




ASEAN-UK Cooperation: Secretary General's Historic Visit to the UK



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ASEAN's Secretary General, **Dr. Kao Kim Hourn**, is embarking on his inaugural European visit to the UK. Discussions will center on strengthening ASEAN-UK collaboration, focusing on key priority areas.



Key Features

- **Secretary** General of ASEAN is visiting the UK to enhance collaboration between ASEAN and the UK, underscoring the significance of this partnership.
- **The discussions** will center on critical areas outlined in ASEAN's strategies, including the ASEAN Outlook on the Indo-Pacific and the 2022-2026 ASEAN-UK Plan of Action, highlighting their importance.
- **The UK** and ASEAN are strengthening their ties with the first ever visit of the ASEAN Secretary-General to the UK.

- **The visit** is a boost to ASEAN-UK cooperation and will help to create green jobs, reinforce security cooperation, promote tech and science partnerships, and safeguard key pillars of international law.
- **The UK** has become an ASEAN Dialogue Partner, the first new country in 25 years. This is a landmark moment in the UK's tilt towards the Indo Pacific.
- **The UK** and ASEAN are bringing experts from the UK Government and their world-leading private sector to support ASEAN's needs, increase cooperation in key areas of economic policy and deepen trade ties.