AmCham HCMC Weekly Update - 23rd Week of 2019

UPCOMING EVENTS



June 6 U.S. Ambassador Business Outlook & Consul General Farewell Dinner

Join U.S. Ambassador Daniel Kritenbrink, the AmCham Board and other members for a an evening of insight and conversation as well as a warm farewell for U.S. Consul General Mary Tarnowka who will depart from her role this summer.



June 12 Women in Leadership presents its Female Empowerment Social

Please join us after work for a unique Women in Leadership event blending socializing, food, drink and inspiration by and with other professionals. This event features guest speaker, Dr. Astrid Matarrita-Chinchilla, clinical psychologist with Saigon Psychology & Counseling, who will share with us the value of female empowerment that can be achieved through each other. It is the unification of gender and solidarity among friends where women can achieve even greater successes and personal fulfillment. As Dr. Astrid puts it, "It's Pho for the Soul!"



June 13 Competition Law 2018: Key Changes and the Impact on Your Business

The new Competition Law is due to take effect from 01 July 2019, replacing its 14-year-old predecessor. Given the widened scope of application and the shift towards a more stringent approach, the new law is expected to have a significant impact on how enterprises, especially MNCs, in a variety of industries conduct their day-to-day business as well as merger filings.



June 20 Mental Wellness Event

Join this event featuring Dr Miguel, a psychiatrist from Family Medical Practice, to learn more about various mental health issues and their impact on our physical well-being. Also joining a panel discussion are industry experts Mr Choo Kum Seng, VP of Business Solutions at Workplace Options, Mr Bill Watson, CEO of Coats Phong Phu and Mrs. Diana Watson, Honorary Chairwoman of Saigon Summer Ball of Saigon Children's Charity CIO, sharing with us the simple steps you can take that can help yourself, your loved ones & our wider community and the active role of employers play in supporting employee mental health.



June 26 AmCham Palooza Party at Qui Lounge, co-hosted by BBGV

Come and join with members of AmCham and BBGV for the next AmCham Palooza Party at Qui Lounge, located right at the bustling Le Thanh Ton Street of District 1. The monthly Palooza Party is a platform to develop new friendships, networking opportunities and information exchange. Do not forget to bring your business cards!



June 27 2019 Dialogue with Ho Chi Minh City Leaders

AmCham Vietnam, HCMC Chapter will host its 2019 Dialogue with HCMC Leaders on June 27, 2019. This important advocacy event is open to AmCham members to participate in discussions with the local leadership to share successes and challenges of doing business in HCMC. AmCham seeks to present issues and recommendations to City Leaders to improve the business environment. Topics will include issues from sectors such as infrastructure, power and energy, labor topics and tax concerns and others. AmCham members should contact respective Committee Leaders for more information.



June 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.



July 10 In Da Nang: AmCham Supplier Day | Ngày Hội Các Nhà Cung Cấp 2019 tại Đà Nằng

AmCham Supplier Day 2019 expands to 2 locations: Ho Chi Minh City and Da Nang City. The AmCham Manufacturing Committee will offer additional exhibitor spaces and 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.

SPONSORED NEWS



Jun 11, Workshop "The Next Generation Solution for Retail & POS"

With technological advancement and product innovation, mid-size to smaller companies are increasing their market presence by securing new contracts and tapping new markets. In this workshop, Lac Viet Computing, Intel together with its partners are very keen to share the technologies and solutions with a dialogue fashion with demo showcases, to provide best in class learning experience.

FREE admission for AmCham Members. REGISTER HERE



Solutions for different Situations - Passion over Perfection

Located in the heart of Saigon, GEM Center is a 10,000- square meters- architectural building created with the mission: Embracing the latest trends that "Solutions for different Situations - Passion over Perfection". Mustering up all the beauties of artistic design to integrate with a world-class facilities, GEM Center is considered as a sustainable foundation to actualize all the most creative ideas and accommodate corporate or personal event concepts. Click **HERE** to have further information about this perfect venue for your next events!



Violation of Delivery Deadline in Purchase and Sale of Goods

The term of "Delivery Deadline of Goods" is fundamental in a commercial contract. If the delivery deadline expires and the seller could not deliver the goods on time, the seller is deemed to violate of the contract and the buyer can refuse to receive the goods or to refuse to make the relevant payment. Is the contract automatically terminated if the seller didn't deliver the goods on time? What should the buyer do to terminate the contract lawfully?

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



Jun 5 Education and Training Committee Meeting (For AmCham's Members Only)

To all Education & Training Committee members (and those AmCham members with an interest in Education), we welcome your attendance and ideas at our next meeting at 4pm on Wednesday June 5th at ASU.

NOTE: We will follow the regular meeting with a networking opportunity at Jake's BBQ at 50 Pasteur (across the street from the ASU location). We have the upstairs room reserved from 5:30 to 7:30.



Jun 10 - 20 AmCham World Blood Donor Days 2019

AmCham CSR Group together with British Business Group Vietnam is working with Hospital of Hematology and Blood Transfusion to organize an AmCham World Blood Donor Day from June 10 to June 20 at locations provided.



Jun 11 Legal and VBF Liaison 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.



Jun 18 ICT Committee Meeting (For AmCham's Members Only)

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Jun 25 HR Committee Morning Briefing: Re-Organization: Manage the attrition - SAVE THE DATE

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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 <u>AmCham Scholarship Management Team</u> if you would like more information or wish to become a sponsor of this important initiative.



Welcome New Members 2019

We are very excited to welcome our new and recently joined Corporate Members: ANZ Bank, Austin Labs (MyStorage.vn), Cimigo Sole Member LLC, Construction Joint Stock Company No. 1 (COFICO), Dilinh Legal, Platinum Global Company Limited, Ranpak Pte Ltd; Individual Member: Mr. Andy Tran



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 <u>HERE</u> for details.

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