

Mekong Institute (MI) and APRACA collaborate to strengthen green finance and climate resilient agriculture

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The training aimed to improve participants’ appreciation of climate-resilient agriculture and green finance for the agrifood industry which was attended by the representatives from government line departments, civil society organizations, academic institutions and financial institutions from Cambodia, Lao PDR, Myanmar, Thailand, and Viet Nam (CLMTV).

Maria Theresa S. Medialdia, Director of MI’s Agricultural Development and Commercialization Department, highlighted in her Opening Remarks the importance of steering the financial flows from traditional practices towards greener and lower emission agrifood value chain. Dr. Prasun Kumar Das, Secretary General of APRACA, said that the training course has been designed to enable among agrifood stakeholders a detailed understanding of the impacts of and pathways to mitigate risks emanating from the climate change and support the cross-border agrifood trade.