

PMAC 2022 LOGISTICS GUIDE

(For In-Person Participation in Phuket, Thailand)

HOSTS & PARTNERS

The conference is jointly co-hosted and co-sponsored by:

The Royal Thai Government; Prince Mahidol Award Foundation under the Royal Patronage; Ministry of Public Health, Ministry of Foreign Affairs, Thailand; Mahidol University; World Health Organization; The World Bank; United Nations Development Programme; United Nations Children's Fund; The Joint United Nations Programme on HIV/AIDS; The Global Fund to Fight AIDS, Tuberculosis and Malaria; United States Agency for International Development; Japan International Cooperation Agency; China Medical Board; The Rockefeller Foundation; Chatham House; United Nations Population Fund; Bill & Melinda Gates Foundation; National University of Singapore; British Medical Journal; People's Health Movement; Swedish Institute for Global Health Transformation and FHI 360

CONFERENCE VENUE

The Conference will be held at:

Centara Grand Beach Resort Phuket, Phuket Province

683 Patak Road, Karon Beach, Amphur Muang, Phuket 83100, Thailand

T: +66 (0) 7620 1234 | F: +66 (0) 7620 1235

Website: <https://www.centarahotelsresorts.com/centaragrand/cpbr>

CONFERENCE DATE

The Conference will take place from 24 – 29 January 2022 with the following schedule:

Date and Time	Activities
Mon 24 January 2022 (09:00 – 17:00 hrs.)	Side Meetings
Tue 25 January 2022 (07:00 – 18:00 hrs.)	Field Trip
Wed 26 January 2022 (18:00 – 21:30 hrs.)	Main Conference and Opening Session
Thu 27 January 2022 (18:00 – 21:30 hrs.)	Main Conference
Fri 28 January 2022 (18:00 – 21:00 hrs.)	Main Conference
Sat 29 January 2022 (18:00 – 21:45 hrs.)	Main Conference and Closing Session

CONFERENCE REGISTRATION

Participation at the Conference is by invitation only. Participants are requested to register online via the Conference website (www.pmac2022.com). A Username and Password will be provided in your invitation email. One Username and Password is valid for one participant only.

On-site Conference Registration

At the Conference Venue, all participants are required to register onsite to receive their badge and documents. To facilitate the onsite registration process, kindly present your passport or invitation letter at the Registration Desk. The Registration Desk is located at the 1st floor nearby the main meeting room (Phuket Grand Ballroom) and will be open starting from Sunday 23 January 2022.

Field Trip Registration

Even though participants have registered online for the field trip, participants are required to reconfirm your participation at the Registration Desk located at the Conference Venue, 1st floor before Monday **24 January 2022 18:00 hrs**.

Participants are recommended to wear trousers and comfortable walking shoes to join the Field Trip.

Side Meeting Registration

Side Meetings are organized by Conference Co-hosts and Partners. Some meetings are open for all participants while some are by invitation only. The side meeting program and organizer contact information are available on the conference website (www.pmac2022.com)

Conference Badge

All participants (Onsite) are required to wear the conference badge throughout the conference, including the side meeting and field trip days.

CONFERENCE MEALS

Welcome Dinner: Tuesday 25 January 2022 (TBC)

Early Dinner: Wednesday 26 January – Saturday 29 January 2022 starting around 16:30 hrs.

Break: In between sessions around 19:30 hrs.

On the date of side meeting and field trips, meals will be provided according to side meeting and field trip program.

Food Restrictions

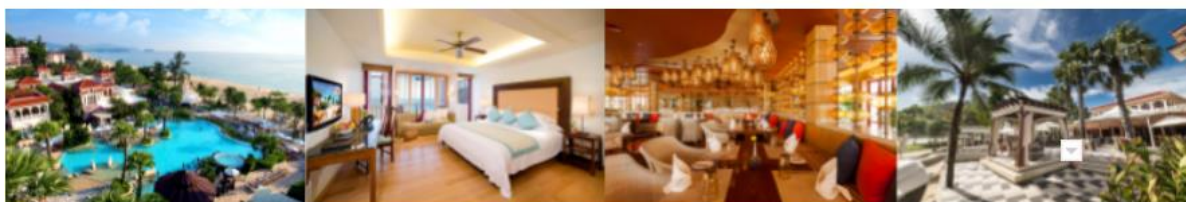
Please indicate any food restrictions on the Conference Registration Page.

ACCOMMODATION

The Conference Organizer has negotiated special rates at the Centara Grand Beach Resort Phuket (conference venue) for conference attendees. To receive the special rate, please make your reservation via the online Conference Registration Page before **24 December 2021** or until the block booking is full.



