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MUSC Collaborated with Chiba University for the Joint Symposium 2018 “Toward the Researches & Innovations for Food and Global Health”

MUSC Successfully Hosted the Collaborative Activities between Chiba University and Mahidol University for the Joint Symposium 2018 “Toward the Researches & Innovations for Food and Global Health”, Stang Monkolsuk Room, Faculty of Science, Mahidol University



The Joint Symposium 2018 “Toward the Researches & Innovations for Food and Global Health” was co-organized by the Faculty of Science, Mahidol University and the Graduate School of Horticulture and the Center for Environment, Health and Field Science, Chiba University, Japan on 26 January 2018 at the Stang Mongkolluksuk Conference Room, Faculty of Science, Mahidol University, Phaya Thai campus.

Assoc. Prof. Sittiwat Lertsiri, Dean of the Faculty of Science, along with Assoc. Prof. Kanyaratt Supaibulwatana, Vice Dean jointly welcomed Prof. Emeritus. Dr. Toyoki Kozai, a former President of Chiba University and Chief Director of the Japan Plant Factory Association, Prof. Emeritus Dr. Masahiro Mii, Center for Environmental, Health and Field Sciences, Chiba University, delegations, and invited speakers.



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On this occasion, Prof. Kanyaratt Supaibulwatana reported a successful agreement between two universities to establish CU-MU Collaborative Research and Training Center in Plant Factory (CU-MU CRTP) which will proposed to be a regional center to enhance academic and advanced research knowledge about protected horticulture at the Faculty of Science, Mahidol University and has to be fully settled under the mutual support of the Center for Creative Innovation of Food, Environment and Health, Chiba University Bangkok Center and the School of Bioinnovation and Bio-based Product Intelligence, Faculty of Science, Mahidol University.

The objective of the joint symposium aimed to provide an opportunity for participants to familiarize each other and to share experiences and discuss various issues related to the three main topics are: (1) Smart technology for food production and precision agriculture, (2) Novel sources of food and pharmaceutical challenges, and (3) Innovation for quality of life and global health. In a morning session, three keynotes speakers delivered lectures related to the three main topics and six oral presentations were conducted by invited speakers in the afternoon.