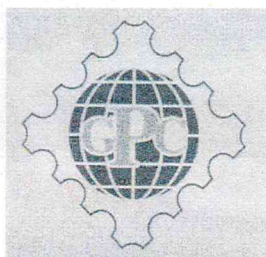


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At the INDIPEX 2011 India World Philatelic Exhibition, 2 new Grand Prix members were born:

The Grand Prix D'Honneur winner
Ms Martha Villarroel de Peredo of Bolivia
Exhibit : "Bolivia 19th Century – Study of the condors"

And

The Grand Prix International winner
Mr Paulo Comelli of Paraguay
Exhibit : "Brazilian Mail to Foreign Destinations –
From Correio – MOR to UPU"



The Grand Prix Club luncheon was held on February 18, 2011 at The Lalit Hotel, New Delhi, India. A short election of the office bearers was conducted:

President	Mr Tay Peng Hian RDP	(Singapore)
Vice Presidents	Mr Hugo Goeggel RDP	(Colombia)
	Mr Luis Alemany	(Spain)
Secretary	Dr Prakob Chirakiti	(Thailand)

The Grand Prix members in attendance were as follow:

Mr Arthur Gray (Australia)
Ms Martha Villarroel de Peredo (Bolivia)
Mr Hugo Goeggel RDP (Colombia)
Dr Andrew Cheung (Hong Kong)
Mr Tay Peng Hian RDP (Singapore)
Dr Prakob Chirakiti (Thailand)

Mr Gary Brown (Australia)
Mr Michael Ho (Chinese Taipei)
Mr William Kwan (Hong Kong)
Mr Paulo Comelli RDP (Paraguay)
Mr Surajit Gongvatana (Thailand)
Mr Prakrit Foongvanich (Thailand)



(From left to right) Mr David Feldman, Dr Prakob Chirakiti, Mr Hugo Goeggel RDP, Mrs William Kwan, Mr William Kwan, Mr Arthur Gray, Mr Surajit Gongvatana, Mr Prakit Foongvanich and Dr Andrew Cheung



▲ Mr David Feldman addressed the Grand Prix Club members



▲ Mr Tay conducted the meeting

The FIP Grand Prix Club would like to thank the following gentlemen:

Guest of Honour Mr David Feldman of Switzerland for his keen support on The Grand Prix Club's past activities, especially undertook the publication of ***The Grand Prix Club Book 1950-2000***.

Mr David Springbett who had chaired the Grand Prix Club for the last decade, Mr Tay Peng Hian RDP (Vice President) and Mr James Peter Gough (Secretary), for their wholeheartedly past contributions to the Club. Mr Springbett will be remembered for publishing ***The Grand Prix Club Book 1950-2000***, which has won a FIP Gold medal award at Bangkok 2003 World Stamp Exhibition.

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FIP Grand Prix Winners 2000 – 2011

2000 London, THE STAMP SHOW 2000 (22 – 28 May 2000) – FIP Patronage

Grand Prix d'Honneur	Everaldo Santos (Brazil)	Classic Brazil
Grand Prix International	Trevor Davis (United Kingdom) *	Australian Colonies – Overseas Mails pre-UPU
Grand Prix National	Patricia Stilwell-Walker (USA)	Ireland: Postal History 1661 to the 1890s

2001 Brussels, BELGICA 2001 (09-15 June 2001) – FIP Patronage

Grand Prix d'Honneur	Ron Brigham (Canada)	The Province of Canada - the Pence Issues 1851 - 1868
Grand Prix International	Balder (Belgium)	Norwegian adhesive covers to foreign destinations 1855 - 1877
Grand Prix National	Luc Joseph Van Pamel (Belgium)	Belgium, The one Centime Medaillon Issue 1861 - 63

2001 Tokyo, PHILANIPPON 2001 (01-07 August 2001) – FIP Patronage

Grand Prix d'Honneur	Hisashi Nonomiya (Japan)	Courier to Post in Japan
Grand Prix International	Yaovanee Nirandara (Thailand)	Burma: Under Indian Postal Administration 1817 - 1870
Grand Prix National	Kazunobu Fukuhara (Japan)	The Hand Engraved Stamps of Japan

