Helping ASEAN turn policy into practice

ASEAN-USAID PROSPECT

to promote gender equality & women, peace and security

GENDER EQUALITY IN SOUTHEAST ASIA

<20%
average proportion of
women in parliament
across ASEAN member
states

56%
women across ASEAN
member states
participate in the labor
force

6%-11%
women in ASEAN countries
reported experiencing
violence by partner in last
12 months

ASEAN POLICIES

ASEAN Declaration on the Gender-Responsive Implementation of the ASEAN Community Vision 2025 and Sustainable Development Goals (2017)


ADVANCING ASEAN POLICIES 2019 - 2023

Supported the development of a landmark ASEAN Regional Study on Women, Peace and Security, in collaboration with UN Women, launched in 2021

Facilitated the development of an ASEAN Gender Mainstreaming Strategic Framework to chart a path toward accelerating gender equality progress among ASEAN sectoral bodies and member states, launched in 2022

Helping advance ASEAN Regional Plan of Action on Women, Peace and Security, in collaboration with UN Women

BUILDING A COALITION OF STAKEHOLDERS 2018 - 2023

Bolster regional collaboration and consultation among ASEAN bodies, policymakers, experts, and other regional stakeholders to mainstream gender across ASEAN political-security, economic, and socio-cultural pillars

POLICY TO PRACTICE 2020 - 2023

Engaging a coalition of stakeholders to enhance collective capability to strengthen gender-responsive policies, programs and practices and promote women’s full and equitable participation in all aspects of public life

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