

# Information for Participants

**Sixty-fourth Session of the IPCC (IPCC-64)**

**Bangkok Thailand  
24 – 27 March 2026**

## I. INTRODUCTION

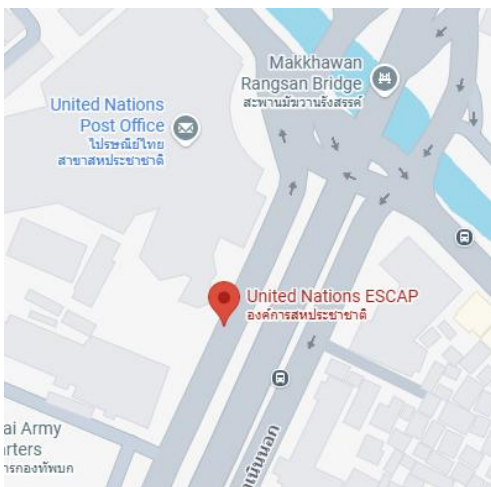
The Sixty Fourth Session of the Intergovernmental Panel on Climate Change (IPCC) will take place in **ESCAP, Bangkok, Thailand** from **24 to 27 March 2026**.

Thailand is a country on Southeast Asia's Indochina peninsula known for tropical beaches, opulent royal palaces, ancient ruins and ornate temples.

### MEETING VENUE

The IPCC Session will take place at the [United Nations Conference Centre \(UNCC\)](#) in Bangkok, Thailand.

More information about the venue can be found below:



[The United Nations Building](#)

Rajadamnern Nok Avenue

Bangkok 10200

Thailand



## II. REGISTRATION

Participant registration will be at the meeting venue as follows:

Registration for participants will be open on site as of Monday, 23<sup>rd</sup> March from 14:00 to 17:00, and as of 08:00 from Tuesday, 24<sup>th</sup> March to Friday, 27<sup>th</sup> March 2026.

Monday, 23<sup>rd</sup> March 14:00 – 17:00

Tuesday 24<sup>th</sup> to Friday, 27<sup>th</sup> March 08:00 – 17:00

Please note that photo badges used at UNCC for meeting participants is mandatory in line with standard security procedures to facilitate security clearance and entrance to the premises. Participants are encouraged to submit their photos in advance, which will speed up the registration process.

For identification and security reasons, all participants are REQUIRED to wear their meeting badges at all times while they are in the UN complex, which include meetings and social functions. Loss of a meeting badge should be immediately communicated to the registration counter or the UN security, so that the incident could be recorded, and a new badge can be issued.

Please pre-register each designated participant no later than **Friday, 13<sup>th</sup> March 2026 (midnight CEST)** on the registration portal: <https://apps.ipcc.ch/register>, using the unique credentials sent to all Focal Points in advance of the session. Please upload a photo for each registered participant in the format specified (120 x 80 pixel).

## III. VISITORS TO THAILAND

### 1. SUVARNABHUMI INTERNATIONAL AIRPORT

The airport is located on what had formerly been known as Nong Nguhao (Cobra Swamp) in Racha Thewa in Bang Phli, Samut Prakan, about 25 kilometres east of downtown Bangkok and 40 kilometers from United Nations Office in Bangkok.

### 2. TRANSPORTATION

Participants should make their own transportation arrangements from Suvarnabhumi Airport to their respective hotels. Limousine, metered-taxi and bus services are readily available at the airport. Detailed information about Suvarnabhumi Airport can be found at: <http://www.suvarnabhumiairport.com>.

To avail themselves of the limousines and public metered-taxis services, it is strongly recommended that participants contact only the authorized officials at the counters located in the airport arrival zone. The officials, upon contact, will issue a ticket for the assignment of either a limousine or a public metered-taxi for transporting passengers to the desired destination. Participants may access public taxi counters by exiting gates 3 or 9 of the arrival zone in 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.

### **Transportation to Attend the Meeting**

Participants must make their own transport arrangements in order to attend the Session.

Some hotels provide complimentary transport, according to fixed schedules, to and from UNCC. Please contact your hotel to find out the possibility of this service.

### **3. TIME ZONE**

Bangkok time zone is UTC + 07:00 hours..

All places in Thailand are in the same time zone.

### **4. VISAS FOR TRAVEL TO THAILAND**

Participants are **REQUIRED** to obtain an appropriate entry visa from the Royal Thai Embassy or the Royal Thai Consulate-General before entering Thailand, EXCEPT for those nationals entitled to visa exemption or visa on arrival (VOA) for the purpose of short-term business engagement. Please refer to the following lists.

- 1) [List of Countries and Territories whose Nationals are entitled to Visa Exemption for Ordinary Passports](#)
- 2) [List of Countries and Territories having Bilateral Agreement with Thailand on Visa Exemption for Ordinary Passports](#)
- 3) [List of Countries and Territories having Bilateral Agreement with Thailand on Visa Exemption for Diplomatic/Official passports](#)
- 4) [List of Countries and Territories whose Nationals May Apply for Visa on Arrival \(VOA\)](#)

Please note that participants holding UN Laissez-Passer (UNLP) travelling on official business to Thailand are also **REQUIRED** to obtain an appropriate visa before entering.

