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Current positions : Associate Professor

Education :

- 1993 D. Sc. (Nutrition), Mahidol University, Thailand.
1978 M. Sc. (Nutrition), Mahidol University, Thailand.
1972 B. Sc. (Medical Technology), Mahidol University, Thailand.

Training :

- 1974-1975 Food Analysis, TNO-CIVO Toxicology and Nutrition Institute, Zeist, The Netherlands.
1986 Food Analysis and Food Data System, AFRC Institute of Food Research Norwich Laboratory, Norwich, U.K.
1997 Nutrient analysis and compilation, USDA Beltsville Human Nutrition Research Center, Beltsville, Maryland, U.S.A.

Research Interest and Expertise :

1. Bioavailability of Carotenoids, Flavonoids
2. Antioxidant activity
3. Development of methodology and measurement system to quantify nutrients in foods and diets.

Publications :

National Level:

1. Gowachirapant S, Wasantwisut E, Sungpuag P, Kosulwat V, Tuntipopipat S, Pattanapanyasat K. Effect of carrot consumption on plasma carotenoids and lymphocyte subpopulations in healthy subjects. *J Nutr Assoc Thai.* 2003; 38: 7-2. 2.
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8. Sungpuag P, Kongkachuichai R. Sodium content of some Thai foods. *J Nutr Assoc Thailand.* 1985; 19(2): 75-83. (in Thai).
9. Sungpuag P, Patchimasiri S, Yuadyoung S. Comparison of Analysis, Food Exchange and Food Composition Table methods for the determination of Energy and protein in Diets. *J Nutr Assoc Thailand.* 1985; 19(4): 193-8. (in Thai).
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12. Sungpuag P, Puwastien P. Nutritive value of unconventional protein source : insect. J Nutr Assoc Thailand. 1983; 17(1): 5-12. (in Thai).
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14. Indrambarya V, Puangpet A, Puwastien P, Sungpuag P, Charoenkiatkul S. Utilization of Soybean as Supplement Foods. J Nutr Assoc Thailand. 1982; 16(2-3): 65-95. (in Thai).
15. Puwastien P, Sungpuag P. The determination of antinutritional factors in Soybean and Soybean products. J Nutr Assoc Thailand 1982; 16(4): 231-9. (in Thai).

International Level :

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7. Yamborisut U, Sungpuag P, Wimonpeerapattana W. Hypercholesterolemia in Thai primary school children: Relation to maternal and nutritional factors. Pediatrics International 2008; 50(4): 557-62.
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3. Sungpuag P, Wasantwisut E, Chittchang U. 1995. Effect of preparation techniques on vitamin A and B-carotene content of foods in Northeast Thailand. Abstract and poster presented at 7th Asian Congress of Nutrition. Beijing, China October 7-11, 1995.
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5. Sungpuag P. Food Source of β-carotene and factor affecting to vitamin A activity in Nutrition for better health. Nutrition Conference 1993, Thailand.
6. Sungpuag P. Nutritive and protein values of some plants. Proceedings of the second ASEAN workshop on Food Analytical Techniques. 1984 March 19-24: Surabaya, Indonesia. p. 140-44.

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2. Sungpuag P. Know before eat: Instant noodle. Moh-Chao-Ban. 1992; 13(156): 74-5. (in Thai)

Research Experiences :

1. Effect of cooking on nutrients content in Thai Food.
2. Beta-carotene content in Thai Food.
3. Nutrients analysis of Thai Food.
4. Thai Food Composition Data compilation.
5. Evaluation of food by human study.