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## Inside the College



On 31 January 2023 - The College of Music, Mahidol University in collaboration with King Power Thai Power held a press conference for The Power Band 2023 Season 3, the country's leading international music band contest, to find the best new bands with inspiration and outstanding musical creativity.

Dr. Narong Prangcharoen, Dean of the College of Music, along with Mr. Apichet Srivaddhanaprabha, Assistant Chief Operating Officer, King Power Group discussing project details as well as representatives of adjudicator and artists join the conversation.

There were also music performances from the winning band The Power Band 2022 and mini-concerts from the artists SERIOUS BACON and TATTOO COLOR at the CROWN ATRIUM, King Power Rangnam.



Congratulations to Dr. Narong Prangcharoen, Dean, on the occasion of being appointed as a Qualified Member of the Contemporary Art Promotion Committee.



On January 17, 2022 - The College of Music, Mahidol University welcomes students from the Triam Udom Suksa Nomklao School, Bangkok to visit for the college tour and program guidance.





23 January 2023 - College of Music, Mahidol University welcomed a delegation from the Department of Juvenile Observation and Protection, Ban Ubekkha Child and Youth Center, to visit and consult for preliminary advice from our faculty in Music Therapy Department in planning the opening of the music unit to focus on using music to enhance professional skills and use music to heal and restore children and youth.





Producing K-POP Music with K-POP Producers workshop by Hae and LiL G, presented by 54Entertainment and SOUNGJUNGLES together with Mahidol Music.

Thanks to all participants and supporters to make it happen!



On 24 January 2023 - The College of Music, Mahidol University was honoured by Boy-Takonkiet Virawan, Director of the Musical, Group Chief Executive Officer of The One Enterprise Co., Ltd., Director of One 31 TV Station and Chairman of the Grammy subsidiary production companies Exact and Scenario to provide knowledge, share experiences for the 4th year students of the Musical Theater Department. in the Thai Musical Drama Seminar.



On 27 January 2023 - Dr. Narong Prangcharoen, Dean of the College of Music, give the opening remark for the YAMP Career's Day, which is an annual event of the Young Artists Music Program, which is part of the RESPECT (Guidance) course that provides career guidance to students. At the event, special guests will share experiences with the students which will help open up the perspectives to see a clearer picture of their future careers.









Congratulations to Mr. Patrix Rochanutama Meesaiyaat who received the TIJC Lifetime Achievement Award 2023. This year, we were honoured by Associate Professor Dr. Chuthamanee Suthisisang, Vice President of Mahidol University made the opening remarks over the ceremony for the Thailand International Jazz Conference 2023 and presented the award honourable TIJC Lifetime Achievement Award 2023.

#### Students in Focus





Student Spotlight: Congratulations
Satinee Arwrungrueng Our 4th Year,
Classical Student from Aj.Dag Schantz studio.
She got Grand Prix in Voice Section
(age 18-22 years old) from
The 2nd WIELKOPOLSKI PARADISE-2022 International Contest



On 29 January 2023 - Libere Quartet, our faculty string quartet delivered masterclasses and a concert in Chiangmai at CRK Recital Hall, Payap University.





A Practical Workshop for Stringed Instruments, "Basic Maintenance via Expertise," by Andreas Franke, a fourth-generation professional German violin maker.

Thank you so much to Mr. Franke and his assistant Khun Oak for sharing with our students how the violin and bow are made, Baroque vs. Modern violins, basic maintenance tips, and other useful topics. This event was organized by Aj. Visanee Vongvirulh.







On February 8, 2023 - The College of Music, Mahidol University welcomes students from the Sarasas Witaed Thonburi School, Bangkok to visit for the college tour and listening to a lecture from Ajarn Chayut Jessadavaranon.

On February 8, 2023 - The College of Music, Mahidol University held a ThaiBev Scholarship Award Ceremony for our students.

The ceremony was honored by Khun Nitikorn Kraivichien, Director of the Arts and Culture Promotion, Thai Beverage Public Company Limited., with Dr. Narong Prangcharoen, dean joined the opening remarks and presented the 25 scholarship to the students at Room 807, Young Artist Music Program building, College of Music, Mahidol University.







