



# NEWSLETTER

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## Congratulations !

Finally, the IOI 2011 came to an end. The closing ceremony was mesmerized with splendid Thai cultural shows and the award presentation to 151 gold, silver and bronze winners. The event called cheers and jeers from the crowd.



### Happy Birthday!

Mr. Pak Hay Chan,  
Hong Kong



*May today be filled with sunshine and smiles, laughter and love.*

### Weather Today



High      Low  
31 °C    27 °C

### Day 8: FRIDAY 29 July 2011 (Departure Day)

Time	Contestants	Leaders	Visitors
06.00 - 09.00	Breakfast (Supper Club: RCB)	Breakfast(Seafood Restaurant: RCG)	
09.00 - 11.30	Departure		
12.00 - 14.00	Lunch(Grand Deck: RCG)		
14.00 - 20.00	Departure		



# IOI Winners Ranking

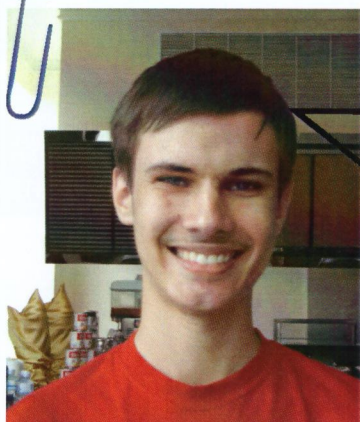
No.	Name	Country	Medal	No.	Name	Country	Medal	No.	Name	Country	Medal
1	Gennady Korotkevich	Belarus	Gold	46	Omar Elazazy	Egypt	Silver	100	Lucas Tavoraro Ortiz	Argentina	Bronze
2	Haoqiang Fan	China	Gold	49	Adrian Budău	Romania	Silver	100	Ferran Alet	Spain	Bronze
3	Pavel Kunyavskiy	Russian Federation	Gold	50	Hynek Jemelík	Czech Republic	Silver	102	Hua Kian Hubert Teo	Singapore	Bronze
3	Felipe Souza	Brazil	Gold	51	Marijonas Petrauskas	Lithuania	Silver	103	Matija Milisic	Croatia	Bronze
5	Alexander Timin	Russian Federation	Gold	52	Bugrahan Sahin	Turkey	Silver	104	Jaagup Repän	Estonia	Bronze
6	Wenyu Cao	United States Of America	Gold	52	Matej Balog	Slovakia	Silver	105	Vaughan Newton	South Africa	Bronze
7	Erjin Zhou	China	Gold	54	Kensuke Imanishi	Japan	Silver	106	Saul Gutierrez	Mexico	Bronze
8	Jan Milczek	Poland	Gold	55	Ali-amir Aldan	Kazakhstan	Silver	107	Mohammad Reza Kasnavi Yazdi	Iran	Bronze
9	Paul Kirchner	France	Gold	55	Andrei Purice	Romania	Silver	108	Aaron Montag	Germany	Bronze
10	Zhongtian Jiang	China	Gold	57	Lukasz Jocz	Poland	Silver	109	Chun Chi Tsang	Hong Kong	Bronze
11	Rumen Hristov	Bulgaria	Gold	57	Emad William	Egypt	Silver	109	Madi Khamitbekov	Kazakhstan	Bronze
11	Jui-min Lee	Taiwan	Gold	59	Sergii Nagin	Ukraine	Silver	111	Emil Lenngren	Sweden	Bronze
13	Ivica Kicic	Croatia	Gold	59	Sy Nguyen Nguyen	Vietnam	Silver	112	Jules Pondard	France	Bronze
14	Shogo Murai	Japan	Gold	59	Bas Nieuwenhuizen	Netherlands	Silver	113	Caíque Lira	Brazil	Bronze
14	Pasin Manurangsi	Thailand	Gold	62	Sajad Jalali Nedoushani	Iran	Silver	114	Eliot Courtney	Australia	Bronze
14	Ivan Katanic	Croatia	Gold	63	Yichao Zhou	China	Silver	115	Rodrigo Gomes	Portugal	Bronze
17	Johnny Ho	United States Of America	Gold	64	Zhan Xiong Chin	Singapore	Silver	116	Johannes Bader	Germany	Bronze
18	Seng Ing Raymond Kang	Singapore	Gold	65	Boris Grubic	Serbia	Silver	117	Andrei Cramariuc	Finland	Bronze
19	Albert Gu	United States Of America	Gold	66	Jakub Zírka	Czech Republic	Silver	118	Vyacheslav Kim	Kazakhstan	Bronze
20	Shih-wei Liu	Taiwan	Gold	67	Kasra Edalatnejad Khameneh	Iran	Silver	118	Robert Newey	Australia	Bronze
21	Baris Kaya	Turkey	Gold	68	Ziting (Darin) Yu	Canada	Silver	118	Logan Glasson	New Zealand	Bronze
