Acknowledgments

Firstly, my sincerest gratitude should be goes to my major thesis advisor Dr.Uswin Chaiwiwat and my co-advisor Dr.Supeerapat Pimmas for their professional guidance, encouragement and kindness which inspired me a lot throughout conducting and writing this thesis. This thesis would not have been possible without their persistent assistance.

Secondly, I would like to thank all the research proposal defense committee, including three teachers, they are Dr.Kritiya Ariya, Dr.Pakkanat Chanthanavaranont Sompongtam, and Dr.Aree Ussavanuphap. Each of them has given me a great deal of professional advice, and I have learned a lot from them thanks to their thoughtful comments and advice. My special thanks to Dr.Kris Phattaraphakin who taught me a great deal about educational research and he never ending help in utilizing statistics.

Thirdly, I would like to thank all the independent study defense committee, Dr.Uswin Chaiwiwat, Dr.Supeerapat Pimmas and Dr.Pakkanat Chanthanavaranont Sompongtam, Each of them has given me thorough professional advice, and I have gained a lot from them thanks to their thoughtful comments and recommendations.

The next one should be the three specialists to evaluate the competence and correctness of the questionnaire and handbook. And I also need to say many thanks to President Dr.Yuwalak Vejwitayaklung accept me as a student at Dhonburi Rajabhat University.

I appreciate everyone I had the pleasure of working with while gathering data for my thesis at Jiangsu College of Finance & Accounting. I want to express my gratitude to all of the college students who answered my questionnaire, as well as Mr. Jiao, the college's director, for allowing me to conduct my thesis there.

Last but not least, I want to express my gratitude to my entire family for their unwavering support and inspiration throughout my research. They saw all the highs and lows.

Thank you so much!

Zhu Jie