Briefing: Secretary FOR INFORMATION

Post travel report: Warwick Talbot, Bangkok, Thailand



Purpose: To report to the Secretary on Warwick Talbot as Panel Speaker at Asia Pacific Rail 2023 Conference, at the Bangkok International Trade & Exhibition Centre, from 31 May to 1 June 2023.

Analysis: Attending and being a Panel Speaker at the Asia Pacific Rail 2023 Conference, allowed Warwick Talbot to discuss success stories, challenges and implementation of key strategies that enable Sydney Trains and TfNSW to build a resilient, reliable, safe and customer-centric rail Network. It also allowed Warwick to meet leaders in the rail industry and engage with leading edge suppliers that can bring value enhancing solutions to rail operations.

Summary:

- 1. The Asia Pacific Rail 2023 conference is arguably one of the biggest rail conferences in the Asia Pacific region. There were more than 3,000 attendees with exhibits from 140 companies and over 100 sessions on 6 stages.
- 2. Sydney Trains was represented on two panels by Warwick Talbot that covered the themes of:
 - a) Panel: Preparing for a predictive maintenance future

Warwick Talbot, Deputy Executive Director-Network Growth, Sydney Trains
Chau-fat Chan, Assistant Director-Railways, Electrical & Mechanical Service Department,
Government of the HKSAR

Ir. Henry Cheung, Managing Director, KONE Elevator (Hong Kong) Ltd
Dieter Barnard, Head of Digital Offerings - Mobility Customer Services, Siemens Mobility

Dr. Panadda Sheppard, Director, **National Metal and Materials Technology Center** (Moderator)

b) Panel: Taking metro rail projects into the digital age

Warwick Talbot, Deputy Executive Director-Network Growth, Sydney Trains
Kitipat Supakleelakul, Assistant Managing Director - Maintenance Group, BEM, Thailand
Russell Jackson, Director, Global Transit, AECOM
Sponsor

Andrew Chong, Advisor, Centre for Railway Infrastructure and Engineering (CRIE), University Tunku Abdul Rahman (UTAR) (Moderator)

- 3. Key observations gathered at the Conference
 - a. Leaders shared similar issues such as:
 - i. Ridership slow at returning to pre-covid levels

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- ii. Reliable services are needed to encourage customers to use rail.
- iii. Customers are demanding more and there was an emphasis to better understand those requirements. An increase in the use of research to understand customer needs and behaviours.
- iv. Skilled labour shortages are impacting projects and operations with more needed to encourage younger people to join rail.
- v. Operating costs need to be sustainable.
- vi. Rail needs to be more agile and customer centric.
- vii. Digitisation of rail has already begun. Everyone must be on the journey

4. Transport Cluster Benefits

Key learnings and outcomes

Attending this conference coincides with the December 2022 endorsement of Warwick to the Vice Chairmanship of the International Union of Railways (UIC) Asia-Pacific Region 2023-2024 representing Sydney Trains and other Australian members in UIC. This appointment gave the opportunity to identify and meet with other railway operators and maintainers in the Asia-Pacific region that will appropriately and beneficially feed into the Sydney Trains business including TfNSW as a whole. The contacts and learnings from the Conference provide the opportunity of exchanges and mutual industry related project learnings with these railway entities in future arranged discussions.

Some of the railway entities were:

- 1. Indian Railways
- 2. Thailand State Railways
- 3. MTR Hong Kong
- 4. Singapore MTS
- 5. Jacobs
- 6. Network Rail

Communication Strategy

Warwick presented to the Strategy Portfolio & Investment Branch strategy team, and selected executives and senior managers on the Conference and has scheduled a presentation to the TfNSW UIC Community of Practice in August 2023 and is continuing to present to other people and forums as requested.

A report has been prepared for the Transport Secretary of which the content has been distributed within Sydney Trains and to the Medium-Term Integrated Rail Planning (MTIRP) on issues raised at the conference that would impact on the future of the Sydney Trains Network.

Alignment with Future Transport 2056

Both the Conference and the establishment of contacts benefits Sydney Trains strategic direction and aligns with Transport planning in keeping abreast of latest world industry

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trends in Rail Digitisation, Signalling and Communications, Operations, Maintenance, Asset Management and High-Speed rail.

Being on two conference panels assists in the recognition of Sydney Trains and Transport and allows influencing of rail interoperability and harmonisation outcomes aligned to Transport's future and world industry practices.

Disclosure Summary

Date	Organisation/Individual	Purpose of Meeting
31 May 2023	Chadchart Sittipunt, Governor, Bangkok Metropolitan Administration	Discussed how Bangkok has dealt with and is currently dealing with funding and implementing rail projects to ease their road congestion.
31 May 2023	Sanyawit Aphichatapong, Superintending Engineer, S&T Maintenance Center, State Railway of Thailand	Explored their Traffic Management System rollout across the Thailand network, their issues and concerns.
31 May 2023	Panadda Sheppard, Principal Researcher, MTEC NSTDA	Discussed the types and level of research being undertaken in Thailand by MTEC and the level of support from Government in funding research.
01 June 2023	Dr Athaphon Kawprasert Deputy Chief, Special Project and Construction Engineer, State Railway of Thailand	Discussed UIC Asia Pacific matters
31 May 2023	Ir. Henry Cheung, Managing Director, KONE Elevator (Hong Kong) Ltd	A previous work colleague from MTRC Hong Kong and discussed the application of lifts and escalators within a rail environment and maintenance aspects.
31 May 2023	Dieter Barnard, Head of Digital Offerings - Mobility Customer Services, Siemens Mobility	Discussed the status of Siemens technology in mobility and how it was being implemented across various jurisdictions
01 June 2023	Sandeep Srivastava, Executive Director (Rolling Stock), National High Speed Rail Corporation Ltd, India Jaydeep Pawar, Chief Communications Engineer, Ministry of Railways, India	Discussed the application of different signalling technologies in India and how Indian Railways was dealing with interoperability issues with particular emphasis on the introduction of ETCS.
01 June 2023	Andrew Chong, Consultant New Business, Rail Systems, Rehau	Discussed rail systems in Singapore and the impacts from COVID.

