

ASEAN's Logistics amid Turbulent Times

Remarks from the organizer

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H.E. Mr. Saksayam CHIDCHOB received a bachelor degree in Political Science from Thammasat University in 1984, then continued to study in Master's program in Public Administration at The National Institute of Development Administration and graduated in 1988. Before he began his politician career, he was once serving as deputy district chief under the Ministry of Interior's Department of Provincial Administration. Later, he joined "Chart Thai" Party in 2000 and became the Member of the House of Representatives, Buriram Province from 2001 – 2005. Before joining with "Phumchai Thai" party in 2012 as Party Secretary, he was appointed as Minister of Interior's working group president in 2009. In the government of Prayut CHAN-O-CHA Prime minister, H.E. Mr. Saksayam was appointed as Minister of Transport in 2019. His work focuses on many aspects of improving connectivity and infrastructure in land, rail, maritime and air, both within Thailand such as MR-Map Master plan with the well known "Land bridge" project which has been introduced in 2020 and within ASEAN such as Master plan on ASEAN Connectivity 2025 which comprises of 3-dimension Physical connectivity, Institutional connectivity and People-to-People connectivity.