

IAI Work Plan III (2016-2020): Activities

Projects	Project Status
Food and Agriculture	
ASEAN-German Project on Standards in the South East Asian Food Trade (SAFT): Support to the CLM Countries	On-going
Training Course on Building Food Security	Completed
Trade Facilitation	
ASEAN Regional Integration Support (ARISE) : Development and Operationalization of the ASEAN Trade Repository (ATR)/ National Trade Repositories (NTRs) with Particular Focus on the Notification and Transparency of NTMs – Support to the CLMV Countries	Completed
US-ASEAN Connectivity through Trade and Investment (US-ACTI) : ASEAN Single Window Development for Cargo Clearance – Support to the CLM Countries	On-going
Physikalisch-Technische Bundesanstalt (PTB): Improving Quality Infrastructure in ASEAN Phase II – Support to the CLM Countries	On-going
Training Course on World Trade Organization (WTO) and Regional Perspectives in Trade Facilitation	Completed
Training Course on Agriculture and Sanitary and Phyto-Sanitary Measures (SPS)	Completed
Micro, Small and Medium Enterprises (MSMEs)	
Training Courses on Micro, Small and Medium Enterprises (MSMEs)	On-going
Seminar on China-ASEAN Cross-Border E-Commerce Cooperation 2017	Completed
Education	
Training Courses on English Language Programmes	On-going
Health and Well-Being	
ASEAN-Canada Global Partnership Programme: Strengthening Bio Threat Surveillance in CLMV Countries Phase V	On-going
Enabling Action	
Workshop on Advanced International Framework for Court Excellent Course	Completed
Training Course on Smart Nation: Strategy to Implementation	Completed
Training Course on Media Management and Public Diplomacy	On-going
Training Courses on Administration and Public Policy	On-going
4th batch: Attachment of Officers from Cambodia, Lao PDR, Myanmar, and Viet Nam (CLMV) for AEC and ASCC Involvement at the ASEAN Secretariat (2017-2018)	On-going
IAI Attachment Programme at the ASEAN Secretariat for Junior Diplomats of Cambodia, Lao PDR, Myanmar and Viet Nam (15th batch)	On-going
Training Courses on International Safety Standards and Systems	Completed
Training Course on Sustainable Development and Urban Planning	On-going
Scholarship Fund for Students of CLMV Countries (2015-2017)	Completed
Scholarship Fund for Students of CLMV Countries (2017-2019)	On-going
Initiative for ASEAN Integration: Creation of a Sustainable IT Infrastructure for Advanced IT Training Using Conventional, Virtual Classroom and E-Learning Technologies in CLMV countries. <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Activity 1: Setting up of Centre of Excellence in Software Development and Training (CESDT) in Cambodia, Laos, Myanmar & Vietnam and appropriate accreditation to these training courses by CDAC, Delhi. 	On-going

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<ul style="list-style-type: none">Activity 3, Component 1: CLMV teachers' training in the areas of e-learning, reducing cybercrime, GIS and remote sensing, open source tools, LAN WAN administration embedded systems and VLSI design.	

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Project Area	Food and Agriculture
Beneficiary Countries	Cambodia, Lao PDR, Myanmar (CLM)
Source of Funding	Federal Ministry for Economic Cooperation and Development (BMZ)
Approved Budget	USD 56.854,30
Project Description	The SAFT project is a regional project supporting ASEAN with the implementation of food standards across the region. Besides supporting regional activities for all 10 AMS, SAFT also provides support to CLM at the national level.
Objective	To apply international or ASEAN-wide standards for Good Agricultural Practices (GAP) and specific food quality attributes to be verifiably applied in ASEAN Member States, particularly in the production of fresh and processed fruit and vegetables.
Implementation Status	<p>Completed activities:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Two workshops on ASEAN GAP Alignment to support the peer-review component of the alignment of national GAP with the ASEAN GAP using the alignment assessment tool were conducted in November 2016 and February 2017 • Training for CLM inspectors on GAP guidelines and inspection methods was conducted in June 2017 • Establishment of a functioning monitoring system for GAP inspection in each CLM country was conducted in May and June 2017 • Six (6) national workshops for the development of national roadmaps for the introduction of GAP standards were conducted in Cambodia, Lao PDR and Myanmar. The national roadmap and first year action plan for Cambodia, Lao PDR and Myanmar are completed. • Study trips for Cambodia and Myanmar on GAP accreditation and certification processes were conducted. Eight (8) Myanmar officials visited Thailand and Philippines between August and September 2017. Three (3) Cambodian officials visited Philippines in March 2017.
External Links	https://www.giz.de/en/worldwide/28747.html