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Date	Organisation/Individual	Purpose of Meeting
01 June 2023	Milind Nirmal, Executive Director Asia Pacific, DB Engineering & Consulting GmbH	Discussed rail construction in India region
01 June 2023	Christian Schwarz	Product demonstration of a lightweight SoniQ rail flaw detector
01 June 2023	Andrew Meyer, Senior Director Business Development, ENSCO	Discussed engineering and consultancy services ENSCO is providing in Western Australia
01 June 2023	Michael Farlie, Director Growth Sales Jacobs	Discussions on services provided by Jacobs and the current state of railways in the Asia Pacific region
	Rupert Leung, Senior Director Operations JACOBS Hong Kong	
01 June 2023	Felicity Osborn, Programme Manager Network Rail Taron Smart, Senior Project Manager Network Rail	Discussed Network rail progress on construction and maintenance programmes in Network Rail, UK.
01 June 2023	Arthur Szynalik, Head of Business Development IN-VISION	Discussed the application and uses of AI in railways.
01 June 2023	Harald Illias, Vice President Sales NOKIA	Discussed radio communications in rail and what Singapore were doing in this respect.
01 June 2023	Hector Barrio Crespo, General Manager Ostirion	Presentation on new technology they are developing in train detection using CCTV and AI

Next steps

Indian Railways reached out for a visit to Sydney Trains Central Terminal site and for a presentation on the Central Precinct Renewal program. This was later coordinated by The Department of Trade on 23 June 2023.

Expense Summary

Please note that airfares and accommodation were covered by Terrapin

Breakdown of all costs incurred	Actual Cost
Airfares – GL 534030	Refunded
Accommodation – GL 534040	Arranged and paid
Official hospitality – GL 534050	Nil
Attendance fees for delegates – GL 534050	Free as a panel member

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Ground transport – GL 534050	600 Thai Baht
Meals and refreshments – GL 534050	375 Thai Baht
Other miscellaneous costs – GL 534050	Nil
Total	975 Thai Baht
	(approx. AU\$41.70)

Traveller endorsement

Secretary

Warwick Talbot	Neil Hazelwood	Matt Longland	Howard Collins
Deputy Executive	A/Executive	CE Sydney Trains	A/Secretary
Director	Director		
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	Date:	Date:	27/07/23

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Background

The event organisers for the Asia Pacific Rail 2023 Conference in Thailand, from 31May to 1 June 2023, Terrapinn Pte Ltd, invited Mr Talbot to be a panel speaker for the conference on "Digital Rail" and "Operations, Maintenance and Asset Management" on day one and day two of the conference.

Approval for Mr. Talbot to attend the conference was obtain on 23 January 2023 from the Transport Secretary and Minister for Transport.

Attachments

Attachment	Title
Α	Conference Agenda

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Attachment A – Conference Agenda

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May 31st & June 1st
Bangkok International Trade & Exhibition Centre,
Bangkok

2023 PRELIMINARY AGENDA

Confirmed Speakers:

- 1. Chadchart Sittipunt, Governor, Bangkok Metropolitan Administration
- 2. Chua Chong Kheng, Deputy Chief Executive Infrastructure and Development, Land Transport Authority, Singapore
- 3. Sumit Srisantithum, Chief Operating Officer, Bangkok Mass Transit System Co. Ltd, Thailand
- 4. TC Chew, Global Rail Business Leader, Arup
- 5. Andrea Guiricin, CEO, TRA Consulting
- 6. Devin Pranata, General Manager, Property & Non Farebox Business, PT Kereta Cepat Indonesia China
- 7. Kazue Yasuoka, General Manager, Head of Overseas Business Division of E-SIO, East Japan Railway Company
- 8. Tayakorn Chandrangsu, Director of Safety and Maintenance Standards Division, Department of Rail Transport, Thailand
- 9. Sara Cheung, Managing Director, Asia Era One Co. Ltd
- 10. Mark Ille, Office Control Center Referent, Egis
- 11. Wei Zhao, Senior Design Engineer, Beijing HollySys Co. Ltd
- 12. Senior representative, NGRT
- 13. Wilson Ho, Director, Jabez Innovation Limited
- 14. Ruengdej Mangkorndejsakul, Director of Strategic and Planning Division, Department of Rail Transport(DRT)
- 15. Noormah Mohd Noor, Chief Executive Officer, Express Rail Link, Malaysia
- 16. Minh Ha Truong, Regional Director- Vietnam, Cambodia, Laos & Myanmar, BPC
- 17. Tongkarn Kaewchalermtong, Chairman of Transportation & Logistics Working Group, ASEAN Federation of Engineering Organization (AFEO)
- 18. Sanyawit Aphichatapong, Superintending Engineer, S&T Maintenance Center, State Railway of Thailand
- 19. Yanto Yulianto, Head of Information System and Technology Division, PT MRT Jakarta
- 20. Jackie Miao, Director of Huawei Asia Pacific Enterprise Transportation Account Department, Huawei
- 21. Kristianto Usman, Researcher- Railway Infrastructure Risk, Asset & Investment Management, University of Birmingham
- 22. Warwick Talbot, Deputy Executive Director- Network Growth, Sydney Trains
- 23. Chau-fat Chan, Assistant Director-Railways, Electrical & Mechanical Service Department, Government of the HKSAR
- 24. Ir. Henry Cheung, Managing Director, KONE Elevator (Hong Kong) Ltd
- 25. Dieter Barnard, Head of Digital Offerings Mobility Customer Services, Siemens Mobility
- 26. Dr. Panadda Sheppard, Director, National Metal and Materials Technology Center
- 27. Sandeep Srivastava, Executive Director (Rolling Stock), National High Speed Rail Corporation Ltd, India
- 28. Anan Phonimdang, Deputy Governor, State Railway of Thailand(SRT)
- 29. Stefan Reisacher, Chief Executive Officer, Linxon
- 30. Klaus Daniel, Heine, Senior Consultant Maintenance & Rolling Stock, DB E.C.O Group
- 31. Chanin Khaochan, Deputy Secretary General, Thailand Board of Investment (BOI)
- 32. Mark Kirkpatrick, Chief Executive Officer, Rail First Asset Management
- 33. Henri Pottier, Vice President Asia Pacific, RATP Dev
- 34. Dr Harm Hauke Ross, Director Mobility Aviation & Land-based Transportation, KfW IPEX-Bank
- 35. Toby Tiberghien, Managing Director, East Asia, Alstom
- 36. Li Junfeng, Corporate Vice President, CEO of Aviation & Rail BU, Huawei Enterprise BG
- 37. Dr. Santi Charoenpornpattana, President, RTRDA(Rail Technology Research and Development Agency, Ministry of Transport, Thailand
- 38. Dr. Anaphat Manovachirasan, Head of Planning and Performance, Asia Era One Co. Ltd
- 39. Dr.Natthaporn Buaphut, Plan and Policy Analyst-Senior Professional Level, Department of Rail Transport, Thailand
- 40. Timothy Leake, Thailand Manager, Royal Railway Cambodia
- 41. Auer Florian, Director of Technology & Innovation, Plasser & Theurer Export von Bahnbaumaschinen Gesellschaft m.b.H.
- 42. Eddy Thésée, Vice President of Cybersecurity Products and Solutions, Alstom
- 43. Stephanie JOUDRIER, Solution Product Line Manager, Thales

