



TENTATIVE PROGRAMME

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CONFERENCE ON THE ETHICS OF SCIENCE & TECHNOLOGY AND SUSTAINABLE DEVELOPMENT

in conjunction with the

26TH SESSION OF THE UNESCO INTERNATIONAL BIOETHICS COMMITTEE (IBC) AND
11TH SESSION OF THE UNESCO WORLD COMMISSION ON THE ETHICS OF SCIENTIFIC KNOWLEDGE
AND TECHNOLOGY (COMEST)

**Centara Grand at Central Plaza Ladprao, BANGKOK, THAILAND
5-6 July 2019**

Day 1 – 5 July 2019 (Friday)

FRIDAY, 5 JULY 2019	
07h30 - 08h30	Registration of Participants
08h30 - 09h30 08h45	Opening Ceremony Arrival of HRH Princess Maha Chakri Sirindhorn at Place of Meeting
09h00 - 09h30	Presenting Programme Booklet to HRH Princess Maha Chakri Sirindhorn Assoc. Prof. Soranit Siltharm , Permanent Secretary of Ministry of Science and Technology (Thailand) Briefing of the meetings Dr Pichet Durongkaveroj , Minister of Science and Technology (Thailand) Opening Remark HRH Princess Maha Chakri Sirindhorn <i>Interpretation: <u>English and French</u></i>
09h30 - 10h10 09h30 - 09h50	Keynote Addresses: <i>(title TBC)</i> Mr Xing Qu , Deputy Director-General of UNESCO
09h50 - 10h10	“Ethics of Science and Technology in the Context of Sustainable Development” Prof. Yongyuth Yuthavong , Member of the UNESCO International Bioethics Committee (IBC) and Former Chairperson of UNESCO Intergovernmental Bioethics Committee (IGBC) <i>Interpretation: <u>English and French</u></i>

10h10 - 10h30	Coffee Break		
10h30 - 11h40	Plenary 1: Ethics of S&T and Sustainable Development – From Policy to Practice <i>Interpretation: <u>English and French</u></i>		
11h40 - 12h50	Plenary 2: “Principle of Individual Responsibility as related to Health” (Plenary of the 26 th Session of the IBC) <i>Interpretation: <u>English and French</u></i>		
12h50 - 14h30	Lunch Break		
14h30 - 18h20	Parallel Sessions (<i>conducted in English only, no interpretation provided</i>)		
“Ethical and Societal Challenges toward Genome Technology”	“AI, Robotics and Big Data: Giving Legitimacy to <i>Homo Digitus</i> ”	“Towards Climate Change Ethics Implementation”	“Building up the Culture of Research Integrity in the Developing World”
19h30	Reception Dinner (By Invitation Only)		

Day 2 – 6 July 2019 (Saturday)

SATURDAY, 6 JULY 2019	
08h00 - 08h30	Registration
08h30 - 09h25	Plenary 3: “Ethical Implications of the Internet of Things (IoT)” (Plenary of the 11 th Session of COMEST) <i>Interpretation: <u>English and French</u></i>
09h25 - 10h20	Plenary 4: “Ethics of Artificial Intelligence: Preliminary Study of the COMEST Extended Working Group” (Plenary of the 11 th Session of COMEST) <i>Interpretation: <u>English and French</u></i>
10h20 - 11h10	Plenary 5: “Assisted Reproductive Technologies (ART) and Parenthood” (Plenary of the 26 th Session of the IBC) <i>Interpretation: <u>English and French</u></i>
11h10 - 11h30	Coffee Break
11h30 - 13h00	Plenary 6: Bridging Science and Society: Consequences of Scientific Developments in Reproduction Lessons Learned from the Public Communication, Consultation and Participation through Art and Media: Youth Engagement in Science, Technology and Innovation Project <i>Interpretation: <u>English and French</u></i>
13h00- 14h00	Lunch Break

14h00 - 15h10	<p>Plenary 7: “Water Ethics: Ocean, Freshwater, Coastal Areas” & “Land Use Ethics” <i>(Plenary of the 11th Session of COMEST)</i></p> <p><i>Interpretation: <u>English and French</u></i></p>
15h10 - 16h40	<p>Plenary 8: Building Collaborations for Ethics of S&T and Sustainable Development</p> <p><i>Interpretation: <u>English and French</u></i></p>
16h40 - 17h00	<p>Coffee Break</p>
17h00 - 17h20	<p>Presentation of the Bangkok Statement <i>(Format to be decided)</i></p> <p><i>Interpretation: <u>English and French</u></i></p>
17h20 - 17h40	<p>Closing Remarks by Assoc. Prof. Soranit Siltharm, Permanent Secretary of Ministry of Science and Technology (Thailand)</p> <p><i>Interpretation: <u>English and French</u></i></p>