The "25th ASEAN Engineering Higher Education Network (AUN/SEED-Net*) Project Steering Committee" was held at Sukosol Bangkok Hotel in Bangkok, Thailand on Friday, July 19, 2019. AUN/SEED-Net is a university network for human resource development in the ASEAN region, which was started in 2001 as one of the JICA projects and consists of universities in the engineering field of ASEAN countries and supporting universities in Japan. The secretariat of AUN/SEED-Net is located in the Faculty of Engineering of Chulalongkorn University, which is the same as the NICT Asia Center, and many of the research institutes associated with AUN/SEED-Net and the NICT are duplicated. Therefore, we are exchanging opinions with the secretariat on a daily basis.

At the request of the organizer, Director Kono from the NICT Asia Center participated to give a presentation on NICT's specific initiatives in the Southeast Asian region, including the ASEAN IVO, and to deepen interaction with the participants.

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