Project Title	Training Course on Building Food Security
Project Area	Food and Agriculture
Beneficiary Countries	Cambodia, Lao PDR, Myanmar and Viet Nam (CLMV)
Source of Funding	Singapore
Approved Budget	USD 42.793,30
Project Description	<p>The training course on food security is implemented by knowledge and lesson sharing from Singapore's experience on building food security. The method of the course comprises lectures at classroom combines with class exercises, such as small group discussions and presentations. The topics of the course are:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Challenges associated with food security. • Impact of food insecurity. • Trends and challenges of food security in ASEAN. • Food security in Singapore. • Food supply chains. • Food security in ASEAN. • Food security roadmap for Singapore. • Diversifying sources of food imports. • Stockpiling and new possibilities. • Policy suggestions on food security.
Objective	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • To improve the capacity building of CLMV countries on food security particularly in promoting conducive food market and trade. • To strengthen integrated food security information systems to effectively forecast, plan and monitor supplies and utilisation for basic food commodities. • To encourage greater investment in food and agri-based industries. • To identify and address emerging issues related to food security as well as enhancing capacity to diversify sources of food supply, stockpiling and other new possibilities of food sources for food imports.
Implementation Status	<p>Completed activities:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Cambodia: 24-28 April 2017 • Lao PDR: 15-19 May 2017 • Myanmar: 5-9 June 2017 • Viet Nam: 10-14 April 2017
External Links	https://www.scp.gov.sg/content/scp/our_courses/initiative_for_asean_integration.html

Project Title	ASEAN Regional Integration Support (ARISE): Development and Operationalization of the ATR/NTRs with Particular Focus on the Notification and transparency of NTMs – Support to the CLMV Countries
Project Area	Trade Facilitation
Beneficiary Countries	Cambodia, Lao PDR, Myanmar, Viet Nam (CLMV)
Source of Funding	European Union
Approved Budget	USD 15,202.2
Project Description	The ARISE is a technical cooperation facility to support the implementation of key regional integration initiatives prioritised in the Master Plan for ASEAN Connectivity, to build the ASEAN single market and production base is supporting the development of the ASEAN. ARISE provides support to the implementation of the ASEAN Trade in Goods Agreement (ATIGA) by assisting in the development and operationalisation of the ASEAN Trade Repository (ATR) and National Trade Repositories (NTRs) with additional assistance to the CLMV countries to complete their NTRs and to establish a systematic process based on Good Regulatory Practices to identify NTMs, by request.
Objective	To assist the CLMV countries to complete their NTRs and to establish a systematic process based on Good Regulatory Practices to identify NTMs.
Implementation Status	<p>Completed activities:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Series of national two-day workshops on ATR/NTRs/NTMs held in all 10 AMSs (including CLMV) on: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ Cambodia: 20-21 November 2014 ○ Lao PDR: 20-21 October 2014 ○ Myanmar: 15-16 September 2014 ○ Viet Nam: 6-7 July 2015 • National workshops to train relevant authorities in the NTRs and within the Inter-Agency Coordination bodies on the collection, classification of trade related information and the notification of NTMs were conducted in June-July 2015. • Review NTMs collected by ERIA/UNCTAD consultants and to assist AMSs (including CLMV) to 'validate' the NTMs database and properly upload selected measures on their NTRs and to web link to the ATR, if requested by May 2017.
External Links	http://arise.asean.org/

Project Title	U.S-ASEAN Connectivity through Trade and Investment (US-ACTI): ASEAN Single Window Development for Cargo Clearance – Support to CLM Countries
Project Area	Trade Facilitation
Beneficiary Countries	Cambodia, Lao PDR, Myanmar (CLM)
Source of Funding	USA
Approved Budget	USD 175,000
Project Description	The US-ACTI is a regional programme designed to increase U.S. economic engagement and cooperation with ASEAN Member States. Under the work stream on ASEAN Single Window Development for Cargo Clearance, support for the development of National Single Windows (NSWs) is provided to requesting CLM countries. The CLM countries that complete their NSWs will also be provided support for the integration of their NSWs into the ASEAN Single Window (ASW). The NSW support for CLM countries is a two-phase approach, whereby, phase 1 covers the NSW needs assessment and capacity building workshops, and phase 2 covers limited project management support, including technical design analysis, to assist their team in the development and implementation of a basic NSW functionality to support the exchange of certificates of origin.
Objective	To support CLM countries for the integration of their NSWs into the ASW.
Implementation Status	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • <u>Cambodia</u>: The needs assessment and capacity building exercise are completed. Project management support for basic NSW functionality, which helped Cambodia's NSW Team successfully demonstrate their NSW system, including the Ministry of Commerce and Customs applications in sending and receiving e-ATIGA Form D to/from partner AMS, was also completed. Installation of the ASW gateway software supported by US-ACTI begin in September 2017. This will allow Cambodia to start the end-to-end testing phase with participating Member States already exchanging live e-ATIGA Form D data. If successful, Cambodia will join the ASW live operation by January 2018. In 2018, US-ACTI will continue assisting Cambodia in stabilizing the software system. • <u>Lao PDR</u>: At the request of Lao PDR, US-ACTI is conducting an NSW needs assessments and ASW/NSW public outreach effort to Lao PDR's cargo clearance stakeholders. A preliminary report has been provided to the NSW team for their comments/feedback. All comments/additional inputs will be included in the scheduled presentation of the NSW Needs Assessment Final Report on 23 October 2017. If the required prerequisites and recommendations are accepted by the Lao PDR's NSW team, US-ACTI is willing to provide project management support to the Lao PDR's NSW team in the development of their required agency applications to receive and send e-ATIGA Form D to participating Member States, and setup of a basic NSW system. If this work is completed before the end of the year, US-ACTI will seek authorization from USAID to install the ASW gateway in Lao PDR in early 2018. • <u>Myanmar</u>: At the request of Myanmar, US-ACTI is conducting an NSW needs assessments. A preliminary report has been provided to the NSW team for their comments/feedback. Follow-up in-country activities are scheduled from 24-27 October 2017. All comments/additional inputs will be included in the scheduled

	presentation of the NSW Needs Assessment Final Report on 27 October 2017 in Yangon.
External Links	https://www.usaid.gov/asia-regional/fact-sheets/asean-connectivity-through-trade-and-investment