2002 Seoul, PHILAKOREA 2002 (02-11 August 2002) – FIP Patronage

Grand Prix d'Honneur	Yigal Nathaniel (Israel)	Japan-Etched Stamps 1871 - 1876
Grand Prix International	Tay Peng Hian (Singapore)	Netherlands East Indies 1655 - 1870
Grand Prix National	Chang Se-young (Korea)	Korean Kingdom and Korean Empire 1884 - 1905

2003 Bangkok, BANGKOK 2003 (04-13 October 2003) – FIP Patronage

Grand Prix d'Honneur	Kanai Hiroyuki (Japan)	Japanese Hand Engraved Issues From 1871 to 1876
Grand Prix International	Michael Ho (Chinese Taipei)	China – The Small Dragon and its surcharges
Grand Prix National	Prakob Chirakiti (Thailand)	Siam Classic – The Early Years

2004 Valencia, ESPANA 2004 (22 – 30 May 2004) – FIP Patronage

Grand Prix d'Honneur	Davit Franco (France)	French Post Offices in Ottoman Levant
Grand Prix International	Samir Fikry (Egypt) *	The Postal History of Egypt
Grand Prix National	Antonio Cuesta (Spain)	Filipinas 1776 – 1897. Era pre U.P.U.

2004 Singapore, WSC 2004 (28 August -01 September 2004) – FIP Patronage

World Stamp Championship 2004	Surajit Gongvatana (Thailand)	Siam
Grand Prix d'Exposition	Hugo Goeggel (Colombia)	Classic Ecuador, the first two issues (1865 – 1880)

2005 Sydney, PACIFIC EXPLORER 2005 (21 -24 April 2005) – FIP Patronage

Grand Prix d'Exposition	George Kramer (USA)	United States Domestic Mail 1776 - 1869
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2006 Washington, WASHINGTON 2006 (27 May – 03 June 2006) – FIP Patronage

Grand Prix d'Honneur	Edward J J Grabowski (USA)	Guadeloupe Postal History
Grand Prix International	Omar Rodriguez (USA)	Classic Mexico – The First Issues from Colonial Mail and First Hidaigos to 1867
Grand Prix National	William H Gross (USA)	United States Classics, 1847 – 1869, and their 1875 Re-issues

2006 Malaga, ESPANA 2006 (07 – 13 October 2006) – FIP Patronage

Grand Prix d'Honneur	Antonio Cuesta Garcia (Spain)	Filipinas 1776 – 1897. Era pre U.P.U.
Grand Prix International	Luis Alemany Indarte (Spain)	"Ojos de buey", los primeros sellos de America 1843 – 1854
Grand Prix National	Jose Alberto Barreras (Spain)	Espana 1860 – 1865

2007 St Petersburg, ST PETERSBURG 2007 (19 – 25 June 2006) – FIP Patronage

Grand Prix d'Honneur	Michael Ho (Chinese Taipei)	China: The Small Dragon and its surcharges
Grand Prix International	Prakob Chirakiti (Thailand)	Siam Classic: The First Issue
Grand Prix National	Igor Gorski (Russia)	Rural Postal Stamps of Russia 1865 – 1900

2008 Israel, ISRAEL 2008 (14 – 21 May 2008) – FIP Patronage

World Stamp Championship 2008	Luis Alemany (Spain)	Brazil "Bulls Eye"
Grand Prix d'Exposition	Joseph Hackmey (United Kingdom)	France First Issue

2008 Bucharest, EFIRO 2008 (20 – 27 June 2008) – FIP Patronage

Grand Prix d'Honneur	M A Sayeed (UAE)	India, 1852-55, "The Scinde District Dawk, Lithograph Issues & Usages"
Grand Prix International	Mark Lorentzen (USA)	Across the Danish Border
Grand Prix National	Joseph Hackmey (United Kingdom)	Classical Romania

2008 Prague, PRAGA 2008 (12 – 14 September 2008) - FIP Patronage

Grand Prix d'Exposition	Knut Heister (Germany)	Venezuela: Classical Postal History (1790-1880)
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2009 Luoyang, CHINA 2009 (10 – 16 April 2009) – FIP Patronage

Grand Prix d'Honneur	Tay Peng Hian (Singapore)	Netherlands East Indies 1655-1870
Grand Prix International	Charnchai Karnasuta (Thailand)	Development of Early Post Office in Siam (1880-1909)
Grand Prix National	Wei Gang (China)	China: The Postal History of Mongolia (1841-1921)

