# KUIAS INTERNATIONAL CONFERENCE 2014



## **BUILDING BRIDGE FOR ECO-ECONOMICS**



CELEBRATING KASETSART
UNIVERSITY'S 72<sup>nd</sup> ANNIVERSARY

### 18 - 19 November 2014

Rama Gardens Hotel, BANGKOK, THAILAND

Organised by

Kasetsart University Institute for Advanced Studies





#### Rationale

Throughout more than seven decades of establishment, Kasetsart University has consistently devoted itself to the task of accumulating and developing intellectual knowledge. It thrives for the growth in academic wisdom as well as ethical and moral excellence. In addition, it holds a responsibility to play a leading role in keeping our Thai heritage alive and ensuring the continuity of heritage and culture growth which enriches the development and civilisation of the nation.

For more than seventy-one years in service, Kasetsart University's faculty members and researchers have completed a great number of quality researches which promote academic excellence and facilitate development of the nation.

Since 2010, Kasetsart University has been selected and assigned as one of the nine national research universities by the Royal Thai Government. Government funds have been granted to Kasetsart University in order to promote new researchers and to fund research of the university's expertise in three major fields i.e. Food and Agriculture, Tropical Natural Resources, and Agricultural and Industrial Technologies. A large collection of Kasetsart University research in Agriculture and Forestry have been so highly acknowledged and appreciated by the academia that the two fields of study are ranked number 1 in Thailand and number 33 worldwide by QS World University Rankings in 2013.

As part of the 72<sup>nd</sup> establishment anniversary celebration and the 5<sup>th</sup> anniversary as a national research university in 2015, Kasetsart University Institute for Advanced Studies will organise an international conference during 18 to 19 November 2014 at Rama Gardens Hotel, Bangkok. The conference aims to provide a valuable forum for all administrator and researcher participants from the national research universities and international higher education institutions, including private sector participants and participants from research fund organisations in Thailand and overseas who have collaborated on research with the national research universities. The conference also aims to share Kasetsart University's research and development progress and future plan which may expand research collaborations in both regional and international levels.

### **Objectives**

- 1. To seek external research fund sources as a preparation for the termination of national research university budget in 2015
- 2. To provide the universities and their partners with opportunities to discuss research collaboration expansions and expansion of students, researchers and faculty members exchange programmes
- 3. To provide students, researchers and faculty members with opportunities to discuss with international researchers and the management from existing and prospective research fund sources





#### **Conference Programme Outline**

- 1. Plenary sessions by distinguished keynote speakers
- 2. Panel discussions amongst students, researchers, faculty members and representatives from research fund sources
- 3. Declaration signing for academic collaboration expansion amongst educational institutions, private sectors and research fund sources

#### **KUIAS**

#### **Participants**

#### Thai participants

- 1. Office of the Higher Education Commission administrators
- 2. Administrators from the national research universities
- 3. Cluster chairmen
- 4. Faculty members and researchers of Kasetsart University

#### International participants

- 1. Administrators from international research institutes and research fund organisations such as FAO, ADB, CIRAD and private sector
- International researchers from international research institutes
- 3. Administrators and faculty deans from partner universities of Kasetsart University

## **Expected Number of Participants**

200 participants

#### **Duration**

2 days (18 – 19 November 2014)

#### Venue

Rama Gardens Hotel 9/9 Vibhavadi Rangsit Road, Laksi, Bangkok 10210 Thailand, Tel: 66 2 558 7888 Fax: 66 2 558 7808 Email: rama@ramagardenshotel.com



- Kasetsart Univesity
   Institute for Advanced
   Studies
- Kasetsart University Institute for Advanced Studies international conference organisation committee

#### **Budget**

National research universities research fund
 External fund and Kasetsart University's internal budget

#### Significance of the Project

- 1. The exhibition of Kasetsart University's potential to international organisations and partner universities so as to generate and expand research collaboration
- 2. The outlining of continuous and subtle research collaboration amongst units and functions concerned so as to clarify the roles and responsibilities of each unit and function.
- 3. Fund-raising opportunity through quality research projects presentations and meetings with representatives from research fund sources which may further expand collaboration between the national research universities and both the prospective fund sources and private sector.





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#### Rama Gardens Hotel, BANGKOK, THAILAND

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Tuesday 18

09.00 - 09.05	Opening Ceremony
09.05 - 10.05	Plenary Session I "Bio-Base Economy Development"
10.05 - 10.30	Coffee Break
10.30 - 11.30	Plenary Session II "Industrial Research Collaboration Outlook"
11.30 – 12.30	Plenary Session III "Driven Eco-Economics in ASEAN from Food and Agriculture"

12.30 - 14.00 Lunch

14.00 - 17.00 Panel Discussion

Group I: Agriculture and Food

"Food and Agricultural Cooperatives-Academic and Business Sectors"

and Business Sectors"

Group II: Natural Resources and Environment "Building Bridge for Low Carbon Economy"

Group III: Science and Industrial Technology

"Technology and Value-added in Industries for Eco-Economics"

18.00 Reception



09.30 - 10.30 Panel Discussion

"Asia-Euro Bridge: Multilateral Cooperation for Eco-Economics"

10.30 - 10.45 Coffee Break

10.45 - 12.15 Presentations by the Three Cluster Chairmen of the Panel Discussions and

Closing Ceremony Address by Assoc. Prof. Dr. Sornprach Thanisawanyangkura,

Vice President for Research, Kasetsart University

12.15 Lunch

<sup>\*</sup> official language of the conference : English



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	E	Topic : Food and Agricultural Cooperatives-Academic and Business Sectors  Group II : Natural Resource and Environment Topic : Building Bridge for Low Carbon Economy  Group III : Science and Industrial Technology Topic : Technology and Value –added in Industries for Eco-Economics
		Remarks: Please specify food restriction (if any)