

**WAPOR Asia 4th Annual Conference Program
November 16 - 17, 2021**

The New Normal in Survey Research Methodology and Changing Attitudes

| Tuesday, November 16, 2021 | |
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| 09:00 - 09:45 | <p>WAPOR Asia 4th Annual Conference Opening Ceremony</p> <p>Welcoming Speech By Thawilwadee Bureekul, King Prajadhipok's Institute (KPI), Thailand Chairperson of WAPOR Asia 2021 Conference</p> <p>Opening Address By Yashwant Deshmukh, WAPOR Asia President</p> <p>Introductory Remarks By Woothisarn Tanchai, Secretary General of KPI, Thailand</p> <p>Official Opening By Chuan Leekpai, Speaker of the House of Representatives, Thailand</p> |
| 10:00 - 11:30 | <p>Panel Discussion on Cross National Surveys Around the World Chair: Thawilwadee Bureekul, KPI</p> <p>Panelists: Jonathan Evans, Pew Research Bilal Gilani, WIN Gallup Christian Haerpfer, World Values Survey (WVS) Marta Lagos, Latinobarómetro Christof Wolf, International Social Survey Program (ISSP)</p> |
| 11:45 - 13:00 | <p>Parallel Sessions 1 (Four Panels)</p> |
| 11:45 - 13:00 | <p>Panel 1.1: Challenging Contexts for Survey Research Chair: Rahul Sharma, C-Voter, India</p> <p>Analysing Research Methodologies in Global Vaccine Hesitancy Studies Ankita Tripathi, SPRF, India Neha Chauhan, SPRF, India</p> <p>Crime Victimization, Public Anxiety over Crime, and Opinion on the Anti-illegal Drugs Campaign of the Duterte Administration Leo Rando S. Laroza, SWS, Philippines Gerardo A. Sandoval, SWS, Philippines Gianne Sheena S. Sabio, SWS, Philippines</p> <p>Data Archiving Public Opinion Polls and Histories Amidst Turmoil Daniel C. Tsang, HKPORI, Hong Kong</p> <p>Afghan Public Opinion about Political Turmoil in the War Torn Country Khalid Akhter, C-Voter, India Nazir Ahmad Yosufi, Afghanistan</p> <p>Uninterrupted Public Opinion Research during Pandemic -IVR Rahul Sharma, C-Voter, India</p> |
| 11:45 - 13:00 | <p>Panel 1.2: Cultures, Values, Surveys Chair: Jibum Kim, Sungkyunkwan University, South Korea</p> |

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| | <p>Ancestor Worship in Korea Jibum Kim, Sungkyunkwan University, South Korea Jae-Mahn Shim, Korea University, Korea Sori Kim, Sungkyunkwan University, Korea</p> <p>Time Series Data on the Attendance of Filipinos at Religious Services, 1991-2021 Hannah Jimala, SWS, Philippines</p> <p>Three Lessons Learnt in My AsiaBarometer Survey Experience, 2002-2022 from Three Sub-disciplines: Culturally Psychology, Statistics, Experimental Psychology Takashi Inoguchi, AsiaBarometer Survey, Japan</p> <p>Study of World Values from a Civilizational Perspective Ijaz Gilani, Gallup Pakistan, Pakistan</p> |
| 11:45 – 13:00 | <p>Panel 1.3: Social Trust, Confidence in Institutions, & Communication Chair: Trairat Pokapalakorn, Thammasat University, Thailand</p> <p>Level of Social Trust in Asia A Cross-national Analysis using the Asian Barometer Surveys in the Past Two Decades Fernel Ted Paguinto, SWS, Philippines</p> <p>Serving the Political Agenda: Pseudo-polls in Hong Kong Wai-Kwok Wong, HKPORI, Hong Kong</p> <p>Changing Levels of Trust in Government and Governmental Institutions during the COVID-19 Pandemic in India Shreya Maskara, Polstrat Communications Pvt. Ltd, India</p> <p>COVID-19 Communication During a Public Health Crisis in Malaysia Zeti Azreen Ahmad, International Islamic University Malaysia (IIUM), Malaysia Mazni Buyong, International Islamic University Malaysia (IIUM), Malaysia Nurul Yuziana Mohd Yusof, International Islamic University Malaysia (IIUM), Malaysia</p> <p>COVID-19 and Young Australians Trust, Confidence in Institutions and Rising Discontent Matthew Gray, ANU Centre for Social Research and Methods, Australia Nick Biddle, ANU Centre for Social Research and Methods, Australia</p> |
| 11:45 – 13:00 | <p>Panel 1.4: Well-Being Chair: Robert Chung, HKPORI, Hong Kong</p> <p>Surveys of Filipino Quality of Life in the COVID-19 Pandemic, 2020-21 Mahar Mangahas, SWS, Philippines</p> <p>Faculty Well-being under COVID-19 Pandemic Tatiana Karabchuk, UAE University, UAE Aizhan Shomotova, UAE University, UAE</p> |

