

Thai Airways hosts networking lunch

THAI Airways International (TG) recently hosted key trade partners at a networking lunch at the harbourside Park Hyatt Hotel in Sydney.

Senior Thai executives from Bangkok joined the local management team to celebrate THAI Skytrax Awards, the introduction of Live TV and to farewell retiring commercial manager Australia, Marie Bubniw.

The event also brought together Thai Airways' new general managers from Brisbane, Melbourne, Perth and Sydney to meet with the local trade partners.

Thai Airways' general manager Australia, Sern Chupikulchai welcomed and thanked the attendees for their support over the past 47 years since Thai first landed in Sydney.

"We look forward to many more years of successful co-operation," Chupikulchai said.

Thai Airways' director, Prin Yooprasert also asked attendees to join the team in thanking Bubniw for 38 years of dedicated service.

The managing director at Destination HQ Stuart Ingram also thanked THAI for its support of the trade.



DESTINATION HQ managing director Stuart Ingram with Thai Airways gm Australia Sern Chupikulchai and Amadeus gm Australia Justin Montgomery.



THE group pose for a shot on the boardwalk at Park Hyatt.

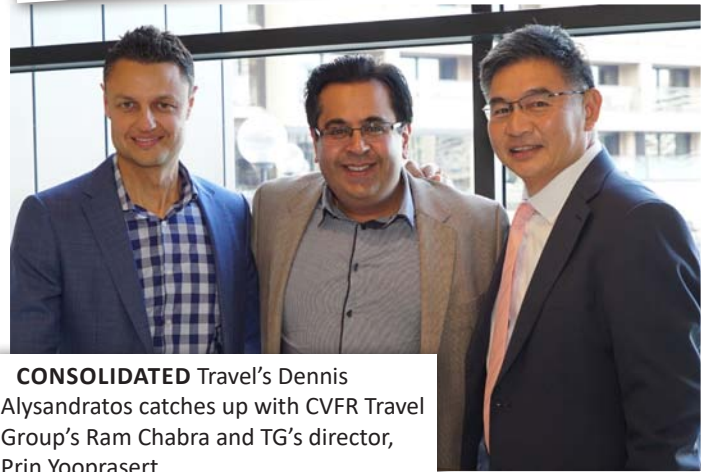


THAI Airways' commercial team, Amanda Wildie and Marie Bubniw.



SERN Chupikulchai, gm Australia with Viroj Sirihorachai, senior vp revenue and yield; Nond Kalinta, vp sales; Marie Bubniw, commercial manager and TG's Prin Yooprasert.

CHRIS Goddard from Magellan's Maxim's Travel/ Max Q asks a question at Q&A.



CONSOLIDATED Travel's Dennis Alysandratos catches up with CVFR Travel Group's Ram Chabra and TG's director, Prin Yooprasert.



ATTENDEES catch up over lunch.