2010 London, LONDON 2010 (8 – 15 May 2010) – FIP Patronage

Grand Prix d'Exposition	Alan Holyoake (United Kingdom)	The First Line Engraved Postage Stamps
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2010 Portugal, PORTUGAL 2010 (1 – 10 October 2010) – FIP Patronage

Grand Prix d'Honneur	Luis Alemany (Spain)	Finland "Issues before UPU" 1 st Issue and Rouletted
Grand Prix International	Alan Holyoake (United Kingdom)	The First Line Engraved Postage Stamp
Grand Prix National	Joao Maria Silva Violante (Portugal)	Classic Portugal – First Issues

2011 New Delhi, INDIPEX 2011 (12 - 18 February 2011) - FIP Patronage

Grand Prix d'Honneur	Martha Villarroel de Peredo (Bolivia)	Bolivia 19th Century - Study of the condors
Grand Prix International	Paulo Comelli (Paraguay)	Brazilian Mail to Foreign Destinations - From Correio - MOR to UPU

Note: * = Deceased

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After the successful Grand Prix luncheon held in New Delhi, India on 18 February 2011, there were four more such occasions being organized namely at PHILANIPPON 2011 FIP World Stamp Exhibition, CHINA 2011 (FIAP 27th Asian International Stamp Exhibition), INDONESIA 2012 FIP World Stamp Championship and SHARJAH 2012 (FIAP 28th Asian International Stamp Exhibition).

The luncheon at PHILANIPPON 2011 FIP World Stamp Exhibition was held on 2 August 2011 at the InterContinental Yokohama Grand Hotel and attended by 18 members & spouses, namely Mr Tay Peng Hian RDP (FIP President), Mr & Mrs Surajit Gongvantana (FIAP President/FIP Vice President), Mr Koichi Sato (Japan), Mr & Mrs Kazuyuki Inoue (Japan), Mr & Mrs William Kwan (FIAP Honorary Member), Dr & Mrs Pichai Buranasombati (Thailand), Mr Prakrit Foongvanich (Thailand), Mr Ayuth Krishnamara (Thailand), Mr Daniel Teo (Singapore), Dr & Mrs Andrew Cheung (Hong Kong), Mr Michael Ho (FIAP Vice President), Mr Malcolm Groom (guest of Mr Arthur Gray, Australia) and Mr David Feldman (guest of honour from Switzerland).



↓ At **PHILANIPPON 2011 World Stamp Exhibition**, the coveted Grand Prix D'Honneur was awarded to Mr William Kwan of Hong Kong, FIAP Honorary Member, for his exhibit: *Stamps and Covers of East China 1942-1949*

The Grand Prix International award went to Mr Yo-Chi Kim of Korea for his exhibit: *Great Joseon and Daehan Empire (1884-1909)* while the Grand Prix National award was awarded to Mr Yasushi Tejima of Japan (right) for his exhibit: *Dragon Stamp Covers (1871-1884)* ↓



The dinner at INDONESIA 2012 FIP World Stamp Championship was held on 22 June 2012 at the Sultan Hotel.



← At **INDONESIA 2012 World Stamp Championship**, Mr Everaldo Santos of Brazil received the World Stamp Champion 2012 award for his exhibit – Postal History of Brazil 1606-1877 from Mrs Ingrid Pandjaitan, retired Director of Post and Information Technology

Mr Steven Walske of USA won the Grand Prix d'Exposition for his exhibit – Heart of the West: San Francisco as a Postal Hub from 1849-1864.

1st Runner Up for World Stamp Championship was awarded to Mr George Kramer of USA for his exhibit – Vignettes of Western Trails and Routes 1849-1870's and 2nd Runner Up was awarded to Mr Jose Alberto Barreras Barreras of Spain for his exhibit – Spain 1854-1859



The dinner at INDONESIA 2012 FIP World Stamp Championship was held on 23 June 2012 at the Sultan Hotel and attended by 21 members & spouses, namely: Mr Tay Peng Hian RDP (FIP President), Mr & Mrs Surajit Gongvatana (FIAP President & FIP Vice President), Mr & Mrs William Kwan (Hong Kong), Mr Michael Ho (Chinese Taipei), Dr Prakob Chirakiti (Thailand), Mr Gary Brown (Australia), Mr Prakit Foongvanich (Thailand), Mr Malcolm Groom (Australia), Mr Arthur Gray (Australia), Mr Geoffrey Kellow (Australia), Mr Luis Alemany & guest (Spain), Ms Martha Villarroel De Peredo (Bolivia), Mr & Mrs Kazuyuki Inoue (Japan), Mrs & Mr Charnchai Karnasuta (Thailand) and Mrs & Mr David Feldman (Switzerland).

