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13.3 Environmental Education Measures

13.3.5 University Collaboration with NGOs on Climate Adaptation

In 2025, Thaksin University collaborated with civil society organizations through flood response forums and the development of proposals for community-based disaster management. These collaborations support preparedness and reduced vulnerability to hazards associated with global warming and climate change.

Collaboration through the Southern People's Assembly

Thaksin University co-hosted the Southern People's Assembly forum, "The Southern Thailand Flood Crisis: Time to Break the Cycle", on 8 December 2025 at Thaksin University in Khao Rup Chang Subdistrict, Mueang District, Songkhla Province. The forum provided a platform to exchange lessons and experiences from the flood crisis in southern Thailand and discuss mechanisms, policy proposals, measures, strategies and action plans for managing health and well-being amid overlapping crises. The National Health Commission Office, universities, NGO and partner networks collaborated to translate these discussions into practice, including through a community development curriculum for crisis preparedness at Thaksin University.

Mr. Maitree Jongkraijak, Manager of the Chumchonthai Foundation (NGO), participated in the forum and proposed approaches to community preparedness before, during and after disasters. The documented collaboration took the form of a joint forum and partnership network.



Source: https://www.nationalhealth.or.th/NHCO/202

Joint Proposals for Adaptation through a Public Policy Forum

On 13 December 2025, Thaksin University and its partners co-hosted a Policy Forum involving the Chumchonthai Foundation (NGO), the Nakhon Si Thammarat Natural Disaster Management Network (NCO), and the Zendai Foundation, Hat Yai (NGO). Discussions covered community early warning systems, evacuation, databases and support for volunteers. These issues are relevant to strengthening capacity to respond to future floods.



Source: https://policywatch.thaipbs.or.th/article/environment-156

NGO and Civil Society Partners

Partner	Organization Type and Role
Chumchonthai Foundation	A civil society foundation that contributed proposals on community preparedness and disaster policy development.
Nakhon Si Thammarat Natural Disaster Management Network	A community-based disaster management network that participated in the Policy Watch forum.
Zendai Foundation, Hat Yai	A civil society foundation whose representative proposed approaches to organizing and supporting rescue volunteers at the same forum.