Project Title	Physikalisch-Technische Bundesanstalt (PTB): Improving Quality Infrastructure in ASEAN Phase II: Support to the CLM Countries
Project Area	Trade Facilitation
Beneficiary Countries	Cambodia, Lao PDR, Myanmar (CLM)
Source of Funding	Federal Ministry for Economic Cooperation and Development (BMZ)
Approved Budget	EUR 1,500,000 (ASEAN); USD 317,817 (CLM)
Project Description	The PTB: Improving Quality Infrastructure in ASEAN Phase II is running from 2015 to 2018. The programme identified the needs of the CLM countries to develop skills and capabilities in standards and conformance to allow them to participate in ASEAN's harmonisation processes. To address this need, the programme provides support to the CLM countries: (i) to establish accreditation services based on the National Accreditation Focal Point concept; and (ii) by providing a series of workshops/coaching on the preparation, adoption and implementation of standards.
Objective	To support the development of quality infrastructure institutions in ASEAN, which takes into account international good practice when implementing technical regulations, accreditation, conformity assessment and legal metrology.
Implementation Status	<p>1. Support on Establishment of Accreditation Services;</p> <p>Completed activities:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Regular Consultancy Expert visits to CLM countries to assist the establishment of their accreditation service. <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ Cambodia: 4 expert visits (7-11 September 2015, 11-22 January 2016, 12-24 March 2016, and 24 June - 22 July 2016) ○ Lao PDR: 2 expert visits (7-14 November 2015 and 19-25 June 2016) ○ Myanmar: 2 expert visits (5-8 October 2015 and 11-22 January 2016) • National Assessor Training on ISO/IEC 17025 for Cambodia conducted in June-July 2016 whereas 30 trainees participated, and 24 successfully completed/passed the exam. • 3rd National Accreditation Focal Point Workshop (exchange forum) between CLM Countries on 20 February 2016 in Bangkok, Thailand. • 4th National Accreditation Focal Point Workshop (exchange forum) for CLM Countries and their Partner Accreditation Bodies on 28 August 2016 in Singapore. • 1 Exchange Forum between CLM at the 32nd Working Group 2 Meeting on 14-16 March 2017. • Five consultancy visits to Cambodia (3) and Myanmar (2) by the PTB expert, including support to the event on "Preparing the Quality Management System (QMS) of Laboratories for the ISO 15189 and ISO/IEC 17025" held for Cambodia in August 2017. • Funding support for technical training in Cambodia conducted by the Partner Accreditation Body from Thailand. • Support by PTB Expert and funding for training on ISO/IEC 17020 held in Myanmar, May 2017. <p>Planned Activities:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 1 exchange forum among CLM with their Partner Accreditation Body at the 33rd Working Group 2 Meeting in second half of 2017. • Regular Expert consultancy visits to CLM

	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ Cambodia: three bilateral consultancy visits are planned for 2017. The timeframe is to be confirmed. ○ Lao PDR: bilateral consultancies will take place in 2017. The timeframe to be determined. ● Myanmar: three bilateral consultancy visits are planned in 2017 with a first visit in January. Further visits are to be determined ● Upcoming activity include, conduct mock assessment for ISO 17025 in several testing laboratories by Cambodian assessors in October and November 2017. <p>2. Training and Coaching for CLM on Good Practices in Preparation, Adoption and Implementation of Standards.</p> <p>Completed Activities:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● Kick-off workshop for CLM countries on “Good Practices in Preparation, Adoption and Implementation of Standards” was conducted in 8-9 February 2016. ● Bilateral coaching for CLM on “Good Practices in Preparation, Adoption, and Implementation of Standards”. <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ Cambodia: 2 coaching sessions (11-15 July 2016 and 12-14 December 2016) ○ Lao PDR: 1 coaching session (9-10 February 2016) ○ Myanmar: 1 coaching session (11-12 February 2016) ○ Bilateral trainings in Cambodia: Standards coaching (3 - 7 April 2017 and 26 - 30 June 2017) ● Trainings were conducted for Cambodia and Myanmar in May 2017. <p>Planned Activities:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● Bilateral trainings in Cambodia, Lao PDR and Myanmar according to the needs of the countries. <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ Cambodia: standards coaching will take place on 23 - 27 October 2017 ○ Lao PDR: standards coaching is to be determined ○ Myanmar: two standards coaching Sessions are planned for 2017. The dates are to be determined. ● Upcoming activities for 2017 include standards coaching for Myanmar in conjunction with an event on the implementation status of ASEAN Harmonised Electrical and Electronic Equipment Regulatory Regime (AHEEERR) in Myanmar on 18 October 2017.
External Links	https://www.ptb.de/tc/index.php?id=asean