To apply for an appropriate entry visa to Thailand, participants are required to submit their applications only through [Thai e-Visa Official website](#). It is important to note that **applicant is required to be physically located in the jurisdiction of the respective Royal Thai Embassy/Consulate-General (RTE/RTCG) where they are applying for the Thai entry visa**. You may explore [RTE/RTCG websites](#) for more information.

Participants who are eligible to apply for a visa on arrival at Suvarnabhumi International Airport or Don Muang International Airport should follow the below requirements:

1. The applicant must possess a passport from the list of countries whose nationals are eligible to apply for visa on arrival ([List of countries entitled for Visa on Arrival](#)) with the validity of more than 30 days, at least one completely blank page, and be in possession of a valid return ticket with date of departure within 15 days of the date of entry.
2. The applicant must fill out an application form, which is available at the Visa-on-Arrival counter at the airport, supply one recent passport-sized photograph and a fee of Thai Baht (THB) 2,000.
3. The applicant must provide proof of means of living expenses at the amount of THB 10,000 per person or THB 20,000 per family.

#### ENTRY REQUIREMENTS (AS OF APRIL 2025)

##### Thailand Digital Arrival Card (TDAC)

Effective 1 May 2025, all foreigners entering Thailand are required to complete the TDAC online through [website](#) within **3 days prior to arriving in Thailand**, including the date of arrival. Please find [Guide on how to complete TDAC](#).

##### Health Control

Thai Department of Disease Control (DDC), Ministry of Public Health (MoPH) has implemented measures to monitor Monkey Pox at all Thailand's international airports for those travelling from 6 countries including Democratic Republic of Congo, Burundi, Kenya, Uganda, Rwanda and Côte d'Ivoire. Travelers will be required to register on MoPH's system upon their arrival in Thailand. For more information, travelers can contact the DDC Hotline 1422.

## 5. ACCOMMODATION

Participants must make their own hotel arrangements.

List of hotels with special discount rates for ESCAP are listed below. The following hotels, located relatively close to ESCAP, have been designated as recommended hotels for which the room rates indicated below are inclusive of service charge and value added tax.

[https://www.unescap.org/sites/default/d8files/event-documents/Hotel\\_Offers.pdf](https://www.unescap.org/sites/default/d8files/event-documents/Hotel_Offers.pdf)

## 6. HEALTH REQUIREMENTS & MEDICAL SERVICES

Up-to-date information on international travel and health requirements are provided by the World Health Organization (WHO) at the following websites:

- <https://www.who.int/travel-advice>
- <https://www.who.int/emergencies/diseases/novel-coronavirus-2019>

Any medical service provided by clinics, hospitals, pharmacies, or other health care institution, will have to be funded by the participants directly to the service provider.

Anyone who feels unwell while already within the UNCC is advised to call any medical service staff at +66 2288 1352/1353/1761 during business hours, for further guidance. In case of a medical emergency within the UNCC, they are advised to call UN Security at +66 2288 1102/1120 for assistance in calling an ambulance.

### Other Health Requirement

Upon arrival at the port of entry in Thailand, participants who are nationals of or have traveled from/through countries listed below, which have been declared Yellow Fever infected areas, must provide an International Health Certificate proving that they have received a valid Yellow Fever vaccination at the Health Control Office upon arrival before proceeding to immigration. A valid vaccination certificate means that the vaccine was administered at least 10 days prior to travel to the affected country. The International Health Certificate must also be submitted together with the visa application form.

The countries/areas listed below have been declared yellow fever infected areas (Source: [Ministry of Foreign Affairs, Thailand](#) dated 30 November 2022):

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|-----------------------------|-------------------|---------------------------|
| 1. Angola                   | 16. Ethiopia      | 32. Peru                  |
| 2. Argentina                | 17. French Guiana | 33. Republic of the Congo |
| 3. Benin                    | 18. Gabon         | 34. Rwanda                |
| 4. Bolivia                  | 19. Gambia        | 35. Sao Tome & Principe   |
| 5. Brazil                   | 20. Ghana         | 36. Senegal               |
| 6. Burkina Faso             | 21. Guinea        | 37. Sierra Leone          |
| 7. Burundi                  | 22. Guinea-Bissau | 38. Somalia               |
| 8. Cameroon                 | 23. Guyana        | 39. Sudan                 |
| 9. Central African Republic | 24. Kenya         | 40. Suriname              |
| 10. Chad                    | 25. Liberia       | 41. Tanzania              |
| 11. Colombia                | 26. Mali          | 42. Togo                  |
| 12. Congo                   | 27. Mauritania    | 43. Trinidad & Tobago     |
| 13. Cote d'Ivoire           | 28. Niger         | 44. Uganda                |
| 14. Ecuador                 | 29. Nigeria       | 45. Venezuela             |
| 15. Equatorial Guinea       | 30. Panama        |                           |
|                             | 31. Paraguay      |                           |

