

IEEE YESIST12 International Project Competition September 7 - 8, 2019

Schedule

Saturday, 7 th Sep 2019	
07:30 - 08:30 hrs.	Registration (Participants and Volunteers)
09.00 - 09.45 hrs.	Registration (For VIP Guests, Media / Press and Stamford Lecturers/committees)
10.00 – 10.45 hrs.	<p>Opening ceremony</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Welcome Address and Report on Objectives by Dr. Andrew Scown, President of Stamford International University • Welcome Address by Mr. Kobchai Boonorana, the Governor of Phetchaburi Province • Opening Speech by Mr. Suriya Juangroongruangkit, Thailand Industry Minister
10:45 -12:00 hrs.	<p>Keynote Speakers</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Ms. Chonrungsee Chalermchaikit, President of the Federation of Thai SMEs • “Approach of IEEE Computer Society in Entrepreneurship” by Mr. Eric Berkowitz- IEEE Computer Society • Dr Supavadee Aramvith, Chair, IEEE Thailand Section • “Humanitarian projects” by Mr. Sampath Kumar Veeraraghavan -IEEE SIGHT • “Digital Transformation for sustainable development” by Dr Ajin Jirachiefpattana, Deputy Director-General National Statistical Office, Thailand
12.00 - 13.00 hrs.	Lunch break
13:00 - 15.00 hrs.	Judging for Innovation Track, Maker Fair, Jr.Einstein Track, Wepower & Virtual Track.
15:30 - 17.30 hrs.	Judging for Innovation Track, Maker Fair, Jr.Einstein Track, Wepower & Virtual Track

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Sunday, 8th Sep 2019	
10.00 - 12.00 hrs.	Judging for Innovation Track, Maker Fair, Jr.Einstein Track, Wepower & Virtual Track
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13:00 - 15.00 hrs.	Judging for Innovation Track, Maker Fair, Jr.Einstein Track, Wepower & Virtual Track
16:15 - 19.30 hrs.	<p>Award Presentation Ceremony</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • “Focusing Sustainable Development and Social Return on Investment” by Shaikh Fattah -IEEE HAC Education Committee • Thai Traditional Dance performance by Hua Hin Campus • International Dance performance by Rama 9 Campus • Parkash Lohana -IEEE Bangladesh Section • Announcements of the winning teams <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Innovation Track • Maker Fair • Junior Einstein • Wepower • Virtual • Closing speech- by Mr. Piere Bourgoin, Assistant President of Phetchaburi Campus
19:30 – 21:00 hrs.	Networking Dinner



“Youth Endeavors for Social Innovation Using Sustainable Technology 12” IEEE YESIST12

“The world's largest technical professional organization for the advancement of technology hosting an International Projects' Talent Show for the first time in Thailand with over 500 international participants from 15 countries”

Phetchaburi, Thailand —*Institute of Electrical and Electronics Engineers (IEEE) Youth Endeavours For Social Innovation Using Sustainable Technology (YESIST12)* International project competition hosted in different countries every year and this year it is going to be held in Thailand with **over 15 participating countries** like Thailand, India, Afghanistan, Bangladesh, Sri Lanka, Laos, Pakistan, Africa, Kenya and many more with expected participants over 500.

It's an *international talent show* with the theme of **UN Sustainable Development Goals** for the students and young professionals to show case their innovative ideas to solve humanitarian and social issues affecting directly the community around them. The Event will be held at Stamford International University, **Hua-Hin campus on September 7th & 8th, 2019.**

Warm welcome address was made by Mr. Kobchai Boonorana, the Governor of Phetchaburi Province and the Opening Ceremony was presided over by **Mr. Suriya Juangroongruangkit**, Thailand Industry Minister.

Guest Speakers are invited from various countries, **Ms. Chonrungsee Chalermchaikit**, President of the Federation of Thai SMEs, **Mr. Eric Berkowitz**- IEEE Computer Society, **Dr Supavadee Aramvith**, Chair, IEEE Thailand Section, **Mr. Sampath Kumar Veeraraghavan** -IEEE SIGHT, **Dr Ajin Jirachiefpattana**, Deputy Director-General National Statistical Office, Thailand and many more.

Impact to Thailand as a country since, this is the first time Thailand is going to host a technology oriented *international talent show* of this scale at Stamford International University. This will definitely result in tremendous new opportunities. At the moment, technological aspects in the country are growing, yet have a meagre impact to the country's economy which needs to be improved significantly in order to gain sustainable competitive advantage as a country. On the other hand this will pave the way to promulgate the technological advances and innovations happening in the country at the local level to the whole world. This will definitely draw the attention of international investors which will help to boost the Thailand economy.

Impact to Thailand participants It is a great chance and a privilege for all the Thailand participants to witness such a grand event in their home country itself. Being the host nation will allow more members from the country to take part in the talent fair. The Most of the participants will be the young professionals who will have the responsibility of driving the country forward in the near future. The experience they gain by participating in this will be one of a kind and it will add great value to their professional careers. The network they develop will play a major role in their future endeavours.

About **IEEE YESIST 12** (formerly SS12) is an international talent show that was formerly based in California, and later became an independent talent show spanning a breadth of fifteen countries in three continents and involving organizations like the **world bank, Rotaract Clubs** and IEEE Humanitarian Activities Committee as partners.