

# CLEAN ENERGY AND EMISSION REDUCTION

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**INITIATIVE FOR ASEAN INTEGRATION**

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## Initiative for ASEAN Integration

The Initiative for ASEAN Integration (IAI) was launched by then Singapore Prime Minister (PM) Goh Chok Tong at the 4<sup>th</sup> ASEAN Informal Summit in 2000 to narrow the development gap between ASEAN-6 and Cambodia, Lao PDR, Myanmar and Viet Nam and to support ASEAN integration and community building. To date, Singapore has made four pledges totalling S\$170 million to the IAI.

A key IAI project by Singapore was the establishment of training centres in Phnom Penh, Vientiane, Yangon and Hanoi, which have been upgraded to the Singapore Cooperation Centres. More than 47,000 CLMV government officials have attended our training courses at these centres covering diverse areas outlined in the four IAI Work Plans. The latest IAI Work Plan IV (2021-2025) is structured around the strategic areas of food and agriculture, trade facilitation, MSMEs, education, health and well-being as well as the enabling actions which are aimed at promoting sustainable development, sharing best practices in public policy, governance and regulatory development, improving data collection and analysis capabilities; and strengthening the role of social work to realise a people-oriented, people-centred and inclusive ASEAN Community.

The IAI is in line with the spirit of the Singapore Cooperation Programme (SCP). Established in 1992, the SCP brings together various technical assistance programmes offered by Singapore. As a country whose only resource is its people, Singapore believes that human resource development is vital for economic and social progress. Singapore has also benefited from training provided by other countries and international organisations and has increased the range and number of training programmes under its SCP to meet the development needs of developing countries.

## Course Objectives

The course will focus on Singapore's multi-agency engagement in formulating clean and renewable energy solutions to achieve a balance between development and climate action obligations. It will also touch on the importance of collective mitigative actions on a global scale.

## Synopsis

The course will cover the following topics:

- Introduction to clean energy resources and technologies
- Energy and climate security
- Sustainable and clean energy governance issues
- Renewable energy and Clean Development Mechanism (CDM) adoption and implementation

## Methodology

The course will be conducted through a virtual classroom using a video conferencing platform and will comprise 'live' online lecture and interactive sessions with Question and Answer, group discussions, and presentations segments.

The guide to access the online sessions will be circulated to the nominees separately.

## Regulations

Participants are required to comply with the following:

- Strictly observe course schedules and not miss training sessions, and
- Carry out instructions and abide by conditions as may be stipulated by the nominating authority or government and the Government of Singapore and its appointed trainer, with respect to the course.

## Duration

The course will be held from **30 October to 3 November 2023**.

## Participants' Profile

Participants should be:

- Mid-to senior-level government officials involved in policymaking for sustainability and energy solutions;
- Nominated by the government of Viet Nam;
- Proficient in spoken and written English; and
- In good health.

## Class Size

Minimum 15 participants  
Maximum 25 participants

Additional 10 participants – up to two each from Brunei, Indonesia, Malaysia, Philippines, Thailand  
Total 35 participants

## Terms of Award

The Government of Singapore will be responsible for the training fees for the conduct of the course by the trainer(s).

## Application Procedure

The National Coordinator will be responsible for obtaining the list of nominations before forwarding the list directly to the Singapore Embassy in Hanoi.

The nomination list, which should include the email addresses of the participants, should reach the Singapore Embassy in Hanoi not later than **Monday, 16 October 2023**.



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