



# The First Annual Conference of the University Network for Development in Asia (UNDA)

## *Program*

*The International Seminar on  
Skills Development for the Emerging  
New Dynamism in Asian Developing Countries  
under Globalization*

January 23-25, 2009  
Bangkok, Thailand

## **Day 1: January 23, 2009**

**8:00 ..... Registration at Jamjuree Ballroom, M Floor, Pathumwan Princess Hotel**

Moderator: Dr. Chalaiporn Amonvatana, Associate Professor, Faculty of Economics, Chulalongkorn University

**9:00-10:15 ..... Opening Session**

**Welcome Address:**

Dr. Pirom Kamolratanakul, President, Chulalongkorn University

**Guest Address:**

H.E. Yuji Kumamaru, Envoy Extraordinary and Minister Plenipotentiary, Embassy of Japan

**Keynote Address:**

Dr. Shin-ichi Yamamoto, Trustee / Vice-President for Research, Nagoya University

“Research Activity of Nagoya University”

**Opening Address:**

Dr. Teerana Bhongmakapat, Dean, Faculty of Economics, Chulalongkorn University

**Introduction:**

Dr. Aya Okada, Professor, Graduate School of International Development (GSID), Nagoya University



**10:15 ..... Coffee Break**



**Research Theme 1: The Impact of Globalization and Changing International Division of Labor on Asian Developing Countries**

**10:30-12:00 ... Session 1: Agriculture**

Chair: Prof. Phaisal Lekuthai, Associate Professor, Faculty of Economics, Chulalongkorn University

1. Dr. Moon Wanki, Associate Professor, Department of Food & Resource Economics, Korea University

“Public Preferences for the Multifunctionality of Agriculture: National Survey of Registered Voters in the U.S.”

2. Dr. Yoshihiko Nishimura, Professor, GSID, Nagoya University

“Agricultural Development Strategies in the Greater Mekong Sub-region”



**12:00 ..... Welcome Lunch hosted by GSID, Nagoya University at Citi Bistro, 1st Floor**



**13:30-15:00 ... Session 2 : Manufacturing**

Chair: Dr. Kiyoshi Fujikawa, Professor, GSID, Nagoya University

1. Dr. K.K. Narayanan, Professor, Department of Humanities and Social Sciences, Indian Institute of Technology-Bombay

“Technology Sourcing and Internationalisation of IT Firms in India”

2. Dr. Toh Mun Heng, Associate Professor, Department of Business Policy, National University of Singapore

“Outsourcing and Fragmentation in Singapore Manufacturing Industry”



**15:00 ..... Coffee Break**



**15:15-16:45 ... Session 3: Service (Tourism)**

Chair: Dr. Yoshiaki Nishikawa, Professor, GSID, Nagoya University

1. Dr. Tetsuo Umemura, Associate Professor, Department of Tourism Sciences, University of Ryukyu

“Tourism and Global Financial Crisis”

2. Dr. Aser B. Javier, Associate Professor, Institute of Development Management and Governance, College of Public Affairs, University of the Philippines Los Banos (UPLB)

“How is Ecotourism Governed? The National Ecotourism Strategy (NES) of the Philippines”



**17:00-18:30 ... Session 4: Service (Education)**

Chair: Dr. Yuto Kitamura, Associate Professor, GSID, Nagoya University

1. Dr. Supachai Yavaprabhas, Director, SEAMEO Regional Center for Higher Education and Development

“SEAMEO RIHED and Higher Education Harmonisation”

2. Dr. Neth Barom, Vice Rector, Royal University of Phnom Penh

“Privatization of Higher Education in Cambodia”



**19:00 ..... Reception hosted by the MABE Program, Faculty of Economics, Chulalongkorn University at the Poolside, 8th Floor**