FIP Grand Prix Winners

PHILANIPPON 2011 World Stamp Exhibition, Yokohama, Japan (28 July – 2 August 2011) – FIP Patronage

Grand Prix D'Honneur	William Kwan (Hong Kong)	Stamps and Covers of East China 1942-1949
Grand Prix International	Kim Yo-Chi (Korea)	Korea: Great Joseon and Daehan Empire (1884-1909)
Grand Prix National	Yasushi Tejima (Japan)	Dragon Stamp Covers (1871-1884)

INDONESIA 2012 World Stamp Championship, Jakarta, Indonesia (18 – 24 June 2012) – FIP Patronage

World Stamp Championship	Everaldo Santos (Brazil)	Postal History of Brazil 1606-1877
Grand Prix d'Exposition	Steven Walske (USA)	Heart of the West: San Francisco as a Postal Hub from 1849 – 1864

* For FIP Grand Prix Winners 2000-2011, please refer to Grand Prix Club Communication No 1/2011, FIAP News No 32, April 2011



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CHINA 2011 (27th Asian International Stamp Exhibition) Wuxi, China (11 – 15 November 2011)

Grand Prix D'Honneur	Wei Gang (China)	The Postal History of Mongolian (1841-1921)
Grand Prix International	Tan Ah Ee (Singapore)	Straits Settlements Classic
Grand Prix National	Ding Jinsong (China)	The 1897 Red Revenue Surcharges of China

SHARJAH 2012 (28th Asian International Stamp Exhibition) Sharjah, UAE (20 – 25 November 2012)

Grand Prix D'Honneur	Gary Brown (Australia)	Aden Postal History till WWI
Grand Prix International	Prasatporn Eksombatchai (Thailand)	Siam 1899-1910: The Giesecke and Devrient Printings
Grand Prix National	Mohamed Ahmad Almurr (UAE)	The Cancellations and Postal History of Muscat 1835-1948

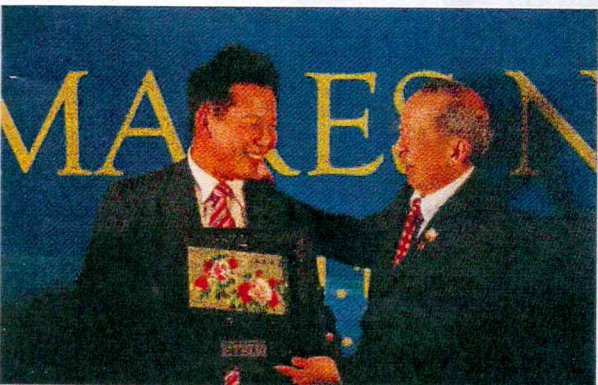
***For FIAP Grand Prix Winners 1977-2010, please refer to FIAP News No 32, April 2011**



← At CHINA 2011 (FIAP 27th Asian International Stamp Exhibition), Mr Wei Gang of China (left) receiving the coveted Grand Prix d'Honneur for his collection "The Postal History of Mongolia 1841-1921" from Mr Yang Xianzu, President of All China Philatelic Federation.

➤ Mr Ding Jinsong of China (left) receiving the Grand Prix National award for his collection "The 1891 Red Revenue Surcharges of China" from Mr Yang Limin from Ministry of Transport of the People's Republic of China.

➤ Mr Tan Ah Ee of Singapore (left) receiving the Grand Prix International award for his collection "Straits Settlements Classic" from Mr Tay Peng Hian RDP, President of FIP.



