

Agenda

The Organizers reserve the right to change the programme/speakers.

Time	Topics	Speakers
8.30 – 9.00am	Registration	
9.00 – 9.15am	Welcome and Opening speech	Mr. Vorapat Praneepachachon Assistant Director, Financial Institutions Strategy Dept Bank of Thailand
	Session one - plenary discussion	
9.15 – 9.30am	2019 ASEAN Sustainable Banking Assessment Result Highlighting progress of the recent year and identifying gaps for improvement as well as the action plans that banks can take to alleviate sustainability performance of Thai banking sector.	Mr. Anders Nordheim Vice President of Asia Sustainable Finance WWF
9.30 – 10.15am	Banking sector response to Responsible Financing The session will look at how banks can adopt industry guidelines and incorporate ESG considerations in their Policies, Processes and Governance to meet changing stakeholder expectations and mounting risks. <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • How to start the conversation with key internal stakeholders e.g. getting buy-in from SMT, setting up team, convincing business units • What are the roles and responsibilities of the sustainability team? • How can banks leverage the tools and standards in developing policies and processes? • How do banks engage with clients to support their transition to more sustainable practices? <p><i>Interactive session where participants can raise questions to speaker</i></p>	Mr. Frankie Phua Managing Director and Head of Group Risk Management UOB
10:15 – 10:30am	Coffee Break	
	Session two – group discussion	
10.30 – 11.15am	The session encourage participant to share their point of views to stimulate peer learning. Participants will be assigned to groups to address the questions based on the '4 Elements' presented in the guidelines as follows: <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1) Leadership and responsible lending commitment 	Facilitator includes BOT, UOB and WWF

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	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> 2) Stakeholder engagement 3) Internal implementation mechanisms 4) Transparency <p>The members in the group are encouraged to brainstorm and discuss. The group responses will be presented at the plenary discussion at the end of session. Speaker, WWF and BOT will facilitate the discussion.</p>	
11.15 – 11.40am	<p>Session three – Plenary discussion</p> <p>Each group presents the results to all participants where WWF will present some examples of international banks alongside the discussion. Facilitators contribute to the discussion with recommendations.</p>	Facilitator includes BOT, UOB and WWF
11.40 – 12.00pm	<p>Q&A and Closing Remarks</p>	<p>Mrs.Nawaron Dejsuvan Assistant Governor Financial Institutions Policy Group Bank of Thailand</p>
12.00 – 1.00pm	Lunch break	

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