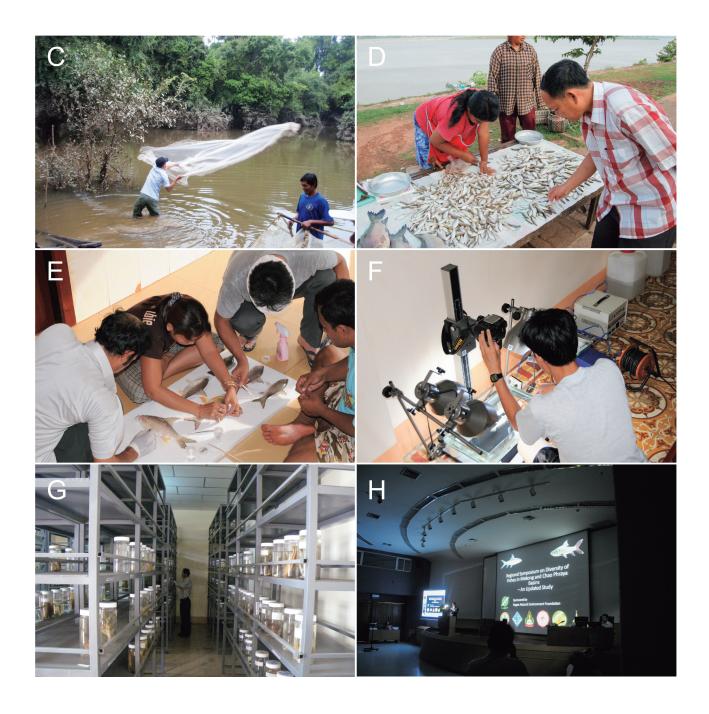
SELECTIVE PHOTOGRAPHS TAKEN DURING THE NEF PROJECT (1st phase, 2006–2011)





Legends of photographs. A) The project members participating the 1st annual meeting for the NEF project in March 2008 (Siem Reap, Cambodia); B) the project members participating a training course in March 2009 (Cần Thơ, Vietnam): C) collecting fishes in the field (Stung Treng, Cambodia); D) collecting fishes in a local market (Savannakhet, Laos); E) making fish specimens (Kratie, Cambodia); F) taking photograph of a fish (Trà Vinh, Vietnam); G) a storage room for fish specimens (IFReDI, Phnom Penh, Cambodia); H) a regional symposium on fishes (Srinakharinwirot University, Bangkok, Thailand).

The photograph on the right shows Dr. Yasuhiko Taki, who was the former president of the NEF, observing fishes at a market in Vientiane, Laos (3 March 2008). The NEF project was planned, launched, and conducted chiefly based on his idea, passion, and beloving the Mekong fishes and people. After recognizing the end of the project, he passed away on 24 March 2020, at his age of 88.