The dinner at CHINA 2011 (FIAP 27th Asian International Stamp Exhibition) was held on 15 November 2011 at the Wuxi InterContinental Hotel and attended by 26 members & spouses, namely : Mr & Mrs Tay Peng Hian (Singapore), Mr & Mrs William Kwan (Hong Kong), Mr Michael

Ho (Chinese Taipei), Dr & Mrs Andrew Cheung (Hong Kong), Mr Koichi Sato (Japan), Mr & Mrs Kazuyuki Inoue (Japan), Dr & Mrs Pichai Buranasombati (Thailand), Mr & Mrs Prakit Foongvanich (Thailand), Mr & Mrs Charnchai Karnasuta (Thailand), Mr Tan Ah Ee (Singapore), Mr Gary Brown (Australia), Mr Malcolm Groom (Australia), Mr Arthur Gray (Australia), Mr Geoffrey Kellow (Australia), Mr & Mrs David Lu (China), Mr & Mrs Wei Gang (China) and Mr Ding Jinsong (China)

During **Sharjah 2012, the 28th FIAP Asian International Stamp Exhibition**, Eleven FIP/FIAP Grand Prix Club members and their guests gathered at the Tulip Inn Hotel for lunch on 24 November 2012. Members present: Messrs Tay Peng Hian RDP (Singapore), Surajit Gongvatana (Thailand), Prakob Chirakiti (Thailand), Nuntawat Euarchukiati (Thailand), Prakt Foongvanich (Thailand), Michael Ho (Chinese Taipei), William Kwan (Hong Kong), Andrew Cheung (Hong Kong), Gary Brown (Australia) and Feridoun N. Farahbakhsh (Iran).

The President of the FIAP Grand Prix Club, Mr William Kwan welcomed the Guests of Honour Mr Bernard Beston, FIP Director and Jury Vice President of Sharjah 2012 and Abdulla Khoory, Jury President and President of the Organizing Committee Sharjah 2012.



▲At **SHARJAH 2012 (FIAP 28th Asian International Stamp Exhibition)**, the Grand Prix D'Honneur was awarded to Mr Gary Brown of Australia (right) for his exhibit – Aden Postal History till WWI

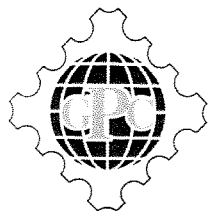
▲Grand Prix National winner Mr Mohamed Ahmad Almurr of UAE (right) receiving the award from Mr Bernard Beston (left), Vice President of the Jury of SHARJAH 2012

Mr Prasatporn Eksombatchai of Thailand won the Grand Prix International for his exhibit – Siam 1899-1910: The Giesecke and Devrient Printings



Front row (left to right): Messrs Mohamed Ahmed Almurr, William Kwan, Tay Peng Hian RDP, Surajit Gongvatana, Feridoun N. Farahbakhsh and Abdulla Khoory

Back row (left to right): Messrs Nuntawat Euarchukiati, Prakt Foongvanich, Gary Brown, Andrew Cheung, Michael Ho, Bernard Beston and Prakob Chirakiti



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A brief write up of FIP Grand Prix Club Activities
(prepared for AUSTRALIA 2013 World Stamp Exhibition)

What is a FIP Grand Prix?

In every FIP General World Stamp Exhibition, 3 Grand Prix Winners will be born, namely

Grand Prix National (GPN) - For the best exhibit in the National Class

Grand Prix International (GPI) - For the best exhibit in the other classes

Grand Prix D'Honneur (GPH) (or Champion of the Champions) - Exhibit having earned 3 large gold medals in 3 separate years will compete for GPH in the FIP Championship Class

In addition:

Grand Prix D'Exposition - The best exhibit awarded at a FIP Specialized World Exhibition

World Stamp Champion - The best exhibit in the World Stamp Championship Class in a World Stamp Championship Exhibition (such as SINGAPORE 2004, ISRAEL 2008, INDONESIA 2012)

It is indeed a great honour for an exhibitor to be awarded a Grand Prix in his/her lifetime.

When was the FIP Grand Prix Club (GPC) formed?

May 1979

The Presidents

1979 to 1982	Miroslav A Bojanowicz RDP
1982 to 1986	Gary S Ryan RDP
1986 to 1989	John H Levett RDP
1989 to 1992	Dott Prof Saverio Imperato
1992 to 1994	Christian C Sundman RDP
1994 to 1996	Rolf-Dieter Jaretsky RDP
1996 to 2000	Capt Robert P Odenweller RDP
2000 to 2011	David J Springbett RDP
2011 to current	Tay Peng Hian RDP

How to be members of GPC?

As long as you are the winners of GPs, you are automatically be invited to become a member of the GPC. There is no annual membership fee or entrance fee imposed.

When do the GPC members meet?

It was agreed in 2011 that all GPC members are invited to show one philatelic item (be it from their GP collections or from their other treasure boxes) whenever there is a FIP World Exhibition, usually under the Court of Honour Display. The members will make their own arrangement to deliver the philatelic gems to the exhibition hall.

