



Invitation to the Dialogue Forum

**„Germany meets ASEAN in Berlin“**

Wednesday, September 2, 2026

Venue: International Club Berlin Thüringer Allee 5-11, 14052 Berlin  
(Conveniently located near Theodor-Heuss-Platz / Messe Berlin)

Distinguished Members of our Associations and Networks, Esteemed  
Colleagues, and Friends,

It is our great privilege to invite you to the dialogue forum „Germany meets ASEAN in Berlin“ on September 2. This high-level event is organized in close cooperation with the diplomatic missions of the ASEAN member states in Germany and the distinguished International Club Berlin. Southeast Asia represents a dynamic community of over 700 million partners, making it a pivotal region for future-oriented cooperation with Europe. With the accession of Timor-Leste, the Association of Southeast Asian Nations now encompasses 11 vibrant, rapidly growing economies characterized by strong demographic potential and rich cultural diversity. The ASEAN Economic Community, established in 2009 along European lines, underlines our shared commitment to regional integration, while presenting exciting opportunities for deeper collaboration. Building lasting, forward-looking partnerships requires continuous commitment and shared dedication, particularly in times of complex global challenges.

Following the honored visit of ASEAN Secretary-General H.E. Dr. Kao Kim Hourn to Berlin in February, which provided valuable momentum for bilateral initiatives, we are now privileged to welcome the Ambassadors of the ASEAN Member States as our guests of honor. They will offer first-hand perspectives on current strategic developments. A preliminary agenda is enclosed for your reference.

Due to limited seating capacity, we kindly request that you register your interest by contacting [berlin@germanglobaltrade.de](mailto:berlin@germanglobaltrade.de). Please note that attendance is strictly subject to written confirmation.

Sincerely yours

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## **Programm „ Germany meets ASEAN in Berlin“, 2. September 2026**

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18:30 Uhr: Registration / Networking

7:00 PM – 7:15 PM | Welcome & Opening:

- Eberhard J. Trempel, Esq., Director General, German Global Trade Forum Berlin
- Ms. Bettina Farrimond, International Club Berlin
- H.E. Mohamad Razdan bin Jamil, Ambassador of Malaysia, Chairman of the Berlin ASEAN Committee
- Rolf Schulze, Ambassador (ret.) of the Federal Republic of Germany to Vietnam, Thailand, and Chile; President of the German-Vietnamese Society
- H.E. Maria Teresa Torres Almojuela, Ambassador of the Republic of the Philippines
- H.E. Abdul Kadir Jailani, Ambassador of the Republic of Indonesia
- H.E. Chittipat Tongprasroeth, Ambassador of the Kingdom of Thailand to the Federal Republic of Germany

Ambassadors' Speeches (tbc):

- H.E. Pengiran Hajah Krtini binti Pengiran Haji Mohd Tahir, Ambassador of the Sultanate of Brunei Darussalam
- H.E. Thyra Chheang, Ambassador of the Kingdom of Cambodia
- H.E. Kaseumsack Saysouriya, Ambassador of the Lao People's Democratic Republic
- H.E. AUNG KYAW MOE, Chargé d' Affaires Embassy of the Republic of the Union of Myanmar
- H.E. Lee Chong Hock, Republic of Singapore
- H.E. Nguyen Dac Thanh, Socialist Republic of Vietnam

Q & A – Open Forum

8:45 PM – 9:00 PM | Closing Remarks:

- Eberhard J. Trempel, Esq., Director General, German Global Trade Forum Berlin
- H.E. Maria Teresa Torres Almojuela, Ambassador of the Republic of the Philippines

9:00 PM | Finger Food Buffet



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