- 44. Andrew Went, Global High Speed Rail Leader, Arup
- 45. Shao Fei Huang, Group Chief Information Security Officer, SMRT Corporation, Singapore
- 46. Rangga Dharmasetiawan, GM Information Technology, LRT Jakarta
- 47. Zoran Memic, Cyber Security Business Developer, Siemens Mobility

- 48. Michael Lagana, Principal Solutions Engineer, Claroty
- 49. Chayakorn Netramai, Lecturer, King Mongkut's University of Technology North Bangkok (KMUTNB)
- 50. Gaurav Agarwal, Chief Project Manager, COFMOW, Ministry of Railways, India
- 51. Lloyd D'cruz, Director, More Trains More Services, Sydney Trains
- 52. Roland Stadlbauer, Head of Product Policy Train Control, Thales
- 53. Jirawat Jungwat, Founder & Admin, Thailand Infrastructure
- 54. Muhammad Effendi, Operations & Maintenance Director, MRT Jakarta, Indonesia
- 55. Gareth Evans, Head of Rail Technology, Network Rail
- 56. Rolando J. Paulino III, Chief Operations Officer, Light Rail Manila Corporation (LRMC), Philippines
- 57. Mohamed Suhaimi Yaacob, Chief Corporate Officer, Keretapi Tanah Melayu Berhad
- 58. Dr. Watchara Sattayaprasert, Lecturer, Head of Transportation & Survey Engineering Field, Mahanakorn University of Technology (MUT)
- 59. Ezri Ezani bin Abu, Principal Assistant Director- Rail Planning Division, Agensi Pengangkutan Awam Darat (APAD), Malaysia
- 60. Arezki Touat, ASIA Vice President, SYSTRA
- 61. Tayakorn Chandrangsu, Director of Safety and Maintenance Standards Division, Department of Rail Transport
- 62. Jeffrey Sim, Group Chief Executive Officer, SBS Transit Ltd, Singapore
- 63. Kristoffer Tamsons, Chairman, Stockholm Public Transport
- 54. Jeny Yeung, Hong Kong Transport Services Director, MTR Corporation, Hong Kong
- 65. Nor Azmi Mohd Yusof, Chief Operating Officer, LRT, Rapid Rail, Malaysia
- 66. Young Ji Kim, Strategic Consulting Lead, Asia, Jacobs
- 67. Ian TSUI, APAC Regional Director Brakes & Safety, Wabtec Corporation
- 68. Yang Hongxiang, General Manager of Overseas Engineering Department, Beijing HollySys Co. Ltd
- 69. Leck Hwee Joo, Engineering Manager, SBS Transit Rail
- 70. Leroy Lee, Head of Technical Bid APAC, RATP Dev
- 71. Rattapoohm Parichatprecha, Head of Rail and Infrastrucuture Research Center, Director of EIDTs, KMITL
- 72. Seno Hardijanto, Director ASEAN & Indonesia, Cohesive
- 73. Ken Garmson, Inventor and Chief Technology Officer, Acorn Technology Systems
- 74. Jeffrey Nicholls, Product Development Engineer, Acorn Technology Systems
- 75. Crystal Mak, Sales Manager South East Asia, Thales
- 76. Jess Yuen, Head of Projects and Customer Services, Revenue Collection System, Thales
- 77. Ditsapol Padungkul, Senior Committee, Thai Railway Engineering Association
- 78. Jeh Chan, Technical Director-Transport Planning, Jacobs
- 79. Hye Young Kim, Head of Smart City Innovation Group, Hyundai Motor Group
- 80. Cheng-Chiou Chang, Deputy Chairman, Intelligent Railway Committee, ITS Taiwan
- 81. Paul Chan, R&D Director, Roctec Technology
- 82. Dr. Kritsada Mongkoldee, Assistant Dean for Strategic Planning and International Relations, Faculty of Railway Systems and Transportation, Rajamangala University of Technology Isan
- 83. Felicity Osborn, Programme Manager-International Research & Development Partnerships, Network Rail
- 84. Phuritath Phanitphotjamarn, Director M&E Maintenance Department, BEM, Thailand
- 85. Ashutosh Gangal, Former General Manager- Northern Railway, Indian Railways
- 86. Hamdalah Hazhar, Railway Operation Division Head, MRT Jakarta
- 87. Febi Johan Supriyadi, VP Industrial Ecosystem & Investment Development, PT Len Industri
- 88. Kitipat Supakleelakul, Assistant Managing Director Maintenance Group, BEM, Thailand
- 89. Russell Jackson, Director, Global Transit, AECOM
- 90. Andrew Chong, Advisor, Centre for Railway Infrastructure and Engineering (CRIE), Universiti Tunku Abdul Rahman (UTAR)
- 91. Sinead Giblin, Vice President & General Manager, People & Places Solutions Asia, Jacobs
- 92. Jessica Chan, Head of Sustainability, MTR Corporation, Hong Kong

