

# Briefing Programme for Institutional Links 2019/20

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Date: Wednesday 5 February 2020

Time: 14.00 – 16.00 hrs

Venue: Classroom 8, British Council (Siam Square)

13.45 – 14.00 hrs.      **Registration**

14.00 – 14.10 hrs.      **Welcome remarks**

14.10 – 14.25 hrs.      **About the Newton Fund**

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14.25 – 15.20 hrs.      **Guidelines for Institutional Links**

*British Council and Office of the Permanent Secretary, Ministry of Higher Education, Science, Research and Innovation*

- Project timeline
- Branding and communications
- Reporting & Monitoring
- Finance and contracts
- Q&A

15.20 – 16.00 hrs.      **Briefing on your research project**

*IL-OPS 2019/20 Grantees*

*The impact of Thai urban and rural ambient air derived particulate matter on inflammatory responses and the potential therapeutic benefits of supplements*

Prof. Tanapat Palaga, Chulalongkorn University

*Understanding the rhizosphere microbiome for sustainable crop production in the Lower Mekong Basin; unravelling the paddy fields of the northeast, Thailand*

Asst. Dr. Cherdchai Phosri, Nakhon Phanom University

**An AI enabled digital diagnosis, empowerment and participatory platform for HFMD surveillance**

Dr. Chonlameth Arpnikanondt, King Mongkut's University of Technology Thonburi

**Holistic biomass valorisation via biobased chemicals production**

Dr. Pakawadee Kaewkannetra, Khon Kaen University