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Kulwadee Wiwatsawatdinton is a Sanitary and Phytosanitary (SPS) Expert at the National Bureau of Agricultural Commodity and Food Standards (ACFS) in Thailand. She holds a Master of Public and International Affairs from the University of Pittsburgh and is currently a Ph.D. Candidate in Agricultural Policy at Clemson University. Her professional expertise encompasses food safety, agricultural standards, SPS measures, digital SPS systems, and international trade negotiations.

Ms. Wiwatsawatdinton has actively participated in SPS negotiating teams under various Free Trade Agreement frameworks, including Thailand–EU, Thailand–EFTA, ASEAN–Canada, and ASEAN–India. She has contributed to policy development and market access resolutions for Thai agricultural products, with growing engagement in e-SPS certification and digital food traceability initiatives.

Her recent research leadership includes heading a 2026 study on Thailand's policy response to the EU Deforestation Regulation, which received the 2nd Place Outstanding Agricultural Research Project Award from the Agricultural Research Development Agency (ARDA). She has also served as a team member in investigations on mineral oil hydrocarbon contamination in rice production chains and export enhancement strategies for Thai fruits.

Since 2011, she has been an editorial team member for the ACFS Early Warning Journal, supporting the communication of emerging food safety and regulatory developments. She holds membership in several national committees, including those on International Health Regulations, food security, OECD accession, and e-SPS certification. Her professional training includes the WTO SPS Advanced Course and international trade courses in New Zealand. Her research interests focus on science-based policy, regulatory cooperation, sustainable supply chains, and digital transformation in food safety systems.