



### Schedule

The 12<sup>th</sup> Project Seminar of Buddhist Delegates for the Development and Propagation of  
Buddhism in the Mekong Region, Asia and International, Academic Year 2026  
13 – 19, January 2026

Venue: Mahamakut Buddhist University Isan Campus  
Wat Makut Wimuttikhiri Temple (Phu Khat), Wiang Kao District, Khon Kaen

#### Tuesday, January 13, 2026 (MBU, Isan Campus)

Time	Activity
04:00 - 11:30 hrs.	Arrival of Mekong, Asian, and International Propagators
11:30 - 12:30 hrs.	Luncheon
13:30 - 16:00 hrs.	- Register and assemble in the Seminar room, pay respects to the Buddha - Meet and greet - Visit the exhibition of Mekong, Asian, and International Buddhist Propagators
16:00 - 17:00 hrs.	Free time
17:00 - 18:00 hrs.	Refreshments for monks/Dinner for lay people
18.00 – 20.00 hrs.	- Greetings and Project Details Clarification by <b>Most Venerable Phrasutheevajiradhamma</b> , Asst. Prof. Dr., Vice Rector/ <b>Venerable Phrabuddhivajiramedhi</b> , Asst. Prof. Dr. and the Office of International Relations - Discussion on “DIPLOMA IN MEDITATION PRACTICE INTERNATIONAL SHORT COURSE (Non- Degree)” by <b>Venerable Phrakhrū Vinayadhara Suthiro</b> and <b>Representative from MBU ISC</b>
20:30 hrs.	Rest at leisure

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#### Wednesday, January 14, 2026 (MBU, Isan Campus)

Time	Activity
08:30 - 09:30 hrs.	Registration
09:30 - 10:30 hrs.	Opening Ceremony - <b>Venerable Phrapromwachiradilok</b> (Saman Sumedho, Pali. 9), Advisor to the Sangha Governor of Region 9 (Dhamma Yuttika Nikaya), Chairman of the Ceremony, lights incense and candles and leads the paying of homage to the Triple Gem - <b>Venerable Phrasutheevajiradhamma</b> , Asst. Prof. Dr., Vice President, pays respects - <b>Venerable Phrabuddhivajiramedhi</b> , Asst. Prof. Dr., Director of the Academic Services Center, MBU Isan, pays respects

- Representative of the Mekong, Asian, and International Propagators pays respects
- **Venerable Phrasutheevajiradhamma**, Asst. Prof. Dr., Vice President, gives the project report
- The Chairman of the Ceremony officially opens the project and gives an address
- 10:30 - 11:00 hrs. - **Venerable Phrathamwacirasarasuthi**, Advisor to the Sangha Governor of Region 9 (Dhamma Yuttika Nikaya), welcomes the Mekong, Asian, and International Propagators
- **Venerable Phrakhru Vinayadhara Suthiro**, Abbot of Wat Makut Wimuttikhiri, welcomes and introduces the Mekong, Asian, and International Propagators
- Director of the Khon Kaen Provincial Office of Buddhism welcome speech
- Video presentation of the University
- 11:00 - 11:30 hrs. - Cultural performances from the Mekong and Asian regions under the theme "**Preserving the Culture of the Mekong, Asian, and International Regions**"
- **Venerable Phrapromwachiradilok** and **Venerable Phrathamwacirasarasuthi** present offerings and souvenirs to the Buddhist propagators and take a group photo
- 11:30 - 12:30 hrs. Luncheon
- 13:00 - 16:30 hrs. - Propagators present research/academic articles on Buddhism and Buddhist propagation facilitated by 6 experts (divided into 2 rooms)
- Visit the exhibition of Mekong and Asian Buddhist Propagators
- 16:30 - 18:00 hrs. Refreshments for monks/Dinner for lay people
- 19:00 - 20:30 hrs. Propagators summarize the presentation of research/academic articles
- 20:30 hrs. Rest at leisure

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#### Thursday, January 15, 2026 (Wat Makut Wimuttikhiri, Wiang Kao District)

Time	Activity
07:00 - 08:30 hrs.	Breakfast
08:30 - 09:00 hrs.	Propagators and faculty depart together for Wat Makut Wimuttikhiri (Phu Khat)
09:00 - 11:00 hrs.	Assemble at Sekkhasala, pay respects to the Abbot, and listen to an address on meditation practice in the forest
11:00 - 12:30 hrs.	Luncheon
12:30 - 14:00 hrs.	Propagators set up their tents/shelters in the designated areas and practice meditation at leisure
14:00 - 15:00 hrs.	Special talk on "Meditation Practice according to the Satipatthana Method and Guided Practice" by <b>Venerable Phrakhru Vinayadhara Suthiro</b>
15:00 - 16:30 hrs.	Special talk on "Meditation Training and Mental Development" by <b>Representative from Sri Lanka, India, and Taiwan</b>
17:00 - 18:00 hrs.	Refreshments for monks/Dinner for lay people

- 18:00 - 19:30 hrs. - Propagators assemble at the Dhamma Lawn, pay respects to  
**Venerable Phradhammavajirachindaborn**, Assoc. Prof. Dr., President of MBU
- Project report by **Venerable Phrabuddhivajiramedhi**, Asst. Prof. Dr.
- **Venerable Phradhammavajirachindaborn**, Assoc. Prof. Dr., gives an address on the Dhamma and a welcoming speech to the Propagators
- 19:30 - 20:00 hrs. **Venerable Phradhammavajirachindaborn**, Assoc. Prof. Dr., leads the chanting of prayers for the merit of His Majesty King Vajiralongkorn (Rama X) and meditation practice
- 20:00 - 21:30 hrs. Special talk on "Meditation Training and Mental Development"  
 by **Representative from Vietnam, Malaysia, Myanmar and Venerable Phrakhru Vinayadhara Suthiro**
- 21:30 hrs. Dhamma practice and rest at leisure

