



Asi@Connect National Launch Event in Thailand

27 November 2018

Jamjuree 1, Pathumwan Princess Hotel, Bangkok, Thailand

About Asi@Connect

Asi@Connect is a co-funded project by the European Union to provide a dedicated high capacity and high-quality internet network for research and education communities across Asia-Pacific and Europe. Asi@Connect marks the 4th phase of EU funding to the Trans-Eurasia Information Network (TEIN) programme which was launched as an Asia-Europe Meeting (ASEM) initiative in 2001. After successfully establishing the regional research and education internet network (TEIN) in 2004, it progressively expanded its geographical footprint over the years. It currently interconnects universities and research institutes in 21 countries/economies across the region.

Objectives of Asi@Connect Local Launch

The Asi@Connect local launch event is organized to announce to the policy makers and R&E community about the Asi@Connect project, how ThaiREN is involved, as well as to make the ThaiREN member institutions and researchers aware of its benefits.

The event will also provide an opportunity for all stakeholders which are officials of Thailand Government, ThaiREN community (universities and research institutes), delegates from the European Union, and international representatives of Asi@Connect project members to meet, learn and discuss on

- Experiences and learned lessons in research and education networks
- Recent research, development, and applications on RENs
- New ideas of applications on research and education networks
- Future development of advanced research and education networks
- Collaborations with international initiatives among the Asi@Connect participating institutes

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The Thailand Research Education Network (ThaiREN)

The Office of the Higher Education Commission (OHEC)

The National Electronics and Computer Technology Center (NECTEC)

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Register: <http://www.thairen.net.th/asiconnectlaunch>

Time	Activity	Remarks
08:00- 9:00	Registration	
9:00- 09:30	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Welcoming remark from ThaiREN by <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Executive Director of The National Electronics and Computer Technology Center (NECTEC) (Or Representative) • Dr.Suphat Champatong, Ph,D. Secretary-General of the Office of the Higher Education Commission (OHEC) of the Ministry of Education - Opening remark: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Mr. Guillaume Barraut Cooperation Section Delegation of the European Union to Thailand • Ms. Hye Joo Yoon President of TEIN* Cooperation Center - Local Launch of Asi@Connect & Photo session 	
09.30-10.00	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Overview of Asi@Connect Project <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Mr. Louis Hyunho Choi Senior Administrative Manager TEIN* Cooperation Center 	
10.00-10.40	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Keynote Speech: “Next Generation Research and Education Networks” <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Prof. Kanchana Kanchanasut Internet Hall of Fame Pioneer (Dr. Kanchana Kanchanasut brought the Internet to Thailand and was actively involved in many Internet connectivity initiatives in other Southeast Asian countries, championing the idea of email, and later the Internet, in that region in the 1980s. She directs the Internet Education and Research) 	
10:40- 11:00	Coffee Break	8th floor, Terrazza Restaurant
11.00-12.30	Session 1 Asi@Connect Collaboration Presentation and Panel Discussion Representatives from Bangladesh, Japan, Laos, Thailand and TEIN* Cooperation Center	
12.30-13.30	Lunch	
13.30-16.00	Session 2 Projects and Applications Topic: Data-Centric IoT-Cloud Service Platform for Smart Communities (IoTcloudServe@TEIN) Speaker: Assoc. Prof. Chaodit Aswakul Department of Electrical Engineering Faculty of Engineering Chulalongkorn University	English /Thai Language Coffee Break will be served in the meeting room

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	<p>Topic: National e-Science Speaker: Asst. Prof. Dr. Chinorat Kobdaj School of Physics - Institute of Science Suranaree University of Technology</p> <p>Topic: Tele-medicine Speaker: Mr. Wiraphon Manatarinat Siriraj Center of Telemedicine (SiTEL) Information Technology Department Faculty of Medicine Siriraj Hospital Mahidol University</p> <p>Topic: Speaker: Representative from HAI</p> <p>Topic: Speaker: Representative from GISTDA</p>	

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