

# Online Project Orientation Meeting

P010873/Supporting LGBTQI Rights in Asia:  
Connecting Voices for LGBTQI Socio-Economic Inclusion and Human Rights in Asia



## BACKGROUND:

**Supporting LGBTQI rights in Asia: Connecting Voices for LGBTQI Socio-Economic Inclusion and Human Rights in Asia (2022-2024)** aims to support the gender equality and human rights of lesbian, gay, bisexual, transgender, queer, and intersex (LGBTQI) persons in Asia. It capacitates and connects local LGBTQI organizations working with marginalized and vulnerable groups from the LGBTQI communities in Cambodia, Indonesia, Lao PDR, the Philippines and Thailand. The project helps the local LGBTQI organizations become more established to sustainably deliver appropriate services and support to LGBTQI persons through targeted skills training and knowledge building. Aimed at strengthening the sustainability and organizational capacities of local, national, and regional LGBTQI organizations, the project improves skills and knowledge to address identified capacity gaps in areas such as project management, lobbying and advocacy, networking, resource mobilization and human rights and gender equality.

APCOM will implement the project in partnership with five (5) national and ten (10) sub-national country partner organizations, including at least five (5) women-led LGBTQI organizations and/or lesbian, bisexual, and transgender women organizations in Cambodia, Indonesia, Lao PDR, Thailand, and the Philippines.

APCOM is organizing the online orientation meeting for all national and subnational partner organizations to ensure they are more acquainted with the project to implement the activities to contribute to achieving project goals and objectives.

## PURPOSE:

The purpose of this online orientation meeting;

- Introductions/Networking: Providing platforms to country partner organizations to know each other;
- Build a mutual understanding of the overall project background, goals, and objectives;
- Roles and responsibilities of APCOM and partner organizations in collaborating on the implementation of this project;
- Cross-learn and share knowledge and information about the LGBTQI rights situation in five (5) countries.

**VENUE: Zoom** Please name your Zoom screen to your **preferred name (pronouns), your organization name, country name** for example **Midnight. (he/him), APCOM, Thailand**

16 August 2023	17 August 2023
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**NOTES:** This orientation will be recorded for the purpose of note-taking and sharing with partner organizations who cannot participate in the orientation.

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### AGENDA:

**Day 1 - 16 August 2023** 10:30-12:30 Jakarta/Phnom Penh/Thailand/Vientiane/ 11:30-13:30 Manila

Time	Session	Facilitator/speakers
10:30-10:35	Welcome and Introductions: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Housekeeping</li> <li>• Overview and purpose of meeting</li> </ul> Group Photo	Midnight Executive Director, APCOM
10:35-10:45	Opening Remarks	Ambassador of Canada to ASEAN, Victoria Singmi
10:45-11:00	Introduction of all organizations and participants	All participants
11:00-11:20	Project overview of 'Supporting LGBTQI Rights in Asia' project <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Project background</li> <li>• Goals and objectives</li> <li>• Roles and responsibilities</li> </ul>	Nattapat Jatupornpimol (Nok), Human Rights Officer APCOM  Selvan Antony Capacity Strengthening, Officer, APCOM
11:20-11:40	Presentation of the Logic Model <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Gender Equality</li> <li>• Human Rights</li> <li>• Localization</li> </ul>	Nattapat Jatupornpimol (Nok), Human Rights Officer APCOM
11.40-12:00	Presentation of Workplan	Selvan Antony Capacity Strengthening, Officer, APCOM
12:00-12:20	Q&A	APCOM, Global Affairs Canada and all participants
12:20-12:30	Reflection and close for Session 1	Midnight Executive Director, APCOM

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**Day 2 - 17 August 2023** 13:30-15:30 Jakarta/Phnom Penh/Thailand/Vientiane/ - 12:30-14:30 Manila

Time	Session	Facilitator/speakers
13:30-13:35	Recap of Day 1	Midnight Executive Director, APCOM
13:35-14:35	<p>Experience sharing: LGBTQI situations in 5 countries</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- National partner organization to coordinate with sub national partner organizations in their country to prepare the slide presentation for this session.</li> </ul> <p>Discussion, Q&amp;A</p>	<p><b>Cambodia:</b> Micro Rainbow International Foundation Cambodia</p> <p><b>Indonesia:</b> Suara Kita</p> <p><b>Lao PDR:</b> Community Health and Inclusion Association (CHIAs)</p> <p><b>Thailand:</b> SWING Foundation</p> <p><b>Philippines:</b> Babaylanes</p> <p>Facilitated by APCOM</p>
14:35-14:55	<p>Communication and Visibility Orientation</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Communication and visibility guideline</li> <li>• Communication kit (tool) and activity</li> </ul>	Suriya Phongphunngam (Bobo), Communications Officer
14:55-15:15	<p>Presentation of reporting deadlines and templates</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Financial report (eligible/ ineligible costs)</li> <li>• Narrative report</li> </ul>	<p>Kanokporn (Kook) Nok, Senior Finance Manager, APCOM</p> <p>Nattapat Jatupornpimol (Nok), Human Rights Officer APCOM</p>
15:15-15:25	Closing Remark	Ambassador of Canada to Thailand, Cambodia & Laos, Dr. Sarah Taylor (TBC)
15:25-15:30	End of Session 2, and follow ups	Midnight Executive Director, APCOM