

Provisional agenda for the opening and launching ceremony of the Girls in ICT Day Thailand 2025



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Provisional Agenda Date: 24 April 2025	
08:30-09:30 (GMT+7) Bangkok time	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Registration and event preparation on-site• Testing and online networking on the online platform
09:30 – 10:45 (GMT+7) Bangkok time	<p>Introduction</p> <p>MC: Ms. Punyapha Visavakornvisisd (Prim)</p> <p>Welcoming remarks</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Ms Atsuko Okuda, Regional Director, <i>ITU Regional Office for Asia and the Pacific (Video Message)</i>• Mr Trairat Viriyasirikul, <i>Deputy Secretary General Acting Secretary General, Office of the National Broadcasting and Telecommunications Commission, Thailand</i> <p>Official Launching for Girls in ICT Thailand</p> <p>Group Picture</p> <p>Keynote Address</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Ms Kalaya Chinatiworn, <i>Principal Advisor, Ministry of Digital Economy and Society</i>• Mr. Chusin Voradaj, Ph.D, <i>Inspector-General for Education, Ministry of Education</i> <p>Special Panel Session</p>

	<p>Nearly 30% of people in rural areas of low-income countries remain unconnected, and girls and women are the most affected, widening the digital divide and limiting opportunities for full participation in societies to build inclusive digital transformation. To address this, we must continue to empower all girls and young women, providing them with equal and equitable access to digital skills and literacy opportunities in technology and innovation, to better support girls and young women to pursue education and careers in the STEM and ICT sectors. During this special session, panellists will discuss the impact of the digital gender divide on girls, women, youth and other vulnerable individuals, insuring inclusive digital transformation.</p> <p>Moderator: Ms Natvara Pichedpan, <i>Thammasat University</i></p> <p>Speakers:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Mr Masanori Kondo, <i>Secretary General, Asia Pacific Telecommunity (Video Message)</i> • Ms Iwona Spytkowski, <i>Head, UN Resident Coordinator Office in Thailand</i> • Ms Suchana Sinthavathavorn, <i>Department of Quality of Life and Security, depa</i>
10:45-11:00	Coffee Break
11:00-12:00 (GMT+7) Bangkok time	<p>Success Story by Women Influencer <i>Session powered by the Office of the NBTC (Physical session)</i></p> <p>Moderated by: Ms. Punyapha Visavakornvisisd (Prim)</p> <p>Speakers:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Ms. Phandila Win Pansirithanachoti (Lilly), Thai Actress • Mr. Patiphan Khunngern (Moss) • Ms. Supanrasa Hirunwan (Mind), Moss Mad Chuk channel
12:00-13:00	Lunch
13:00:00 – 15:30 (GMT+7) Bangkok time	<p>Girls in ICT for inclusive digital transformation: Talking tech – Girls and Women in ICT on Inclusive Digital Transformation</p> <p>Interactive presentations/interviews/conversations between girls or young women, boys and the Girls in ICT Day Thailand Partners to share their experience related to this year’s Girls in ICT 2025 theme on “<i>Girls in ICT for inclusive digital transformation</i>”.</p> <p>This session will be divided into three sections with the participation of the Girls in ICT Day Thailand Partners from UN Agencies and Intergovernmental organisations; Industries; and Academia, who will discuss specific topics focusing on “<i>Girls in ICT for inclusive digital transformation</i>”, moderated by youth leaders from Asia and the Pacific.</p>
13:00-14:00 (GMT+7) Bangkok time	<p>Session 1: Girls in ICT for Inclusive Digital Transformation- Talking tech with the UN agencies, Intergovernmental organisations and Academia</p> <p>The existing digital skills gap is a key barrier to achieving sustainable, meaningful and inclusive digital transformation.</p> <p>The aim of this session is to showcase the importance of equipping girls and female youth, including boys and male youths, with the necessary digital skills for their future education and careers, contributing to bridging the digital skills gap. Partners will be invited to present the impact of their initiatives, as well as their thoughts on future trends in UN, International Organisation and Academia perspective, and finally the programme they will implement in 2025.</p> <p>Moderated by: Ms Nattanicha Dejsakulrit, <i>King’s College International School Bangkok</i></p>

	<p>Speakers:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Dr Rangsun Wiboonuppatum, Education Specialist, <i>UNICEF</i> • Ms Ruohan Zhang, <i>UNESCO Thailand</i> • Ms Pitinan Koormornopatana, <i>Program Director, ICANN</i> • Dr. Budsara Boriboo, <i>Department of Electrical Engineering, Chulalongkorn University</i> • Dr. Daniel James McFarlane, <i>Mahidol University</i>
14:00 – 15:00 (GMT+7) Bangkok time	<p>Session 2: Girls in ICT for Inclusive Digital Transformation- Talking tech with the Industries</p> <p>The aim of this session is to showcase the importance of equipping girls and female youth, including boys and male youths, with the necessary digital skills and knowledge for their future education and careers, contributing to bridging the digital gap. Partners will be invited to present the impact of their initiatives as well as their thoughts on future trends in the Industry, and finally the programme they will implement in 2025.</p> <p>Moderated by: Miss Nathamon Silprachawong, <i>International Community School (ICS BKK)</i></p> <p>Speakers:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Ms. Danielle Duanduan Duan, <i>Asian Institute of Technology (AIT)</i> • Ms. Suthinee Leelahemaratana, Program Manager, <i>Cisco Systems Thailand</i> • Ms. Varaporn Pangboonyanon, Deputy Director, <i>Huawei Asia Pacific Learning Service Department</i> • Ms.Emi Shitara, President, <i>Japan Brand Communication (Remote)</i> • Ms. Li Fei, Chief Finance Officer, <i>ZTE Thailand</i>
15:00 – 15:30 (GMT+7) Bangkok time	<p>Session 3: Girls in ICT for Inclusive Digital Transformation- Talking tech with Youth</p> <p>This session aims to discuss how we can prepare youth for the future of jobs, ensuring that we all contribute to inclusive digital transformation.</p> <p>Moderated by: ITU & NBTC Representative</p> <p>Speakers:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Miss Saruta Meengam, <i>Thammasat University</i> • Miss Nattanicha Dejsakulrit, <i>King's College International School Bangkok</i> • Ms. Yearin Lee, <i>Generation Connect, ASP Youth Envoy, Korea (Remote)</i>
15:30:-15:40 (GMT+7) Bangkok time	<p>Closing Remarks</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Mr Ashish Narayan, Programme Coordinator, <i>ITU Regional Office for Asia and the Pacific</i> • Ms. Rujira Thammachat, Executive Director of International Affairs Bureau, <i>Office of the National Broadcasting and Telecommunications Commission, Thailand</i>

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