

ASEAN NOTIONAL CALENDAR 2016

TENTATIVE DATE	MEETING	VENUE	REMARKS
JANUARY			
1 Jan (Friday)	New Year		
19-20 Jan (Tuesday- Wednesday)	1 st Meeting of ASEAN-Russia Eminent Persons Group	Vientiane, Laos	
19-21 Jan (Tuesday- Thursday)	SEOM 1/47 + CLMV SEOM+ SEOM-EU+ Special COW Meeting + HLTF-EI Meeting	Vientiane, Laos	
21Jan (Thursday)	Special Committee of the Whole for the ASEAN Economic Community (COW) Meeting	Vientiane, Laos	
22 Jan (Friday)	29 th Meeting of the High-Level Task Force on ASEAN Economic Integration (HLTF-EI)	Vientiane, Laos	
26-27Jan (Tuesday- Wednesday)	1 st Consultative Group on ASEAN Defence Industry Collaboration(CG of ADIC) Meeting	Vientiane, Laos	
27-29 Jan (Wednesday-Friday)	4 th ASEAN Defence Industry Collaboration Workshop (ADIC)	Vientiane, Laos	
27-30 Jan (Wednesday- Saturday)	Special Meeting of ASEAN Task Force on AIDS	Vientiane, Laos	
28 Jan (Thursday)	8 th Coordinating Conference for the ASEAN Political-Security Community	ASEC	
FEBRUARY			
3 Feb (Wednesday)	ASEAN Intergovernmental Commission on Human Rights (AICHR) Workshop on Transition between Former and Incoming AICHR Representatives	Vientiane, Laos	
4-5 Feb (Thursday-Friday)	20 th Meeting of the ASEAN Intergovernmental Commission on Human Rights	Vientiane, Laos	
15-16 Feb (Monday-Tuesday)	Special ASEAN-U.S Summit	California, U.S	
19-22 Feb (Friday-Monday)	ASEAN Defence Senior Officials' Meeting Working Group (ADSOM WG)	Luang Prabang, Laos	
22-24 Feb (Monday- Wednesday)	ASEAN Defence Senior Officials' Meeting-Plus Working Group (ADSOM- Plus WG)	Luang Prabang, Laos	

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22-25 Feb (Monday-Thursday)	ASEAN Finance and Central Bank Working Group Series Meetings <u>22-23 Feb (Monday –Tuesday)</u> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ASEAN Working Committee on Financial Services Liberalization (WC-FSL) Meeting <u>24 Feb (Wednesday)</u> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ASEAN Working Committee on Capital Market Development (WC-CMD) Meeting ASEAN Working Committee on Capital Account Liberalization (WC-CAL) Meeting <u>25 Feb (Thursday)</u> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ASEAN Finance and Central Bank Deputies' Meeting- Working Group (AFCDM-WG) 	Vientiane, Laos	
26-27 Feb (Friday-Saturday)	ASEAN Foreign Ministers' Meeting Retreat (AMM Retreat) <u>26 Feb (Friday)</u> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ASEAN Senior Officials' Meeting <u>27 Feb (Saturday)</u> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> AMM Retreat 	Vientiane, Laos	
MARCH			
3-4 Mar (Thursday-Friday)	23 rd ASEAN-New Zealand Dialogue	Bali, Indonesia	
11-13 Mar (Friday-Sunday)	6 th ASEAN Military Operations Informal Meeting (AMOIM)	Vientiane, Laos	
11-13 Mar (Friday-Sunday)	13 th ASEAN Military Intelligence Informal Meeting (AMIIM)	Vientiane, Laos	
13-15 Mar (Sunday-Tuesday)	13 th ASEAN Chiefs of Defence Forces' Informal Meeting (ACDFIM)	Vientiane, Laos	
23-26 Mar (Wednesday-Saturday)	9 th Network of ASEAN Defence and Security Institutions (NADI) Annual Meeting	Vientiane, Laos	
30-31 Mar (Wednesday-Thursday)	17 th ASEAN Experts Group on Competition and Related Meetings	Vientiane, Laos	
Mar	AEM Retreat + AEM-EU Consultation + Intercessional RCEP Ministerial Meeting	Thailand	
TBC	16 th JWC on DOC	The Philippines	
TBC	11 th SOM on DOC	Vietnam	