On 12 February 2023 - The Office of Contemporary Art and Culture, Ministry of Culture together with SATARANA and College of Music, Mahidol University, led by Dr. Narong Prangcharoen, Dean presented contemporary music performances "A Musical Journey Through a Century of Yaowarat" the history of Chinese culture in Thailand through music, conducted by Pamornphan Komolpamorn, featured songs representing various periods of Chinatown in the past 100 years.







On February 13, 2023 - The College of Music, Mahidol University held a press conference to launch the MEI - Music Entrepreneurship and Innovation program, a dual degree program with a Bachelor's Degree in Music and a Master's Degree in Entrepreneurship and Innovation in cooperation between the College of Music and the College of Management, Mahidol University, with Dr. Narong Prangeharoen, Dean of the College of Music, Assoc. Prof. Dr. Wichita Raktham, Dean of the College of Management, and Dr. Treeyut Promsiri, Head of the Entrepreneurship and Innovation Program, College of Management, joined the press conference.

## Alumni



Congratulations to our alumnus, Chawin Temsittichok, Jaijam Wannapat, Mim Chutimta Puttikulangkura and Korawit Sittisakornsilp, feartured on the "Mahanakhon On Stage", a A Theatre-Pop concert with songs written by a new generation of songwriters, performed by world-class actors with experience on Broadway, in Disney animated film dubbing and Thailand's leading theatrical productions.

#### Alumni



Congratulations to our alumni "James Jedtapon Kanitthachat" the champion of The Star 2022.



Alumni Spotlight: Congratulations to Nitiphum Bamrungbanthum, featured as a performing artist at International Trumpet Guild

#### **Upcoming Events**



"Little Women" tickets are now officially on sale!

Early-bird promotion: 15% off all seats
\*\* From now until January 27th \*\*

10 DAYS ONLY

Ticket Prices: 1,200 / 800 / 500

Performances span across 4 days on the following dates:

Thursday, February 23 2023 at 7:00 pm
 Friday, February 24 2023 at 7:00 pm
 Saturday, February 25 2023 at 1:00 pm

4 Saturday, February 25 2023 at 7:00 pm 5 Sunday, February 26 2023 at 1:00 pm

6 Sunday, February 26 2023 at 7:00 pm

Contact for more information at

Tel.: 062-7762-679

Line: mtmu

FB: Music Theatre Mahidol University

THE POWER BAND 2023 SEASON 3 - The band competition that opens an opportunity for Thai people across the country to show their musical talent.

Searching for a new wave of musical talent to show off their skills. Win prizes worth more than 1.5 million baht. Plus an opportunity to join an intense Music Camp and make singles and music videos with professional music labels. The opportunity to debut and become a professional artist is now in your hands!



Open auditions to 5 regions across the country, Bangkok, Northern, Northeastern, Southern and Central regions. This year we are accepting all 2 classes, secondary school (Class A) and the general public (Class B).

Those interested can apply for free from February 13 to August 4, 2023. The opening round at Bangkok region!

See more details at

Website: www.music.mahidol.ac.th/thepowerband

Facebook: The Power Band

IT'S POSSIBLE!

"Power of Music, Power of Possibility" THE POWER BAND 2023 SEASON 3

## **Upcoming Events**



The College of Music, Mahidol University, will hold a special event in Jakarta, Indonesia on March 4, 2023. The event includes a performance workshop, meet and greet (snacks provided) and individual sessions for participants. It will take place at Cantata Music School

For more information and to register for the event, please visit us at https://www.music.mahidol.ac.th/interauditions/.

#### Past Event Features



Impressed all the jazz fans of the TIJC 2023 festival with the performance of Thailand Phil's Jazz with the Orchestra, featured by world-class guests artists Javon Jackson and Delfeayo Marsalis, Pekka Pylkkänen and leading Thai jazz musicians, Koh Mr.Saxman together with The Pomelo Town that joined together performing the concert that dedicate to the jazz legend, Sonny Rollins, telling the story through songs influential in his life.

## Past Event Features



The Thailand Phil warmly welcomed the return of our Founding Chief Conductor, Maestro Gudni Emilsson in the Bohemian Rhapsodies concert, accompanied by the Berlin Philharmonic's oboist Christoph Hartmann, performing the Martinů Oboe Concerto, and closing with an impressive performance of Dvořák's Symphony No. 8.

