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In a grand opening plenary, Mekong Institute (MI) and its partners convened about 300 stakeholders from over 25 countries for the 10th Mekong Forum. For more than a decade, this flagship annual event has served as a platform for dialogue and collaboration on sustainable development in the Greater Mekong Subregion (GMS). This year's forum adopted the theme "Breaking Through New Horizons: Digitalization, Innovation, and Technology (DIT) in the GMS" to chart an innovative future and drive regional prosperity through digital transformation.

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MEKONG INSTITUTE HOSTS DIALOGUE WITH MEKONG RIVER COMMISSION TO ENHANCE REGIONAL COOPERATION

July 5, 2024 – Mekong Institute (MI) welcomed Dr. Anoulak Kittihoun, CEO of the Mekong River Commission (MRC) Secretariat, and his team to its headquarters in Khon Kaen, Thailand. This visit marks a significant milestone in strengthening ties between MI and MRC, two key intergovernmental bodies dedicated to advancing sustainable development across the Mekong region.

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MEKONG INSTITUTE HOSTS MEETING WITH DELEGATES FROM THE CHINA SOUTHERN POWER GRID CO. LTD.

The Mekong Institute (MI) was honored to welcome representatives from the Thailand Representative Office of China Southern Power Grid Co., Ltd. (CSG) and Lancang-Mekong Energy Consulting (Guangdong) Co., Ltd. (MECC). MI and CSG have a longstanding partnership, which was further solidified by signing a Cooperation Framework Agreement on April 7, 2022.

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AUSTRALIAN AMBASSADOR'S VISIT TO MI HIGHLIGHTS MEKONG-AUSTRALIA PARTNERSHIP

July 3, 2024 – Mekong Institute (MI) welcomed the Australian Ambassador to Thailand, H.E. Dr. Angela Macdonald, for a fruitful dialogue in its headquarters in Khon Kaen, Thailand. The visit reviewed the progress of ongoing projects funded by the Australian Department of Foreign Affairs and Trade (DFAT) and explored more avenues for collaboration under the Mekong-Australia Partnership (MAP).

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UPCOMING ACTIVITIES IN AUGUST 2024

- **August 2, 2024:** MI Council Meeting 1/2024
- **August 6, 2024:** ASEAN at 57: From Vision to Reality

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Photos from recent activities

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