

Research Center for World Buddhist Cultures, Ryukoku University

**International Special Seminar**

**Development Monks in Thailand: Past, Today and Future**

Date and Time : March 6th (Tue) 13:30~17:30

Venue: 2F Meeting Room, Seiko Building, Omiya Campus, Ryukoku University

13:30~14:00 Opening Remarks: HAYASHI, Yukio (Faculty of Letters, Ryukoku University)

14:00~16:00 Presentations

**Roles of Development Monks in Thai Society (in English)**

Dr. Pinit Laphthananon (Chulalongkorn University Social Research Institute)

**Development Monks in the Past: Phrakhru Phiphitprachanat (in Thai)**

Mr. Seri Uppatham (Phiphitprachanat Foundation, Surin Province, Thailand)

Question-and-Answer session

16:00~16:15 Break

16:15~17:30 General Discussion Facilitator: HAYASHI, Yukio

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