- 93. Sapna Bhawnani, Vice President, Communications & Corporate Social Responsibility, Asia Pacific, Alstom
- 94. Alok Jain, CEO, Trans-Consult
- 95. Leow Wee Lee, VP of Signal & Communications, SMRT Corporation

- 96. Yu Feng Tang, Director Urban Rail Signaling, Thales GTS
- 97. Ming Jiang, Deputy Chief Engineer, China Railway Signal & Communication Corporation Ltd
- 98. Patrick Desforges, Business Development Director APAC, SYSTRA
- 99. Woon Khai Jhin, Assistant Engineering Manager, SBS Transit Rail
- 100. Paul Chua, Deputy Administrator- Operations & Engineering, Light Rail Transit Authority, Philippines
- 101. Kiendy Sunarto, Engineering & Commissioning Project Manager, LRT Jakarta, Indonesia
- 102. Prangprom Rattana, Investment Promotion Officer, Board of Investments, Thailand
- 103. Josefino Santiago, Senior Advisor- Systems Maintenance, RATP Dev
- 104. Sylvia Koh-Gratton, Managing Director, KONE Singapore
- 105. Anshul Gupta, Former General Manager-Northern Railway, Indian Railways
- 106. Gabi Mason, Services Growth Director, Alstom
- 107. Jerawun Hongsakul, Director of Rail Transport Regulation Division, Department of Rail Transport, Thailand
- 108. Shaun Liew, Vice-President, Head of Customer Experience and Operations for North-East Line and Sengkang-Punggol LRT, SBS Transit Ltd, Singapore
- 109. Calin Hera, Business Development Manager, KONE
- 110. Steven Xiong, CTO of Rail Industry, Huawei Enterprise BG
- 111. Dr. Sarit Tiyawongsuwan, Lecturer and Researcher, Rajamangala University of Technology
- 112. Jaydeep Pawar, Chief Communications Engineer, Ministry of Railways, India
- 113. Yohann Levasseur, Turnkey & Rolling Stock Director, East Asia and Country Managing Director, Thailand, Alstom
- 114. Erni Basri, Director-Safety Railway, Ministry of Transportation, Indonesia
- 115. Deovanni Miranda, Deputy Project Manager, Department of Transportation, Philippines (tentative)
- 116. Nirdosh Gupta, Jt Chief Engineer, Uttar Pradesh Metro Rail Corporation
- 117. Dr. Chaisak Srisethanil, CEO, BTS Infrastructure Development Co. Ltd.
- 118. Christopher Crawford, Transportation Industry Director, Waterfall Security Solutions
- 119. Dieter Michell-Auli, Executive Board Member of Deutsche Bahn & VP Global Sales, DB E.C.O Group
- 120. Jeremy Haskey, Connectivity & Services Solution Director, Alstom
- 121. Manpreet Mann. Rail Systems Lead. Arup
- 122. Deven Mukherjee, National Sales Manager-APAC Region, Omni-X
- 123. Michael Field, Sales Director ANZ & SE Asia, Wabtec Corporation
- 124. Vincy Wang, Senior representative, Shenyang Yuancheng Friction & Sealing Material Co.,Ltd
- 125. Walaiporn Leelawannee, Head of Signalling & Infrastructure and Site Managing Director, Bangkok, Alstom
- 126. Tommy Vongpathoum, Systems Validation Engineer/ Partner, ATS American Traction Systems, Inc.
- 127. Eyal Trichter, CEO ,Tri Logical Technologies
- 128. Hendrik Holz, Sales Director, Funwerk Systems GmbH
- 129. Pan Xueming, Senior Design Engineer, Beijing HollySys Co. Ltd
- 130. Yuan Suoxia, General Manager, China Railway Engineering Equipment Group Co. Ltd, Singapore Branch
- 131. Yasir Shah, Global Sales Manager, Rail, Linxon
- 132. Jochen Nowotny, Managing Director, Track Machines Connected Gesellschaft m.b.H.
- 133. Joachim Heinzelmann, Sales Director Rail, Diehl Aviation Gilching GmbH
- 134. Kevin Liu, Rolling Stock & Infrastructure Director, TÜV NORD
- 135. Alberto Lanzoni, Area Sales Manager, MAURER SPS GmbH
- 136. Mark Carling, Managing Director Australia and Asia Pacific, Unipart Group
- 137. Sumet Ongkittikul, Research Director for Transportation and Logistics Policy, Thailand Development Research Institute
- 138. Naruecha Srivirach, General Manager, GERB (Thailand) Co. Ltd
- 139. Perry Yang, Technical Engineer, Kyland Technology Co. Ltd.
- 140. Fang Xin, Area Sales Manager- Asia Pacific, Getzner Werkstoffe
- 141. Pearly Liew, Regional Business Development Manager, Gutor

- 142. Agostino Marioni, Chairman, Hirun International143. Anuraag Bhatnagar, CEO, Intellistride Technologies144. Karl-Stephan Schneider, Managing Director, Schrey & Veit

- 145. Christian Schwarz, International Sales Manager, Vossloh Rail Services GmbH
- 146. Heike Mühmel, Project Engineer, Vossloh Rail Inspection GmbH
- 147. Ben Craze, CEO, Infinitive Group
- 148. Anat Hasap, Director of Railway Transportation System Testing Center (RTTC), Thailand Institute of Scientific and Technological Research (TISTR)
- 149. Cheng Dejie, Director of Huawei Asia Pacific Enterprise Transportation Railway Solution, Huawei
- 150. Ravi Raj, Assistant Vice President, ADJ Engineering Pvt Ltd
- 151. Yuji Sakamoto, Senior Business Manager, Mitsubishi Heavy Industries
- 152. Junjie Xiong, Vice President & Chairman Assistant, Shenhao Technology
- 153. Leung Chi Wai, System Manager, Roctec Technology
- 154. Dr. Sanphawat Jatupatwarangkul, Head of Standard and Executive Committee, Thai BIM Association
- 155. Mike Taylor, Global Head of Rail Systems and Systems Engineering, AECOM
- 156. ST Poh, Senior Vice President, Head of Rail and Transit, Asia, AECOM

