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## 新大与卡大联办课程 栽培资信局奖学金得主

新加坡管理大学和美国卡内基梅隆大学（Carnegie Mellon University，简称卡大）从今年起，将联合推出资讯通信学位课程，栽培资讯通信发展管理局（IDA）的奖学金得主。

修读此快速课程的学生可在4年到4年半的时间内毕业，获取新大理学士学位（资讯系统管理）和卡大资讯科技的硕士文凭。一般人必须5年到5年半才能考取同样的学位。

资信局将在5年内颁发多100份总值3000万元的奖学金来培养资讯通信业人才。其中有多达40份奖学金是颁给修读新大和卡大资讯通信课程的学生。

资信局局长陈英杰昨日在合作协议签署仪式上说：“我有信心快速硕士课程的毕业生在就业市场会很吃香。资信局去年的资讯通信人力调查显示，资讯通信业去年所雇用的员工人数创新高，达11万1400人，比前一年的10万8000人多。”



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Singapore Management University (SMU) and Carnegie Mellon University (CMU) introduce a joint infocomm education programme starting this year under the National Infocomm Scholarship, nurturing infocomm talents.

Under a special fast-track programme, students can graduate within four to four and a half years with a Bachelor of Science (Information Systems Management) degree from SMU and a Master's degree from CMU. This would normally take five to five and half years to complete.

100 scholarships worth \$30 million will be offered by the Infocomm Development Authority (IDA) within the next five years to boost the strength of Singapore's Infocomm manpower. The scholarships will include up to 40 positions for a special fast-track SMU-CMU programme.

Mr Chan Yeng Kit, Chief Executive Officer of IDA said in the signing ceremony yesterday that he believes the graduates from the fast-track programme will be in great demand.