

**International Girls in ICT Day 2015**

FCCT, Penthouse, Maneeya Center, Ploenchit Road

11:30 a.m. - 4:30 p.m. Thursday, 23 April 2015

[www.girlsinict.org](http://www.girlsinict.org)

**Background**: The “Girls in ICT” initiative at ITU is a global effort to raise awareness on empowering and encouraging girls and young women to consider studies and careers in ICTs. The International Girls in ICT Day, celebrated on the 4th Thursday of April each year.

**Objectives**: Encouraging girls and young women to consider ICT studies and careers. They will show their interest in opportunities that use their creativity and intuition in for example software application design, digital media, and social and mobile applications. It will help to fulfill an important dimension of the corporate social responsibility as well as be in line with the United Nations Millennium Development Goal 3 to promote gender equality and the empowerment of women.

*Kindly note that the event will be held in English.*

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| 1130 | **[Doors Open to Public]****Girls and ICT Exhibition**  6 tables displaying oriented material, products, etc. Table assignment: 1 ITU/UNESCO , 1 UN Women, 1 Microsoft, 3 APTN/CCDKM. |
| 1230 | Registration / Refreshments **by invitation only** |
| 1300  | **Welcome / Opening Remarks*** (8 mins.) Video message on Girls in ICT & Welcome Remarks by **Mr. Ioane Koroivuki,** Regional Director, ITU Regional Office for Asia and the Pacific
* (5 mins.) Opening Remarks: **Ms.Wilailuck Chulewatanakul**, Inspector General, Ministry of ICT Thailand
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| 1313 | **Group photo:** All speakers are invited. |
| 1315 | **UN Women** (5 mins.) Introduction: **Ms. Ryratana Rangsitpol**, Country Programme Coordinator for UN Women Thailand (20 mins.) Presentation by **Ms.** **Anupama Suresh**, representing FGE funded programme ”Making women's voices and votes count; An ICT-based intervention in India” on behalf of IT4Change/KMVS. |
| 1350 | (10 mins.) **Young Girls’ Voice: Amita Krich**, ten year old girl from Harrow International School speaking on “Girls and Cyber Bullying” |
| 1355 | (20 mins.) **Woman Role Model**: **Ms. Areewan Haorangsi**, Secretary-General, Asia-Pacific Telecommunity  |
| 1415 | **Girls in e-applications:** presented by Girls from nationwide 10 mins each**e-Education:** (10 mins.) A girl representative from Pattaya, **Ms. Araya Khuadphudsa** who recently won 2014 Global IT Challenge For Youth with Disabilities in Asia and the Pacific(20 mins.) Engaging Girls in ICT Through Making, Creating and Inventing**, Ms Sattiya Langkhapin**, Director of Corporate Affairs, Intel Thailand; Girl representatives: **Miss Thanjira Sukkree, Miss Sojirath Thunprateep** (Awardees from Thailand National Software Contest 2015)  (15 mins.) **Ms. Aliénor Salmon**, Education Policy and Reform Unit, UNESCO Bangkok to present the findings from our report on girls and women in STEM along with other relevant initiatives **e-Government:**(15 mins.) **Ms. Sayuri Cocco Okada**, Social Affairs Officer, Social Development Division, UN ESCAP**e-Agriculture:** (10 mins) **Ms. Kewalin Malun** representative from the Northeastern(10 mins.) **Mr. Gerard Sylvester,** Knowledge and Information Management Officer, FAO**e-Commerce:**(10 mins.) **Ms. Ketsaraporn Nammultriputtar** representative from the Northeastern and **Ms. Kanchana Sermsripong** representative from the North(10 mins.) Microsoft YouthSpark by **Ms. Supahrat Juramongkol,** Community Affairs Manager**e-Culture:**(10 mins.) **Ms. Supattar Tuydee** representatives from Central, Bangkok |
| 1615 | Awards & Group photo  |
| 1630 | **Conclusion** |