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Osaka University Visited MUSC, to Seek for Academic Collaborating Partners in Thailand

Monday 27, October 2014, Office of International Cooperation, Faculty of Science, Mahidol University (MUSC), launched a visiting program for delegates from the Osaka University, Japan, to discuss on double degree program initiation between Mahidol University the Faculty of Science and Osaka University Graduate School of Science.

Prof. Skorn Mongkolsuk, MUSC's Dean officially welcomed delegates from the Osaka University, namely Prof. Atsushi Shinohara, Dean of the School of Science, Prof. Yoshitaka Kuno, Chairperson of International Affairs Committee together with Lecturers and Researchers in Physics, Chemistry, Macromolecular Science, Biology Science and Regional Director, Osaka University ASEAN Center for Academic Initiatives Office in Bangkok, at 1.00 pm, the K101 Conference Room, Chalearmprakit Building.

A mission of this visit is to investigate feasibility and difficulties on double degree programs initiation. The visit was organized with a warm atmosphere, actively discussing on a double degree program establishment between the two faculties. There were several topics proposed into discussion during the visit, such as (1) Admission for Master Course in the double degree program - including date of opening, application guideline, application period, examination date and period of announcing examination results etc. (2) Year schedules, including numbers of semesters, starting and ending dates of the periods etc. By this occasion, the delegates had also a chance to visit the Department of Chemistry, Biology and Physics to observe teaching and learning facilities, laboratory demonstrations and research activities. The both faculties have primarily agreed in principle of double degree program collaboration and will be going to make communicate with each other for further progress.

List of Delegates

Osaka University Delegates

Prof. Atsushi Shinohara	Dean of School of Science, Chemistry
Prof. Yoshitaka Kuno	Chairperson of International Affairs Committee, Physics
Prof. Tadafumi Kishimoto	Department of Physics
Prof. Yasuhiro Funahashi	Department of Chemistry
Prof. Takumi Konno	Department of Chemistry
Assoc. Prof. Osamu Urakawa	Department of Macromolecular Science
Assist. Professor Yon-Soo Tak	Department of Biological Science
Prof. Taro Mochizuki	Regional Director, Osaka University ASEAN Center for Academic Initiatives



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Assoc. Prof. Wattana Weerachatanukul	Deputy Dean for Medical, Graduate Education
Assist. Prof. Kittisak Yokthongwattana	Assistant Dean for Graduate Education
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Assoc. Prof. Prayad Pokethitiyook	Chairman, Department of Biology
Assist. Prof. Tosporn Boonyarith	Chairman, Department of Physics
Assist. Prof. Kittiwit Matan	Department of Physics
Assist. Prof. Aussanee Pichakum	Department of Plant Science
Assoc. Prof. Sittiwat Lertsiri	Chairman, Department of Biotechnology
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Assist. Prof. Choowong Auesukaree	Department of Biology
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