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| | <p>Personal Wellbeing during a Global Pandemic: Demographic Differences in Changes in Wellbeing Shreya Maskara, Polstrat Communications Pvt. Ltd, India</p> |
| 13:00 – 14:00 | <p>Lunch</p> |
| 14:00 – 18:00 | <p>Workshop on Fundamentals of Survey Research Chair: Yashwant Deshmukh, WAPOR Asia President</p> <p>Why Do We Need Public Opinion Research Robert Chung, HKPORI, Hong Kong</p> <p>Understanding the Fundamentals of Survey Research Tatiana Karabchuk, UAE University</p> <p>Exploring Random Probability in Public Opinion Research Sanjay Kumar, CSDS, India</p> <p>The Confusing World of Online Polls: Why Non-probability Online Research is Unscientific Yashwant Deshmukh, WAPOR Asia President</p> <p>Data Collection Methodology in Thailand (in Thai with English translation) Ratchawadee Sangmahamad, KPI, Thailand Lertporn Udompong, KPI, Thailand</p> |

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| 09:00 – 10:30 | <p>Special Lecture on Artificial Intelligence in Conflict Resolution Research By Colin Irwin, University of Liverpool, UK Chair: Yashwant Deshmukh, WAPOR Asia President</p> |
| 10:30 – 12:00 | <p>Parallel Sessions 2 (Four Panels)</p> |
| 10:30 – 12:00 | <p>Panel 2.1: Social Media, Information, & Participation Chair: Holli A. Semetko, Emory University, USA</p> <p>Youth and News via Social Media: A New Trend Mazni Buyong, International Islamic University Malaysia (IIUM), Malaysia Nur Shakira Mohd Nasir, International Islamic University Malaysia (IIUM), Malaysia</p> <p>Young Mexicans, Political Participation and Digital Social Networks Alejandra Rodríguez, National System of Researchers (SNI), Mexico Fernando Domínguez, National System of Researchers (SNI), Mexico</p> <p>Campaign Disinformation in India: Measuring Harmfulness Kiran Arabaghata Basavaraj, University of Exeter, UK</p> <p>Digital Campaign Effects in Indian Elections: Panel Evidence from Kerala Anil Varughese, Carleton University, Canada Subhasish Ray, O.P. Jindal Global University, India</p> |

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| | <p>Attention to News and Information about Politics: Evidence from India's 2019 Election Campaign Holli A. Semetko, Emory University, USA</p> |
| 10: 30 – 12:00 | <p>Panel 2.2: Happiness, Optimism & Mental Health Chair: Supachai Yavaprabhas, Rangsit University, Thailand</p> <p>Happiness in the Philippines: Demographic Patterns and Attitudinal Correlates Gerardo A. Sandoval, SWS, Philippines</p> <p>The Influence of Personal Optimism on Happiness among Filipinos: The Role of Educational Attainment Marco M. Mercado, SWS, Philippines</p> <p>Understanding Impact on Mental Health through the Prism of COVID-19 Gaura Shukla, C-Voter, India</p> <p>Food Insecurity Mediates the Relationship between Poverty and Mental Health Tania Nagpaul, Singapore University of Social Sciences, Singapore</p> <p>Mental Health and Political Participation during COVID-19: Evidence from Indian States Subhasish Ray, O.P.Jindal Global University, India</p> |
| 10: 30 – 12:00 | <p>Panel 2.3: Democracy & Governance Chair: Eric Chen-hua Yu, National Chengchi University, Taiwan</p> <p>Do Waves of Democracy Matter? Comparing Citizenship Norms and Political Participation in Different Democracies Eric Chen-hua Yu, National Chengchi University, Taiwan Ting-wei Weng, University of Houston</p> <p>Thailand Political Foresight for Sustainable Democracy Thawilwadee Bureekul, KPI, Thailand</p> <p>The Malaysian Image of Three U.S. Leaders: Biden, Trump, and Obama Syed Arabi Idid, International Islamic University Malaysia (IIUM), Malaysia Mohammed Fadel Arandas, Southern University College, Malaysia Loh Yoke Ling, Universiti Pendidikan Sultan Idris, Malaysia</p> <p>Attitude and Ethnic Identity Affecting Voting Intention: A Study in Batang Kali State Legislative, Selangor Constituency Mat Nadzari Ahmad Dahlan, Malaysia</p> <p>Factors Affecting Public Mind Behavior of Students of Satri Anghong School Sirichai Petcharak, Thepsatri Rajabhat University, Thailand Waraporn Saprunghong, Thepsatri Rajabhat University, Thailand Sompop Chermkhuntod, Thepsatri Rajabhat University, Thailand Chutima Petcharak, Thepsatri Rajabhat University, Thailand</p> |

