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27 June, 2017

AustCham Thailand in collaboration with BCCT, CanCham, Singapore–Thai Chamber of Commerce, NTCC and AMCHAM cordially held a Special joint Luncheon Panel on Digital Transformation, particularly the Implementation of PromptPay, a new online-banking affecting all businesses and individuals in Thailand and, importantly, helping in the growth of e-commerce.

22 June, 2017

Congratulations to all winners at Australian Alumni Awards, held at the SO Sofitel in Bangkok!

Australian Embassy Bangkok ‘Alumni of the Year Award’: His Excellency Dr. Pichet Durongkaveroj; Minister of the Digital Economy and Society for the Royal Thai Government; Alumni from University of New South Wales; Blackmores ‘Alumni Leadership Award’: Dr. Phudit Tejativaddhana; Acting Director of College of Health Systems Management and Assistant President for Comprehensive Operations, Naresuan University; Alumni from University of New England; dwp ‘Alumni Entrepreneurial Award’: Mr. Harprem Doowa; Managing Director and Co-Founder of Frank.co.th; Alumni from Monash University

AustCham ‘Alumni Community Engagement Award’: Ms. Sirivimol Kitaphanich; Owner of Rai Ruen Rom Organic Farm, Chiang Mai; Alumni from University of Melbourne

AustCham ‘Young Alumni Award’: Mr. Phantabat Santimakorn; Director of Bangkok Ventures Co., Ltd; Alumni from RMIT University

Also, thank you to the Australian Ambassador to the Kingdom of Thailand, His Excellency Mr. Paul Robilliard for attending, and special guest speaker Dr. Linchong Chorrojprasert, Dean of the Graduate School of English at Assumption University.



15 June, 2017

AustCham Thailand held a Breakfast Forum on the topic “Recruiting for IT people: what we can we do?” at Four Points by Sheraton Bangkok. Moderated by Dwight Willis, CEO at DollarSmart, the audience heard expert views from our panel Carly Cummings, CIO Asia at Linfox; Thanakorn Charee, COO at MFEC; and Sam Matthey; IT Recruitment Manager at PRTR.



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AustCham invited members and guests to a member briefing by MBMG Group held at Pullman Bangkok Grande Sukhumvit. Mr. Paul Gambles, Managing Director of MBMG Investment Advisory spoke on the implications of new taxation and superannuation rules affecting Australian expatriates in Thailand.



6 June, 2017

AustCham Thailand collaborated with Australian Embassy Bangkok, to organise an AustCham forum with Australian Ambassador for Cyber Affairs, Dr. Tobias Feakin, who shared with us a crucial knowledge as to what extent businesses need to prepare to exploit the opportunities offered from a digitalized economy along with Dr. Chaichana Mitrprant, Deputy Director of ETDA Thailand, and Mr Antonio DeLorenzo, VP Partnerships of Identitii.



2 June, 2017

On 2 June, the Australian-Thai Chamber of Commerce (AustCham) in collaboration with AMCHAM Thailand and British Chamber of Commerce Thailand (BCCT) organised a Joint Business Luncheon Meeting on the topic of "The Effect of Thailand 4.0 Regulations and Infrastructure on Public and Private Sector in Thailand". It was a great pleasure to have Khun Kalin Sarasin, Chairman of Board of Trade of Thailand and Thai Chamber, explaining to what extent the new government laws and policies have affected business in Thailand both in public and private sectors.

