

Appendix 2: Trip Report 2

Duration: December 12-15, 2005

Place: Vietnam
Hue Agricultural University

Members: Archan Phrek Gymmatasiri
Assoc. Prof. Dr. Boonserm Cheevaissarakul
Assoc. Prof. Dr. Attachai Jintrawet

Objectives: 1. Assess the need for establishing a network of educators and researchers to conduct interdisciplinary research related to upland agriculture.
2. Identify interested individual and organization for further collaboration.



December 12, 2005





Time	Activity
06:50	Depart home and pick-up Dean Boonserm to CNX airport Check-in at Thai International counter (TG101), seat no. 10A, 10B, 10C
10:00	Arrived at BKK airport, Bangkok city, Thailand, connected to the International terminal and tried to find the VN airline check-in counter in Terminal 2.
19:30	Arrived at Phu Bai airport, hard landing and raining. Met Mrs. Hoang Thi Sen and Mrs. Nguyen Thi Thanh. Checked-in the Morin Hotel.






December 13, 2005.




Time	Activity
08:15	Picked-up from the Hotel by Mrs. Nguyen Thi Thanh, a former MCC student, Associate Director International Relations, Hue University.
08:30	Arrived at the Rector's office. Met and discussed with Dr. Hoang Manh Quan, Vice-Rector and Director of Center for Rural Development Hue University and his staff as shown below.

Participants Met on 2005-12-13 @ Rector's office, Hue Agricultural and Forestry University

	<p>1. Mrs. Hoang Thi Sen Address: Vice-Dean of Faculty of Extension & Rural Development, Hue Agricultural University, 24 Phung Hung Street Hue City Vietnam Email: Thesis: Gender Roles in Agroforestry Systems in Upland Area of the North Coastal Central of Vietnam</p> <p>Met at the Hue airport on 2005-12-12 with Thanh</p>
	<p>2. Dr. Boonserm Cheva-issarajul Dean, Faculty of Agriculture Chiang Mai University Chiang Mai</p>
	<p>3. Dr. Attachai Jintrawet Associate Dean, Faculty of Agriculture Chiang Mai University Chiang Mai</p>
	<p>4. Archan Phrek Gymantasiri Advisor, Multiple Cropping Center Faculty of Agriculture Chiang Mai University Chiang Mai</p>
	<p>5. Dr. Ngoan Dean of Faculty of Animal Sciences</p>

Left during the meeting	6. Mr. Phuoc Vice Dean of Faculty of animal sciences
	7. Dr. Phung Thang Long Vice Dean of Faculty of animal sciences
	8. Mr. Ton That Chat Vice Dean of Faculty of aquaculture
	9. Dr. Nguyen Thi Le Vice Dean of Faculty of agronomy
	10. Mrs. Nguyen Thi Hang Department of Scientific Management and International Relation

	<p>11. Dr. Dang Thai Duong Vice Dean of Faculty of Forestry</p>
	<p>12. Dr. Le Van An Head of Scientific Management and International Relation</p>
	<p>13. Dr. Hoang Manh Quan Vice Rector and Director of Center for Rural Development Hue University</p>
	<p>14. Mrs. Nguyen Thi Thanh Address: Lecturer and Deputy Head Department of Science and International Relations, Hue Agricultural University, 102 Phung Hung Street Hue City, Vietnam Tel. 054-525049 Fax. 054-524923 Email: huaf@dng.vnn.vn Thesis: Evaluation of Peanut-corn Intercropping System in the Delta Plain Soil Zone of Hue Province, Vietnam</p> <p>Met at Hue airport with Sen on 2005-12-12</p>
	<p>15. Dr. Duong Viet Tinh Address: Dean, Faculty of Forestry, Hue University of Agriculture and Forestry, 102 Phung Hung Street Hue City Vietnam Email: tinhkln1@dng.vnn.vn Thesis: Evaluation of Phosphorous Fertilizer on Peanut Yield Improvement in Coastal Sandy Soil Zone of Hue Province, Vietnam</p>

	<p>16. Mr. Truong Quang Hoang Address: Faculty of Extension & Rural development, Hue Agricultural University, 102 Phung Hung Street Hue City Vietnam Email: Thesis:</p>
	<p>17. Mr. Ho Thanh Ha Address: Faculty of Forestry, Hue Agricultural University, 102 Phung Hung Street Hue City, Vietnam Fax. No. 84-54524923 Email: hanchue@gmail.com , habttn@yahoo.com Thesis: Factors Effecting the Outbreak of Pine Caterpillar (Dedrolimus punctatus) in Pine Forest of Thua Thien Hue Province, Vietnam</p>
	<p>18. Mrs. Hoang Thi Thai Hoa Address: Department of Soil Sciences, Faculty of Crop Production, Hue Agricultural University, Hue City, Vietnam Tel. 8454-825544 (Studing in Belgium) Email: hoathuc@dng.vnn.vn Thesis: Effect of Phosphorous Fertilizer and Lime on Peanut Yield Improvement in Hilly Zone of Thua Thien Hue province, Vietnam</p>
	<p>19. Mr. Le Trung Nhan Address: Ho Chi Minh city, Vietnam Tel. Email: trungnhan@dng.vnn.vn Thesis: Comaparative Study on Economic Performance of Shrimp Farming Systems in Thua Tien Hue Province, Vietnam</p>
	<p>20. Mr. Ngo Tung Duc Address: Faculty of Forestry, Hue Agricultural University, Hue City Vietnam Fax. No. 84-54538454 Email: hue.sfsp@dng.vnn.vn, ngotungduc@yahoo.co.uk Thesis: Assessment of Sustainability of Crop Production Systems at Household and Commune Levels in Mountainous Area of Thua Thien Hue Province, Vietnam</p>
	<p>21. Mr. Nguyen Huu Hoa Address: Faculty of Agronomy, Hue Agricultural University, 102 Phung Hung Street Hue City Email: Thesis: Agro-economic Assessment of Iriigated and Rainfed Lowland Rice Production in Thua Thien Hue Province, Vietnam</p>