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| 10:30 – 12:00 | <p>Panel 2.4: Pandemic Work Changes and Futures Chair: Sida Sornsri, Expert on International Relations, Thailand</p> <p>Attitudes Towards Working in Social Care Toni Makkai, ANU Centre for Social Research and Methods, Australia Nicholas Biddle, ANU Centre for Social Research and Methods, Australia</p> <p>Proactive Approach to CATI Decentralization Process for Work from Anywhere Paradigm Neelabh Tyagi, C-Voter, India</p> <p>The Effects of the COVID-19 Pandemic to Home and Non-Home Based Filipino Workers in Relation to Going and Reporting for Work Rommel Tabije, SWS, Philippines</p> <p>Survey Research Adapting a New Normal Yashwant Deshmukh, , C-Voter, India</p> |
| 12:00 – 13:00 | <p>Conversation with the Pioneers in Public Opinion Chair: Syed Arabi Idid, International Islamic University Malaysia (IIUM), Malaysia</p> <p>Pioneers:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Darren Pennay, The Social Research Centre, Australia M Saidul Haq, SRGB Research & Consulting Limited, Bangladesh Saiful Mujani, Universitas Islam Negeri Syarif Hidayatullah, Indonesia Pradeep Peiris, University of Colombo, Sri Lanka Chi Huang, National Chengchi University, Taiwan |
| 13:00 – 13:30 | <p>Lunch</p> |
| 13:30 – 15:00 | <p>Parallel Sessions 3 (Three Panels)</p> |
| 13:30 – 15:00 | <p>Panel 3.1: Inequalities Chair: Thawilwadee Bureekul, KPI, Thailand</p> <p>Reinforced Inequalities with the Advent of COVID-19 in Sri Lanka Shashik Silva, Social Scientists' Association (SSA), Sri Lanka</p> <p>Education Constraints during the Pandemic Shaleja Mahajan, C-Voter, India</p> <p>Financial Situation of Filipino Families before and during the COVID-19 Crisis Malou Tabor, SWS, Philippines Josefina Mar, SWS, Philippines</p> <p>Bicycle Usage Among Filipino Households During the COVID-19 Pandemic Christian Michael Entoma, SWS, Philippines</p> <p>An Evaluation of India's COVID-19 Food Relief Program Manu Sharma, C-Voter, India</p> |

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Panel 3.2: New Media Platforms

Chair: Jay Sandoval, SWS, Philippines

Incentive Experiment and Push-to-Web Data Collection Strategy: Results from the Hong Kong Generations and Gender Survey (HK-GGS) Pilot Study

Christian Joy, Hong Kong University of Science and Technology, Hong Kong

Pattawi Cruz, Hong Kong University of Science and Technology, Hong Kong

Stuart Gietel-Basten, Hong Kong University of Science and Technology, Hong Kong

The Usage of WhatsApp Among Malaysians

Nerawi Sedu, International Islamic University Malaysia (IIUM), Malaysia

Factors Affecting Online Shopping Behaviour via Shopee of Generation Y Consumers under the COVID-19 Situation in Bangkok and its Vicinity

Praewpun Suwannapong, Valaya Alongkorn Rajabhat University, Thailand

The Role of Mobile App and Social Media In Response to Citizen Demands During the COVID-19 Pandemic: The Case of Ho Chi Minh City, Vietnam

Minh-Thuan Tu, Hochiminh city Carde Academy, Vietnam

The Malaysian Media Dependency During COVID-19 Crisis

Eliza Ezzauddin Hussein, Universiti Teknologi MARA (UiTM), Malaysia

Syed Arabi Idid, International Islamic University Malaysia (IIUM), Malaysia

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Panel 3.3: Contexts and Surveys in India

Chair: Chira Prateep, Rangsit University, Thailand

Survey Based Evaluation of Computer-based Education in 6 States

Aakansha Bariar, C-Voter, India

Partial Decline in the Influence of Caste Politics

Ajit Shukla, C-Voter, India

Manish Tripathi, C-Voter, India

Crime and Politics: Do Elected Leaders with a Criminal Record Worsen the Rule of Law?

