

Thailand Business Forum

21 June 2018

At the Ball room, The Landmark London Hotel, United Kingdom

“Transforming Thailand”

The UK places great importance in its relationship with Thailand, one of the UK’s oldest friends in SE Asia, with UK-Thailand trade dating back to the 17th Century.

Thailand, the second largest economy in SE Asia, has proven to be resilient in the face of global and regional challenges with steady growth of around 4%. With a population of 68m and a rising GDP per capita, Thailand is working ambitiously towards further attracting investment to achieve growth well above 4%. The Eastern Economic Corridor (EEC), the government’s flagship project, will be the region’s new growth hub, presenting tremendous opportunities for UK companies.

This event, organized in conjunction with the visit to the UK of the Thai Prime Minister and key Cabinet members, will provide you with excellent opportunities to network with Thai business leaders who will be part of the Thai delegation.

Draft Programme

9.30 hrs.	Registration and pre-Forum Networking
10.25 hrs.	Video Presentation
10.35 hrs.	Opening Remarks H.E. General Prayut Chan-o-cha, Prime Minister of Thailand
10.45 hrs.	‘Driving Transformation through Thailand 4.0 and Eastern Economic Corridor’ H.E. Dr. Uttama Savanayana, Minister of Industry of Thailand
11.15 hrs.	‘Reforms for Enhancing Business Ecosystem’ H.E. Dr. Kobsak Pootrakool, Minister Attached to the Prime Minister's Office of Thailand
11.40 hrs.	‘Investment Support Measures and Business Opportunities’ <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Ms. Duangjai Asawachintachit, Secretary General, Thailand Board of Investment (BOI) • Dr. Kanit Sangsubhan, Secretary General, Eastern Economic Corridor Office (EECO) • Mr. Simon Shale, CEO, Senior Aerospace (Thailand) Ltd. • Mr. Ray Gibbs, CEO, Haydale Graphene Industries PLC
12.30 hrs.	Concluding Remarks Mr. Paul Scully MP, Prime Minister’s Trade Envoy to Thailand
12.35 hrs.	Networking Luncheon
14.00 hrs.	Forum Ends