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SITE Took Part in ARTNeT of UNESCAP

On the August of 2009, School of International Trade and Economics SITE officially joined the ARTNeT and became one of the members of ARTNeT, a network of UNESCAP for studies on Asia-Pacific Trade and training.

ARTNeT is a research coordination agency founded by Secretariat of ESCAP in order to cater to the increasing complexity of trade and investment policy and the requirement for meticulous analysis. By launching regional teamwork projects, establishing the mechanism for propagation of research achievements, intensifying the interaction between policy maker and researcher and conducting specific Capacity Building Training, ARTNeT aims to take full use of existing resource to improve the quantity and quality of the research on relevant trade policies. ARTNeT turned out to be an affective collaboration platform after five years development and plays a active role in facilitating the communication and intercourse among Non-Government Organizations, researchers on trade, policy makers and important International Organizations such as UNCTAD, UNDP and WTO.

2009 WTO&UN Training Session of International Trade

Fan Ying was being awarded Certificate of Training by UN officials

Two teachers have so far been sent by SITE to join in the ARTNeT Capacity Building Training project. On June of 2008, Xue Shuwu, Associate Professor of SITE, was sent to Phnom Penh and on June of 2009 Doctor Fan Ying was sent to Bangkok to receive a training of international trade policy. The training, during which experts from WTO and UN gave a five-day teaching to the students from all over the world,

was jointly carried out by WTO and UN. A comprehensive study and discussion was entered into among the students of the training on International Service Trade, International Trade and Climate Change, Regional Trade Integration and Trade Facilitation.

It has been an important part of international academic exchange for UIBE to take an active part in academic activities of International Economics Organization and intensify the communication and cooperation with International Economics Organizations. And Research Institute of International Trade of UIBE is responsible for specific measures.

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