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## **Euro-Asian Collaboration for Enhancing STEM Education (EASTEM) – an Official Visit to MUSC of EASTEM’s Representative, Uppsala University, Sweden**

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The Faculty of Science, Mahidol University participated in the Euro-Asian Collaboration for Enhancing STEM Education (EASTEM) Project, hosted by Uppsala University, Sweden. The project aims to develop teaching and learning STEM in higher education in Thailand as an expected participating country. In this connection, the Faculty of Science leading by Dean Sittiwat Lertsiri and Vice Dean Kanyaratt Supaibulwatana, Assoc. Prof. Wannapong Triampo together with Assoc. Prof. Eakasith Somsook have jointly given a welcome and discussion with Mr. Fredrik Berggren, a Representative of EASTEM, Uppsala University, on 16 January 2018 during 10.30 am. - 04.00 pm.



On 16<sup>th</sup> January 2018, Assoc. Prof. Wannapong Triampo, Deputy Dean of Educational Services of Salaya Campus and International BSc Program coordinator, welcomed Mr. Fredrik Berggren from International Office, Uppsala University, Sweden, at the Faculty of Science, Mahidol University, Salaya Campus, in order to enhance STEM teaching and learning process in higher education of Thailand as an expected potential participating country. This year the Faculty of Science, Mahidol University will participate in the project called “EURO-Asian Collaboration for Enhancing STEM Education (EASTEM)” that will be hosting by the Uppsala University, Sweden. In this occasion, Mr. Berggren made a visit to the Faculty of Science, Salaya Campus and Mahidol University International Demonstration School in the morning. Besides, the two parties had a fruitful opportunity to exchange information relating to teaching and learning process in science.



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In this connection, Dean Sittiwat Lertsiri along with Vice Dean Kanyaratt Supaibulwatana, have also jointly welcomed the delegation at K101 Conference Room, Faculty of Science (Phayathai Campus) in the afternoon. The purpose of this meeting was to discuss on EASTEM proposal. During the session, the discussion was focused on STEM curriculum development, and future activities, such as distance learning, STEM Innovative Excellent Center, etc.

Mr. Berggren has also visited the Excellent Center for Drug Discovery (ECDD) and the Global Innovation Incubator (GII) under the multi-initiative collaborations of MUSC with both government and private sectors, in order to gather some information relating to the utilization of graduates in science and technology that supporting the EASTEM project.