	DAY 1 – WEDNESDAY, MAY 31 st					
	2023					
09:00	Organiser Welcome Remarks					
	Paul Clark, Managing Director – Asia, Terrapinn					
09:15						
	Guest of Honour Welcome Address					
	Chadchart Sittipunt, Governor, Bangkok Metropolitan Administration					
09:30						
	Insights from the Boardroom: Keynote Rail Leader Interviews					
	(3 x 10 mins interviews with C-Level rail operators)					
	Chua Chong Kheng, Deputy Chief Executive – Infrastructure and Development, Land Transport Authority, Singapore					
	Sumit Srisantithum, Chief Operating Officer, Bangkok Mass Transit System Co. Ltd, Thailand Jeny Yeung, Hong Kong Transport Services Director, MTR Corporation, Hong Kong					
	TC Chew, Global Rail Leader, Arup (Interviewer)					

10:15	Keynote Panel: Success Stories, Challenges & Implementations – The Role of Digitization, Decarbonization & Operational Optimization in Rail			
	Chua Chong Kheng, Deputy Chief Executive – Infrastructure and Development, Land Transport Authority, Singapore Sumit Srisantithum, Chief Operating Officer, Bangkok Mass Transit System Co. Ltd, Thailand Jeny Yeung, Hong Kong Transport Services Director, MTR Corporation, Hong Kong			
11:00	TC Chew, Global Rail Leader, Arup (Mode	Refreshments & Exhibition	Visit	
	DIGITAL RAIL	SIGNALLING & COMMUNICATIONS	OPERATIONS, MAINTENANCE & ASSET MANAGEMENT	MAINLINE
	INTERMODAL RAIL	CRITICAL CONTROL	MAINTENANCE MANAGEMENT AND SYSTEM IMPROVEMENT	Chairperson: Andrea Guiricin, CEO, TRA Consulting
11:30	An intermodal transport future for Asia: Building rail into the broader transport ecosystem	Best practices in effective signaling and communications	From CBM to predictive maintenance: Embracing the maintenance shift	Planning for optimization of fare and non fare revenue for high speed rail
	Devin Pranata, General Manager, Property & Non Farebox Business, PT Kereta Cepat Indonesia China	Kazue Yasuoka, General Manager, Head of Overseas Business Division of E-SIO, East Japan Railway Company	Tayakorn Chandrangsu, Director of Safety and Maintenance Standards Division, Department of Rail Transport, Thailand	Sara Cheung, Managing Director, Asia Era One Co. Ltd
11.50	Optimizing operational control center reactions using artificial intelligence – big data, machine learning	Cost efficient solutions for signaling refurbishment	Focus on Indian Railways: Moving to predictive maintenance of rolling stock using trackside equipment	Corrugation control of high speed rail by retrofit rail damper
	Mark IIIe, Operation Control Center Expert, Egis	Wei Zhao, Senior Design Engineer, Beijing HollySys Co. Ltd	Ashutosh Gangal , Former General Manager, Indian Railways	Wilson Ho, Director, Jabez Innovation Limited

12.10	Panel: Challenges, opportunities and latest trends in intermodal rail projects	<u>Panel</u> : Planning ahead for the adoption of FRMCS (Future Railway Mobile Communication Systems)	Panel: Preparing for a predictive maintenance future	Panel: The future of HSR in Asia- current status, progress updates & future outlook
	Ruengdej Mangkorndejsakul, Director of Strategic and Planning Division, Department of Rail Transport(DRT) Noormah Mohd Noor, Chief Executive Officer, Express Rail Link, Malaysia Minh Ha Truong, Regional Director-Vietnam, Cambodia, Laos & Myanmar, BPC Tongkarn Kaewchalermtong, Chairman	Sanyawit Aphichatapong, Superintending Engineer, S&T Maintenance Center, State Railway of Thailand Yanto Yulianto, Head of Information System and Technology Division, PT MRT Jakarta Jackie Miao, Director of Huawei Asia Pacific Enterprise Transportation Account Department, Huawei	Warwick Talbot, Deputy Executive Director-Network Growth, Sydney Trains Chau-fat Chan, Assistant Director- Railways, Electrical & Mechanical Service Department, Government of the HKSAR Ir. Henry Cheung, Managing Director, KONE Elevator (Hong Kong) Ltd Dieter Barnard, Head of Digital Offerings - Mobility Customer Services, Siemens Mobility	Sandeep Srivastava, Executive Director (Rolling Stock), National High Speed Rail Corporation Ltd, India Anan Phonimdang, Deputy Governor, State Railway of Thailand(SRT) Stefan Reisacher, Chief Executive Officer, Linxon Dieter Michell-Auli, Executive Board Member of Deutsche Bahn
	of Transportation & Logistics Working Group, ASEAN Federation of Engineering Organization (AFEO) (Moderator)	Febi Johan Supriyadi, VP Industrial Ecosystem & Investment Development, PT Len Industri (Moderator)	Dr. Panadda Sheppard, Director, National Metal and Materials Technology Center (Moderator)	& VP Global Sales, DB E.C.O Group Andrea Guiricin, CEO, TRA
12:50		Networking Lunch & Exhibi	tion Visit	Consulting (Moderator)
14:00	Keynote Panel:			
	Financing Asia's Rail Future: Innovative and Resilient Finance Models			
	Mark Kirkpatrick, Chief Executive Officer, Rail First Asset Management Henri Pottier, Vice President Asia Pacific, RATP Dev Jeffrey Sim, Group Chief Executive Officer, SBS Transit Ltd, Singapore Chanin Khaochan, Deputy Secretary General, Thailand Board of Investment (BOI)			
	Dr Harm Hauke Ross, Director Mobility Aviation & Land-based Transportation , KfW IPEX-Bank (Moderator)			
14:40	The future of mobility- The path to net zero rail			
	Toby Tiberghien, Managing Director, East Asia, Alstom			
15:00	Driving digitalization in future rail, create new value together			
	Li Junfeng, Corporate Vice President, CEO of Aviation & Rail BU, Huawei Enterprise BG			

