



## ISPOR Thailand Chapter Annual Report 2014

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### Background:

The ISPOR Thailand Chapter was approved in January, 2005. The chapter has 26 members. The current leadership of the ISPOR Thailand Chapter is comprised of the following:

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Enclosure: ISPOR Thailand Chapter Annual Report 2014.

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Activities / Accomplishments	Summary
Scientific / Educational Activities	Working on Estimating Economic Impact of Asbestos-related Lung Cancer and Malignant Pleural Mesothelioma in Thailand with Experts from Singapore, Taiwan, Japan, Thailand, and USA.
Policy-Related Activities	Professor Nathorn Chaiyakunapruk and Associate Professor Usa Chaikledkaew are currently a member of a health economic working group under National List of Essential Medicines (NLEM) committee in 2013-2014. They have been involved in setting up a system for decision making using health economics data during health technology assessment processes and being part of the appraisal process reviewing and making recommendations for policy decision makers.
Conferences and/or Chapter Meetings	<p>(1) Introducing ISPOR Thailand Chapter during US-Thai Pharmacy Education Consortium, 20<sup>th</sup> Anniversary Conference, May 28-30, 2014, Baltimore, Maryland</p> <p>(2) ISPOR Thailand Chapter had presentation in Plenary Lecture 2 “Pharmacoconomic Literacy” by Assoc. Prof. Vithaya Kulsomboon during International Conference of Pharmaceutical Sciences and Medicines (ICPAM) 2015, 22<sup>nd</sup> – 23<sup>rd</sup> January 2015, Tao-Thong Hotel Operation Center, Burapha University, Chonburi, Thailand. There were several speakers from Malaysia, Australia, Indonesia, Sri Lanka, and Thailand.</p>
Membership Development	N/A
Other	Promoting ISPOR 6th Asia-Pacific conference, 6-9 September 2014 Beijing International Convention Center, Beijing, China

### Upcoming Activities for ISPOR Thailand Chapter in 2015

Date	Activities
May	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- Organizing annual kick off meeting</li> <li>- Planning annual activities</li> <li>- Chapter leadership elections</li> </ul>
July	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- Chapter meeting</li> <li>- Inviting guest speaker(s) from inside and outside country</li> </ul>