

BIO-DATA

Name **Thepchai Yong**

Birth Date April 22, 1955

Place of Birth Songkhla, Thailand

Education Saengthong High School (Songkhla)
Assumption Commercial College

Experience Reporter, political news editor, editor at The Nation newspaper (1976-1996)

News director at ITV (1997-2000)

Anchorman of ITV Evening News Programme

Host of ITV Talk (featuring interviews on political and general issues)
And Yon Roi (an investigative TV magazine)

Present

Position Group Editor of The Nation Multi-media Group
Committee to Protect Journalists (1992)

Honours

Press Freedom Award from the New York-based
Committee to Protect Journalists (1992)

Most Outstanding Anchorman Award (1999)

Human Rights Press Award from Amnesty
International, Thailand (2000)

Nieman Fellow at Harvard University (2004-2005)