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GTRA NEWSLETTER

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Message from the chairman

In the last two decades, Thailand has rapidly expanded its railway system, especially the mass transit railway in Bangkok. For developing the Thai railway system under such extreme growth, the Thai railway industry and operators need to learn very fast in coping with numerous challenges ...[\[more\]](#)

Activities and upcoming events

The 8th German-Thai Railway Association Workshop with the topic “**Interconnectivity of Thai Rail Systems**” on November 1, 2023, at Burachat Meeting Room, 1st floor, Krung Thep Aphiwat Central Terminal ...[\[more\]](#)



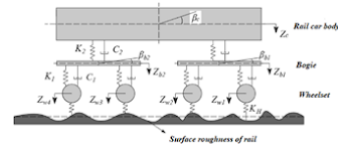
News

- [SRT seeking budget for rail upgrades](#)
- [BMA urged to manage new train](#)
- [MRTA pushes city, Phuket transit plans](#)

- [SRT wants B50bn for rail projects](#)
- [SRT approves 20-baht fare for Red, Purple lines](#)
- [Solar power to be utilised by rail network](#)
- [Dept mulls ways to cap train fares](#)
- [Northeast line upgrades to finish in 2024](#)
- [Ministry aims to build on jump in trade facilitation via Laos](#)
- [Thai joint venture hails homegrown rail carriage](#)

Technical series

- [Rail decarbonization in Thailand](#)
- [Renewable energy integration in next-generation railway system](#)
- [Transforming rail infrastructure with sustainable materials](#)



GTRA member highlight

„Friedrich List“ Faculty of Transport and Traffic Sciences at TU Dresden

The „Friedrich List“; Faculty of Transport and Traffic Sciences at TU Dresden is the only faculty in Germany dedicated to transport and traffic sciences, and has an internationally recognized competence for sustainable mobility. The interdisciplinary research covers the entire range of transport on land (roads and tracks) and in the air. ...[\[more\]](#)



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