

**Social Transformation and Access to Public Spaces Policy into Practice:
*A case study on access legislation for disabled people legislation in Thailand***

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Abstract

This paper presents the analytical discussion of socio-cultural attribute toward disability policy in practice in Thailand. By providing comparative approach of disability policy, analysis of social structural factors and a case study of legislation in action, revealed that law enforcement in a certain social context are struggled with understandings of disability as well as social and political system. The influences of new way of thoughts toward disablement from either internal or external are intimated. This paper also explores a crucial role of participatory approach, which prioritized voices of disabled people in academic research.

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