Project Title	Training Course on World Trade Organization (WTO) and Regional Perspectives in Trade Facilitation
Project Area	Trade Facilitation
Beneficiary Countries	Cambodia, Lao PDR, Myanmar, Viet Nam (CLMV)
Source of Funding	Singapore
Approved Budget	USD 42.793,30
Project Description	<p>The training course focuses on WTO Trade Facilitation are targeted at CLMV government officials. The training emphasised on:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Strengthening the capacity to understand the WTO Trade Facilitation Agreement, its key features, rules and requirements that will enable CLMV countries meet the objectives set out in the WTO Trade Facilitation Agreement and to implement the Agreement when it enters into force. • Providing a regional perspective of trade facilitation, examine the impact that trade facilitation measures may have on international trade in the Asia-Pacific region and how the needs of business can be managed through the establishment of Single Windows.
Objective	To improve capacity building of CLMV government's officials on WTO trade facilitation and in understanding the Legal General Principles underlying the WTO system.
Implementation Status	<p>Completed activities:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Cambodia: 24-28 July 2017 • Lao PDR: 4-8 August 2017 • Myanmar: 6-10 November 2017 • Viet Nam: 23-27 October 2017
External Links	https://www.scp.gov.sg/content/scp/our_courses/initiative_for_as_ean_integration.html

Project Title	Training Course on Agriculture and Sanitary and Phyto-Sanitary Measures (SPS)
Project Area	Trade Facilitation
Beneficiary Countries	Cambodia, Lao PDR, Myanmar, Viet Nam (CLMV)
Source of Funding	Singapore
Approved Budget	USD 42.793,30
Project Description	<p>The project is training course focuses on General Principles and Rules underlying the WTO Legal Framework governing trade in goods in general and trade in agriculture in particular, the topics include:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Context and key provisions of the WTO Agreement on Agriculture (AoA). • Implementation issues of the AoA, as well as work carried out in the Committee on Agriculture (CoA). • Key elements in the Doha negotiation on agriculture. • Main provisions of the Sanitary and Phyto-Sanitary Measures (SPS) Agreement. • Implementation issues of the SPS Agreement as well as work carried out the SPS Committee. • Main challenges and issues related to SPS.
Objective	To improve capacity building of CLMV government officials in trade facilitation by enhancing international competitiveness of ASEAN food and agriculture products/commodities and compliance to WTO/SPS requirement for market access and competitiveness.
Implementation Status	<p>Completed activities:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Cambodia: 22-26 May 2017 • Lao PDR: 3-7 July 2017 • Viet Nam : 8-12 May 2017 • Myanmar: 31July-4 August 2017
External Links	https://www.scp.gov.sg/content/scp/our_courses/initiative_for_asean_integration.html

Project Title	Training Courses on Micro, Small and Medium Enterprises (MSMEs)
Project Area	MSME
Beneficiary Countries	Cambodia, Lao PDR, Myanmar, Viet Nam (CLMV)
Source of Funding	Singapore
Approved Budget	USD 128.380
Project Description	<p>The training courses focus on the Singapore's experience on building start-ups, SMEs development, the linkage to foreign investors, budgetary reform and fiscal policies. The courses are as follows:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. FDI Promotion Strategies and Enabling Private Sector growth 2. Developing Government Policies for MSME Development 3. Privatisation and Financial Reforms
Objective	To build the capacity of CLMV government officials in developing government policies and strategies to help in MSMEs' domestic and international expansion in order to be able to implement ASEAN Strategic Action Plan for MSME Development; promoting productivity, technology and innovation, enhance market access and internationalization, enhance policy and regulatory environment.
Implementation Status	<p>Completed activities:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • FDI Promotion Strategies and Enabling Private Sector Growth: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ Cambodia: 22-26 May 2017 ○ Lao PDR: 26-30 June 2017 ○ Myanmar: 3-7 April 2017 ○ Viet Nam: 14-18 August 2017 <p>Planned activities:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Developing Government Policies for MSME Development: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ Cambodia: 4-8 December 2017 ○ Lao PDR: 9-13 October 2017 ○ Myanmar: 24-28 July 2017 ○ Viet Nam: 9-13 October 2017 • Privatization and Financial Reform: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ Cambodia: 5-9 February 2018 ○ Lao PDR: 8-12 January 2018 ○ Myanmar: 11-15 December 2017 ○ Viet Nam: 22-26 January 2018
External Links	https://www.scp.gov.sg/content/scp/our_courses/initiative_for_asean_integration.html

Project Title	Seminar on China-ASEAN Cross Border E-Commerce Cooperation 2017
Project Area	MSME
Beneficiary Countries	Cambodia, Lao PDR, Myanmar, Viet Nam (CLMV)
Source of Funding	China
Approved Budget	USD 80,063.40
Project Description	The project is composed of a five-day seminar on e-commerce policy and regulatory framework necessary to promote the development of e-commerce. The seminar comprised of a combination of classroom lectures, discussions, and site visits. 31 government officials from the CLMV countries participated in the seminar.
Objective	To conduct a training course that would improve the knowledge of CLMV government officials on e-commerce related legal frameworks and policies.
Implementation Status	The seminar was conducted on 6-12 June 2017, Nanning, China
External Links	N/A