There are 2 special gatherings for them:

Attending the luncheon on the last day of the exhibition and the Palmares (usually on the second last evening of the exhibition).

Who is co-coordinating and communicating with the GPC members and the exhibition hosts?

The GPC Secretary : Dr Prakob Chirakiti
Email: prakob13@hotmail.com

The FIP GPC Executive Committee 2013-2015

President : Mr Tay Peng Hian RDP
Vice Presidents : Mr Everaldo Santos
Mr Yigal Nathaniel
Secretary : Dr Prakob Chirakiti

AUSTRALIA 2013 WORLD STAMP EXHIBITION

At the Grand Prix Club Member Display in Australia 2013, the following members displayed their valuable philatelic materials:

Mr Luis Alemany	Spain	Finland "Issues before UPU" 1 st Issue and Rouletted
Dr Pichai Buranasombati RDP	Thailand	Great Britain – Bishop Mark 1661
Dr Prakob Chirakiti	Thailand	Siam: First Issue (August 4, 1883) used on cover
Mr Surajit Gongvatana	Thailand	Siamese Post Office in Kedah, Malaya
Mr Michael Ho	Chinese Taipei	China – The Small Dragon and its surcharges
Mr Charnchai Karnasuta	Thailand	British Consulate Post Office in Siam
Mr William Kwan	Hong Kong	China: 1944 Letter from the Second World War
Mr Koichi Sato RDP	Japan	Tasmanian "Cover" 1d 4 stamps franked to pay 4 pence Overseas Ship
Mr Tay Peng Hian RDP	Singapore	Netherlands East Indies (Indonesia) – Mixed Issue Franking
Mr Daniel Teo	Singapore	Afghanistan – The Greatest First Issue Franking
Mr Alan Holyoake	UK	Great Britain – 1839 Treasury Competition Essay



The Grand Prix luncheon at AUSTRALIA 2013 FIP World Stamp Exhibition was held on 15 May 2013 and attended by 20 members & spouses, namely:

(Seated from left) Dr Prakob Chirakiti, Mr Surajit Gongvatana, Mr William Kwan, Mr Tay Peng Hian, Mr David Feldman and Mr David Franco.

(Standing from left) Mr Charnchai Karnasuta & family, Mr Prakit Foongvanich, Dr Andrew Cheung, Dr Pichai Buranasombati, Mr & Mrs Emil Buhrmann, Mr Koichi Sato, Mr Michael Ho, Mr James Gough, Mrs Irene Kwan, Ms Somsiri Onma and Ms Carol Cheung.

2013 Melbourne, AUSTRALIA 2013 (10-15 May) – FIP Patronage

Grand Prix D'Honneur	Mr Koichi Sato (Japan)	Tasmania: Imperforate Stamps from "Courier" to "Chalon Head"
Grand Prix International	Mr Emil Buhrmann (South Africa)	Cape of Good Hope – The Hope Rectangular Design During the Victorian Period
Grand Prix National	Mr Arthur Woo (United Kingdom)	Western Australia – The Classic Stamps Printed from Perkins Bacon Plates

THAILAND 2013 WORLD STAMP EXHIBITION

FIP Grand Prix Club Display:

Dr Pichai Buranasombati RDP	Thailand	Great Britain – Bishop Mark 1661
Dr Prakob Chirakiti	Thailand	Siam: First Issue used on Cover
Mr Surajit Gongvatana	Thailand	Siamese Post Office in Kedah, Malaysia
Mr Michael Ho	Chinese Taipei	China – The Small Dragon and its surcharges
Mr Charnchai Karnasuta	Thailand	British Consulate Post Office in Siam
Mr William Kwan	Hong Kong	The Proofs and Specimens of the First Set of Hong Kong Stamps
Mr Yigal Nathaniel	Israel	Japan – Earliest Impression of Head Later Damaged and Retouched on 100 Mon Cover
Mr Mario Que	Philippines	1854 – The First Stamp of the Philippines
Mr Everaldo Santos	Brazil	Deciphering Lawsuites Postage Rates
Mr Tay Peng Hian RDP	Singapore	Netherlands East Indies (Indonesia) – The Largest Known used block of the first issue, 1864
Mr Daniel Teo	Singapore	Afganistan – The Greatest First Issue Franking
Ms Martha Villarroel de Peredo	Bolivia	Bolivia – Partial Re-engraving of the Original Plate

