Appendix G.
Supporting Organizations

1. The Interdisciplinary Network of the Royal Institute of Thailand Under the Royal Patronage of HRH Princess Maha Chakri Sirindhorn. HRH Princess Maha Chakri Sirindhorn graciously accepted the Interdisciplinary Network of the Royal Institute of Thailand (INRIT) to be Under Her Royal Patronage on 31 May 2007. Prof. Dr. med. Yongyudh Vajaradul is the Chairman. More information is available at www.INRIT.net.

2. The Interdisciplinary Network Foundation for Research and Development (INFRD). INFRD was registered with the Registrar of Foundations in Bangkok on 5 September 2007. Prof. Dr. Srisakdi Charmonman is the Senior Chairman and Prof. Dr. med. Yongyudh Vajaradul is the Chairman. More Information about INFRD is available at www.INRIT.net. INFRD has established several organizations, such as Thailand Interdisciplinary Network Institute (www.THINI.org), Internet Poll Research Institute (www.INETPOLL.com), and etc.

3. The College of Internet Distance Education (CIDE). The Board of Trustees of Assumption University has approved Prof. Dr. Srisakdi Charmonman’s proposal to establish the College on April 25, 2002 to eventually offer eLearning to 100,000 students per year. The College offers the first and only Ph.D. in eLearning Methodology in the world with applicants from over 30 countries. Prof. Dr. Srisakdi Charmonman is the Chairman of the Executive Board and Chief Executive Officer (CEO) of the College. More information is available at www.elearning.au.edu.

4. Thailand Chapter of the Computer Society of the IEEE. Prof. Srisakdi Charmonman became a member of the IEEE in 1961. In Thailand, he became the Founder of Thailand Joint Chapter of the Computer Society and the Engineering Management Society of the IEEE. In the year 2008, the Engineering Management Society was renamed, and so, the Joint Chapter was changed to Thailand Chapter of the Computer Society of the IEEE, and Prof. Srisakdi remains the Chairman. IEEE Computer Society is the oldest and largest Computer Engineering Learned Society in the world. More information is available at www.ieee.th.org. Thailand Chapter of the IEEE Computer Society has also been registered with the Registrar in Thailand as Computer Society of the IEEE in Thailand with Prof. Srisakdi in the Position of the Senior President which is an Honorary Position for Life.

5. Thailand Chapter of the ACM. Prof. Dr. Srisakdi Charmonman became a member of the ACM (Association for Computing Machinery) in 1961. ACM is the largest and oldest Computer Science Learned Society in the world. In the year 1963, Prof. Srisakdi became one of the Founders of the Special Interest Group on University Computer Centers of the ACM. He was also elected Vice President of ACM Rochester Chapter. In the year 1991, Prof. Srisakdi became the Founder of Thailand Chapter of the ACM. More information is available at www.acm.th.org. Thailand Chapter of the ACM has also been registered with the Registrar in Thailand as Association for Computing Machinery in Thailand with Prof. Srisakdi in the Position of the Senior President which is an Honorary Position for Life.
6. **Thailand Chapter of the Internet Society (ISOC).** The Internet Society (ISOC) was founded in 1991. Prof. Srisakdi proposed to Rev. Bro. Dr. Prathip Martin Komolmas, the President of AU at that time, and got approval for Assumption University of Thailand to be the only Founding Member in South East Asia of ISOC. Prof. Srisakdi became a member of the Advisory Council of ISOC, and elected a member of ISOC Board of Trustees. In the year 1996, Prof. Srisakdi founded Thailand Chapter of ISOC and became the Founding President. More information is available at www.isoc-th.org.

7. **Thailand Internet Association.** In the year 1998, in his capacity as the President of Thailand Chapter of ISOC, Prof. Srisakdi established a Committee to draft the first “Internet Promotion Law”. ISOC was against the law by saying that the Internet was free and there should be no law about the Internet. ISOC suspended Prof. Srisakdi from his duties as the President of Thailand Chapter of ISOC. So, he established Thailand Internet Association with about 18,000 members. As of the year 2011, Thailand Internet Association is still strong with over 18,000 members. As of the year 2011, there are all kinds of laws the Internet. More information is available at www.internet.th.org.

8. **The Association of Thai Internet Industry (ATII).** Prof. Srisakdi was the founder of Internet KSC which was the first and largest ISP (Internet Service Provider) in Thailand. He established ATII on 9 August 2000. More information about is available in www.atii.th.org.

9. **Prof. Dr. Srisakdi Charmonman Foundation (SC Foundation).** This Foundation was established on 14 July 1998 with Prof. Dr. Srisakdi Charmonman as the Chairman. As of the year 2011, SC Foundation has an endowment fund of over 25 million baths. More information is available at www.SCfoundation.net.

10. **Asia-Pacific eLearning Association.** In the year 2004, the Ministry of Information and Communications Technology appointed Prof. Srisakdi as Chairman of the Organizing Committee of the First International Conference on eLearning for Knowledge-based Society. At the News Conference, the Minister, the Permanent Secretary, and Prof. Srisakdi announced the establishment of Asia Pacific eLearning Association (eLearningAP). More information is available at www.elearningAP.net.

11. **The Internet Poll Association.** To support the Internet Poll Research Institute, this legal entity was registered on 3 May 2011, with Prof. Srisakdi as the President. More information is available at www.ePollSoc.com.

12. **The Association of Thai Federation of Information Processing.** This learned society represents Thailand in International Federation for Information Processing (IFIP). Prof. Srisakdi registered it as “Information Processing Society for National Development” in the year 1982 and it became the only representative of Thailand in IFIP. Later, it was merged to be a part of Thailand Internet Association. Then on 25 May 2011, it was registered as Association of Thai Federation of Information Processing with Prof. Srisakdi in the Position of the Senior President which is an Honorary Position for Life. More information is available at www.TFIP.net.