21	Eduards Kalinichenko	Latvia	Gold	69	Witchakorn Kamolpornwijit	Thailand	Silver	121	Ajay Ravindran	India	Bronze
23	Linh Nguyen	Vietnam	Gold	70	Taegyu Lee	Korea	Silver	122	Cyril Zhang	Canada	Bronze
24	Sorawit Suriyakarn	Thailand	Gold	70	Uladzislau Padtsiolkin	Belarus	Silver	123	Kyriakos Axiotis	Greece	Bronze
25	Meng-huan Yu	Taiwan	Gold	70	Evgeny Martynov	Australia	Silver	123	Tsun Au Yeung	Hong Kong	Bronze
26	Piotr Bejda	Poland	Gold	70	Tobias Lenz	Germany	Silver	123	Karolis Greblikas	Lithuania	Bronze
26	Gustav Matula	Croatia	Gold	74	Akashnil Dutta	India	Silver	126	Kees Ligtenberg	Netherlands	Bronze
28	Seyed Mehran Kholdi	Iran	Silver	74	Aviel Atias	Israel	Silver	127	Michael Chen	Australia	Bronze
28	Masaki Hara	Japan	Silver	76	Seung Yong Lee	Korea	Silver	128	Mikhail Panyavin	Tajikistan	Bronze
30	Filip Hlášek	Czech Republic	Silver	77	Keštutis Vilčinskas	Lithuania	Bronze	129	Jeppe Hallgren	Denmark	Bronze
31	Attila Dankovics	Hungary	Silver	78	Tsotne Tabidze	Georgia	Bronze	130	Azad Salahli	Azerbaijan	Bronze
32	Rafael Mantilla	Colombia	Silver	79	Matjaž Leonardis	Slovenia	Bronze	130	Yen Nguyen	Vietnam	Bronze
32	Shinya Shiroshita	Japan	Silver	79	Yevgen Vasylyv	Ukraine	Bronze	132	Benjamin Swart	South Africa	Bronze
34	Daniel Hadas	Israel	Silver	79	Ali Dautalinov	Kazakhstan	Bronze	132	Jonas Olsson	Sweden	Bronze
34	Vlad Alexandru Gavrilă	Romania	Silver	82	Andrii Makar	Ukraine	Bronze	134	Jaime Silva	Colombia	Bronze
36	Nikola Djokic	Switzerland	Silver	82	Luca Wehrstedt	Italy	Bronze	134	Alain Acevedo	Mexico	Bronze
36	Vladislav Haralampiev	Bulgaria	Silver	82	Ahmed Ezzat	Egypt	Bronze	134	Armen Vardanyan	Armenia	Bronze
38	Kinan Al Sarmini	Syria	Silver	82	Frederikus Hudi	Indonesia	Bronze	134	Michal Anderle	Slovakia	Bronze
39	Siarhei Kulik	Belarus	Silver	86	Minh Tue Le	Vietnam	Bronze	138	Ethan Jimenez	Mexico	Bronze
39	Pak Hay Chan	Hong Kong	Silver	86	Damir Ferizovic	Bosnia And Herzegovina	Bronze	138	Hoseok Ryu	Korea	Bronze
41	Po-cheng Chu	Taiwan	Silver	86	Renato Pinto Junior	Brazil	Bronze	138	Dusan Zdravkovic	Serbia	Bronze
42	Dmitry Egorov	Russian Federation	Silver	86	Predrag Gruevski	Macedonia	Bronze	138	Mårten Wiman	Sweden	Bronze
42	Nathan Pinsker	United States Of America	Silver	90	Yordan Chaparov	Bulgaria	Bronze	142	Hristijan Bogoevski	Macedonia	Bronze
44	Egor Suvorov	Russian Federation	Silver	91	Marcos Kawakami	Brazil	Bronze	143	Laphonchai Jirachuphun	Thailand	Bronze
45	Myungwoo Chun	Korea	Silver	92	Daniel Hui	Canada	Bronze	144	James McCloskey	New Zealand	Bronze
46	Jan Hozza	Slovakia	Silver	92	Man Lok Wong	Hong Kong	Bronze	145	Diego Niquefa	Colombia	Bronze
46	Adam Bardashevich	Belarus	Silver	94	Dario Nieuwenhuis	Spain	Bronze	145	William Gozali	Indonesia	Bronze
				94	Chuanqi Shen	Singapore	Bronze	147	Kevin Yeo	Canada	Bronze
				96	Krzysztof Leszczyński	Poland	Bronze	148	Johannes Laire	Finland	Bronze
				97	Georgi Georgiev	Bulgaria	Bronze	149	Diggory Blake	United Kingdom	Bronze
				97	Benoit Legat	Belgium	Bronze	150	Erman Koseoglu	Turkey	Bronze
				97	Ágoston Weisz	Hungary	Bronze	151	Abdullah Alperen	Turkey	Bronze



