

Thailand's NECTEC Executives visited IRIDeS (2016/11/17)

Theme : Smart machine linking with the natural disasters

Location: IRIDeS

On November 17, 2016, Dr. Kanokvate Tungpimolrut (Deputy Executive Director of the National Electronics and Computer Technology Center (NECTEC), National Science and Technology Development Agency (NSTDA), Thailand), together with Dr. Kittipong Ekkachai (Head of Smart Machine and Mixed Reality Laboratory, Advanced Automation and Electronics Research Unit, NECTEC), and Dr. Wutthiphat Covanich (Senior researcher of Smart Machine and Mixed Reality Laboratory, NECTEC) visited the International Research Institute of Disaster Science (IRIDeS). The visit was coordinated by Researcher Dr. Panon Latcharote of IRIDeS and Mr. Cherdsak Kingkan (Doctoral student of Graduate School of Information Sciences, Tohoku University).

The purposes of their visit are to collect the information in the area of smart machine linking with natural disasters, such as data collecting system, warning system, and emergency response; and to create a connection for further collaborations. During their visit, Prof. Fumihiko Imamura (Director of IRIDeS) gave a warm greeting and had a meeting with the visitors. Asst. Prof. Natt Leelawat of IRIDeS introduced the IRIDeS and provided a tour of IRIDeS for them.

Dr. Kanokvate Tungpimolrut and his colleagues are interested in IRIDeS research, especially ICT-related works such as UAV use for disaster management, disaster simulation, etc. As a result, this visit can be an initial phase to create some collaboration research between IRIDeS and NECTEC in the future.



NECTEC Executives met IRIDeS Director
Prof. Fumihiko Imamura



(From left to right) Dr. Wutthiphat Covanich (NECTEC), Dr. Kittipong Ekkachai (NECTEC), Dr. Kanokvate Tungpimolrut (NECTEC), Prof. Fumihiko Imamura, and Asst. Prof. Natt Leelawat

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