## Day 2: January 24, 2009

Moderator: Dr. Aya Okada, Professor, GSID, Nagoya University

### **Research Theme 2: Changes in Socioeconomic Structures in Asian Late Developing Countries**

#### **9:00-10:30 ..... Session 5: Regional Integration**

Chair: Dr. Shigeru Otsubo, Professor, GSID, Nagoya University

1. Dr. Phouphet Kyophilavong, Associate Professor, Faculty of Economics and Management, National University of Laos

“Foreign Capital Inflows in the Natural Resources Sector: Impacts on the Lao Economy”

2. Mr. Zamroni, Researcher, Research Center for Economics, Indonesian Institute of Sciences

“East Asian Economic Integration: A Trade Negotiation Game Analysis”



#### **10:30 ..... Coffee Break**



#### **10:45-12:15 ... Session 6: Labor Markets in Asia**

Chair: Dr. Aya Okada, Professor, GSID, Nagoya University

1. Dr. Chairat Aemkulwat, Assistant Professor, Faculty of Economics, Chulalongkorn University

“Labor Market Transformation in Thailand after Two Decades”

2. Dr. Bino Paul, Associate Professor, School of Management and Labour Studies, Tata Institute of Social Sciences

“Demographic Dividend or Deficit: Insights from Data on Indian Labour”



#### **12:15 ..... Lunch at Citi Bistro, 1st Floor**



**13:45-15:15 ... Session 7: Governance**

Chair: Dr. Ake Tangsupvattana, Associate Professor, Faculty of Political Science, Chulalongkorn University

1. Dr. Hirotsume Kimura, Professor, GSID, Nagoya University

“Building Transformative Capacity of the State in a Changing World”

2. Dr. Yuzuru Shimada, Associate Professor, GSID, Nagoya University

“Role of Law in Development/Peacebuilding”



**15:15 ..... Coffee Break**



**15:30-17:00 ... Session 8: Poverty Reduction**

Chair: Dr. Sanae Ito, Associate Professor, GSID, Nagoya University

1. Dr. Ngin Chanrith, Director, Graduate Program in Development Studies, Royal University of Phnom Penh

“Farmers’ Associations in Cambodia: Internal Functions and External Relations”

2. Dr. Chalaiporn Amonvatana, Associate Professor, Faculty of Economics, Chulalongkorn University

“Thai Government Policies on Poverty Reduction: Measures and Evaluation during 2003-2008”



**19:00 ..... Reception hosted by Nagoya University at Jim Thompson House**

## **Day 3: January 25, 2009**

### **9:00-10:30 ..... Student Session (1)**

Chair: Prof. Viengvilay Thiengchanhxay, Associate Professor, Faculty of Law and Political Science, Laos National University

1. Mr. Koji Ishikawa, Doctoral Student, GSID, Nagoya University

“Present Condition and Problems of Rice Industry under Socio-Economic Transformation in Cambodia”

2. Ms. Nantararat Tangvitoontham, Doctoral Student, Faculty of Economics, Chulalongkorn University

“Implication for the Incidence of Wastewater Treatment Charges: Estimates from Bangkok Households’ Demands”

3. Mr. Phakpoom Tippakoon, Doctoral Student, GSID, Nagoya University

“Industrial Development in Peripheral Provinces of Thailand: Cross-section Analysis of Enterprise Start-ups and Labor Productivity”



### **10:30 ..... Coffee Break**



### **10:45-12:15 ... Student Session (2)**

Chair: Dr. Nanang Pamuji Mugasejati, Lecturer, Faculty of Social and Political Science, Gadjah Mada University

1. Mr. Sarayuth Saengchan, Doctoral Student, Faculty of Economics, Chulalongkorn University

“The Impact of Intellectual Capital on Efficiency: A Comparative Study between Foreign Banks and Selected Thai Commercial Banks”

2. Mr. Juswanto Wawan, Doctoral Student, GSID, Nagoya University

“Demand for Education in Indonesia”

3. Ms. Devi Kausar, Doctoral Student, GSID, Nagoya University

“Rethinking the Role of World Heritage Sites in Development: Cases of Cultural Sites in Indonesia and Cambodia”