## How'd they do it?



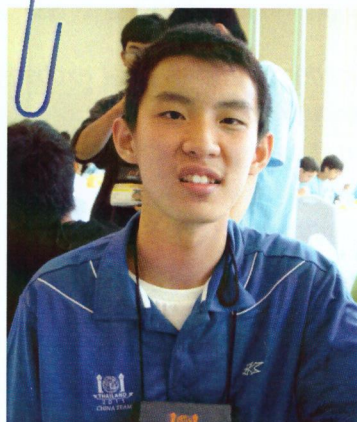
# The top four scorers shared with us their secret of achievement.



**Gennady Korotkevich, Belarus**

"It's a great feeling. I knew I had a full score but I expected other people to join me. In the first day, we had 17 people with top score. So I am very surprised that I am the only one to get 600."

"I like the second-day problems more and I enjoyed the tasks. I think to perform well in competition, you should practice a lot. Next year, it'll be my last year in IOI competition before I go to college."



**Fan Haoqiang, China**

"The problems are interesting and a bit tricky, I think. I got 599. I missed a point (laughing)."

"I prepared for nearly a week in China. When I came to Thailand, I enjoyed the time that I didn't do any preparation. I just played games. I think it helped me feel relaxed."

"I didn't really expect the gold medal. This is my first time to attend IOI. I may not join the competition next year. I want to give a chance to other students."

"I am feeling very happy. I didn't expect to do this well because I was nervous. My target is to get a gold medal but I didn't expect to be on the top ten."

"My advice for anyone who wishes to perform well in the competition is to keep studying. As for myself, this is my third time with IOI. In the past two years, I got silver medals. I've tried to get a gold medal, and eventually I made it!"



**Felipe Souza, Brazil**

"I think I should get a gold medal but I didn't expect to be on the top three. I am very surprised."

"Before the test, it'd be better to sleep! My tips for next year contestants are: don't be so nervous and of course, do a lot of training."

"This is my first and last time with IOI. Next year, I am going to college."



**Pavel Kunyavskiy, Russia**



# "Thank You"

The curtain was closed for the IOI 2011. On behalf of the host country, Dr. Pornpun Waitayangkoon, President of the Institute for the Promotion of Teaching Science and Technology (IPST), the key organizer of the event, expressed her gratitude to every involved party behind the success of this competition.

In term of academic advance, Dr. Pornpun said the IOI has been a great exchange opportunity for contestants and academics at top levels. The competition also successfully increased public awareness about the importance of computer science and computer science education.

*"The academic and cultural exchanges during the competition would allow participants to develop connections with people from different parts of the world who share the same interest in computer sciences. This international network is expected to be lasting and its member continue to support each other academically in the future,"* she said.



**Dr. Pornpun Waitayangkoon**  
President of the Institute for the Promotion  
of Teaching Science and Technology (IPST)

## Become Ten

The problem is how to turn 1, 1, 5 and 8 into 10 by using only +, -, x and ÷



## Thai Tongue

<b>Khroo</b>	Teacher
<b>Phuen</b>	Friend
<b>Fan</b>	boyfriend / girlfriend
<b>Chan Rak Ther</b>	I love you.
<b>Chan Chorp Ther</b>	I like you.
<b>Baan</b>	home
<b>Jer Kan Mai</b>	See you again
<b>Choke Dee</b>	Good luck
<b>La gone / Sawasdee</b>	Good bye

Have a good journey!  
Come back to  
Thailand again soon!