Centara Grand Beach Resort Phuket (Conference Venue)



★★★★★ Hotel Information

Centara Grand Beach Resort Phuket

683 Karon Beach, Patak Road, Karon, Muang, Phuket 83100 Thailand

Get Directions

Phone: (+66) 7-620-1234

Fax: (+66) 7-620-1235

Hotel contact person: Mr. Supachai Wongworakan

Website: <https://www.centarahotelsresorts.com/centaragrand/cpbr>

Email: rsvnmgrcpbr@chr.co.th; rsvncpbr@chr.co.th

Room Type	Price/Room/Night (Thai Baht)
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Run of House (single/double)	THB 4,700 net
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Terms & Conditions

- Hotel will allocate room as per hotel availability (run of house basis)
- Rates are net inclusive of 10% service charge and 7% VAT
- Rates are inclusive of daily breakfast for 2 persons per room and internet access
- Any requests i.e. bedding type, room close to each other, sea view is subject to room availability
- Check-in time: After 15:00 hrs. / Check-out time: Before 11:00 hrs.
- Early check in and late check out cannot be confirmed at this moment. It is subject to our availability basis.
- 1 night guarantee will be charged within 24 hours after the reservation is made. The cost for the remaining nights will be charged after the cancellation deadline of **12 January 2022**.

CANCELLATION AND NO-SHOW POLICY

- Cancellation and modification without charge is possible before **12 January 2022**.
- In case of cancellation, modification, non-arrival, shorten stay or early departure of your hotel reservation after **12 January 2022**, full charge will be applied based on all night stays.

Remark:

- Any amendment and cancellation, kindly refer to the e-hotel confirmation number with the detail of amendment.
- Please rest assured that we provide flexible policy during the COVID-19 situation. If traveling period is affected by government restriction, you may choose to either keep deposit and postpone the date free of charge or cancel with full refund. However, please note that in normal situation all payment is non-refundable after **12 January 2022**.

VISA

Participants are responsible for obtaining an appropriate visa to Thailand, if needed. The invitation letter from the conference organizers can be used to apply for a visa. Information on countries requiring a visa to Thailand as well as the contact information of the Royal Thai Embassy or Royal Thai Consulate-General in each country can be found on the website <https://thaiconsulatela.org/en/list-of-countries-allowed-30-day-stay-without-a-visa-for-tourism-only-passport-must-be-valid-for-at-least-six-more-months/>. Visa application time varies by country. It is advised to apply for your visa early in advance.

Thailand Pass System

During the COVID-19 Pandemic, it is mandatory for both Thai and foreign travelers who intend to enter Thailand to register to 'Thailand Pass System' to make the documentation process of travelers entering Thailand.

The Thailand Pass System is a free-of-charge, online-based system that replaces the previous Certificate of Entry (COE) system. Travelers must register to the Thailand Pass System in order to submit their travel and health information such as vaccine certificates for processing of the documented permission to enter Thailand.

You may find comprehensive information concerning Application Steps, Documents Required, Self-Registration Portal for Thailand Pass, as well as Service Provider for facilitating the process and Rates from the link <https://www.thaiembassy.com/travel-to-thailand/thailand-pass>.

Travel Insurance

To apply for Thailand Pass, one of the mandatory documents that travelers must submit to the system is the COVID-19 insurance policy. The qualified insurance policy must expressly state that it covers up to 50,000 USD medical expenses including COVID-19 for the costs of isolation, quarantine, testing, and treatment. The insurance must cover the whole stay of the applicant in Thailand. Please keep in mind that the Thailand Pass System only accepts one attachment therefore it is important to have a one-page Certificate of Insurance with all the required information.

The details concerning the requirement of COVID-19 insurance for entering Thailand can be found from the provided link below. [You may also find the recommended insurance coverage/plan as well as qualified insurance provider from the link.] Normally, the price of insurance is about USD100 for covering a minimum of USD 50,000 for 30 days of travel. For more details, please visit the link <https://www.thaiembassy.com/travel-to-thailand/covid-19-insurance-for-thailand>.

AIRPORT TRANSFER (PHUKET INTERNATIONAL AIRPORT – HKT)

Airport Transfer from **Phuket International Airport** to **Centara Grand Beach Resort Phuket (Conference Venue)** will be provided free of charge, starting from [Saturday 22 January 2022](#). Should you need airport transfer service, kindly make a request and provide your travel itinerary on the Conference Registration Page.

Arrival: Upon your arrival, please contact the counter/our representative with the signboard “**Prince Mahidol Award Conference**”.

Departure: For your return flight, Airport Transfer to **Phuket International Airport** will be departing from **Centara Grand Beach Resort Phuket (Conference Venue)**, and will be available from [Thursday 27 January until Monday 31 January 2022](#). Please contact the Airport Transfer Reservation Desk onsite during the conference period to confirm your departure time from the Hotel.

For more information, please contact

Prince Mahidol Award Conference Secretariat

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