

General Information

Airport Transfer

Bangkok has two airports. The first Thai airport was Don Mueang International Airport, which opened on 27 March 1914 for the Siam Air Force, and was considered the main gateway into and out of Thailand for almost 100 years.

It was closed in 2006 when Suvarnabhumi International Airport was officially opened. However, Don Mueang Airport was reopened again in 2007 for international charter flights, domestic flights, as well as cargo planes.

The new Bangkok International Airport, Suvarnabhumi ("Soo-wan-na-boom") is one of the most spectacular airports in the world. Opened in September 2006 as the major hub of air travel in Southeast Asia. Located approximately 30km (18.6 m) east of downtown Bangkok, a drive to or from the airport should take no more than one hour.

Arrival

Don Mueang International Airport: Terminal 1 for international flights and Terminal 2 for domestic flights, 1st floor.



You will rendezvous with our Student Liaison Officers holding ACUCA sign just outside the arrival gate of terminal 1 and 2.

Suvarnabhumi International Airport: Arrival Hall, 2nd floor



Our Student Liaison Officers will wait for all delegates at the meeting area near door 3 & 4 of Suvarnabhumi International Airport.

Departure

Airport drop-off will be provided on 13 and 14 October 2018. Be advised that due to the traffic it may take about two hours from Nakhon Pathom to Don Mueang and Suvarnabhumi International Airport. Therefore, you should leave the hotel at least **three hours** ahead of your scheduled departure time for domestic flights and **four hours** ahead for international flights.

Don Mueang International Airport: Terminal 1 for international flights and Terminal 2 for domestic flights, 2nd floor



Suvarnabhumi International Airport: Departure Hall, 4th floor



Meals

Breakfast and lunch will be provided at the Mes Amis Restaurant, 1st floor of Srisirinthorn Building of Christian University of Thailand. Dinner will also be provided at the Shaded Sports Arena which is not far from the dormitory and Indoor Multipurpose Room.

Weather

Average temperature in Nakhon Pathom for the month of October is between 25 and 32 degrees Celsius. Occasional showers or strong sunlight may take place during the conference, we recommend you to bring umbrella at all times.

Clothing

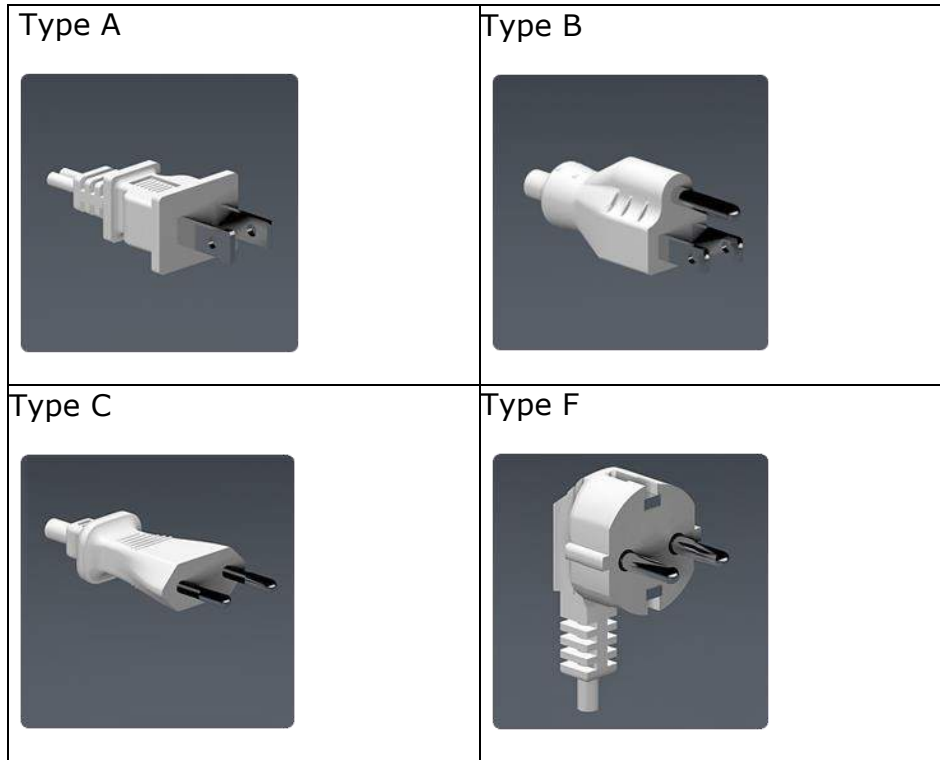
Thailand is warm year-round, so simply wear comfortable clothing suitable to a warm climate. You are encouraged to wear clothing unique to your country's culture.

Currency

There are many currency exchange counters in the arrival and departure hall of both airports. Major foreign currencies can be exchanged for Thai Baht. Major credit cards are also widely accepted in the airport and big stores. However, in traditional market or smaller stores, you must pay with cash. If you need to draw cash, there are several ATMs that receive international Debit/Credit Cards such as VISA, MasterCard, Maestro, Cirrus and Alto.

Electricity

Electricity in Thailand is 220 Volts. If you travel to Thailand with device that does not accept 220 Volts at 50 Hertz, you will need a voltage converter. Outlets in Thailand generally accept two types of power socket plugs: type A/B/C/F. Ref: <http://www.iec.ch/worldplugs/>



If your appliances plug has a different shape, you may need a plug adapter.

Contact Information

For any emergency situation, including flight change or cancellation, please inform the ACUCA secretariat, Rev. Dr. Esther Wakeman at her cell phone number [6689-8350786](tel:6689-8350786), or email Mr. Samuel Santisuk Chinnapongse at his email: santisuk_c@payap.ac.th and cc to Ms. Saranya Suwanna-ardh, our transportation coordinator at email: saranyap@christian.ac.th and s.suwannaardh@gmail.com.