

The Interregional Training Course on ITU International Standards: Data Protection (X.1220/X.nspam) and Passwordless Authentication (X.1280)

11-13 February 2026

Organized by the International Telecommunication Union with the Telecommunication Technology Association (TTA) of the Republic of Korea and the Passwordless Alliance.

PRACTICAL INFORMATION

1. Venue of the meetings

The meetings will be held in Bangkok, Thailand. The venue will be:

The ITU Regional Office for Asia and the Pacific

Address: 4th Floor NBTC Region 1 Building, 101 Chaengwattana Road, Laksi, Bangkok 10210, THAILAND

Phone: +66 2575 0055

The address on Google Maps: <https://goo.gl/maps/89kWouGusLDxqeHZ9>

2. The ITU Coordinator (General matters, visa support letters)

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3. Hotels

The list of recommended hotels near to the event venue are the following:

a. Best Western Nada Don Mueang Airport Hotel

Address: 235/8 Phahonyothin Road, Anusawari, Bang Khen, Bangkok, Thailand 10220

Phone: +66 2 5512222

Website: <https://www.bwnadadonmueang.com/>

b. Miracle Grand Convention Hotel

Address: 99 Vibhavadi Rangsit Rd, Talat Bang Khen, Lak Si, Bangkok 10210

Phone: +66 2 5755599

Website: [Miracle Grand Convention Hotel in Bangkok - Book a hotel](https://miraclegrandbangkok.com/)

c. Asawin Grand Convention Hotel

Address: 88 Vibhavadi Rangsit Road (Kamphaeng Phet 6), Talad-Bangkhen, Laksi, Bangkok 10210, Thailand

Phone: +66 2 1595888

Website: ASAWIN GRAND CONVENTION HOTEL

4. Transport and access

Participants should make their own transportation arrangements from Suvarnabhumi Airport to the pre-booked hotel. Limousine, metered taxi and bus services are readily available at the airport. Detailed information about Suvarnabhumi Airport can be found at www.airportsvuarnabhumi.com.

Please note that Don Muang Airport, the former Bangkok International Airport, currently handles domestic flights and some low-cost international flights. For your general information, the following transportation is available from Suvarnabhumi International Airport:

- c. Public Meter Taxi is located on the first floor of the Arrival Hall, entrance 4 and 7. Fare shown on meter, plus THB 50 surcharge for boarding at the airport.
- d. Airport Limousine Service, which offers transportation to various destinations in the city, is located on the arrival floor of the airport.

For participants wishing to avail themselves of the limousine and public metered-taxi services indicated above, it is strongly recommended that they approach only the authorized representatives at the counters located in the airport arrival zone. Upon request, a ticket will be issued for the assignment of either a limousine or a public metered taxi to transport passengers to the desired destination. Participants may access public taxi counters by exiting Gates 4 or 7 of the Passenger Terminal at Suvarnabhumi Airport. In addition to toll fees, there is a 50 baht surcharge to be added to the meter charge from airport to the city.

There are good public transportation facilities at the Suvarnabhumi International Airport, Thailand. For more information, please visit website: <http://www.bangkokairponline.com/>

5. Visas

To enter Thailand, all participants must possess a valid passport or accepted travel document. Participants who require a visa should apply for a visa at a Royal Thai Embassy or a Royal Thai Consulate-General in their respective country well in advance of their departure. For nationals of some countries, it may take up to two weeks for visa processing. As visa requirements change from time to time, please check with your nearest Royal Thai Embassy/Consulate-General for your visa requirements. You are also advised to visit <http://www.mfa.go.th> for more information on visas and travel documents.

Starting from 1 January 2025, visitors from around the globe can apply for a Thai e-Visa through the official website www.thaievisa.go.th. While the Thai e-Visa system has been available for travelers in select locations.

6. Currency, time, climate etc.

The unit of Thai currency is Thai Baht (THB). The exchange rate as of January 2026, is THB 31.52 to 1 USD.¹ Under Thai law, any person who brings or takes an aggregate amount of foreign currency exceeding 20,000 United States dollars or its equivalent into or out of the Kingdom of Thailand shall declare the amount of foreign currency to a Customs Officer. Failure to make such a declaration or making any false declaration to a Customs Officer is a criminal offence.

The weather in Bangkok is usually warm and humid. Light tropical clothing would be appropriate. The event rooms where the meetings are to be held are air-conditioned and the temperature is maintained in the range of 28-30 degrees Celsius (82-86 degrees Fahrenheit).

Greenwich Mean Time (GMT/UTC): Standard Time: Bangkok is 7 hours ahead of GMT (UTC +7).

The country code of Thailand is +66.

Mobile SIM cards:

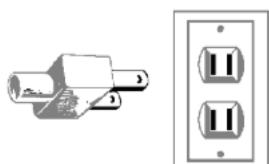
There are three major cell networks in Thailand, operated by AIS, DTAC and TrueMove. You can easily buy a SIM card in the airport, convenience stores and official retail shops.

For more information about the sim card registration process and requirements please visit the following sites: <https://thailandesim.com/sim-cards>

7. Electrical Appliances

The electric supply in Thailand is 220 volts, 50 hertz.

For Thailand, the image below shows the type of main power plug used in Thailand so participants can bring the right adaptor for their electrical appliances. This plug and receptacle are technically known as NEMA 5-15 (North American 15 A/125 V grounded).





8. Security

Stay Informed: Keep up to date with local news and any travel advisories.

Be Aware of Scams: Be cautious if approached by strangers offering deals or tours.

Keep Valuables Secure: Use hotel safes and avoid displaying expensive items in public.

Dress Appropriately: Wear clothing that is respectful of local culture and customs when going to tourist attractions.

9. Medical and Health

Participants are reminded that it is advisable to obtain travel insurance. Such insurance should cover payment for your medical care in the case of hospitalization as well as the cost of repatriation to your home country if that should become necessary. The Organizers do not take responsibility for any individual, medical, travel or personal insurance. Participants are advised to secure their own insurance policies as necessary.

Medical Emergency Numbers:

Police & General Emergencies: 191

Tourist Police: 1155 or (+66) 2308-0333

Public Ambulance (Everywhere): 1669

Fire Department: 199

Private Ambulance (Bangkok): 1724 or 1719

Highway Police: 1193

Nearest Medical Centers:

Chulabhorn Hospital

Address: 906 Kamphaeng Phet 6 Road, Lak Si, Bangkok 10210

Phone: 1118

To learn more about your visit to Kingdom of Thailand, you can visit the following website

<https://www.tourismthailand.org/home>