



Dialogue on Sustainable Lifestyles Focusing on Tourism
SUSTAINABLE CONSUMPTION AND PRODUCTION (SCP) IN TOURISM OPPORTUNITIES AND CHALLENGES WITH COVID-19

8 October 2020, Thursday | 14.00 hrs
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BACKGROUND

Although programmes for addressing behaviour change in and around the home are well developed, there has been significantly less attention paid to tourism activities, and its implications of consumption choices for leisure and travel.

The tourism sector is one of the hardest hit sectors from Covid-19 and the global lockdown. As international travel has plummeted, tourism has suffered one of the largest downturns and resulted in significant changes in consumer behaviours and sustainable lifestyles. Has this challenge emerged as an opportunity for us to incorporate Sustainable Consumption and Production patterns to build back better the tourism sector post-COVID19, or will the industries return to business as usual?

The webinar would elaborate on the three aspects:

1. Key COVID-19 Impacts, challenges, and opportunities for tourism
2. SCP opportunities to build back better and improve resilience of the tourism post COVID-19
3. The need to build circular models for production and consumption of food, and plastics in the tourism

All these three facets are cross-cutting and would reflect the Sustainable Lifestyles Approaches for SCP in Tourism. We aim to reflect upon the resilience and the mobilization of adaptive capabilities with the case studies and good practices.

PROGRAM

14.00-14.10	Welcome and Introduction Ms. Tunnie Srisakulchairak <i>Programme Management Officer, SWITCH- Asia RPAC</i> Ms. Helena Rey <i>Programme Officer, UNEP</i>
14.10-14.25	COVID-19 and Tourism: Uncertain future with opportunities and challenges for Sustainable Lifestyles <i>[Video Presentation]</i> Dr. Vilas Nitivattananon <i>Associate Professor of Urban Environmental Management, AIT</i>
14.25-14.45	Impact of COVID-19 on Tourism Consumption and Production Patterns in Future: A case study from experts Mr. Nophol Techaphangam <i>Founder & CEO, norrnorn</i> Mr. Tomohiro Hamakawa <i>Co-Founder, Mana Earthly Paradise</i>
14.45-15.00	Prospects and Challenges of Bali Tourism in the Era of COVID-19 Pandemic Dr. Agung Suryawan Wiranatha <i>Head of Centre of Excellence in Tourism, Udayana University, Bali</i>
15.00-15.15	Community-based tourism and SMEs for adapting to the new normal Dr. Vilas Nitivattananon
15.15-15.25	Q & A
15.25-15.30	Closing remarks Ms. Tunnie Srisakulchairak

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