

## FACULTY ANNOUNCEMENT

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### Visit of Vietnamese Senior Officials from Various Government Ministries



At the request of the Asian Institute of Technology Center in Vietnam (AITCV), the Faculty's Asia-Pacific Centre for Environmental Law (APCEL), hosted a one-day seminar on the implementation, compliance and enforcement of environmental laws in Singapore and the role of ASEAN in this area.

The purpose of the study visit is to assist Vietnam in the establishment of an environmental police force and also to exchange experiences in the area of environmental management between Vietnam and Singapore. The director of APCEL, Prof KL Koh, and its deputy director, Assoc Prof Lye Lin Heng, were resource persons for the seminar.

The following were the senior officials who attended the seminar:

1. Mr. Nguyen Hoa Binh, Group Leader, Director, Administrative and Planning Department, Vietnam Environmental Protection Agency (VEPA)
2. Mr. Vu Duyen Hai, Director, Ministry of Public Security
3. Mr. Nguyen Hai Tue, Officer, Ministry of Public Security, Police General Department
4. Mr. Nguyen Van Vien, Officer, Ministry of Home Affairs
5. Mr. Do Van Hoa, Senior Officer, Department of Organization and Human Resource, Ministry of Natural Resources and Environment (MONRE)
6. Mr. Dang Xuan Phuong, Senior Officer, Ministry of Home Affairs
7. Ms Pham Thi Khanh Van, Program Officer, AITCV
8. Ms Ba Luong Thuy Tien, Program Officer, AITCV