the startups in Vietnam should have and, if the time allows, the speaker will also share on the key competencies which make ICT Indian workforce be the very competitive ones.



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