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Subject: RE: PhD Thesis by Ing-Wen Tsai
Date: 24 June 2019 09:57:44
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Marcus, greetings

Are you asking for access to the student's SITS record or something else?

MTT

From: Cerny, MW
Sent: 24 June 2019 09:48
To: O'Connor, D <D.O'Connor@lse.ac.uk>; Metcalfe, F <F.Metcalf@lse.ac.uk>; Kelloway, C <C.Kelloway@lse.ac.uk>
Cc: Wilson, Clive <CLIVE.Wilson@lse.ac.uk>; Thomson, MT <M.T.Thomson@lse.ac.uk>
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This is my correspondent's latest (I have only one on this). According to this the tale may be that it was such a piece of work it is worth two PhDs.

I've copied Mark to check if the registration file is to hand or whether we can retrieve it if not. I'm not interested in reviewing Simeon's considerations but I just want to make sure that I am taking any dates from the official file.

Thanks,
Marcus

Dear Deputy Director Cerny:

I am hereby writing you again trying to supplement my previous email and to simplify the whole matter regarding Dr. Tsai's Ing-wen's Ph.D. thesis. Is it possible that LSE can email Dr. Tsai and ask her to send a copy of her Ph.D. thesis to both LSE Library and the Senate House Library, since neither of the libraries has got a copy of her thesis in the first place?

A reason I am eager to read Dr. Tsai's Ph.D. thesis is that Dr. Tsai was reported to have once claimed that her these was so outstanding the LSE was considering to offer her one and a half or even two PhDs. Was it the case?

Thank you very much again.

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From: O'Connor, D
Sent: 23 June 2019 19:53
To: Metcalfe, F; Kelloway, C; Cerny, MW
Cc: Wilson, Clive
Subject: Fwd: PhD Thesis by Ing-Wen Tsai

FYI.

The reply from ██████████

He's gone off the deep end a bit.

Begin forwarded message:

From: ██████████
Date: 21 June 2019 at 21:51:02 BST
To: "O'Connor, D" <D.O'Connor@lse.ac.uk>
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Subject: Re: PhD Thesis by Ing-Wen Tsai

Dear Mr. O'Connor:

In this email I raised some more questions regarding your email dated June 14, 2019, 9:08 am, from which you wrote:

"As previously circulated, all PhDs from that period were awarded under the University of London banner and would have been