15:20	Refreshments &
	Exhibition Visit

	DIGITAL RAIL	SIGNALLING & COMMUNICATIONS	OPERATIONS, MAINTENANCE & ASSET MANAGEMENT	MAINLINE
	CYBERSECURITY	DIGITAL & DRIVERLESS	OPERATIONAL EXCELLENCE	PROJECT UPDATES Chairperson: Patrick Desforges, BDD APAC, SYSTRA
15:40	Integration of cybersecurity into the railway lifecycle	Moving ahead with driverless trains and Automated Train Operations (ATO)	Planning for performances	<u>Thailand</u>
	Dr. Pipatphon Lapamonpinyo, Lecturer & Hugh Hunter, Lecturer, Mahidol University	Dr. Santi Charoenpornpattana, President, RTRDA(Rail Technology Research and Development Agency, Ministry of Transport, Thailand	Dr. Anaphat Manovachirasan, Head of Planning and Performance, Asia Era One Co. Ltd	Dr. Natthaporn Buaphut, Plan and Policy Analyst-Senior Professional Level, Department of Rail Transport, Thailand
16:00	Rail cybersecurity practice for standardisation and supply chain management Eddy Thésée, Vice President of Cybersecurity Products and Solutions, Alstom	The digital journey of integrated solutions for OCCs Stephanie JOUDRIER, Solution Product Line Manager, Thales	Achieving excellence in high-speed networks Andrew Went, Global High Speed Rail Leader, Arup	Malaysia Ezri Ezani bin Abu, Principal Assistant Director- Rail Planning Division, Agensi Pengangkutan Awam Darat (APAD), Malaysia
16:20	Panel: Cybersecurity as a joint responsibility: How can the railway sector collaborate to strengthen cybersecurity? Shao Fei Huang, Group Chief Information Security Officer, SMRT Corporation,	Panel: What's driving driverless trains? Gaurav Agarwal, Chief Project Manager, COFMOW, Ministry of	Panel: Ensuring overall rail operational reliability: People, Processes, Products Gareth Evans, Head of Rail Technology, Network Rail	Digital end to end innovations for mainline Auer Florian, Director of Technology & Innovation, Plasser & Theurer Export von Bahnbaumaschinen Gesellschaft m.b.H.
	Singapore Rangga Dharmasetiawan, GM Information Technology, LRT Jakarta Zoran Memic, Cyber Security Business Developer, Siemens Mobility Michael Lagana, Principal Solutions Engineer, Claroty Chayakorn Netramai, Lecturer, King	Railways, India Lloyd D'cruz, Director, More Trains More Services, Sydney Trains Roland Stadlbauer, Head of Product Policy Train Control, Thales Jirawat Jungwat, Founder & Admin, Thailand Infrastructure (Moderator)	Rolando J. Paulino III, Chief Operations Officer, Light Rail Manila Corporation (LRMC), Philippines Mohamed Suhaimi Yaacob, Chief Corporate Officer, Keretapi Tanah Melayu Berhad Dr. Watchara Sattayaprasert, Lecturer, Head of Transportation & Survey	Train-borne high speed trackside infrastructure point cloud monitoring system Chau-fat Chan, Assistant Director-Railways, Electrical & Mechanical Service Department, Government of the HKSAR

Mongkut's University of Technology North Bangkok (KMUTNB) (Moderator)	l = =	Regulation to attract private investment in the railway sector
		Andrea Guiricin, CEO, TRA Consulting

	END OF DAY 1				
	DAY 2 – THURSDAY, JUNE 1 st 2023				
08:50	Organiser's Welcome Remarks				
	Paul Clark, Managing Director – Asia, Terrapinn				
08:55	Chairperson's Opening Remarks				
	Arezki Touat, ASIA Vice President, SYSTRA				
09:00	Keynote Presentation Railway 4.0 – Latest Innovations in Rail Transportation Systems				
	Tayakorn Chandrangsu, Director of Safety and Maintenance Standards Division, Department of Rail Transport, Thailand				
09:20	Keynote Panel: Key Strategies to Build a Resilient, Reliable, Safe and Customer-Centric Rail System				
	Jeffrey Sim, Group Chief Executive Officer, SBS Transit Ltd, Singapore Kristoffer Tamsons, Chairman, Stockholm Public Transport Jeny Yeung, Hong Kong Transport Services Director, MTR Corporation, Hong Kong Nor Azmi Mohd Yusof, Chief Operating Officer, LRT, Rapid Rail, Malaysia Young Ji Kim, Strategic Consulting Lead, Asia, Jacobs (Moderator)				
10:00	Digital and sustainable rolling stock				
	lan TSUI, APAC Regional Director – Brakes & Safety, Wabtec Corporation				
10:20	Driving force and opportunities on railway signalling modernization				
	Yang Hongxiang, General Manager of Overseas Engineering Department, Beijing HollySys Co. Ltd				
10.40	Refreshments & Exhibition Visit				

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	COMMUNICATIONS	MAINTENANCE	
		& ASSET MANAGEMENT	

	DIGITIZING RAIL SYSTEMS	OPERATOR SIGNALLING SHOWCASE	ASSET RENEWAL & ROLLING STOCK	A DIGITAL METRO FUTURE
11:20	Rail digitalization: Improving	Next generation railway signalling	Application of Digital Twin	From Suvarnabhumi Airport automated
	maintenance performance with	systems	Technology for Mega Move of	people mover to the feeder system for
	data analytics		Box Girders: Thailand HSR	metro
			North Eastern Line Project	
	Leck Hwee Joo, Engineering	Leroy Lee , Head of Technical Bid	Rattapoohm Parichatprecha,	Ditsapol Padungkul, Senior Committee,
	Manager, SBS Transit Rail	APAC, RATP Dev	Head of Rail and Infrastrucuture	Thai Railway Engineering Association
			Research Center, Director of	
			EIDTs, KMITL	
11:40	Intelligent rail management through digital innovations	Transit technology systems for the digital age	Handling asset replacement to improve service operations	On-demand shared autonomous electric mobility for first and last mile connectivity to urban rail
	Seno Hardijanto, Director ASEAN & Indonesia, Cohesive	Ken Garmson, Inventor and Chief Technology Officer & Jeffrey Nicholls, Product Development Engineer, Acorn Technology Systems	Crystal Mak, Sales Manager South East Asia & Jess Yuen, Head of Projects and Customer Services, Revenue Collection System, Thales	Jeh Chan, Technical Director-Transport Planning, Jacobs & Hye Young Kim, Head of Smart City Innovation Group, Hyundai Motor Group