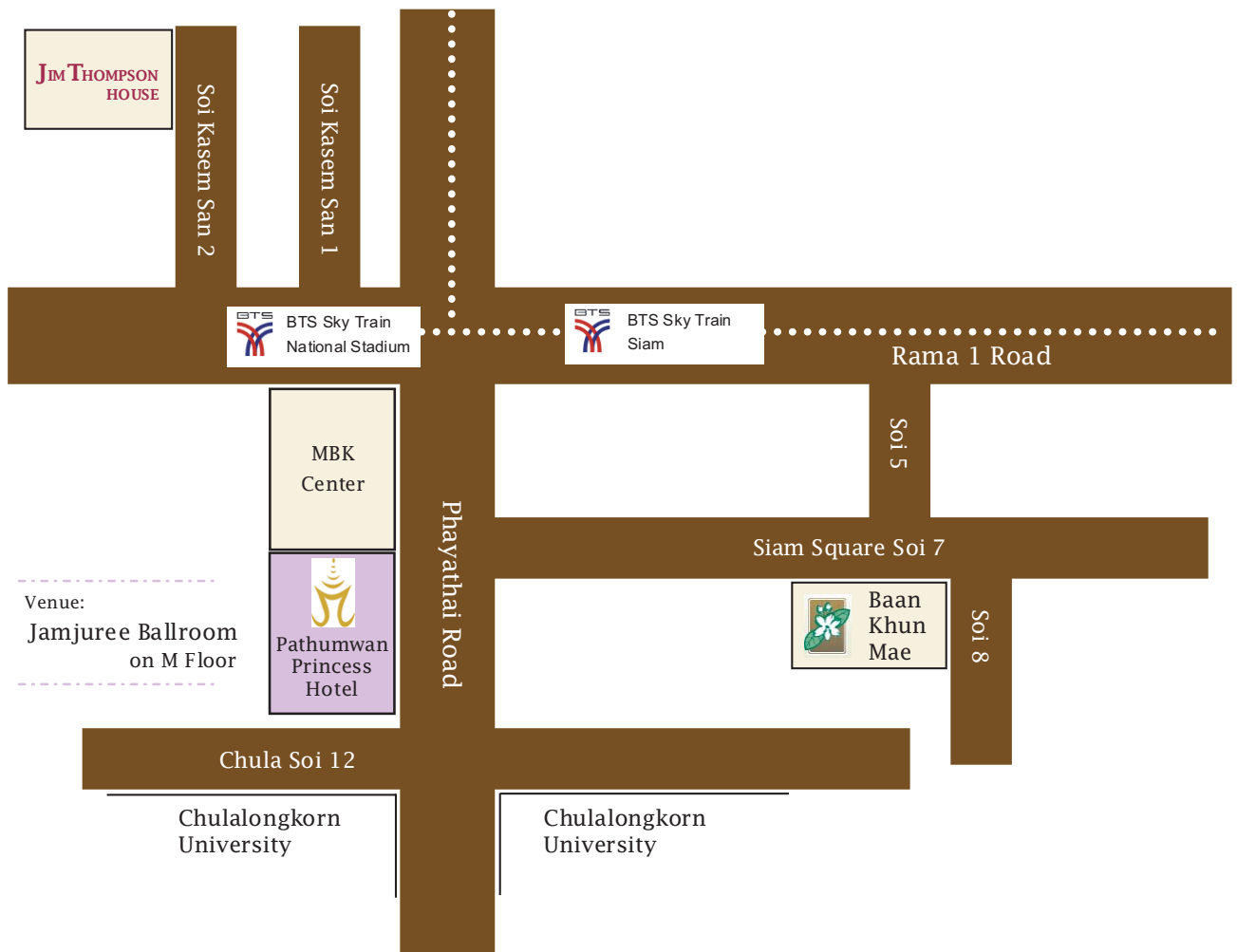


### **12:15-14:00 ... Lunch at Citi Bistro, 1st Floor**





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