Project Title	Training Courses on English Language Programmes
Project Area	Education
Beneficiary Countries	Cambodia, Lao PDR, Myanmar, Viet Nam (CLMV)
Source of Funding	Singapore
Approved Budget	USD 342,346
Project Description	<p>The project will build English language proficiency of CLMV government officials such as teachers, academics and other key stakeholders in education through eight (8) English training courses as follows:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Teaching English as a Second Language – Curriculum Planning and Pedagogy. 2. Basic English Language and Communication Skills (I). 3. Basic English Language and Communication Skills (II). 4. Intermediate English Language and Communication Skills. 5. English Language for Interpreters. 6. Advanced English Language and Communication Skills. 7. Note-taking and Project Proposal Writing. 8. Advanced Note-taking and Project Proposal Writing (Train-the-Trainer).
Objective	To enhance teachers', academics', and other key stakeholders in academics' competencies for 21 st century skills, i.e. communication skill in English (reading, speaking, listening and writing), taking note in workplace, writing project proposal, proficient in summarising the content of official conversations, documents, written material etc.
Implementation Status	<p>Completed activities:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Teaching English as a Second language – Curriculum Planning and Pedagogy <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Cambodia: 21 August - 8 September 2017 • Lao PDR: 5-23 June 2017 • Myanmar: 14 August - 1 September 2017 • Viet Nam: 18 September - 6 October 2017 2. Basic English Language and Communication Skills (1) <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Cambodia: 13 November - 1 December 2017 • Lao PDR: 14 August – 1 September 2017 • Myanmar: 15 May-2 June 2017 • Viet Nam: 5-23 June 2017 3. Basic English Language and Communication Skills (II) <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Myanmar: 9-27 October 2017 • Viet Nam: 6-24 November 2017 4. English Language for Interpreters <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Myanmar: 12-23 June 2017 5. Intermediate English Language and Communication Skills <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Cambodia: 28 August- 5 September 2017 • Lao PDR: 16 October-3 November 2017 • Viet Nam: 3-21 July 2017 6. English Language for Interpreters <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Cambodia: 14-25 August 2017 • Lao PDR: 24 July-4 August 2017 7. Advanced English Language and Communication Skills <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Cambodia: 2-20 October 2017 • Myanmar: 11-29 September 2017 • Viet Nam: 15 May- 2 June 2017 8. Note-taking and Project Proposal Writing <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Cambodia: 5-16 June 2017 • Lao PDR: 17-28 April 2017

	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Myanmar: 3-14 July 2017 • Viet Nam: 24 July-4 August 2017 <p>9. Advanced Note-taking and Project Proposal Writing (Train-the-Trainer)</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Lao PDR: 11-29 August 2017 <p>Planned activities:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Basic English Language and Communication Skills (II) <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Cambodia: 15 January – 2 February 2018 • Lao PDR: 4-22 December 2017 2. Intermediate English Language and Communication Skills <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Myanmar: 20 November-8 December 2017 3. English Language for Interpreters <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Viet Nam: 5-16 March 2018 4. Advanced English Language and Communication Skills <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Lao PDR: 15 January – 2 February 2018 5. Advanced Note-taking and Project Proposal Writing (Train-the-Trainer) <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Cambodia: 12-30 March 2018 • Myanmar: 8-26 January 2018 • Viet Nam: 4-22 December 2017
External Links	<p>https://www.scp.gov.sg/content/scp/our_courses/initiative_for_asean_integration.html</p>

Project Title	ASEAN-Canada Global Partnership Programme: Strengthening Bio Threat Surveillance in CLMV Countries Phase V
Project Area	Health and well-being
Beneficiary Countries	Cambodia, Lao PDR, Myanmar, Viet Nam (CLMV)
Source of Funding	Canada
Approved Budget	USD 302,922
Project Description	In 2016, the Mekong Basin Disease Surveillance (MBDS) Foundation received grant funding from the ASEAN-Canada Global Partnership Program to implement a project on strengthening surveillance systems that are able to detect bio threat events of significance for public health of international concern in the CLMV countries.
Objective	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • To bridge a platform for communication and collaboration between sub-national and national levels on surveillance of public health; • To build capacity in biological risk management at sub-national and national levels across countries; • To share best practices with other regional networks; and • To support and sustain the National Human Development Plans in the CLMV countries.
Implementation Status	<p>Completed activities:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • World Bank and WHO meetings: High level Meeting on Improving Integrated Financing and Regional Cooperation for Pandemic Preparedness & Advancing Global Health Security was conducted on 26-29 June 2016 • Bi-regional Meeting of the Technical Advisory Group on the Asia Pacific Strategy for Emerging Disease was conducted on 28-30 June 2016 • Workshop to assess the bio threats surveillance in the CLMV countries was conducted on 20 June 2016. • Training for the MBDS Cross Border Information sharing mobile application at Cross Border sites of Lao PDR and Viet Nam • Supporting IC recorder to Lao PDR and Viet Nam for outbreak response team • Monitoring and Evaluation at MBDS Cross Border areas for improvement of information sharing, mobile reporting and access further improvement for epidemiology capacity • Continue updating of MBDS web & Bio safety and Bio security webpage for information sharing and knowledge improvement <p>Planned activities:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Regional workshop for implementation Biosafety & Biosecurity manual in MBDS XB areas. • Round table discussion for experience sharing with other stakeholders • Publishing of Biosafety Training Manual for Cross Border • Mobile app training in Viet Nam MBDS XB • Providing PPE to Point of Entry area in the Myanmar and Lao PDR MBDS XB • Exchange of trainers among CLMV for Biosafety related topics • Participation of regional conference for Biological risk management • Integration of Biosafety training curriculum in CLMV countries in Public Health related Program • Continue updating of MBDS web & Bio safety and Bio security webpage: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Regular update on bio safety and bio security information - Bio security on line training materials