12.00	Panel: The Internet of Trains (IoT) and how this will impact rail in the future	Network Rail- Unlocking Potential for a Better Railway	Panel: Getting your asset lifecycle management strategy right	Panel: Taking metro rail projects into the digital age
	Cheng-Chiou Chang, Deputy Chairman, Intelligent Railway Committee, ITS Taiwan Lloyd D'cruz, Director, More Trains More Services, Sydney Trains Paul Chan, R&D Director, Roctec Technology	Gareth Evans, Head of Rail Technology & Felicity Osborn, Programme Manager-International Research & Development Partnerships, Network Rail	Phuritath Phanitphotjamarn, Director - M&E Maintenance Department, BEM, Thailand Ashutosh Gangal, Former General Manager- Northern Railway, Indian Railways Hamdalah Hazhar, Railway Operation Division Head, MRT	Warwick Talbot, Deputy Executive Director- Network Growth, Sydney Trains Kitipat Supakleelakul, Assistant Managing Director - Maintenance Group, BEM, Thailand Russell Jackson, Director, Global Transit, AECOM Sponsor
	Dr. Kritsada Mongkoldee, Assistant Dean for Strategic Planning and International Relations, Faculty of Railway Systems and Transportation, Rajamangala University of Technology Isan (Moderator)		Jakarta Kristianto Usman, Researcher- Railway Infrastructure Risk, Asset & Investment Management, University of Birmingham (Moderator)	Andrew Chong, Advisor, Centre for Railway Infrastructure and Engineering (CRIE), Universiti Tunku Abdul Rahman (UTAR) (Moderator)

12:40		Networking Lunch & Exhibition Visit					
14:00	Keynote Panel: Envir	onmental, Social & Governance (ESG):	A Roadmap to Rail Sustainability	& Net- Zero Rail			
	Noormah Mohd Noor, Chief Executive Jessica Chan, Head of Sustainability,	Sinead Giblin, Vice President & General Manager, People & Places Solutions Asia, Jacobs Ioormah Mohd Noor, Chief Executive Officer, Express Rail Link, Malaysia essica Chan, Head of Sustainability, MTR Corporation, Hong Kong sapna Bhawnani, Vice President, Communications & Corporate Social Responsibility, Asia Pacific, Alstom					
	Alok Jain, CEO, Trans-Consult (Mod	derator)					
14:40	Best Practices Learned for NSEW C	BTC Re-signaling: During Re-signaling	and After Revenue				
	_	Leow Wee Lee, VP of Signal & Communications, SMRT Corporation Yu Feng Tang, Director Urban Rail Signaling, Thales GTS					
15:00	Systematic standards guide development of China's train control industry Ming Jiang, Deputy Chief Engineer, China Railway Signal & Communication Corporation Ltd						
15:20		Refreshments & Exhibition Visit					
	DIGITAL RAIL	SIGNALLING & COMMUNICATIONS	OPERATIONS, MAINTENANCE & ASSET MANAGEMENT	METRO			
	PASSENGER FLOW & CROWD CONTROL	UPGRADING & RESIGNALLING	FUTURE O&M	PROJECT UPDATES			
15:40	Incentives for railway system investment and digitalization	Switchover from an existing to a new signaling system – Operator Case Study	Technology and data-driven maintenance for permanent ways	<u>Philippines</u>			
	Prangprom Rattana, Investment Promotion Officer, Board of Investments, Thailand	Josefino Santiago , Senior Advisor- Systems Maintenance, RATP Dev	Woon Khai Jhin, Assistant Engineering Manager, SBS Transit Rail	Paul Chua, Deputy Administrator- Operations & Engineering, Light Rail Transit Authority, Philippines			

16:0	0 Digital innovations for passenger	Upgrading train control and	Long term service support - co-	Indonesia
	flow solutions in stations	operations through intelligent	operation between asset owners	
		railway control and command	and OEMs	
		signalling systems		

	Sylvia Koh-Gratton, Managing Director, KONE Singapore	Anshul Gupta, Former General Manager-Northern Railway, Indian Railways	Gabi Mason, Services Growth Director, Alstom	Kiendy Sunarto, Engineering & Commissioning Project Manager, LRT Jakarta, Indonesia
16:20	Panel: Innovative train stations for enhanced passenger experience and crowd control	<u>Panel</u> : Upgrading and resignalling for cost-effective and reliable train systems	Panel: Futuristic O&M strategies for enhanced safety and reliability	<u>Thailand</u>
	Jerawun Hongsakul, Director of Rail Transport Regulation Division, Department of Rail Transport, Thailand Shaun Liew, Vice-President, Head of Customer Experience and Operations for North-East Line and Sengkang-Punggol LRT, SBS Transit Calin Hera, Business Development Manager, KONE Steven Xiong, CTO of Rail Industry, Huawei Enterprise BG Dr. Sarit Tiyawongsuwan, Lecturer and Researcher, Rajamangala University of Technology (Moderator)	Engineer, Ministry of Railways, India Leow Wee Lee, VP of Signal & Communications, SMRT Corporation	Erni Basri, Director- Safety Railway, Ministry of Transportation, Indonesia Deovanni Miranda, Deputy Project Manager, Department of Transportation, Philippines Muhammad Effendi, Operations & Maintenance Director, MRT Jakarta Andrew Chong, Advisor, Centre for Railway Infrastructure and Engineering (CRIE), Universiti Tunku Abdul Rahman (UTAR) (Moderator)	Dr. Chaisak Srisethanil, CEO, BTS Infrastructure Development Co. Ltd.
17:00		END (OF DAY 2	