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TBC	AEM Roadshow to US	TBC	
TBC	15 th ASEAN Socio-Cultural Community (ASCC) Council	Laos	
TBC	Preparatory Meeting of the Senior Officials Committee for Socio-Cultural Community Council (SOCA)/Prep-SOCA	Laos	
TBC	Special SOCA Meeting	Laos	
TBC	20 th Senior Officials Committee for Socio-Cultural Community Council (SOCA)	Laos	
TBC	51 st Meeting of ASEAN Committee on Culture and Information/COCI	Laos	
APRIL			
1-4 Apr (Friday-Monday)	<p>20th ASEAN Finance Ministers' Meeting (20th AFMM)</p> <p><u>1 Apr (Friday)</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • ASEAN Finance Deputies' Meeting (AFDM) • ASEAN Central Bank Deputies' Meeting (ACDM) • ASEAN Finance and Central Bank Deputies' Joint Meeting – (AFCDM) <p><u>4 Apr (Monday)</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 12th ASEAN Central Bank Governors' Meeting (12th ACGM) • 20th ASEAN Finance Ministers' Meeting (20th AFMM) • 2nd ASEAN Finance Ministers and Central Bank Governors' Joint Meeting (2nd AFMGM) 	Vientiane, Laos	
4-5 Apr (Monday-Tuesday)	13 th ASEAN-Russia SOM	Moscow, Russia	
4-8 Apr (Monday-Friday)	21 st Meeting of the ASEAN Intergovernmental Commission on Human Rights	ASEC	
4-8 Apr (Monday-Friday)	SEOM 2/47 Plus DP consultation	Malaysia	
13-16 Apr (Wednesday-Saturday)	Lao New Year Water Festival		Cambodia, Laos, Myanmar,

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			and Thailand
22-23 Apr (Friday-Saturday)	ASEAN Defence Senior Officials' Meeting (ADSOM)	Vientiane, Laos	
23-25 Apr (Saturday-Monday)	ASEAN Defence Senior Officials' Meeting-Plus (ADSOM-Plus)	Vientiane, Laos	
26-27 Apr (Tuesday-Wednesday)	ASEAN Regional Forum – Defence Officials' Dialogue (ARF-DOD)	Vientiane, Laos	
27-29 Apr (Wednesday-Friday)	ASEAN Regional Forum –Security Policy Conference (ASPC)	Vientiane, Laos	
TBC	ARF ISG on CBMs and PD	India	
Apr	ASEAN Regional Forum – Defence Officials' Dialogue (ARF-DOD)	India	
MAY			
5 – 9 May (Thursday-Monday)	ASEAN Senior Officials Meeting <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • ASEAN Plus Three Senior Officials Meeting (APT SOM) • East Asia Summit Senior Officials Meeting (EAS SOM) • ASEAN Regional Forum Senior Officials Meeting (ARF SOM) 	Luang Prabang, Laos	
19-20 May (Thursday-Friday)	ASEAN-Russia Commemorative Summit	Sochi, Russia	
24-27 May (Tuesday-Friday)	10 th ASEAN Defence Ministers' Meeting (ADMM)	Vientiane, Laos	
28-30 Mar or 5-7 Mar	Meeting of Implementing Committee of ASEAN-Japan Comprehensive Economic Partnership (AJCEP)	Luang Prabang, Laos	
TBC	ASEAN Sectoral Working Group on Crop	Vientiane, Laos	
TBC	9 th ASEAN Committee on Migrant Workers/ACMW	Vientiane, Laos	
TBC	12 th Senior Labour Officials Meeting/SLOM	Vientiane, Laos	
TBC	14 th Senior Labour Officials Meeting/SLOM+3	Vientiane, Laos	
TBC	Planning and Evaluation Working Group for ASEAN-Japan HRD Collaboration Programme 2016	Vientiane, Laos	
TBC	ASEAN-ILO/Japan Project Cooperation Committee (PCC) Meeting	Vientiane, Laos	

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TBC	24 th ASEAN Labour Ministers Meeting/ALMM	Vientiane, Laos	
TBC	9 th ASEAN+3 Labour Ministers Meeting/ALMM+3	Vientiane, Laos	
JUNE			
1-5 Jun (Wednesday-Sunday)	41 st ASEAN Audit Committee Meeting	ASEC	
25-26 Jun (Saturday-Sunday)	21 st Task Force on Enhanced Dispute Mechanism (TF-EDSM) Meeting	Vientiane, Laos	
Jun	Special Meeting of the ASEAN Intergovernmental Commission on Human Rights	Phuket, Thailand	
Jun	ASEAN Senior Officials Meeting	TBC	
Jun	8 th ADMM-Plus EWG on HADR Meeting	Japan	
TBC	Sub-Committee on Culture Meeting	Laos	
TBC	Sub-Committee on Information Meeting	Laos	
JULY			
19-22 Jul (Tuesday-Friday)	3 rd Meeting of the ASEAN Senior Economic Officials' for the 47th ASEAN Economic Ministers' Meeting (SEOM 3/47), and Related Meetings	TBC	
21-23 Jul (Thursday-Saturday)	31 st ASEAN Working Group on Pharmaceutical Development Meeting-AWGPD	Vientiane, Laos	
21-26 Jul (Thursday-Tuesday)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 49th ASEAN Foreign Ministers Meeting (AMM) • Post Ministerial Conference (PMC) • 17th ASEAN Plus Three Foreign Ministers Meeting (APT FMM) • 6th East Asia Summit Foreign Ministers Meeting (EAS FMM) • 23rd ASEAN Regional Forum (ARF) 	Vientiane, Laos	
22 Jul (Friday)	CLMV ASEAN Senior Economic Officials' Meeting	Vientiane, Laos	
Jul	Special Meeting of the ASEAN Intergovernmental Commission on Human Rights and Interface Meeting with ASEAN Foreign Ministers' Meeting (AMM)	Vientiane, Laos	
Jul	1 st Conservation Agriculture	Vientiane, Laos	

