

Falling Walls Conference 2016 - the International Conference on Future Breakthroughs in Science and Society (2016/11/8-10)

Theme: Falling Walls, Future Breakthroughs in Science and Society

Location: Berlin, Germany

On November 8, 2016, Asst. Prof. Natt Leelawat of the International Research Institute of Disaster Science (IRIDeS), Ms. Maryam Hosseini (doctoral student of School of Engineering, Tohoku University), and Mr. Delta Putra (undergraduate student of School of Agriculture, Tohoku University) were selected to be the representatives of the Falling Walls Lab Sendai to present their researches at the Falling Walls Lab 2016, a part of the International Conference on Future Breakthroughs in Science and Society (Falling Walls Conference) 2016, together with other 97 representatives from the Falling Walls Labs around the world, at Akademie der Künste, Berlin, Germany. Asst. Prof. Natt Leelawat presented his research on the topic of "Breaking the Wall of Tsunami Evacuation".

On November 9, three of them participated the main conference at Jewish Museum Berlin. On November 10, they joined the Deutsche Forschungsgemeinschaft (DFG: German Research Foundation) excursion tour for international lab winners to explore the German science landscape at the Technology Park Adlershof. During the excursion tour, Asst. Prof. Natt Leelawat visited the Leibniz-Institut für Analytische Wissenschaften (ISAS) and the School of Analytical Sciences Adlershof (SALSA). They concentrate on the advancing analytic research using advanced technologies and devices.

The Falling Walls Lab is one of the great venues for young researchers around the world to learn new innovative ideas, make fruitful research connections, as well as explore international studies from various disciplinary. They provided brain dates activities which the participants can talk with others about their research, experience, or skill.



Asst. Prof. Natt Leelawat, Ms. Maryam Hosseini, and Mr. Delta Putra (from left to right); 3 winners from the Falling Walls Lab Sendai



Asst. Prof. Natt Leelawat was interviewed about his research by the Editor-in-Chief of Sciences et Avenir, France