	<ul style="list-style-type: none">- Project related research- Regular XB information sharing- Monthly update to all interested partners
External Links	http://www.mbdnet.org/

Project Title	Workshop on Advanced International Framework for Court Excellent Course
Project Area	Enabling Action
Beneficiary Countries	Cambodia, Lao PDR, Myanmar, Viet Nam (CLMV)
Source of Funding	Singapore
Approved Budget	USD 42.793,30
Project Description	<p>The workshop provides capacity building for CLMV government officials in regulatory techniques and practices, and frameworks for legal and judicial excellence. By the end of the course, participants should:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Gain a good understanding of the International Framework for Court Excellence, its application and benefits. • Learn about the core values that impact on court systems and the areas for court excellence. • Gain better insights on how to identify areas for improvement within their court system and measure performance and progress.
Objective	To support and assist CLMV government officials as general enablers in developing strategies and cooperation for strengthening the rule of law, judicial systems and legal infrastructure and strengthening the networking and cooperation among the judiciaries in the AMS.
Implementation Status	<p>Completed Activities:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Cambodia: 20-23 June 2017 • Lao PDR: 16-19 May 2017 • Myanmar: 25-28 April 2017 • Viet Nam: 20-23 June 2017
External Links	https://www.scp.gov.sg/content/scp/our_courses/initiative_for_asean_integration.html

Project Title	Training Course on Smart Nation: Strategy to implementation
Project Area	Enabling Action
Beneficiary Countries	Cambodia, Lao PDR, Myanmar, Viet Nam (CLMV)
Source of Funding	Singapore
Approved Budget	USD 42.793,30
Project Description	<p>The Smart Nation programme is designed to build insight and understanding for policy makers and government leaders about how to foster the necessary collaborative approach towards the creation of a seamlessly connected society. The programme will explore the vision of the smart, connected society, and will consider the driving forces, risks and opportunities related to the concept. The programme will build participant skills and knowledge in the areas of fostering collaboration, transformational change, and leadership communications in the context of smart nation planning and opportunities, in order to understand how national, integrated programmes can be designed and delivered. The participants will learn the principles and practices of change management, collaboration, strategic decision making, and leadership communication that support the implementation of programmes like Smart Nation, designed to optimise IT and crowdsourcing opportunities in a rapidly evolving technology landscape.</p>
Objective	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • To strengthen the capacity of CLMV government officials to implement the promotion of the new technology and policy approaches • To develop best practice guides and standards for smart city development.
Implementation Status	<p>Completed activities :</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Cambodia: 31 July-4 August 2017 • Lao PDR: 6-10 November 2017 • Myanmar: 5-9 February 2017 • Viet Nam: 11-15 September 2017
External Links	https://www.scp.gov.sg/content/scp/our_courses/initiative_for_asean_integration.html

Project Title	Training Course on Media Management and Public Diplomacy
Project Area	Enabling Action
Beneficiary Countries	Cambodia, Lao PDR, Myanmar, Viet Nam (CLMV)
Source of Funding	Singapore
Approved Budget	USD 42.793,30
Project Description	The training will equip participants with a basic understanding on how to manage information and media relations. Comprising presentations, discussions, group work and role-play, participants will be exposed to various frameworks, which would form the basis of their media communications management. Participants will also gain an understanding about the importance of public diplomacy.
Objective	To increase competencies and resilience of CLMV government officials with advanced technological and managerial skills so as to improve institutional capacity to address current challenges and emerging trends such as disaster, pandemics, climate change and harnessing the use of information and communication technologies across different age groups as a means to connect with the regional and global community.
Implementation Status	<p>Completed activities:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Lao PDR: 13-17 November 2017 • Myanmar: 26-30 June 2017 • Viet Nam: 27 November-1 December 2017 <p>Planned activities:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Cambodia: 18-22 December 2017
External Links	https://www.scp.gov.sg/content/scp/our_courses/initiative_for_asean_integration.html

