

INVITATION

2021 JOINT ASEAN SOCIETIES RECEPTION

in the Princess Alexandra Hall, Royal Over-Seas League

Over-Seas House, Park Place, London SW1A 1LR

Thursday 16 December 2021 at 6pm to 8.30pm

Dress code: National dress or business attire

As a result of Brexit, it is vital that the UK successfully promotes and strengthens its links with ASEAN. The region is forecast to be the world's fourth largest economy by 2030 after the USA, China and the EU. These links are all encompassing and flow in both directions, including trade and investment, education, tourism, and cultural ties. It is therefore critical that there is a united voice to get the message over that the UK is Open and Welcoming to Business, Investors, Students, and Tourists from ASEAN and committed to supporting outward investment and UK business expansion into the region.

Please join us for our 2021 Joint ASEAN Societies in person Reception to celebrate UK ASEAN links and future ties and for members of the organisations to network and build closer alliances. The ASEAN Societies and other guest groups taking part this year include:

Anglo-Thai Society
Anglo-Indonesian Society
The British Malaysian Society
Singapore Business Group
Singapore UK Association
Cambodian Society in the UK
Britain-Burma Society
Vietnam UK Network
Philippine British Business Council
AUBF (ASEAN UK Business Forum)
IoD China Interest Group
IoD City Young Executives Group
IoD International Trade Group
UK-ASEAN Business Council

The reception will also welcome distinguished guests including Ambassadors and Senior representatives from the ASEAN Embassies and High Commissions.

We are delighted that His Excellency the High Commissioner of Brunei Darussalam Major General (Rtd), Dato Paduka Seri Haji Aminuddin Ihsan Bin Pehin Orang Kaya Saiful Mulok Dato Seri Paduka Haji Abidin, His Excellency the Ambassador of Cambodia, Mr Kan Pharidh and Baroness Neville Rolfe DBE CMG, the Chair of UK-ASEAN Business Council (UKABC) since 2019, have all agreed to deliver keynote speeches at the event.

The reception is warmly sponsored by

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BOOKING FORM

(Please complete and return ASAP to Mei Sim Lai OBE DL , Chairman of the British Malaysian Society c/o 25 Palace Court London W2 4LP

or by email to MeiSim@LaiPeters.org Mobile 079-03 153 793

I would like to book _____ place(s) for the reception at a cost of £35 per person or £20 for full time student.

NAME

JOB TITLE

COMPANY/ ORGANISATION NAME

NAME OF UNIVERSITY (if student)

NAME OF YOUR ASEAN SOCIETY

EMAIL

MOBILE/CONTACT NUMBER

SPECIAL DIETARY REQUIREMENTS

HOW TO PAY

Mei Sim Lai OBE DL, Chairman of The British Malaysian Society has agreed to deal with bookings for this Reception and BMS will collect payment for bookings on behalf of the groups taking part.

Please make payment by:

1. Sending a cheque payable to 'The British Malaysian Society 'with your booking form to Mei Sim Lai OBE DL at 25 Palace Court London W2 4LP

OR

- 2 by bank transfer to: the HSBC bank account of The British Malaysian Society,

Sort code: 40-01-06

Account number: 92481006

Payment ref: 16DEC

If paying by this method please email Mei Sim at MeiSim@LaiPeters.org to let her know once payment has been made by you.

PLEASE BOOK AS SOON AS POSSIBLE. PLACES ARE LIMITED AND WILL BE DEALT WITH ON A FIRST COME FIRST SERVED BASIS. THERE WILL BE A RESTRICTION ON THE NUMBER OF PLACES ALLOCATED TO EACH SOCIETY.

If you have any queries, please contact Mei Sim on 07903 153 793