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Dr. John Clayton Emerging Technologies Centre Waikato Institute of Technology 41 Chesterman Rd, Hamilton, New Zealand

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Dear Dr. John Clayton:

I am writing to invite you to the 4th International Conference on Educational Reform (ICER 2011): Equity in Education as a keynote speaker from the 24^{th} - 25^{th} March 2011.

Faculty of Education, Mahasarakham University, has organized this important event to open a very special opportunity for face-to-face exchanges of views, ideas, and information on the state of educational reform. For this reason, the conference will have been formed with the purpose that it will be an event that covers the whole of education in an exciting social environment that extends our knowledge, improves on our practice, and widens our friendship networks. The conference takes place in Luang Prabang, Laos, PDR, one of the UNESCO world heritage sites.

We would like to ask you to prepare a keynote speech for an hour presentation. The subthemes of the conference are enclosed in this invitation. We also would like to ask you to contribute and submit your paper for our conference proceedings.

According to unpredictable circumstances, we are able to cover your expenses as amount of \$1,500 US for the traveling cost from your place to Luang Prabang, Laos PDR. In addition, we are delighted to offer you an honorarium of \$200 US for a keynote speech and lectures. Dinners and accommodations at the Santi Resort & Spa will be also provided from the 23rd - 24th March 2011.

We would like to ask you to complete the details in the acceptance form in order to confirm your acceptance, and to complete the traveling form to enable us to escort you. Please return the completed forms to us via E-mail or fax by the 31th January, 2011. We would also appreciate if you present us your receipts (airfare tickets) upon your arrival at the conference for the reimbursement.

All delegates outside Laos, PDR, please consult with your consulate for entry visa permission. Details of those who need a visa can be found on the Lao Visas website at http://www.laoembassy.com/visa&applications.html. You should apply for your own visa or entry clearance before your departure date.

Please ensure that you carry this original invitation to participate in the ICER 2011 with you when traveling to Laos, PDR for the conference.

We are looking forward to receiving your written acceptance of these arrangements as soon as possible.

Please do not hesitate to contact us for any inquiries you might need.

Welcome to the ICER 2011, Laos, PDR.

Yours Sincerely,

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