Project Title	Training Courses on Administration and Public Policy
Project Area	Enabling Action
Beneficiary Countries	Cambodia, Lao PDR, Myanmar, Viet Nam (CLMV)
Source of Funding	Singapore
Approved Budget	USD 85.586,50
Project Description	<p>The project is targeted for CLMV government officials to foster best practices in administration and public policy through two (2) courses:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Public Sector Administration and Social Policy <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Understand the principles underlying public administration in Singapore, including the importance of a whole-of-government approach in public administration. • Understand the key principles that form the foundation of social policy in Singapore. 2. Public-Private-Partnerships <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Gain an understanding of Public Private Partnership (PPP) and the model types available for PPP. • Introduce key elements of a PPP Plan and justification. • Appreciate the Principles of Governance for PPP by OECD and financing guidelines. • Understand the entry point of PPPs into the planning, budgeting and financing cycle in government project development. • Understand PPP procurement process in Singapore.
Objective	To support the CLMV government officials in creating enabling environment conducive to PPP, including the necessary policies, laws, regulations institutions and government capacity and strengthening civil service through effective capacity building, human resources development and collaboration programmes among AMS.
Implementation Status	<p>Completed activities:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Public Sector Administration and Social Policy <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ Cambodia: 26-30 June 2017 ○ Lao PDR: 3-7 April 2017 • Public-Private-Partnerships <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ Lao PDR: 20-24 November 2017 ○ Viet Nam: 16-20 October 2017 <p>Planned Activities:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Public-Private-Partnerships <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ Cambodia: 19-23 February 2018 ○ Myanmar: 5-9 March 2018
External Links	https://www.scp.gov.sg/content/scp/our_courses/initiative_for_asean_integration.html

Project Title	4th Batch: Attachment of Officers from Cambodia, Lao PDR, Myanmar, and Viet Nam (CLMV) for AEC and ASCC Involvement at the ASEAN Secretariat (2017-2018)
Project Area	Enabling Action
Beneficiary Countries	Cambodia, Lao PDR, Myanmar, Viet Nam (CLMV)
Source of Funding	Japan (JAIF)
Approved Budget	USD 501,749.16
Project Description	The project is designed for two officials from each CLMV ministries relevant to the ASEAN Economic Community (AEC) and ASEAN Socio-Cultural Community (ASCC) pillars to be attached to the ASEAN Secretariat for a one-year period. The objective of the project is to narrow the capacity and institutional gaps among ASEAN Member States by enhancing knowledge, skills and experiences of CLMV officers from the ministries related to the AEC and ASCC pillars.
Objective	To narrow capacity and institutional gaps among ASEAN Member States by enhancing knowledge, skills, and experiences of CLMV officers, particularly from the ministries related to AEC and ASCC pillars.
Implementation Status	The project is scheduled to commence on 13 December 2017.
External Links	N/A

Project Title	IAI Attachment Programme at the ASEAN Secretariat for Junior Diplomats of Cambodia, Lao PDR, Myanmar and Viet Nam (15th batch)
Project Area	Enabling Action
Beneficiary Countries	Cambodia, Lao PDR, Myanmar, Viet Nam (CLMV)
Source of Funding	Japan (JAIF)
Approved Budget	USD 256,206.28
Project Description	The project is designed for one young diplomat from each CLMV country to be attached to the ASEAN Secretariat for a one-year period. The objective of the project is to narrow the capacity and institutional gaps among ASEAN Member States by enhancing knowledge, skills and experiences of CLMV officers from the Ministry of Foreign Affairs.
Objective	To narrow capacity and institutional gaps among ASEAN Member States by enhancing knowledge, skills, and experiences of CLMV officers, particularly from the Ministry of Foreign Affairs.
Implementation Status	The project is scheduled to commence on 13 December 2017.
External Links	N/A

Project Title	Training Courses on International Safety Standards and Systems
Project Area	Enabling Action
Beneficiary Countries	Cambodia, Lao PDR, Myanmar, Viet Nam (CLMV)
Source of Funding	Singapore
Approved Budget	USD 42.793,30
Project Description	<p>The training programme on international safety standards and systems comprises of formal lectures, group discussions and presentations, case studies and question and answer sessions that will be delivered through two (2) courses:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Aviation Safety Management Systems Implementation Course. Participants will be provided with the knowledge and skills to facilitate the design, implementation and maintenance of an operationally effective Safety Management System (SMS) to meet the standards prescribed in International Civil Aviation Organisation (ICAO) Annex 19 (Safety Management), ICAO Doc 9859 and other related guidance materials. 2. Air Operator Certification and Surveillance for Flight Operations Inspector Course. Participants will be provided with a strong foundation on safety regulations, principles and procedures for flight operations safety oversight of an air operator. Participants will have a good understanding of ICAO Annex 6 (Operations of Aircraft), Annex 18 (Transport of Dangerous Goods by Air), ICAO Doc 9284 (ICAO Technical Instructions on the Transport of Dangerous Goods by Air) and ICAO Document 8335 (Manual of Procedures for Operations Inspection, Certification and Continued Surveillance). The course also shares the best practices in safety oversight management with a focus on special operations approval for Transport of Dangerous Goods by air and Extended Diversion Time Operations.
Objective	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • To build the capacity of CLMV government officials in implementing advance safer and more secure skies in ASEAN. • To promote the implementation of international safety standards and systems.
Implementation Status	<p>Completed Activities:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • The Aviation SMS Implementation Course <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ Cambodia: 19-23 June 2017 ○ Lao PDR: 21-27 August 2017 • The AOC and Surveillance for Flight Operations Inspector Course <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ Myanmar: 3-7 July 2017 ○ Viet Nam: 24-28 July 2017
External Links	https://www.scp.gov.sg/content/scp/our_courses/initiative_for_asean_integration.html