22. Mr. Nguyen Ngoc Chau
Address: Faculty of Economics, Hue Agricultural University, 100 Phung Hung Street Hue City, Vietnam Tel. 8454-829139
Email:
Thesis: [Economic Efficiency of Coffee Processing Firms in the Central Highland, Vietnam](#)



23. Dr. Ho Dac Thai Hoang
Address: Head Dept. of Silviculture, Faculty of Forestry, Hue University of Agriculture and Forestry, Hue City Vietnam Tel. 84-54529137 Fax. 84-54538454
Email: hoanghdt@hueuni.edu.vn
Thesis: Restoration degraded natural forest in the central region of Vietnam



24. Mr. Bui Xuan Tin
Address: 30 Nguyen Cong Tru Street Hue City Vietnam
Email: knhdhnltdng.vnn.vn
Thesis: [Response of Mungbean to Phosphorous on Yellow-Red Soil in Hilly Zone of Thua Thien Hue Province, Vietnam](#)



25. Mrs. Nguyen Thi Kinh
Address: Hue City, Vietnam
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Thesis: [xxx](#)

26. Mrs. Bui Thi Tam
Address: Faculty of Economics, Hue Agricultural University, 100 Phung Hung Street Hue City, Vietnam
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Thesis: [The Performance of Rice Marketing Systems in Northern Vietnam](#)

Current information about HU

Semester	First semester: September – January Second semester: February – June School break in July-August
Students	2005 Undergraduate about 3,000 full-time (0700-1700) and 2,500 in-service (part-time). M.Sc. = 65 Ph.D. = 15
Academic System	Four years for Bachelor. During the first year and the first semester of the second year or first three semesters, students complete similar basic core courses total of 90 units (credits). The second semester of the first year and the third year and the first semester of the fourth year, students complete their 120 units of their major. The last semester of the fourth year, student carry out the field exercises, field works with either private or public organizations. The students are required to write a thesis for his/her field work.
Admission	No information
Staff	Total number: 293 in which <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Lecturers: 186• Associate professors: 6• Ph.D.: 26• M.Sc.: 97• Senior lecturers: 66
Faculty	Currently, HU or Hue University organized in seven Faculties; namely, Agriculture and Forestry (Nam and Lom), Art, Economics, Foreign Languages, and Pedagogy (Education), Medicine, and Sciences. The College of Agriculture and Forestry (formerly Agricultural University No. II in Ha Bac) or HUAF was established on August 14 th 1967. During the period 1967 - 1983, it was located in Viet Yen district, Ha Bac province. On August 5 th 1983, the Chairman of the Council of Ministers (now the Prime Minister) made the decision No.213/CP of joining Agricultural University No.II in Ha Bac with Hue Agriculture College into Hue Agriculture University No.II. On April 4 th 1994, the Prime Minister issued the Decree No.30/CP on establishing Hue University. Hue Agriculture College No.II was renamed Hue College of Agriculture and Forestry and became one unit of Hue University.

Curriculum Agriculture in a four year system:
1st year Basic sciences
2nd year Basic sciences and specific field of study
3rd year Specific field of study
4th year Field work

- In conclusion: MCC will
 - Support 10 Vietnamese under the Upland Forum to participate in March 2006 planning workshop in Chiang Mai.
 - Staff needs skill in curriculum development, especially to trim down their current 210 units for undergraduate degree.

14:00 Visited the Center for Agriculture Research and Development (CARD), directed by Dr. Le An. We met some 12 staff on CARD. We discussed about current CARD activities on Upland Forum, in which five Universities are participating under the financial support from the Rockefeller Foundation.

We also presented our intention on Planning Workshop in Chiang Mai in March 2006. We agreed to have CARD identify potential participants from their Upland Forum.



17:00 Back to the Morin Hotel.

December 14, 2005

Time	Activities
09:00	Continued discussion with MCC and CMU's Alumni on HUAF Rector's Office on further collaboration both teaching and research related to upland agriculture.

December 15, 2005

Time	Activity
08:30	Depart Phu Bai airport for Ho Chi Minh international airport, Bangkok and Chiang Mai. A long, long trip.

NOTE: Best time to visit Hue is March-June, according to rainfall statistics.

End of Trip Report 2