Shreya Maskara, Polstrat Communications Pvt. Ltd, India

Damini Mehta, Polstrat Communications Pvt. Ltd, India

Prakhar Yadav, Polstrat Communications Pvt. Ltd, India

Vaishali Ujlayan, Polstrat Communications Pvt. Ltd, India

Analysing Public Perception of Government Schemes and Programs: A Study on the Change in Public Perception in Three States between Two Assembly Elections

Damini Mehta, Polstrat Communications Pvt. Ltd, India

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| 15:00 – 16:30 | Parallel Sessions 4 (Three Panels) |
| 15:00 – 16:30 | <p>Panel 4.1: 2020-2021 Impacts on Survey Firms and Service Offices Chair: Jay Sandoval, SWS, Philippines</p> <p>Administrative Challenge During COVID-19 Shalinder Mahajan, C-Voter, India</p> <p>Obtaining People's Mandate through an Opinion Survey Edward Chit-fai TAI, Hong Kong Public Opinion Research Institute (HKPORI), Hong Kong</p> <p>Spatial Suitability Analysis of Social Service Offices for a COVID-19 Endemic City Chanhoong Leong, Singapore University of Social Sciences, Singapore</p> <p>Polling under the Oppressive National Security Law Chung Kim-wah, Hong Kong Public Opinion Research Institute (HKPORI), Hong Kong</p> |
| 15:00 – 16:30 | <p>Panel 4.2: Innovation in Governance and Management (Thai language with English translation) Chair: Thanyawat Rattanasak, Chiang Mai University, Thailand Discussant: Sataporn Roengtham, Khonkaen University, Thailand</p> <p>A Survey on the Role of Local Government Organizations in Managing the COVID-19 Pandemic Crisis Sirinat Phetsrichat, KPI, Thailand</p> <p>Management of the COVID-19 Outbreak in Phuket Paladej Chaloeykitti, Expert Thailand Professional Qualification Institute, Thailand</p> <p>Brainstorming for Data Governance Framework for COVID-19 Pandemic in Academic Institutes Suwannee Adsavakulchai, The University of the Thai Chamber of Commerce, Thailand</p> <p>Brainstorming for Thailand Knowledge Portal Chiraporn Huntula, The University of the Thai Chamber of Commerce, Thailand Suwannee Adsavakulchai, The University of the Thai Chamber of Commerce, Thailand</p> |
| 15:00 – 16:30 | <p>Panel 4.3: Thailand and Social Quality (Thai language with English translation) Chair: Manit Suthasakul, Sukhothai Thammathirat Open University, Thailand Discussant: Sukanya Aimimtham, Khon Kaen University, Thailand</p> <p>Peaceful Means Innovation: Conflict Mapping Database Research Apinya Tissamana, KPI, Thailand</p> <p>The Levels of Peace in Thai Society from the Past, Present, to the Future: Under the Survey of Thai Peace Index Chalat Pratheuangrattana, KPI, Thailand</p> |

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| | Economic and Social Factors and Anti-Immigration Attitudes in Thailand Ratchawadee Sangmahamad, KPI, Thailand Public Opinion Survey on Religious Attitudes and Religious Change Lertporn Udompong, KPI, Thailand |
| 16.30 - 17.30 | WAPOR Asia 4th Annual Conference Closing Ceremony |
| | WAPOR Asia Lifetime Achievement Awards By Yashwant Deshmukh, WAPOR Asia President |
| | WAPOR Asia Business Meeting and 5th and 6th Conference Announcement Dubai 2022 and Seoul, Korea 2023 By Yashwant Deshmukh and Jibum Kim, WAPOR Asia Vice President and President-Elect |
| | Closing Speech By Amporn Tamronglak, President of Public Administration Association of Thailand (PAAT) Co-host of WAPOR Asia 2021 Conference |