



**Message from
His Excellency Mr. Abhisit Vejjajiva
Prime Minister of the Kingdom of Thailand**

The 5th International Conference on eLearning for a Knowledge-Based Society was organised by a consortium of technological and academic organizations and held in Thailand under the theme “New Generation and New Values of eLearning”. The ideas that emerged from the Conference are valuable, so I am especially pleased that the papers submitted to the Conference are scheduled to be published in a special issue of the International Journal of the Computer, the Internet and Management. In time, the outcomes of the Conference will ultimately contribute to the development of education in Thailand.

The Royal Thai Government recognizes that education is the key to the development of the country and the well-being and prosperity of our people. Investing and staying competitive in education are important when dealing with economic uncertainties. The government is therefore strongly committed to reforming the entire education system in Thailand. This includes using every resource available to provide life-long education and improving instructional media while encouraging children, youth and the people in general to make constructive and intelligent use of information and telecommunications technology.

May I congratulate the participants of the Conference and members of the Organising Committee, in particular the chairman, Prof. Dr. Srisakdi Charmonman, for this very successful event.

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "A. Vejjajiva". The signature is written in a cursive style with a horizontal line underneath the name.

(Abhisit Vejjajiva)
Prime Minister of the Kingdom of Thailand