FIAP Grand Prix Club Display:

Mr Boonchai Bencharongkul	Thailand	Rejected Die Issue used on Cover
Dr Andrew Cheung	Hong Kong	Hong Kong Queen Victoria 4c Perf 12 ½ on Cover to Italy
Mr Prasatporn Eksombatchai	Thailand	1908 Horseman Statue 1 Tical Colour Proof
Mr Nuntawat Euruchukiati	Thailand	The only known Usage of 1945 SS Registered Envelop with Overprint “Trengganu”
Mr Prakit Foongvanich	Thailand	Rama VI: Dusit Thani Stamps
Mr Kazuyuki Inoue	Japan	Japan: The only recorded sheet of official “Mura-Okuri” Stamp
Mr David Lu	China	1902 Ross Smith London to Melbourne Flight
Dr Yau Khai Weng	Singapore	Queensland “Paid Drayton” Handstamp on Pre-adhesive Cover

2013 Bangkok, THAILAND 2013 (2-8 August) – FIP Patronage

Grand Prix D’Honneur	Ms Marta & Ana Barreras Rauno (Spain)	The First Stamp of Spain
Grand Prix International	Mr Tan Ah Ee (Singapore)	Straits Settlements Classic
Grand Prix National	Mr Nuntawat Euruchukiati (Thailand)	Siam: King Rama VII and the World War II



The Grand Prix luncheon at THAILAND 2013 FIP World Stamp Exhibition was held on 8 August 2013 and attended by 25 members & guests, namely:

Messrs Prasatporn Eksombatchai, Nuntawat Euruchukiati, Prakit Foongvanich, Michael Ho, Arthur Gray, Everaldo Santos, Geoffrey Kellow, Andrew Cheung, Mrs Patricia Walker, Dan Walker, Charnchai Karnasuta, Yau Khai Weng, Darryl Fuller, Prakob Chirakiti, Gary Brown, Pichai Buranasombati, Surajit Gongvatana, William Kwan, Mrs Irene Kwan, Tay Peng Hian, Mrs Martha Villarroel de Peredo and Ding Jing Song

BRASILIANA 2013 WORLD STAMP EXHIBITION

FIP Grand Prix Club Display:

Mr Ron Brigham	Canada	The Province of Canada
Dr Pichai Buransombati	Thailand	Great Britain – The Bishop Mark 1661
Dr Prakob Chirakiti	Thailand	Siam: The First Issue on Cover
Mr Surajit Gongvatana	Thailand	Siamese Post Office in Kedah, Malaya
Mr Jamie Gough	USA	New Brunswick – Double Bisect
Mr Charnchai Karnasuta	Thailand	British Consulate Post Office in Siam
Mr Everaldo Santos	Brazil	RMSPC – Venezuela – Port of La Guaira
Mr Tay Peng Hian	Singapore	Netherlands East Indies (Indonesia) – The Large Multiple Usage of the First Issue, 1864 (block of 15)
Mr Tan Ah Ee	Singapore	Straits Settlements Classic – Block of 32, unused of the 1 ½ cents of the 1867 Issue
Mr Yigal Nathaniel	Israel	Japan - 1871 Dragon Mon Issue
Mr Michael Ho	Chinese Taipei	Bolivia – The 19 th Century American Bank Note Co Postal Issues

2013 Rio de Janeiro, BRASILIANA 2013 (19-25 November) – FIP Patronage

Grand Prix D'Honneur	Mr George Kramer (USA)	US Domestic Mails 1776-1869
Grand Prix International	Mr Walter Britz (Uruguay)	Uruguay – Early Issues of the XIX Century (1856-1862)



The Grand Prix dinner at BRASILIANA 2013 FIP World Stamp Exhibition was held on 25 November 2013 at D'Amici Restaurant and attended by 12 members and guests, namely:

(Front row from left) Mr Hugo Peredo, Mrs Martha Villarroel de Peredo, Mr Tay Peng Hian, Mr David Feldman and Mr Surajit Gongvatana

(Back row from left) Mr Yigal Nathaniel, Mr Ignacio Alemany, Mr Luis Alemany, Mr Michael Ho, Mr Everaldo Santos, Dr Andrew Cheung and Mr Koichi Sato