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Maejo venture with Germany's GTZ will help farmers grow longan out of season

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Maejo University has signed a contract with German organization GTZ Institute to establish a modern longan orchard management service.

The contract was signed on December 6 by Asst Prof Phawin Manochai, deputy dean of research and academic information service at the Faculty of Agricultural Production, and GTZ's James Tomecko. Witnessing the signing were Assoc Prof Thep Pongpanit, president of Maejo University and Asst Prof Dr Phisut Niamsapt, dean of the Faculty of Agricultural Production.

Longan orchard management services is a part of the university that acts as a medium for groups of retail agriculturists who are interested in longan development. There will be longan experts advising on how to plan non-seasonal planting, orchard management, orchard tree shape control, soil and fertilizer management, and water management.

The project is receiving participation from Chiang

Asst Prof Phawin Manochai, deputy dean of research and academic information service department of Faculty of Agriculture Production, Maejo University (2nd right) signed a cooperation contract with GTZ from Germany by James Tomecko (2nd left) witnessed by Assoc Prof Thep Pongpanit, the president of Maejo University (first left) and Asst Prof Dr Phisut Niamsapt, the dean of Faculty of Agriculture Production (first right).

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GTZ Institute is a German government organization that has helped many countries with various development projects, and a specific aim of this venture is to help Thai agriculturists

develop non-seasonal longan.

More information about longan orchard management service is available from Asst Prof Phawin Manochai 0 191 5907 and Maejo University public relations department 0 5387 3046-7.