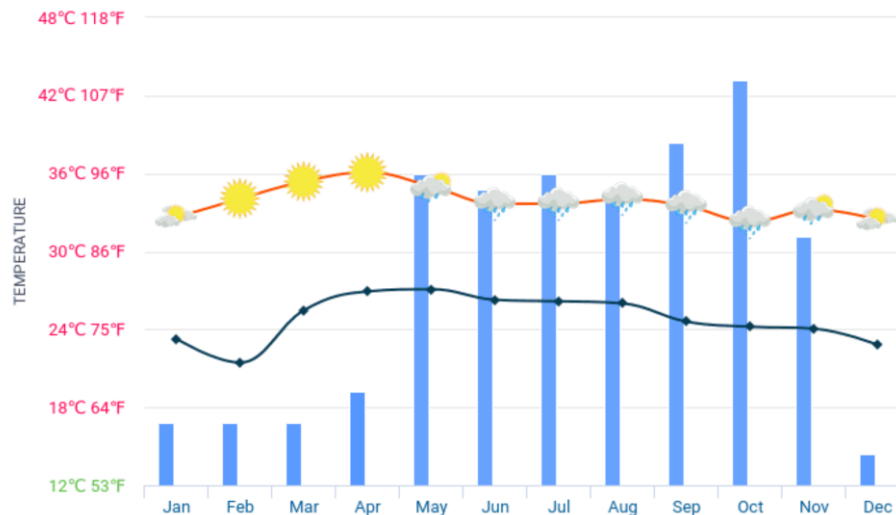
Please note that WMO/IPCC shall not be held responsible for any health problems or accidents that the participants may have. Participants are responsible for making all necessary arrangements for life, health and other forms of insurance as they consider appropriate.

## 7. WEATHER

The weather in Bangkok is usually warm and humid. Light tropical clothing would be

appropriate. The conference rooms where the meetings are to be held are air-conditioned and the temperature is maintained in the range of 23-24 degrees Celsius (73-75 degrees Fahrenheit).

Typically, March in Bangkok includes high temperatures and moderate rainfall. You can expect maximum daytime temperatures to reach around 35°C, while the nights will see a decline to about 27°C. March is mostly dry in Bangkok with only occasional short showers.



## 8. CURRENCY

The currency in Thailand is the Thai Baht (TBT).

The current exchange rates are approximately:

1 USD = 31.99 THB

1 EUR = 37.17 THB

Check [www.xe.com](http://www.xe.com) for the most up-to-date exchange rates. Most transactions in the city are conducted in cash and credit cards. ATMs are widely available throughout the city.

Currency exchange facilities are available at hotels and all over Bangkok. Such services are also available at the Siam Commercial Bank, United Nations Branch, which is located on the first floor of the Service Building (telephone extension 2168). The Bank opens from 08:30 to 15:30 hours, with no lunch break, from Monday to Friday.

Any person who brings or takes an aggregate amount of foreign currency exceeding US\$ 20,000 or its equivalent into or out of the Kingdom of Thailand shall declare such amount of foreign currency to a Customs Official. Failure to make such a declaration or making any false declaration to a Customs official is a criminal offence.

## Credit cards

**Visa, MasterCard, American Express, Dinners Club** and other major credit cards are widely accepted at hotels, restaurants, and shops.

## Banking Services

Banking services are available at the Siam Commercial Bank, United Nations Branch, located on the first floor of the Service Building, from 0830 to 1530 hours during weekdays.

## 9. ELECTRICITY

The electric power in Thailand is 220V running at 50Hz and the plug types used are either type A, type B, or type C\*. A hybrid socket is almost universally found which accepts a combination of the above plug types. Delegates are strongly encouraged to carry their own adapters for use with laptops and other electrical appliances. Adapters can be purchased from shops in the city dealing in electronic and electrical items.



*Type A*



*Type B*



*Type C*



*Hybrid Socket*

## 10. WORKING LANGUAGES

Thailand's official language is Thai. English is not extensively used outside main hotels.

During the session, simultaneous interpretation in the six UN official languages (Arabic, Chinese, English, French, Russian and Spanish) will be provided in the main conference room.

## 11. INTERNET SERVICES

Free wireless internet access is available in all conference and meeting rooms and in the public areas of the UNCC. Password is not required.

## 12. TRAVE ADVISORY

Visitors are advised to be respectful of Thai customs at all times. Please note that Thailand has laws against making negative comments about the institution of the monarchy. Such laws are strictly enforced and are applicable to spoken, written, gestures and electronic communication, including social media.



### **13. EMERGENCY CONTACT INFORMATION**

Police and Emergencies	191
Tourist Police	1155
Fire Department	199
Public Ambulance	1669
ESCAP Medical Services	+66 2288 1352/1353/1761 (business hours only)
UN Security	+66 2288 1102/1120