



AmCham HCMC Weekly Update - 18th Week of 2019

The AmCham office is closed for business from Monday, 29th April through Wednesday, 1st May 2019 for celebration public holidays (Vietnam Reunification Day and International Labor Day). Our office will reopen on Thursday, 2nd May 2019.

*On behalf of the AmCham Board Members and Staff,
we wish you and your beloved ones a happy holiday!*

UPCOMING EVENTS AND MEETINGS



May 4 Cinco de Mayo Fiesta 2019 at District Federal

Only a few days left to register! Join AmCham's Cinco de Mayo Fiesta with a free flow of frozen Patron margaritas, beer and a Mexican themed food buffet at District Federal in Thao Dien, District 2 on Saturday, May 4th, from 7:00pm to 10:00pm Register now & tell your friends!

Don't be disappointed at the door -- Advanced tickets required!
Sales close Thursday, May 2 or when we have max party-goers registered.
Get your sombreros ready for fun!

Click [HERE](#) for more information and registration.



May 10 2019 US-Vietnam Business Summit

AmCham, in cooperation with VCCI and the US Chamber of Commerce, will host the 2019 US-Vietnam Business Summit: Celebrating 25 Years of Trade and Investment on May 10 in Hanoi. This important advocacy event will build on the current positive momentum in our bilateral economic relationship and will feature the release of a joint white paper recommending a concrete framework to deepen trade and investment between the US and Vietnam.

May 28 Criminal Proceedings: Rights And Obligations Of Foreigners

Join this AmCham workshop offering specific guidance for criminal matters in Vietnam relating to real-life situations foreigners may face. This workshop explores the criminal procedures in Vietnam and potential solutions. Foreigners living and working in Vietnam, as well as Legal Departments and others who may interact with the the Criminal Procedures Code are encouraged to attend!





Jun 6 Farewell Dinner for Consul General Mary Tarnowka hosted by Ambassador Kritenbrink

Join U.S. Ambassador Daniel Kritenbrink, the AmCham Board and other members for a warm farewell dinner with the U.S. Consul General Mary Tarnowka who will depart Vietnam this summer.

More details will be provided soon.



Jun 29 AmCham Independence Day Celebration & Family Picnic

Join AmCham members, friends and family to enjoy our traditional American holiday and cultural event that is celebrated all across the USA. This year's event will celebrate 243 years of American Independence and 25 years of AmCham Vietnam!

Enjoy a fun-filled day with live music, amazing food, drinks, and entertainment.

SPONSORSHIP OPPORTUNITIES are available now. We welcome all kinds of sponsorship, such as cash, food & beverage, and products and services to support the event. Click [HERE](#) for our Sponsorship Packages.



Jul 10 In Danang: AmCham Supplier Day | Ngày Hội Các Nhà Cung Cấp 2019 tại Đà Nẵng

AmCham Supplier Day 2019 expands the scale to 2 locations: Ho Chi Minh City, Danang City. The AmCham Manufacturing Committee this year will offer additional exhibitor spaces over last year and have expanded expert presentations on insightful and in-depth topics along with a panel discussion for the all day event in Ho Chi Minh and half day event in Da Nang. It will be an opportunity for your company to display your products and meet other manufacturers and suppliers to establish a business relationship with them and expand your network.



Sep 27-29 AmCham's National Networking Weekend in Da Nang - SAVE THE DATE

The AmCham chapters of Hanoi and HCMC will host their National Conference in September to include an Ambassador's Roundtable discussion of key issues in Vietnam-U.S. trade and investment and outlook for 2019. The weekend will also include family activities. Three days/two nights package including accommodation, daily buffet breakfasts, Friday welcome cocktail reception, Saturday afternoon roundtable with the U.S. Ambassador, Consul General, and U.S. Mission key officers, followed by an evening cocktails reception and gala dinner.

More details will coming soon.

SPONSORED NEWS



Winning Litigation Strategy

Litigation is not simply about going to trial. It is a strategic chess game where every move made will determine the winner and loser. In other words, your ultimate litigation goal is to achieve optimum results at minimal cost. This insight will help you understand: (i) effectively filing a lawsuit, (ii) using counterclaims as defense strategy, (iii) productive collection and use of evidence, (iv) settlement negotiations and mediation, (v) successfully navigating the trial and arbitration. Any question, please contact us via info@letranlaw.com.

Advanced Purchase Promotion to North America from HCM City



Korean Air, established in 1969, is one of the world's top 20 airlines carrying more than 26 million passengers in 2018. Korean Air's core business includes passenger, cargo, aerospace, catering and in-flight sales. The airline's main hub is at the Incheon (ICN) International Airport Terminal 2 which opened in 2018. With a vision to be a respected leader in the world airline community, Korean Air is dedicated to providing excellence in flight. Click on the [LINK](#) for promotion.

COMMITTEE MEETINGS & ACTIVITIES



AmCham Logistics & Supply Chain Committee Survey Results

On behalf of the Logistics & Supply Chain Committee, we would like to thank you for your feedback. One of the key missions of our committee is to bring relevant and timely content to our members. We use the feedback as a guide for planning. Please join us for our next committee meeting to see how we are using your feedback in this year's programming and goals.



AmCham Women in Engineering Scholarship 2019 - Sponsorship

AmCham Women In Engineering Scholarship (ACWES) will run in both Ho Chi Minh City and Da Nang City, and we are seeking sponsors to partner with us in 2019 to inspire all future women engineers. ACWES has existed since 2011 and the program's purposes are to encourage and support FEMALE students to study in science and engineering fields and to pursue technical careers.

Contact [AmCham Scholarship Management Team](#) if you would like more information or wish to become a sponsor of this important initiative.



AGRICULTURE COMMITTEE

May 13 Agriculture Committee Meeting (For AmCham's Members Only)

Regular monthly meeting of the committee to review upcoming events, discuss and prepare positions on key issues, laws and regulations relating to trade and investment between Vietnam and the United States.



LEGAL & VBF LIAISON COMMITTEE

May 14 Legal and VBF Liaison Committee Meeting (For AmCham's Members Only)

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ICT COMMITTEE

May 21 ICT Committee Meeting (For AmCham's Members Only)

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DO YOU KNOW...?



AmCham Premium Membership 2019

The AmCham Premium Membership 2019 is a leadership level membership for companies committing support for AmCham's mission and programs. With the strong support of these fine businesses, AmCham is able to better achieve its mission and create new business initiatives.

Our Premium Membership comes with a range of exclusive benefits. One all-inclusive Premium Membership's annual billing simplifies your businesses' sponsorship efforts. Click [HERE](#) for Premium Members' benefits.



Benefits to AmCham Membership

We love our AmCham members! Do you know all the benefits you get with your membership? Maybe you only remember the ones you've used recently, but there are many ways even our basic level members benefit at AmCham. Click [HERE](#) for details.

In the News

- Better regulations for higher FDI flows

- Improving life insurers' bottom line
- World Bank forecasts Vietnam's economy to grow by 6.6 pct in 2019
- Taiwan - unlikely beneficiary of the trade war?
- CP Foods taps into Vietnam's TPP access to drive poultry exports

AMCHAM PREMIUM MEMBERS



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