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We are working to help achieve Sustainable Development Goals (SDGs) through our research, outreach and teaching work.

STRONG ACHIEVEMENTS
in sustainability teaching and research

STRONG GENDER LEADERSHIP
in sustainable development in both teaching and research and in the fields across scales

STRONG COMMITMENT
to protection, conservation, and management of natural resources

WORLD-CLASS FACULTIES
in sustainability from all four pillars

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- Development Planning Management and Innovation
- Disaster Preparedness Mitigation and Management
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- Natural Resources Management
- Society and Environmental Governance
- Urban Innovation and Sustainability
- Environment and Sustainable Development
- Environmental and Social Sustainability Assessment and Management
- Urban Sustainability Planning and Design
- Social Business and Entrepreneurship

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Dr. Supattra Yamsrual (Thai, DDS Alumni)
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