## **Trek Thailand**

Special interest trips and soft adventures with relaxation and comfort



Photography, sea beach, mangroves --- (Ranong)

Our special interest trips and soft adventure experiences are suitable for any age group from youth to senior citizens and families with children. Similar to all other trips these travels are designed and planned by doing research works, and thus every trip is unique.

Possibilities are endless: photography, arts, archaeology, history, cultures and trades, geography, history, agriculture, just relax and having a fun time; the list goes on. Certain amount of adventure, as always in our tours, could be added depending on place, time of travel and what you like. Time and beautiful place to relax, nice place to stay, and good food are also arranged as best as possible.



Doi Pha Tan (Chiang Rai) where geopolitics, history, nice scenery, good food and basic yet decent accommodation are possible along with an outdoor conversation with locals under the stars

We can always find a place where you can go in relatively easy transport, have clean bed and roof over your head to stay the night, yet it is out of the mass tourist trail. Once you are there, there is a variety of experiences to be discovered.

Just tell us what you are after, what do you expect, and any other information you have in your mind we will research and design the best possible trip for you.

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Boat racing (Nan), Phi Tha Khong Festival (Loei)

We can also recommend visit to local traditional festivals such as boat racing depending on time and place. Of course during these times the festive place is usually crowded. However we could usually find a good quiet place a bit away from the festival.



Sunset (Loei, Phetchabun)

In many places you can have very beautiful views and atmosphere, descent accommodation and nice food, and yet not surrounded by groups of tourists

We know the people and the landscape, we are ones of these locals, and we always open our eyes and minds for more knowledge.

However there are things to follow. Our trips must make minimum damage mentally or physically to the communities. The trips must create mutual benefits. Just because there is a wonderfully beautiful spot we will not carelessly take the tourists there. We always consult the native local people first. Safety, environmental and cultural things as well as long term effects on the people are carefully thought about.



Heup cave (Khammouane, Laos)

In some places in Laos, you can go adventure without seeing any other tourists during the day and still come back to for a good dinner and comfortable village cottage



Accommodation on Hin Boun river (Khammouane, Laos)





Remains of ruins of a lost civilization, village life (Khammouane, Laos)

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Paddy farmers with limestone cliff in the back ground (Hin Boun river valley, Laos)

Wherever we go the local people are our resources and our guides. They give us additional useful details to add to our books, maps and photo knowledge. They are in fact important part of our trip management. They provide value and insight knowledge. You will also be the ones to communicate with them.

Through us you and the local village people will talk, listen, ask and answer each other questions. That is a great experience. At the end of a day you will come back to stay in a safe and nice room surrounded by the nature.



A riverside village huts (Khammouane, Laos)

In case we are to do village home stay because of lack of resort cottage, we will be able to arrange safe and reasonably clean space for your night stop. In this case authentic rural village experience will be additional value.



An artist group on a private slow boat on Mekong river (northern laos)

Arts and graphic painting groups are one of our regular trips. Every trip is different from the previous one. Local museums, archaeological sites, minority people places, geographically interesting places are also ones of our old friends/clients favorites. We take time to discuss, research, find out and design the good travel plan.

Our management also includes recommendation of what you should bring and to what amount, what you should not bring, the local traditions, dos and don'ts.



Fishing boats at river mouth (Chanthaburi)

Fishing community, sea fishermen life, lighthouse, naval history, beach and islands could be added possibly at the end of the trip.

We can arrange good hotel stays in towns or cities between the adventures. In many trips we manage transport, hotels, adventure and special experience parts as well as relaxation time at the end.



Sea beach (Satahip)

## In summary our trip management include

- Research, collection/production of booklets and maps
- Trip program plan and check list
- Transportation
- Clean accommodation and food
- Local guides, tour leader for certain parts of the trip
- Special services for special interest activities
- Photographic record of the trip
- Travel accident insurance
- Plan and action for prevention and mitigation of problems
- Travel accident insurance
- Safety plan

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