Project Title	Training Course on Sustainable Development and Urban Planning
Project Area	Enabling Action
Beneficiary Countries	Cambodia, Lao PDR, Myanmar, Viet Nam (CLMV)
Source of Funding	Singapore
Approved Budget	USD 42.793,30
Project Description	<p>The training course on sustainable development and urban planning will cover the topics of:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Singapore's urban development journey, concepts and master plans. 2. Theories and role of government in sustainable urban development and integrated town planning. 3. Key principles of land use planning and management structures 4. Policy making process. 5. Integrated town planning programs and projects. 6. Integration of live, work and play environment through micro-planning: residential, commercial and recreational developments with efficient transportation network in each new town. 7. Financing model and budgetary considerations for urban integrated development. 8. Singapore urban development financial analysis - budgetary provision, fiscal and monetary policies towards infrastructure and sustainable urban development. 9. Lessons learnt from Singapore's experience in urban development and urban planning.
Objective	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • To enhance participatory and integrated approached in urban planning and management for sustainable urbanisation towards a clean and green ASEAN. • To promote sustainable development to the CLMV government officials, as general enablers.
Implementation Status	<p>Completed activities:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Lao PDR: 24 November-1 December 2017 • Myanmar: 4-8 September 2017 • Viet Nam: 26-30 June 2017 <p>Planned activities:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Cambodia: 26 February – 2 March 2018
External Links	https://www.scp.gov.sg/content/scp/our_courses/initiative_for_asean_integration.html

Project Title	Scholarship fund for students of CLMV countries (2015-2017)
Project Area	Enabling Action
Beneficiary Countries	Cambodia, Lao PDR, Myanmar, Viet Nam (CLMV)
Source of Funding	India
Approved Budget	USD 46,992.40
Project Description	The project provided scholarships for students from CLMV countries to complete their study at Nalanda University. The scholarships awarded were for the academic year of 2015-2017. Four students from CLMV countries were awarded the scholarships. Three students (two from Myanmar and one from Lao PDR) were admitted at School of Ecology and Environment Studies and one student from Lao PDR was admitted to School of Historical Studies.
Objective	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Enhance and widen the tertiary education experience of a select group of students from the CLMV countries; • Increase the diversity of students at the Nalanda University to encourage cross cultural and transnational sharing of knowledge; • Deepen the research capacity on South East Asian studies at the Nalanda University; and • Strengthen ties between India and the CLMV countries.
Implementation Status	The project commenced in August 2015.
External Links	N/A

Project Title	Scholarship fund for students of CLMV countries (2017-2019)
Project Area	Enabling Action
Beneficiary Countries	Cambodia, Lao PDR, Myanmar, Viet Nam (CLMV)
Source of Funding	India
Approved Budget	USD 62,040
Project Description	The project provides scholarships for six students from CLMV countries to complete Master Degrees at the School of Ecology and Environment and School of Historical Studies at Nalanda University. The scholarship is for the academic year of 2017-2019.
Objective	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Contribution to personal development of students and social uplift of the community that the university is located in. • Helping students from ASEAN countries—with special emphasis on CLMV countries—in getting quality research based education, thus bringing India closer to ASEAN community. • Providing platform for cross cultural and transnational sharing of knowledge amongst the students coming from ASEAN countries and elsewhere from the globe. • Providing to the students of ASEAN countries, opportunities for development of their personality and calibre as human resource. • Helping in strengthening ties with ASEAN community. • Encouraging research on topics connected to all countries in the ASEAN and EAS. It is thus poised to be a leader in studies of Asian regions and beyond. • Promoting the idea of Global Citizenship and inculcating a sense of global responsibility
Implementation Status	The project commenced in August 2017.
External Links	N/A

Project Title	<p>Initiative for ASEAN Integration: Creation of a sustainable IT infrastructure for advanced IT training using conventional, virtual classroom and e-learning technologies in CLMV countries</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Activity 1: Setting up of Centre of Excellence in Software Development and Training (CESDT) in Cambodia, Laos, Myanmar & Vietnam and appropriate accreditation to these training courses by CDAC, Delhi. • Activity 3, Component 1: CLMV teachers' training in the areas of e-learning, reducing cybercrime, GIS and remote sensing, open source tools, LAN WAN administration embedded systems and VLSI design.
Project Area	Enabling Action
Beneficiary Countries	Cambodia, Lao PDR, Myanmar, Viet Nam (CLMV)
Source of Funding	India
Approved Budget	USD 8,696,010
Project Description	<p>This project comprises of three activities, as follows.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Activity 1: Setting up of Centre of Excellence in Software Development and Training (CESDT) in Cambodia, Laos, Myanmar & Vietnam and appropriate accreditation to these training courses by CDAC, Delhi. • Activity 3, Component 1: CLMV teachers' training in the areas of e-learning, reducing cybercrime, GIS and remote sensing, open source tools, LAN WAN administration embedded systems and VLSI design.
Objective	<p>Completed activities:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Feasibility study visits to the CLMV countries.
Implementation Status	The project commenced in August 2017.
External Links	N/A