
CONFERENCE PROGRAM

Date: 9 October 2009 (Fri)

Venue: Siam City Hotel (Rm: Kamolthip 1 on the 2nd floor)

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8:30	9:00	Registration
9:00	9:10	1 Welcome Address Prof. Satoshi Harashima (Chairperson, Organizing Committee)
9:10	9:20	2 Address Dr. Linda S. Posadas (on behalf of Hubert J. Gijzen, Director, UNESCO Jakarta Office)
9:20	9:50	3 Human Resource Development (HRD) Policy on Science and Technology Manpower in Thailand Assoc. Prof. Dr. Chaiyudh Khantaprab (Director, Science and Technology Postgraduate Education and Research Development Office, Commission on Higher Education)
9:50	10:10	4 Overview on Two Previous UNESCO Programs; History, Contents and Outputs Prof. Takuya Nihira (International Center for Biotechnology, Osaka University)
10:10	10:30	Coffee break
10:30	12:00	5 Panel Discussion by Deans/ Director (Moderator: Prof. Amaret Bhumiratana, Mahidol University) Human Resource Development in Biotechnology for Thailand/ International Collaboration and Role of Thai Universities in Southeast Asia Prof. Skorn Mongkolsuk (Dean, Faculty of Science, Mahidol University) Prof. Supot Hannongbua (Dean, Faculty of Science, Chulalongkorn University) Dr. Surapol Patharakorn (Dean, Faculty of Science, Kasetsart University) Assoc. Prof. Narumon Jeyashoke (Dean, School of Bioresources and Technology, King Mongkut's University of Technology Thonburi) Ms. Duangkaew Chongkachornphong (on behalf of Dr. Kanyawim Kirtikara, Director, National Center for Genetic Engineering and Biotechnology)
12:00	13:00	Lunch break
13:00	13:40	6 Panel Discussion by UNESCO Alumni (Moderator: Prof. Tatsuji Seki, Osaka University) Contribution by UNESCO Course on Personal Capacity Building and International Interaction Prof. Busaba Yongsmith (1st batch) (Kasetsart University) Assoc. Prof. Aran H-Kittikun (4th batch) (Prince of Songkla University) Prof. Saisamorn Lumyong (7th batch)(Chiang Mai University) Dr. Sarintip Sooksai (20th batch)(Chulalongkorn University)

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| 13:40 | 13:55 | 7 | Human Resource Development (HRD) in Thai Academia
Dr. Toshiomi Yoshida (Director General, Research Institute of Environment, Agriculture and Fisheries, Osaka Prefectural Government) |
| 13:55 | 14:20 | 8 | Experiences/Narratives on Human Resources Development in Thai Companies
Dr. Songkiert Tansamrit (Executive Vice President, PTT Research and Technology Institute) |
| 14:20 | 14:45 | 9 | Development of Human Resource in Biotechnology: Experience in Private Companies in Thailand
Dr. Pichet Itkor (President, Thai Society for Biotechnology) |
| 14:45 | 15:10 | 10 | Human Resource Development for Agricultural Researches by JIRCAS in Developing Regions
Mr. Tomohide Sugino (Representative of Southeast Asia Office, Japan International Research Center for Agricultural Sciences (JIRCAS)) |
| 15:10 | 15:30 | | Coffee break |
| 15:30 | 15:50 | 11 | Human Resources Development and Biotechnology in Asia-Pacific
Dr. Krishna Ravi Srinivas (Associate Fellow, Research and Information System for Developing Countries (RIS)) |
| 15:50 | 16:10 | 12 | Proposal of New Program by Organizing Committee
Prof. Savitree Limtong (Faculty of Science, Kasetsart University) and Prof. Takuya Nihira (International Center for Biotechnology, Osaka University) |
| 16:10 | 16:40 | 13 | Questions/Suggestions from the Floor |
| 16:40 | 16:45 | 14 | Closing remarks
Prof. Takuya Nihira (International Center for Biotechnology, Osaka University) |

Reception Party (Rm: Kamolthip 2 on the 2nd floor)

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| 17:00 | 17:10 | 1 | Welcome address
Assoc. Prof. Songsri Kulprecha (Faculty of Science, Chulalongkorn University, Thai Organizing Committee) |
| 17:10 | 17:25 | 2 | Brief Explanation on Previous UNESCO Programs and Future Scope
Prof. Kazuhito Fujiyama (International Center for Biotechnology, Osaka University) |
| 17:25 | 19:00 | 3 | Discussion among attendees |
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