On-Floor Seminar Theatre

DAY 1 – MAY 31, 2023

Time/ Track	On-floor (Theatre 1)	On-floor(Theatre 2)
	Presentation 1: A cybersecurity solution for transport that is stronger than a firewall:	Presentation 1: Safety regulation and safety culture in Europe
1000	A technology discussion and review of use cases	Kevin Liu, Rolling Stock & Infrastructure Director, TÜV NORD
	Christopher Crawford, Transportation Industry Director, Waterfall Security Solutions	
	Presentation 2: Predictive maintenanceand now?	Presentation 2: Reducing structural life-cycle costs by using innovative structural
1030	Klaus Daniel, Heine, Senior Consultant Maintenance & Rolling Stock, DB E.C.O Group	protection systems
		Alberto Lanzoni, Area Sales Manager, MAURER SPS GmbH
1100	Presentation 3: The benefit of connectivity in a digital railway	Presentation 3: Reducing rail corrugation growth and ground-borne noise
	Jeremy Haskey, Connectivity & Services Solution Director, Alstom	Wilson Ho, Director, Jabez Innovation Limited
1130	Presentation 4: Realizing the benefits of digital rail while overcoming the challenges	Presentation 4: Innovation in the supply chain is as important as Innovation in materials
	Manpreet Mann, Rail Systems Lead, Arup	Mark Carling, Managing Director - Australia and Asia Pacific, Unipart Group
	Presentation 5: Tube bending application in metro rail project	Presentation 5: Digitization of track maintenance: An outlook to the future of digitized
1200	Deven Mukherjee, National Sales Manager- APAC Region, Omni-X	track and machine maintenance
		Jochen Nowotny, Managing Director, Track Machines Connected Gesellschaft m.b.H.
	Presentation 6: How can you make your operation faster and more efficient while	Presentation 6 : CRSC train control technologies safeguard your journey
1230	helping to ensure optimal performance and safety?	Ming Jiang, Deputy Chief Engineer, China Railway Signal & Communication Corporation
	Michael Field, Sales Director ANZ & SE Asia, Wabtec Corporation	Ltd
	Presentation 7: A kind of composite brake block suitable for heavy haul wagons under	
1300	severe rail condition	Naruecha Srivirach, General Manager, GERB (Thailand) Co. Ltd
	Vincy Wang, Senior representative, Shenyang Yuancheng Friction & Sealing Material Co.,Ltd	
	Presentation 8: Greener maintenance through advanced analytics	Presentation 8:
1330	Walaiporn Leelawannee, Head of Signalling & Infrastructure and Bangkok Site	Tommy Vongpathoum, Systems Validation Engineer/ Partner, ATS American Traction
	Managing Director, Alstom	Systems, Inc
	Presentation 9: Mobile asset management, remote condition monitoring &	Presentation 9:
1400	diagnostics	
	Eyal Trichter, CEO, TriLogical Technologies	
4.420	Presentation 10: Migration to FRMCS	Presentation 10: Innovative polyurethane track components for ballast protection and
1430	Hendrik Holz, Sales Director, Funwerk Systems GmbH	vibration mitigation
	Procentation 11: Edge intelligent central emacuraring Industry 4.0	Fang Xin, Area Sales Manager- Asia Pacific, Getzner Werkstoffe Presentation 11: Uninterruptable power supply
1500	Presentation 11: Edge intelligent control empowering Industry 4.0 Pan Xueming, Senior Design Engineer, Beijing HollySys Co. Ltd	Pearly Liew, Regional Business Development Manager, Gutor
	Presentation 12: CREG-Underground Solutions Provider	Presentation 12: Structural bearings, anti-seismic devices
1530	Yuan Suoxia, General Manager, China Railway Engineering Equipment Group Co. Ltd,	Agostino Marioni, Chairman, Hirun International
1330	Singapore Branch	Sporting than the first th
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	Yasir Shah, Global Sales Manager, Rail - <mark>Linxon</mark>	Presentation 13: Adapting RFID technology for railways and experience sharing on tried and tested use cases Anuraag Bhatnagar, CEO, Intellistride Technologies
1620	Presentation 14: Human factors in cybersecurity	Presentation 14: Noise and corrugation reduction through rail dampers
1630	Dr. Pipatphon Lapamonpinyo, Lecturer, Mahidol University	Karl-Stephan Schneider, Managing Director, Schrey & Veit
	Hugh Hunter, Lecturer, Mahidol University	

DAY 2 – JUNE 1, 2023

Time/ Track	On-floor (Theatre 1)	On-floor (Theatre 2)
1100		Presentation 1: The local-made Hi-rail vehicle and Modern Rail Flaw Detection system for safety and maintenance efficiency of existing rails in ASEAN Anat Hasap, Director of Railway Transportation System Testing Center (RTTC), Thailand Institute of Scientific and Technological Research (TISTR)
1130	Presentation 2: Discover easy maintenance – Smart Maintenance & SoniQ Rail Explorer Christian Schwarz, International Sales Manager, Vossloh Rail Services GmbH Heike Mühmel, Project Engineer, Vossloh Rail Inspection GmbH	Presentation 2: Breakthrough optical technology enabling effortless rail network upgrade Pan Chock Teck, Senior Manager, Huawei Asia Pacific Enterprise Transportation Railway Solution
1200	Presentation 3: Data driven insights Ben Craze, CEO, Infinitive Group	Presentation 3: Integrated diagnostic vehicle Ravi Raj, Assistant Vice President, ADJ Engineering Pvt Ltd
1230		Presentation 4: Robot-human co-operation in railway Infrastructure inspection Junjie Xiong, Vice President & Chairman Assistant, Shenhao Technology
1300	Presentation 5: Solutions for Urban Transport by Mitsubishi Heavy Industries Group Yuji Sakamoto, Senior Business Manager, <mark>Mitsubishi Heavy Industries</mark>	Presentation 5: Exploring the potential of IoT in the railway industry Leung Chi Wai, System Manager, Roctec Technology
1330		Presentation 6: Digital + Mainline and System Mike Taylor, Global Head of Rail Systems and Systems Engineering, AECOM ST Poh, Senior Vice President, Head of Rail and Transit, Asia, AECOM
1400	Presentation 7: Time sensitivity network Perry Yang, Technical Engineer, Kyland Technology Co. Ltd	Presentation 7:
1430	Presentation 8:	Presentation 8:

1500	Presentation 9:	Presentation 9:
1530	End of Day 2 program	