

2nd International Conference of The Thai Society for Transportation & Traffic Studies

“SUFFICIENCY TRANSPORT”

October 14-15, 2011 at Jomtien Thani Hotel, Pattaya, Thailand

A number of TRAVEL AWARDS!!! to assist young presenters will be given to authors whose papers are deemed qualified and highlight the conference theme.

BACKGROUND AND SCOPE

Thai Society for Transportation & Traffic Studies (TSTS) was established in 1996 with the primary objectives of fostering and supporting excellence in transportation research and practice, and facilitating professional exchange in all aspects and modes of transportation. TSTS has worked in close cooperation with Eastern Asia Society for Transportation Studies (EASTS) and 16 other Transportation Societies in Eastern Asia and Australasia to promote transport research and best practice in Thailand and Asia.

Following the success of the 1st International Conference of Thai Society for Traffic and Transportation Studies held in Phuket in 2010, the Society is pleased to announce "The 2nd International Conference of Thai Society for Traffic and Transportation Studies" to be held in Pattaya during October 14-15, 2011. The theme of next year conference will be **Sufficiency Transport**, which is based on the well-known The King's Sufficiency Economy philosophy, first proclaimed in 1974, teaches moderation in the development of a nation, taking into consideration all walks of life. The **Sufficiency Transport** theme thus highlights the Asian philosophy of taking "the middle way" in transport development, by considering the real transport needs and the means to meet these needs taking into account the economic, social, safety and environmental dimensions. With scarcity of resources to develop the apparently desirable transportation system, particularly in developing countries, "the Sufficiency Concept" should enable the sustainable development of a nation's transport system as it aims to meet the real needs for transport in a rational and efficient way.

CALL FOR PAPERS

The organizers of the conference are pleased to announce the first call for papers and welcome authors to submit papers related to above conference theme. Authors are encouraged to submit either academic or practical papers or both. The submission of papers will be organized as one-step submission, that is there will be pre-reviewed of abstract, only full papers are required.

Authors are invited to send a full paper to the organizing committee. The full papers will be peer-reviewed. Based on review results the authors are invited to present their papers in an oral session. The conference language is English. Papers should follow a paper format as described on the website www.thaitransport.org where further details on terms of submission are available.

The deadline for paper submission is the 17th June 2011. Papers selected for presentation will be published in our innovative peer-reviewed online "JSTS E-journal".



IMPORTANT DATES:

Conference Announcement and Call for Papers:	October 15, 2010
Submission website opens:	November 1, 2010
Deadline of submission of Papers:	June 17, 2011
Notification of acceptance of Papers:	July 29, 2011
Deadline of submission of revised full papers:	August 12, 2011
Notification of acceptance of revised papers:	September 2, 2011

TOPIC CODES

The Second International Conference of Thai Society for Transportation & Traffic Studies (TSTS) calls for papers from various fields related to any kind of transportation mode and discipline. Authors of academic and practical papers should select appropriate field according to the following topic codes.

- A: Sufficiency Transport
- B: Transportation General
- C: Transportation Economics and Policy
- D: Travel Demand Analysis and Forecast
- E: Logistics and Freight Transportation
- F: Regional Planning and Environment
- G: Public and Non-motorized Transportation
- H: Highway Design and Maintenance
- I: Road Traffic
- J: Transport Accident and Safety
- K: Air and Water Transportation

