

## Academic Cooperation

### Internship at Fern University in Hagen, Germany



Picture: from l-r ; Mr. Pongsarun Boonyopakorn (1<sup>st</sup>) a bi-national Ph.D student from Faculty of Information Technology, KMUTNB and Prof. Dr.-Ing. habil. Herwig Unger (2<sup>nd</sup>), a co-supervisor and a project manager.

of Faculty of Information Technology, King Mongkut's University of Technology North Bangkok (KMUTNB) nominated the project to DAAD "Applied for Support to Introduce Distance Learning within the Education of IT Faculty". The project has been accepted from DAAD and was implemented during in 2015 to 2016.

Mr. Pongsarun Boonyopakorn is nominated to join a binational PhD programme and get finance support from the project.

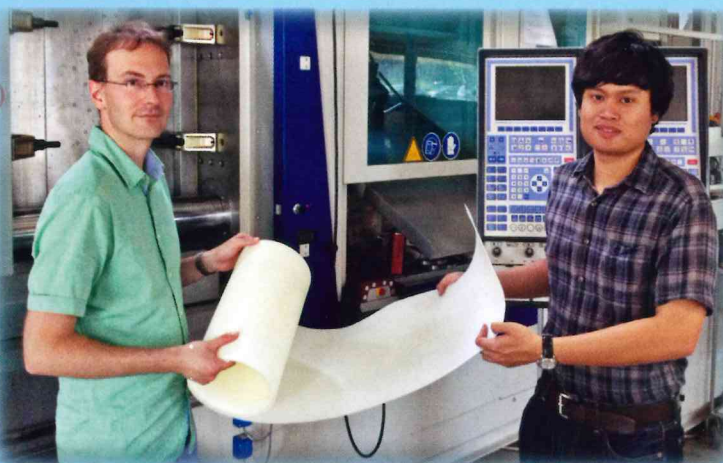
Since 2007, KMUTNB and Fern University in Hagen, Germany signed MoU and continually collaborate in the area of computer science and modern information technologies. Prof. Dr.-Ing. habil. Herwig Unger, an active Professor from Faculty of Mathematics and Computer Science, Fern University in Hagen have continually developed the cooperation with the faculty of Information Technology, KMUTNB. Each year, two institutes have conducted their academic activities as visiting lecturer, join research, seminars, internship, summer school, etc.

In 2014, Prof. Dr.-Ing. habil. Herwig Unger, and Assoc. Prof. Dr. Phayung Meesad, Dean

### Internship at TU-Chemnitz, Germany

From March to September 2015, Mr. Nalin Loypecth, a TGGs's student participated Internship Program for Master thesis at TU-Chemnitz, Department of Lightweight Structure and Polymer Technology, Germany. His research was on "Investigation of the Process-Structure-Property Relationships of Sandwich Structures Made by Injection Molding Using Chemically Blown Cores and Short Fiber Reinforced Top Layers"

His supervisors were Prof. Dr.-Ing. habil. Lothar Kroll, CEO of the Cluster of Excellence MERGE, Dr.-Ing Jürgen Tröltzsch, Coordinator of the Cluster of Excellence MERGE and Assoc. Prof. Dr.-Ing. Suchart Siengchin, TGGs Lecturer.



Picture: from l-r; Dr.-Ing Jürgen Tröltzsch (1<sup>st</sup>), a co-supervisor and Mr. Nalin Loypecth (2<sup>nd</sup>), a master student of TGGs/KMUTNB.

### Inter-Culture 2015



From 13<sup>th</sup> to 15<sup>th</sup> August 2015, International Cooperation Centre (ICC) of KMUTNB organized the Inter-Culture 2015 which was attended by 45 international students. It is annual activity to orientate new incoming international students of KMUTNB to help them to adjust to life in Thailand and at KMUTNB.

A two-night/three-day program is specifically designed by the first day at Bangkok campus was informative sessions on topics such as campus life, university's regulation, and Thai classroom culture. On second and third day they went to KMUTNB Prachinburi Campus, to participate social activities with a group of local students which they made new friends.