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***Education:***

 1966 B. Sc. (1st Class Hons.), Chemistry, University of London

 1969 D. Phil., Organic Chemistry, University of Oxford

***Present Positions:***

 Advisor to the President, National Science and Technology Development Agency (NSTDA)

Senior Research Fellow, National Centre for Genetic Engineering and Biotechnology, NSTDA

***Past Positions:***

 1969-96, Department of Biochemistry, Faculty of Science, Mahidol University

 1972-74, Post-doctoral fellow, Molecular Biology Institute, University of California, Los Angeles

From 1983, Professor of Biochemistry, Mahidol University

 1985-91, Director, National Centre for Genetic Engineering and Biotechnology, Thailand

 1990, Visiting Professor, University of California, San Francisco

 1992-98, Director, National Science and Technology Development Agency

1998-06, Acting Director, Thailand Graduate Institute of Science and Technology, NSTDA

 1999-2003, President, Thai Academy of Science and Technology

 2004-06, Senior Advisor, National Science and Technology Development Agency

 2005-06, Chairman, Institute for Promotion of Science and Technology Teaching

 2006-08, Minister, Ministry of Science and Technology

 2008, Distinguished Scholar in Residence, Harvard School of Public Health, Harvard University

 2014-15, Deputy Prime Minister, in charge of social development

***Awards and Distinctions:***

1966 Gold Medal Award for Academic Distinction from Samaggi Samagom (Thai Students Association in Britain)

 1984 Outstanding Scientist of Thailand Award from Foundation for Promotion of Science and Technology, and Science Society of Thailand

 1992 Elected Fellow, and 2013-15, Vice President, Third World Academy of Sciences, Trieste, Italy

 1997 Elected Foreign Fellow, Australian Academy of Technological Sciences and Engineering

 1998 Honorary Doctorate, Biochemistry, Prince of Songkla University

 1998 ASEAN Science and Technology Meritorious Service Award from ASEAN Committee on Science and Technology

 2002 Outstanding Government Scholar Award from Government Scholars Association

 2003 Award for Highest Citation for Research (Life Science) from Thailand Research Fund

 2004 Nikkei Asia Award for Science, Technology and Innovation from Nihon Keizai Shimbun, Japan

 2004 Outstanding Person of the Nation from National Identity Board.

 2005 Mahidoltayakorn (Outstanding Alumnus) Award, Mahidol University.

 2005 Honorary Doctorate of Science, Mahidol University.

 2009 Honorary Doctorate, Biochemistry, Suranaree University of Technology.

 2011 Honorary Doctorate, Chemistry, Thammasat University

***Royal Decorations:***

 Knight Grand Cordon (Special Class) of the Most Noble Order of the White Elephant

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***Fellowships and Grants:***

 1962-1969, Thai Government Scholarship for study in the UK

 1972-1974, Post-Doctoral Fellowship at University of California, Los Angeles, USA

 From 1974, various research grants including EU (1997-2000, 2001-2004), Wellcome Trust (1999-2002, 2004-2007), Medicines for Malaria Ventures (2000-2009)

***Professional Functions and Associations:***

***International:***

 Member of the Scientific and Technical Advisory Board (2001-04), Steering Committee of the Scientific Working Group on Biomedical Sciences (1983-84), on Chemotherapy of Malaria (1988-97), on Drug Discovery Research (1998), and Working Group on Genome to Drugs and Diagnostics (2001-2005), UNDP/World Bank/WHO Special Programme for Research and Training in Tropical Diseases. Chairman, ASEAN Subcommittee on Biotechnology (1986-92), ASEAN Subcommittee on Infrastructure and Resources Development (1999-2002), Advisory Body on ASEAN Plan of Action on Science and Technology for Development (2002-04). Honorary Associate, Institute for Biotechnological Studies, UK (1986-87). Editorial Board Member, Biochemical Education (International Union of Biochemistry) (1979-84). Editorial Board Member, Parasitology Today (UK) (1991-2000). Editor-in-Chief, ASEAN Journal of Science and Technology for Development (1991-92). Member of Scientific Advisory Committee, Drugs for Neglected Diseases Initiative (2003-07). Member of Scientific Boards, Grand Challenges for Global Health Program (2003-10) and Grand Challenges Canada (2009-present). Member of the Steering Committee, Intermediate Biotechnology Service, International Service for National Agricultural Research, Netherlands (1991-2000). Member, WHO Expert Group on R&D and Financing (2008-2009). Chairman, Thematic Reference Group on Innovation and Technology Platforms for Health Interventions, WHO/TDR (2010-2011). Chairman, Intergovernmental Bioethics Committee, UNESCO (2012-15), and Member, International Bioethics Committee, UNESCO (from 2016). Member, Roll Back Malaria Partnership Board, from 2016.

