## THE EFFECTS OF TRANSACTIONAL ANALYSIS TRAINING ON COMMUNICATION

WITH OPPOSITE SEX OF MATHAYOM SUKSA II STUDENTS OF

SAITHAMACHAN SCHOOL IN AMPHOE DAMNERN SADAUK,

CHANGWAT RACHABURI

AN ABSTRACT

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The purpose of this experimental research was to study the effects of Transactional Analysis training on communication with opposite sex of Mathayom Suksa II students of Saithammachan School in Amphoe Damnern Saduak, Changwat Ratchaburi in the academic year 1993. The subjects of twenty students whose scores in communication with opposite sex were lower than the percentile ranks of 25. Then the subjects were randomly divided into an experimental group and a control group, each group was consisted of ten students. The experimental group participated in Transactional Analysis training program while the control group was given the conventional instruction. The data were analyzed by Wilcoxon's Matched - Pairs Signed - Ranks Test and the Mann - Whitney U Test.

The results were as follows:

- 1. The scores in communication with opposite sex of the experimental group were significantly higher than before the experiment at .05 level.
- 2. The scores in communication with opposite sex of the control group were significantly higher than before the experiment at .05 level.
- 3. The scores in communication with opposite sex of students who participated in the Transactional Analysis training program were significantly higher than those who were given the conventional instruction at .05 level.