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World Schools Debating Championship

2014 Bangkok
Thailand



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Thailand Situation

The People's Democratic Reform Committee has launch its "Bangkok Shutdown" by blocking 8 strategic roads in Bangkok making it more difficult to travel within Bangkok but mass transportation such as BTS (Sky Train) and MRT (Subway) are still fully functioning.

The currently daily activities at the protest is having different motivational speeches, performances and daily rally march to gather more supporters to join the their protest.

The current protest have 2 main objectives is to remove Ms. Yingluck (Acting Prime Minister) from her position and to stop the election on the 2nd of February 2014. We aren't sure till when all of the protest will end, people living in Bangkok are facing more difficulties in their daily traveling but shops, malls, restaurants are still all open as regular.

The organization committee has done daily assessments on the Bangkok situation, in moving most venues out of the Bangkok metropolitan area to avoid any passing of the protest. With 7 months still the tournament, the organization committee will update on any changes, which may accord.



Registration

We understand that nations also have concerns with the Thailand situation and may have difficulty in confirming the participations. We will be extending the Pre-Registration Dates to March 15 (Noon (+7)), with payment of 5,000 baht per pre-registered delegated as deposit.

Nation wishes to send extra adjudicators, beyond the standard delegation allocation of 8, they will be charged the usual participation fee and will not be charged as an observer. Independent adjudicators will also be charged the lower rate. However, additional coaches, or team managers etc (above the 8) will be charged the observers fee.

Adjudicators will be treated preferentially when allocating additional places over additional observers, coaches or team managers etc. As always, nations are encouraged to nominate either their primary adjudicator or coach as the team manager.

For the Final phase of registration dates: March 16 – June 15 2014

Teams are asked to complete the online registration forms for each delegate, including indemnity forms, agreement to the tournament rules and guidelines.

For nations that have already register on our system and are planning to pay the pre-registration amount, our finance team will be posting the bank details on our website by the January 30.

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Updated Schedule

5-Aug-14

Arrival All Day

6-Aug-14

Breakfast	06:30AM - 08:30AM
Tournament Briefing	08:30AM - 10:00AM
Adjudication Briefing Part I (2 hours)	10:00AM - 12:00PM
Lunch	12:00PM - 13:00PM
Adjudication Breifing Part II (2 hours)	13:00PM - 15:00PM
Adjudication Test (2 hours)	15:00PM - 17:00PM
Bangkok Walking Tour	13:00PM - 17:00PM
Host Meeting (Team Managers)	17:00PM - 18:00PM
Welcoming Dinner	19:00PM - 21:00PM

7-Aug-14

Breakfast	06:30AM - 08:00AM
Traveling to Schools	08:00AM - 09:00AM
Roll Call	09:30AM - 10:00AM
Round 1	10:00AM - 11:00AM
Feedback From Round 1	11:00AM - 12:00PM
Lunch	12:00PM - 13:00PM
Roll Call and Motion Release	13:00PM - 13:30PM
Preparation Time	13:30PM - 14:30PM
Round 2	14:30PM - 15:30PM
Feedback From Round 2	15:30PM - 16:30PM
Traveling to Schools	16:30PM - 17:30PM
Dinner	18:30PM - 21:00PM

8-Aug-14

Breakfast	06:30AM - 08:00AM
Traveling to Assumption College (Siracha)	08:00AM - 10:00AM
Roll Call	10:30AM - 11:00AM
Round 3	11:00AM - 12:00PM
Feedback From Round 3	12:00PM - 12:30PM
Lunch	12:30PM - 13:30PM
Roll Call and Motion Release	14:00PM - 14:30PM
Preparation Time	14:30PM - 15:30PM
Round 4	15:30PM - 16:30PM
Feedback From Round 4	16:30PM - 17:30PM
Traveling to Dinner	17:30PM - 18:30PM
Dinner	18:30PM - 20:30PM
Traveling back to the Hotel	20:30PM - 22:00PM

Updated Schedule

9-Aug-14

Breakfast	06:00AM - 08:00AM
Optional Tour Day	08:00AM - 17:00PM
Roll Call and Motion Release	09:00AM - 09:30AM
Preparation Time	9:30AM - 10:30AM
Round 0	10:30AM - 11:30AM
Feedback Round 0	11:30AM - 12:30PM
Tournament Committee Meeting (Optional) - (3 Hours)	17:00PM - 20:00PM
Dinner provided only for Tournament Committee Meeting	
Cultural Expo	20:00PM - 22:00PM

10-Aug-14

Breakfast	06:00AM - 08:00AM
Traveling to Assumption University	08:00AM - 09:30AM
Roll Call	10:00AM - 10:30AM
Round 5	10:30AM - 11:30PM
Feedback Round 5	11:30PM - 12:30PM
Lunch	12:30PM - 13:30PM
Roll Call and Motion Release	14:00PM - 14:30PM
Preparation Time	14:30PM - 15:30PM
Round 6	15:30PM - 16:30PM
Feedback Round 6	16:30PM - 17:30PM
Traveling to Hotel	17:30PM - 19:00PM
Dinner (Optional)	19:00PM - 21:00PM

11-Aug-14

Breakfast	06:00AM - 08:00AM
Traveling to Schools	08:00AM - 09:30AM
Roll Call	10:00AM - 11:00AM
Round 7	11:00AM - 12:00PM
Feedback Round 7	12:00PM - 12:30PM
Lunch	12:30PM - 13:30PM
Roll Call and Motion Release	14:00PM - 14:30PM
Preparation Time	14:30PM - 15:30PM
Round 8	15:30PM - 16:30PM
Feedback Round 8	16:30PM - 17:30PM
Traveling to Break Night Venue	17:30PM - 19:00PM
Break Night	19:00PM - 22:30PM

Updated Schedule

12-Aug-14

Breakfast	06:30AM - 08:00AM
Traveling to Schools	08:00AM - 09:00AM
Octo-Finals Roll Call and Motion Release	09:00AM - 09:30AM
Preparation Time	09:30AM - 10:30AM
Octo Finals	10:30PM - 11:30PM
Feedback Octo-Finals	11:30PM - 12:30PM
Lunch	12:30AM - 13:30PM
Quarter-Finals Roll Call and Motion Release	13:30PM - 14:00PM
Preparation Time	14:00PM - 15:00PM
Quarter-Finals	15:00PM - 16:00PM
Feedback Quarter-Finals	16:00PM - 17:00PM
Traveling to the hotel	17:00PM - 18:30PM
Dinner	19:00PM - 21:00PM

13-Aug-14

Breakfast	06:30AM - 08:00AM
Traveling to Schools	08:00AM - 09:30AM
Semi Finals Roll Call and Motion Release	09:30AM - 10:00AM
Preparation Time	10:00AM - 11:00AM
Semi Finals	11:00AM - 12:00AM
Feedback Semi Finals	12:00AM - 13:00PM
Lunch	13:00PM - 14:00PM
ESL Final Roll Call	16:00PM - 16:30PM
ESL Final (Prepared Motion)	16:30PM - 17:30PM
Break	17:30PM - 18:00PM
EFL Final Roll Call	18:00PM - 18:30PM
EFL Final (Prepared Motion)	18:30PM - 19:30PM

14-Aug-14

Breakfast	06:30AM - 08:00AM
Tournament Meeting (6 Hours)	09:00AM - 15:00PM
Lunch	12:00AM - 13:00PM
Grand Final (Prepared Motion)	16:00AM - 18:00PM
Farewell Dinner & Awards Ceremony (EFL/ESL/Grand Final)	19:00PM - 22:00PM

15-Aug-14

Breakfast
Departure