From: Kelloway,C
To: O"Connor,D

Subject: FW: Ing-Wen Tsai's PhD thesis **Date:** 12 June 2019 12:18:46

FYI

From: Ismail,R

Sent: 12 June 2019 12:12 **To:** Wilson,Clive; Kelloway,C

Cc: Griffiths,CB

Subject: RE: Ing-Wen Tsai's PhD thesis

Hi Clive,

I will try and contact them and ask them to remove it as they did not have permission to publicise that statement.

I will keep you updated.

Kind regards,

Refel

From: Wilson, Clive

Sent: 12 June 2019 12:05 **To:** Ismail,R; Kelloway,C

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Subject: FW: Ing-Wen Tsai's PhD thesis

Hi Refel

a lot of email over the last 24 hours about the validity of an LSE PhD thesis awarded to Ing-wen Tsai in 1984 – and now president of Taiwan.

One of my colleagues (Ruth Orson) sent out a standard reply to a query explaining that we didn't have a copy of the thesis. This was presumed to be a personal communication but her name has been included in a Taiwanese press report.

https://www.peoplenews.tw/news/41075ad6-3253-4db4-a689-38d8ea3e1e1f Translation: https://translate.google.com/translate?hl=en&sl=zh-TW&u=https://www.peoplenews.tw/news/41075ad6-3253-4db4-a689-38d8ea3e1e1f&prev=search

This is causing a lot of stress for her.

Is there a mechanism to contact them to have it removed?

many thanks