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Jul	17 th JWG on DOC	TBC	
AUGUST			
5 Aug (Friday)	30 th HLTF-EI-Prepare recommendations to AEM	Vientiane, Laos	
10-13 Aug (Wednesday-Saturday)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • ASEAN Senior Officials Meeting (SOM) • Joint Consultative Meeting (JCM) • ASEAN Plus Three Senior Officials Meeting (APT SOM) • East Asia Summit Senior Officials Meeting (EAS SOM) 	Vientiane, Laos	
TBC	<p>47th ASEAN Economic Ministers' Meeting and Related Meetings</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Prep SEOM / CLMV SEOM • 47th ASEAN Economic Ministers' Meeting (AEM), • 30th ASEAN Free Trade Area Council Meeting (AFTA) • 19th ASEAN Investment Agreement (AIA) Meeting • ASEAN Economic Ministers' Meeting Dialogue Partners Consultations (Canada, China, Hong Kong, Korea, Japan, India, Australia-New Zealand, Russia, , USTR), AEM+3, • 4th East Asia Summit (EAS) Economic Ministers Meeting • 4th Regional Comprehensive Economic Partnership (RCEP) Ministerial Meeting • 18th ASEAN-Mekong Basin Development Cooperation (AMBDC) Ministerial Meeting, • 8th Mekong-Japan Economic Minister Meeting, • 8th CLMV Economic Ministers Meeting, • ASEAN Economic Ministers' Meeting (AEM) with ASEAN Business Advisory Council (BAC) 	Vientiane, Laos	

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	Consultations		
TBC	4 th Annual Meeting of ASEAN TOM	TBC	
TBC	19 th ASEAN Senior Officials on Forestry	TBC	
SEPTEMBER			
6-8 Sep (Tuesday-Thursday)	28 th & 29 th ASEAN Summit & Related Summits	Vientiane, Laos	
Sep	Special Meeting of the ASEAN Intergovernmental Commission on Human Rights	Viet Nam	
Sep	ADMM-Plus Command Post Exercise & Field Training Exercise on HADR and Military Medicine (CPX & FTX on HADR &MM)	Thailand	
TBC	16 th ASEAN Socio-Cultural Community (ASCC) Council	Laos	
TBC	21 st Senior Officials Committee for Socio-Cultural Community Council (SOCA)	Laos	
TBC	ASEAN Young Leader Summit-AYLS 2016	Laos	
TBC	ASEAN Leaders' Meeting with Representative of ASEAN Youth	Laos	
TBC	Informal ASEAN Ministerial Meeting	New York, US	
TBC	18 th JWG on DOC	TBC	
OCTOBER			
18-20 Oct (Tuesday-Thursday)	Network of ASEAN Defence and Security Institutions (NADI) Workshop	Champasak, Laos	
18-20 Oct (Tuesday-Thursday)	13 th ASEAN Expert Group on Food Safety Meeting-AEGFS	Vientiane, Laos	
TBC	12 th SOM on DOC	TBC	
NOVEMBER			
1-2 Nov (Tuesday-Wednesday)	18 th ASEAN Experts Group on Competition and Related Meetings	Luang Prabang, Laos	
15-17 Nov (Tuesday-Thursday)	ASEAN Defence Ministers' Meeting Retreat (ADMM Retreat)	Champasak, Laos	
23-25 Nov (Wednesday-Friday)	22 nd Meeting of the ASEAN Intergovernmental Commission on Human Rights	Luang Prabang, Laos	
TBC	9 th ASEAN Forum on Migrant Labour	Laos	
TBC	Senior Labour Officials Meeting's Working Group/SLOM WG	Laos	
DECEMBER			

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2 Dec (Friday)	Lao PDR's National Day		Laos
Dec	ADMM-Plus EWG on HADR Meeting	Vientiane, Laos	