

Biography

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Assistant Professor Wachiraporn Klungthanaboon, PhD is a faculty member at Department of Library Science, Faculty of Arts, Chulalongkorn University. Currently, Dr. Klungthanaboon serves as Head of the Department and Chair of Master's Program in Data and Information Curation at Chulalongkorn University. She was recently elected to the 2023-2027 standards committee on Education and Training for the International Federation of Library Associations and Institutions (IFLA)

Dr. Klungthanaboon graduated with a B.A. in Information Studies with second class honors and an M.A. in Library and Information Science from Chulalongkorn University, after which she was awarded an Erasmus Mundus Scholarship to study for an International Master's in Digital Library Learning in Norway, Estonia, and Italy. During her studies, she received opportunities to meet scholars and practitioners in digital preservation, photographic collection management, and audiovisual materials. This inspired her to pursue her study and research in this area, and she subsequently earned her PhD in Information Studies from University of Glasgow in Scotland on a scholarship from Thailand's Office of Higher Education Commission (OHEC).

She has been teaching courses in information services, digitization, digital curation, and trusted digital repositories for both undergraduate and graduate students. Her research interests include open access, digitization, digital curation, trusted digital repositories, and scholarly communication.