***National:***

Chairman, Executive Boards of National Centre for Genetic Engineering and Biotechnology, National Metal and Materials Technology Centre, and National Electronics and Computer Technology Centre (1992-98). Editor-in-Chief, ScienceAsia (Journal of the Science Society of Thailand) (1975-84, 1999-2000). Member, National Research Council of Thailand, Chemical and Pharmaceutical Sciences Branch (1991-2014). Member, Science Committee of the Thai National Commission for UNESCO (1984-present). Member, Executive Committee, Science Society of Thailand (1974-89). Fellow, Thai Academy of Science and Technology (1997-present, 1999-2003, Foundation Chairman 2001-07). Member, National Education Council (2004-10), Chairman, Subcommittee on Education Reform in the Second Decade (2008-09), Member, Education Reform Policy Committee and Chairman, Promotion of Participation in Education Management (2009-12). Chairman, Foundation for Promotion of Science and Technology (2011-14).Chairman, Assessment Board, Thailand Research Foundation (from 2016). Advisor on Social and Sustainable Development, Crown Properties Bureau (from 2015). Committee Member, Thailand Sustainable Development Foundation (from 2016).

***Research Interests and Contributions:***

 Chemotherapy and molecular biology of malaria: Characterisation of the parasite folate pathway and enzymes as potential drug targets; mechanism-based development of antimalarials, biochemical alterations of red cells in malarial infection; interaction of genetically variant red blood cells and malarial parasites.

 Policies related to science and technology, especially biotechnology.

***Other Contributions:***

 Advisor to Minister of Science, Technology and Energy (1981-1986, 1991-1992). Member, Prime Minister's Advisory Committee on Science and Technology Policy (1988-1991). Member, Council of Trustees and Executive Board, Thailand Development Research Institute (from 1984). Member, Board of Directors (1993-2002) and Board of Trustees (2002-present), Thailand Environment Institute. Member, Policy Board (1993-1998) and Assessment Board (2002-06), Thailand Research Fund. Member, Ministry of University Affairs Council (1992-98). Member, Srinakarinwirote University Council (from 1992). Member, Suranaree Technology University Council (1993-2005). Member, King Mongkut’s University of Technology Thonburi Council (1993-2014). Member, Thammasat University Council (from 1994-2011). Member, Rajabhat Institute Council (1995-1998). Member, Chiang Mai University Council (1998-2000). Member, Mahasarakham University Council (2003-14). Member, Mahidol University Council (2006-14). Member, Board of Trustees, Asian Institute of Technology (2005-12). Member, Civil Service Assessment Committee (Ministry of Science, Technology and Environment) (2000-02). Member, Board of Directors, Kasikorn Bank (2000-14). Member (from 1994) and Chairman (from 2006), Thailand Toray Science Foundation. Chairman, Foundation for Promotion of Gifted Persons in Science and Technology (from 2001). Member, Government Committee on Right to Information on Science, Technology and Environment (2001-2006). Member, L’Oreal/UNESCO Women in Science Committee (Thailand) (from 2002). Chairman, Hydro and Agro Informatics Institute, Ministry of Science and Technology (from 2009). Member, Executive Council, Mahidol Wittayanusorn School (2009-2013). Chairman, Committee on ICT for Social Equity (2012-14).

***Publications:***

156 research and review articles in international scientific journals. Numerous publications on policy and broad aspects of science and technology. Author/co-author of 23 books and manuals. Co-owner of 14 patents/patent applications. H-Index = 35.

***Scientific Research and Review Articles***

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2. Lowe, G. and Yuthavong, Y. (1971) pH Dependence and Structure-Reactivity Relationships in the Papain-Catalysed Hydrolyses of Anilides. *Biochem. J.* **124**, 117-122.

3. Yuthavong, Y. and Ruenwongsa, P. (1973) Kinetics of the Reaction of the Masked Sulphydryl Groups of Haemoglobins A, E and New York with p-Chloromercuribenzoate. *Biochim. Biophys. Acta* **303**, 44-51

4. Boyer, P. D., Wolcott, R. G., Yuthavong, Y. and Degani, C. (1974) Phosphorylation Mechanisms in Adenosine Triphosphate Formation and Utilization. *Biochem. Soc. Trans.* **2**, 27-30.

5. Yuthavong, Y., Feldman, N. and Boyer, P. D. (1975) Some Chemical Characteristics of Dimethylsuberimidate and its Effect on Sarcoplasmic Reticulum Vesicles. *Biochim. Biophys. Acta*, **382**, 116-124.

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39. Chaimanee, P. and Yuthavong, Y. (1986) Characteristics of Membrane Protein Phosphorylation in *Plasmodium berghei*-Infected Mouse Erythrocytes. *J. Protozool.* **33**, 446-454.

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