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From Daniel Sherrard:

Friends,

I wanted to let everyone know that Jose Zaglul and Richard Taylor will be present at the Second Conference of the Global Consortium of Higher Education and Research for Agriculture that will be taking place in San Francisco from the 11-14th of July. As a member of the Consortium, I was going to participate in the meeting and had requested that the organizers provide the opportunity to present the Sustainability, Education and Management of Change in the Tropics project in the conference. I was provided an opportunity to present a poster session and prepared a poster. Due to commitments here on campus, I decided not to attend and Richard very kindly accepted the responsibility to travel to California, participate in the conference and present the poster. I suspect that some of our colleagues from the project will also be in attendance and I wish everyone the best during the conference.

Daniel Sherrard

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Dear Meg:

How are you doing? Sorry I have been out of contact for a while, but I have been very busy with our strategic planning process and some other things.

I think that this is a very good profile of our situation. As you said in your note, we really need to prioritize. Also I am a little concerned that we have too much representation academic, from traditional universities and not enough from others; private, etc.

Another thing, I seem to recall that in one or more of our meetings in Norway, the view was expressed that we need to include India (other?) in our considerations, even before China and others. I think that this was in an Executive Committee meeting, but I'm not a hundred percent sure. How do we handle this?

How do we spur people on about the invitation list. Remember, this list was just a first draft. We did not finalize this or approve it 100%, if I recall correctly. How do we do this? Any ideas. I am just writing this to you because I think that we (Salzburg and EARTH) need to be together on our strategy to get this moving to make sure we are headed in the directions that we as a project want.

I will not be in the meeting in Washington, as Jose is going to go. If there is anything that needs to be ironed out, we could talk by phone.

How are things going for the meeting and seminar in Indonesia? Is Aman supposedly organizing this, as Ruben U. did in Thailand or is he expecting our help? Have you had any contact with him?

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Meg + Jim

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Julita

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copy to  
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2 Aug  
+ Jim.

27/8/01

All my best,

Jim

-----Original Message-----

From: Meg Harris [mailto:mharris@salzburgseminar.org]

Sent: Martes, 21 de Agosto de 2001 09:11 a.m.

To: EARTHAsia

Subject: FW: Recruitment template and charts for Thailand session

Just wanted to correct a typo -- the two Ruben's seem to confuse even me!!  
-- it was Ruben V. (Villareal) who sent in several of the needed e-mail addresses. Thanks Ruben.

I hope to hear from all of you soon.

Best,

Meg

> -----Original Message-----

> From: Meg Harris

> Sent: Monday, August 20, 2001 3:33 PM

> To: Asia Regional Advisory Team (E-mail)

> Subject: Recruitment template and charts for Thailand session

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> Dear all,

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> Please find attached a recruitment template for the Thailand session.

> This is a tool that is frequently used by our program directors in

> Salzburg. I found it to be a very useful exercise; it allowed me to

> simplify how I think we need to go about our recruiting efforts.

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> I would like to ask each of you to look carefully at the assumptions I

> have made, particularly with regard to the percentages allocated to each

> country and sector. These allocations are based upon our previous

> discussions, but I would like to know whether you agree with these numbers

> or not. If not, why not?

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> Please also let me know if you detect any errors in people's names,

> organizations, sector representation, etc. I am sure there are a few!

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> I also need your help in prioritizing our academic and international

> organization invitees as well as our invitees from Thailand and the

> Philippines; we need more suggestions for invitees from the NGO sector and

> from the countries of Cambodia, Laos, Myanmar, Brunei, and Singapore.

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> Please note that I still need to receive contact information for many of

> these people (I have indicated who is responsible for getting me this

> information in the first table). Thank you Ruben U. for sending in many  
> of yours. In my further thinking on this, I do think that we will need  
> full addresses and not just e-mail and fax contact information for our  
> invitees. The Salzburg Seminar traditionally both e-mails as well as  
> mails a hard copy of the session invite. This not only makes the invite  
> more formal but also acts as a reminder to the e-mail and also serves as  
> the letter of invitation for visa purposes, if needed.

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> Our goal was to try and get a first round of invitations out in September  
> (i.e. in a couple of weeks). I do think this is still possible, but do  
> need the necessary contact information in order to proceed.

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> Thanks as always for your continued assistance and advice.

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> Best regards,

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> Meg

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Hola Ruben:

Glad to hear that you remain active and traveling. Do you ever stay home? Your comments were very good. I will ask Wendy Judy about why it says that the site for Asia is not defined yet. We have clearly defined it and announced it publicly that it will take place in Maejo University. I'm sure its just a minor misunderstanding.

I look forward to seeing you in Washington. Meg and I talked about having a mini-EARTH ASIA meeting to discuss the up-coming seminars in Indonesia and the big one in Thailand. We can talk about the lists again, and maybe make a final decision based on all the proposals up to that time. We should also look over the changes to the proposed program that we made in Norway and see if we can get that solidified and then see who will be taking leadership in each area. Meg suggested that we might consider including Aman in as part of a conference call.

Meg, maybe we should see about having this meeting at Randy's offices so that we could use a conference phone. Can you look into this or should I ask Wendy to?

Ruben, great to hear from you,

Jim

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MEG HARRIS

SALZBURG SEMINAR

Dear Meg,

Greetings from SUT !!

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Dear Ruben:

November will work fine for us. I will lock in the dates that Ruben Villareal suggested, the 12-16 of November, if you are in agreement. We can talk more about this in Oslo.

Looks like you have been very busy. Congratulations on the medal in recognition of your contributions to the educational development in Vietnam. I'm sure that it is very well deserved.

Sorry you can't make the preconference trip, as it will be very much fun, but duty calls. Looking forward to seeing you soon.

Jim

-----Original Message-----

From: CIA Public Relations [mailto:cenintaf@ccs.sut.ac.th]

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*Handwritten signature and date:*  
22/05/01  
RV

Dear Jim,

Thank you for your letter to the two Rubens. I got it after my Vietnam mission. I just got back to the office today. We had a THAI\_VN Education Fair and I had to give a paper on Cooperative Education in Agrobusiness and Agroindustry. It was similar to the paper presented by Dr. Pornchan during our seminar. I do not know if Meg shared the news with you that the Vietnamese government gave me a medal of honor in recognition for my ten years of promoting higher education in Vietnam through international cooperation and linkages. The ceremony coincided with the Fair.

I just had a phone chat with Dr. Nippon and they are trying to make a short version of the VDO and I hope to have it in time for the Oslo meeting. Unfortunately, I had to cancel my participation in the pre-meeting because of some work here and in the Philippines. I will however join the meeting proper and will therefore arrive on the 4th..

Thank you for your kind invitation to visit EARTH. August is also not a good month for me as I will be again in Vietnam for almost a month as part of the faculty exchange between Vietnam and Thailand. I will be working with Thai Nguyen University in the establishment of their School of Environmental Management. I will also have to spend some time with the Hanoi Agriculture University to follow up the project on Agrofood Industry between our two universities. Ruben V suggested November and if that is okay with you, it will also be a better month for me.

May I ask you a kind favor of following up with Wendy the reimbursements for my Chang Mai expenses. It will be nice to have some extra pocket money for the Oslo trip.

Looking forward to our meeting in Oslo and in Bogor in June. I am pleased that Aman has taken the assignment of the venue of the October in Chang Mai without any difficulties.

Sincerely,  
Prof.Dr.Ruben C.Umaly  
Director, CIA