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FEATURES

ARTS & CULTURE



VIETNAM
EU vision of football as an inclusive sport discussed with VTV sports editor
With the World Cup in Qatar, sport has the opportunity to tackle issues of racism, social exclusion and gender inequality.

EDUCATION, RESEARCH & INNOVATION



ASEAN
'Twin transition' to green and digital innovation accelerates SDGs
EU-ASEAN partnerships for research and innovation bring green and digital transformations towards a zero carbon economy.



PHILIPPINES
8 000+ Philippine students explore academic opportunities in the EU
Students look to boost their job prospects through prestigious graduate degrees in Europe.



VIETNAM
Study in Europe returns in hybrid format for 5 000 participants across Vietnam
The EU's annual event for higher education in Europe draws record-breaking participation since the fair's introduction in 2014.

ENVIRONMENT & CLIMATE CHANGE



MALAYSIA
EU and Malaysian changemakers express hopes at the crossroads of COP 27
The world looks to the future as local, state and federal authorities step up their actions in the race against the climate clock.



MALAYSIA
Interurban cooperation for green transition celebrated on World Habitat Day
YouTube video showcases Malaysia's steps towards a circular economy for a resilient, inclusive and green future.



VIETNAM
Sustainable food on the table with Vietnam's Chef of the Year
A series featuring young leaders working towards a sustainable future kicks off in a chat with a celebrity chef.



VIETNAM
Vietnam TV highlights Da Nang shift to clean and affordable energy with EU-funded solar power
An EU project is bringing clean and affordable energy to local communities, in its close sustainability partnership with Vietnam.



VIETNAM
EU investments in Vietnam's green growth featured on national news
VTV continues its coverage on EU partnerships for sustainable energy, with a focus on the eco-industrial zone DEEP C in Hai Phong.



VIETNAM
Hydroelectricity to be expanded across Vietnam's Central Highlands
Hydropower development in Gia Lai is bringing a green transition through new standards for health, safety and the environment.



VIETNAM
EU presents path to 'green recovery' for a green future in Vietnam
As Vietnam seeks to recover its economic growth, the European Green Deal presents new ways of conducting business.

EU-ASEAN



SINGAPORE
European and ASEAN ambassadors, citizens cycle together for sustainability
300 citizens hit the road on their bicycles for the EU-ASEAN Bike45Ride for Sustainability in Singapore.

HUMAN RIGHTS



THAILAND
Thai youth discuss human rights on World Day Against the Death Penalty
The EU shares its commitment to the universal abolition of the death penalty with government, civil society and the youth.



THAILAND
EU, Thai films advocate for the human right to a healthy environment
A series of film screenings raises awareness in solidarity with local and global stakeholders on Human Rights Day.



PHILIPPINES
Business practices in focus on Human Rights Day in the Philippines
The EU leads in integrating business with human rights, while promoting responsible business conduct in its external policy.

INDO-PACIFIC



MALAYSIA
Online course with diplomats charts path ahead for cooperation in the Indo-Pacific
Malaysian and ASEAN senior diplomats and officials convene with a focus on maritime security and connectivity with the EU.



PHILIPPINES
Policymakers discuss cooperation for EU strategy in the Indo-Pacific
Over 740 participants convene at a forum on issues from geopolitics to the rule of law, human rights, energy and food security.

TRADE



PHILIPPINES
Business leaders look to revitalise trade and investment in post-pandemic era
A high-level panel convenes at a national forum to explore strategies for sustainable growth through strategic partnerships.

WHAT'S ON

MALAYSIA
EU-ASEAN Youth Diplomats Programme
Kuala Lumpur / Online
Registration Deadline: **8 January 2023**



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