

RESUME: Aurora A. Rubio

Aurora A. Rubio is Head of the ITU Area Office for South East Asia located in Jakarta, Indonesia. She joined ITU in 2005.

Ms. Rubio has more than 25 years of experience in the field of telecommunications that includes 8 years as an academician in the Faculty of Electronics and Communications Engineering of the University of Santo Tomas (Philippines), 17 years as a telecommunication policy analyst, planner and strategist at the Department of Transportation and Communications of the Philippines and 4 years as telecommunications development senior advisor and head of ITU Area Office for South East Asia.

While working at the Department of Transportation and Communications of the Philippines from 1988 to 2005, Ms. Rubio was principally involved in a number of important initiatives and policy issuances that introduced competition in the early 1990's, resulting in impressive growth in the country's telecommunications sector. She was also active representing the Philippines in various regional and global telecommunication events and activities.

Ms. Rubio was President of the Institute of Electronics and Communications Engineers of the Philippines in 2003-2004 and is a certified ASEAN Electronics Engineer.