

Dr. Chingchai Lohawatanakul

Award for Lifetime Achievement in Sustainable Production of Farmed Seafood

Criteria

- Integrity
- Leadership
- Long-term commitment to efficient, sustainable production
- Enduring achievements that significantly advanced the sector



Dr. Lin's Career

- 1964:
 - Bachelor of Science, National Taiwan University
- 1964-1984:
 - Began working on CP Group's animal feed business.
 - Introduced laboratory analysis for quality control and nutritional testing to improve formulations
- 1984-1988:
 - CEO of CP's feed operations in Taiwan,
 - Witnessed rapid growth of shrimp farming and recognized its potential for Thailand

Dr. Lin's Career

- 1989-1994:
 - Returned to Thailand to start CP shrimp business.
 - Exciting period when farmers would come to CP meetings with the title to their land, and CP would help them design their ponds, and train them to operate.
- 1994:
 - White spot virus hit Thailand









Achievements

- Architect of world's largest and most advanced shrimp farming company
- Integrated, consolidated, and multi-species
 - Breeding, hatchery, farm, feed, processing, marketing
 - Strong presence throughout China and SE Asia
 - Multi-species

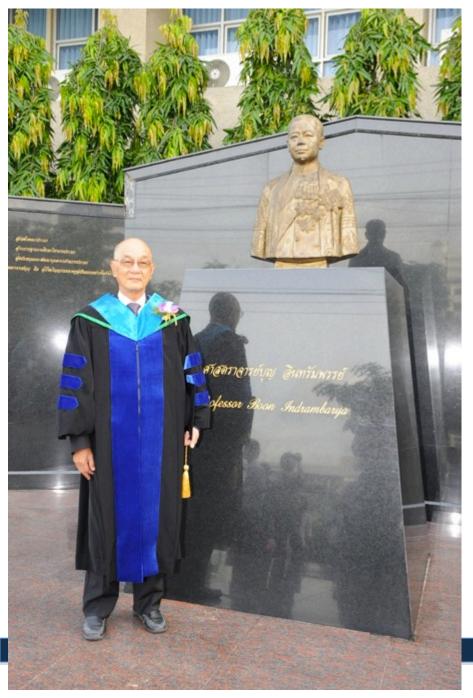


Commitment to Education and Sustainability

- CP Shrimp Farming Research Center,
 Training Center, Technical Service Teams,
 Newsletters, Scientific Journal.
- Established *Rural Development Foundation* on the King's 60th birthday to help improve quality of life for Thai farmers and rural communities.
- BAP 4-star certified facilities







Honors and Awards

- 1994: Maejo University Doctorate Degree in Fisheries.
- 1995: Prince Songkhla University Honorary Doctorate Degree in Aquaculture.
- 2008: Kasetsart University Honorary Doctorate in Aquaculture.





Summary

• Dr. Lin recognized the opportunity of aquaculture, applied sound science, trained poor farmers, and built a broad, multi-species, integrated, and sustainable business throughout Asia





Thank You!

