ASEAN Veterinary Student Activity on One Health

The ASEAN Veterinary Student Volunteer Project (AVVP)







Faculty of Veterinary Medicine, Kasetsart University in collaboration with The Charoen Pokphand Foods PCL, Thailand

Preamble

- The internationalization policy
- The collaboration between government and private sectors
- The commencement of AEC in 2015
- The lack of understanding of Veterinary Education and Profession among ASEAN Staffs and Students



Objectives

- To promote a better understanding in veterinary profession and practices among ASEAN member countries and beyond
- To foster the sense of public mind
- To propagate friendship and networking





Participants



Participants (65-85)

- Year 4-6 veterinary students from ASEAN partner institutions and some selected international partner institutions (25)
- Year 4-6 veterinary students from Thai veterinary faculties (5)
- Year 4-6 KU veterinary students (20)
- KU veterinary teaching staffs and teaching staffs from cohosting institution (15)
- Additional veterinary students from co-hosting institution during activity program in co-hosting institution country (15-20)

Project Activities

- Overview relevant scientific information
- Harmonize veterinary practical skills
- Volunteer activities and community seminar
- Community research and presentation
- Cultural experiences



Student Country Presentation

Challenging issues facing veterinary education and profession



Overview relevant scientific information



Harmonize veterinary practical skills



Charoen Pokphand Foods PCL. Food Animal Production-Corporate Scale



Volunteer Work at Animal Shelter



Volunteer Work with Rural Livestock Production



Owl House Installation

A model of natural predator as rodent control



Tree Planting Community Forest



Community Seminar











Some of the topics presented...

- Human and wild animal conflicts (elephants, monkeys...)
- Knowledge, attitudes and practices toward Rabies from people in different settings (urban vs rural, Thailand vs Cambodia)
- Rabies Management in dogs and humans from villagers' perspective
- Challenges and issues regarding rural livestock production
- Impact of tourism on people in community
- Effect of backyard pig rearing on community health
- Dairy production in Moc Chau, Vietnam
- Prevalence of intestinal parasite of cattle
- Health status of cats in shelter
- etc...

Cultural Experiences





AVVP in Partner Institutions







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The AVVP...beyond volunteer work...





School Lunch Project (Laying Hens)











Donation of laying hens and housing for school lunch project at rural elementary school (AVVP 2015)





School and sport supplies for Tai and Mong community school, Vietnam



Expected Outputs

- Better understanding of veterinary education and profession in participants' countries
- 'Learning by doing' on the application of 'One Health' approach for community services
- Enhance team working skills among participants
- Encouraging veterinary students to seek further education and career in ASEAN countries
- Lasting friendship and networks among participants

The AVVP...an on-going excitement...





AVVP Project...the next chapter...

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