

## CABC Newsletter - August 2017

Dear Members, Partners,

The CABC is pleased to present you with our August newsletter.

We invite you to browse the below for the latest updates on the Council, our Members, and in Canada-ASEAN trade.

Sincerely,  
- The CABC Team

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## What's New in the Region?

CABC is excited to launch a new partnership with the Asia Pacific Foundation of Canada, to deliver our Members timely and relevant news on ASEAN and Canada-ASEAN trade.

### News Briefs:

[Canada Announces New Scholarship Program for ASEAN](#)

### Headlines from the region:

REGIONAL: [ASEAN Countries Urged to Boost Spending on Social Protection](#)

VIETAM: [Da Nang Lists 68 Public-Private-Partnership Projects for Investment](#)

REGIONAL: [Can ASEAN Bloc Sustain its Bargaining Power in Years to Come?](#)

INDONESIA: [Country Issues E-Commerce Road Map](#)

REGIONAL: [ASEAN Foreign Ministers Attend Regional Forum in Manila](#)

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## Blog Post - Canadian SEOM Consultation



Dr. Shawn Watson, SME Chair of CABC (and CEO of Senescence Life Sciences), participated in the Canada-ASEAN Senior Economic Officials Meetings (SEOM) in Cebu over July 4-5. Click below to read his blog post!

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## Recent Events



### [Launch Event – Interim Report on the Study of Legal Barriers to Doing Business in ASEAN](#)

Great insights were had at the CABC and Singapore Management University launch event for the "SMU Interim Report on the Study of Legal Barriers to Doing Business in ASEAN", held on August 3rd in Singapore.

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## New Media Resource



### **7 Key Facts About ASEAN**

- Average Monthly Incomes;
- Population;
- GDP per capita;
- GDP Growth;
- Tax;
- Top 5 Import goods;
- Top 5 Export goods.

## CABC Partner Event



### **Cryptocurrency Seminar**

CABC Member Consilium Law takes great pleasure in inviting you to attend its free Evening Seminar on digital currencies, blockchain technology, and the law in Singapore.

**Where:** Boardroom of the American Club (Singapore)

**When:** Monday, August

By: Sherman Chien, Associate  
Director CABC

28<sup>th</sup> 2017, from 6pm to 8pm  
Click "read more" to register

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## **4th CABC Forum - Save the Date!**



The CABC is excited to announce that the 4th Canada-ASEAN Business Forum, entitled the "Canada-ASEAN Leadership Forum" is to be held on **March 21-22 2018**, in Singapore. The CABC Forum is our flagship event, allowing senior decision-makers in Canada's public and private sectors to make key connections with their ASEAN counterparts. Stay tuned for more information regarding this event! (registration to begin in late September 2017).

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