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**Friday, January 16, 2026 (Wat Makut Wimuttikhiri - Phu Wiang National Park - Wiang Kao District)**

Time	Activity
07:00 - 08:30 hrs.	- Alms around the village - Pay respects to the Buddha, chant / Breakfast
08:30 - 09:00 hrs.	Depart for meditation training and mental development at the Dhamma Lawn Thung Yai Sao Aram, Phu Wiang National Park
09:00 - 11:00 hrs.	Special talk on "Meditation Training and Mental Development" by <b>Representative from Thailand, Bhutan, and BMS UK</b>
11:00 - 12:30 hrs.	Luncheon
12:30 - 16:30 hrs.	Group Discussion on " <b>The Four Foundations of mindfulness for world peace</b> " <b>Group 1: Thailand, Myanmar, Bhutan;</b> coordinators: Phramaha Sombat Khunesko, Dr., Phra Natthachok Suwajo, Representative of <b>BMS UK</b> , and Mr. Yukesh Shakya <b>Group 2: Sri Lanka, Vietnam, Laos, Tibet;</b> coordinators: Phrabuddhivajiramedhi, Asst. Prof. Dr., Asst. Prof. Chalermkiat Mina, Representative of <b>BMS UK</b> , and Dr. Khwanjai Kaewsaeng <b>Group 3: Vietnam, India, Malaysia;</b> coordinators: Phramaha Wirut Wirochano, Asst. Prof. Dr., Phrakhru Palad Thawee Abhayo, Asst. Prof. Dr., and Representative of <b>BMS UK</b> <b>Group 4: Indonesia, Sri Lanka, Taiwan;</b> coordinators: Phrakruwuddhidhammasara, Asst. Prof. Dr., Phramaha Satcharak Palako, Dr. Representative of <b>BMS UK</b> , and Mr. Wuttichai Yaopho
16:30 - 18:30 hrs.	Refreshments for monks/Dinner for lay people
19:00 - 20:00 hrs.	Special talk on "Meditation Practice according to the Satipatthana Method and Guided Practice" by <b>Venerable Phrakhru Vinayadhara Suthiro</b>
20:00 - 21:00 hrs.	Special talk on "Meditation Training and Mental Development" by <b>Representative from Tibet, Indonesia, and Lao</b>
21:00 hrs.	Dhamma practice and rest at leisure

**Masters of Ceremony:** Mr. Yukesh Shakya / Mr. Wuttichai Yaopho

**Saturday, January 17, 2026 (Wat Makut Wimuttikhiri - Wat Pa Kittiyana - Isan Campus)**

Time	Activity
07:00 - 09:00 hrs.	Receive alms / Breakfast
09:00 - 11:00 hrs.	Summary of the 3-day, 2-night meditation training program: "Meditation and Life Development"
11:00 - 12:30 hrs.	Luncheon
12:30 - 15:30 hrs.	Depart for a study tour to the Dinosaur Museum and Wat Pa Kittiyana
15:30 - 17:30 hrs.	Travel back to MBU, Isan Campus, Khon Kaen
17:30 - 19:00 hrs.	Refreshments for monks/Dinner for lay people
19:00 hrs.	Pay respects to the Buddha, evening chanting, mental development (meditation), and rest at leisure

**Masters of Ceremony:** Phra Natthachok Suwajo / Mr. Yukesh Shakya / Mr. Wuttichai Yaopho

**Sunday, January 18, 2026 (MBU, Isan Campus)**

Time	Activity
07:00 - 08:30 hrs.	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- Receive alms at Wat Sri Chan Royal Monastery / Breakfast</li> <li>- Pay respects to <b>Venerable Phrathamwacirasarasuthi</b>, Advisor to the Sangha Governor of Region 9 (Dhamma Yuttika Nikaya)</li> </ul>
09:00 - 11:00 hrs.	Propagators visit and observe graduate-level teaching in various faculties at MBU, Isan Campus
11:00 - 12:30 hrs.	Luncheon
12:30 - 17:00 hrs.	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- Study tour to Wat Pa Saeng Arun</li> <li>- Special Lecture on "Meditation Studies" by <b>Venerable Phrapromwachiradilok</b></li> <li>- Study tour to Wat Thung Setthi and Wat Nong Waeng Royal Monastery</li> </ul>
17:00 - 19:00 hrs.	Refreshments for monks/Dinner for lay people
19:00 - 20:30 hrs.	Assemble in the Seminar Building conference room for the Closing Ceremony <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- Video presentation summarizing <b>the Mekong Propagator Development Project</b></li> <li>- <b>Venerable Phrabuddhivajiramedhi</b>, Asst. Prof. Dr., gives the report and introduces the recipients of the certificates</li> <li>- <b>Venerable Phrathamwacirasarasuthi</b>, Advisor to the Ecclesiastical Governor of Region 9 (Dhamma Yuttika Nikaya), presents the certificates</li> <li>- Gives an address, expresses appreciation (Anumodana), and officially closes the project</li> </ul>
20:30 hrs.	Rest at leisure

**Masters of Ceremony:** Asst. Prof. Dr. Thanakorn Choosukserm / Mr. Yukesh Shakya / Mr. Wuttichai Yaopho

**Monday, January 19, (2026)**

Time	Activity
07:00 - 08:30 hrs.	Breakfast and Registration
09:00 - 09:30 hrs.	Assemble at the conference room, pay respects to the Buddha, and Thanks message by the organizing team
09:30 - 20:00 hrs.	Propagators return to their respective countries

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