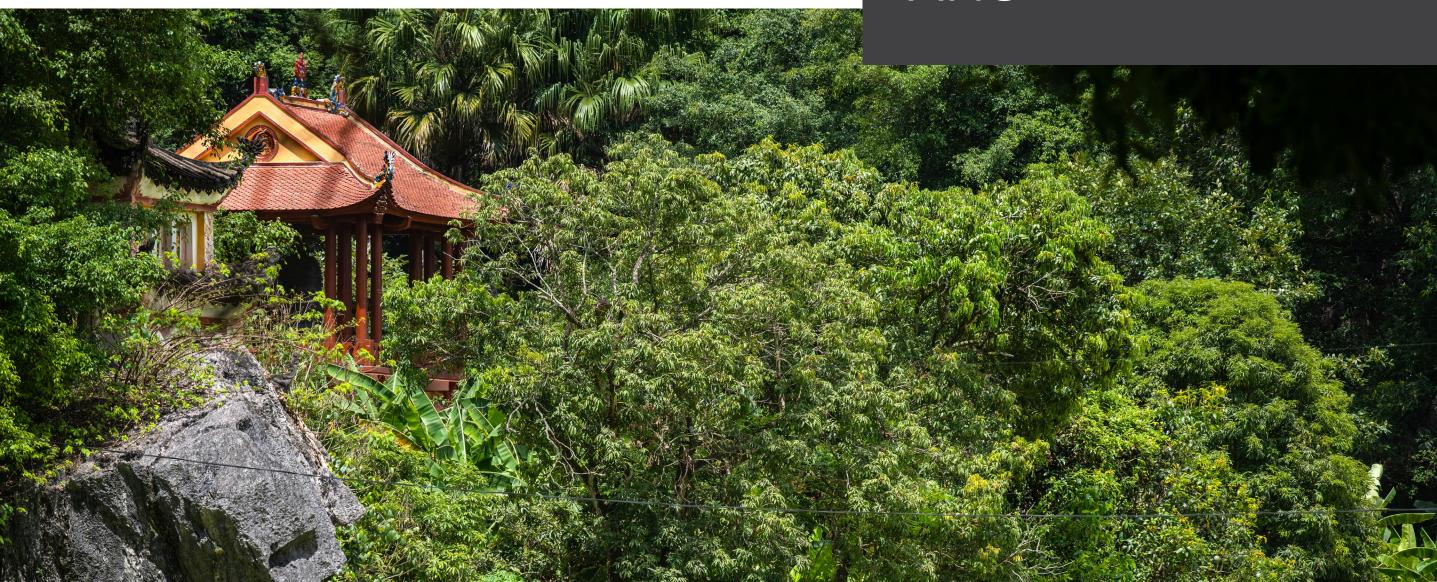
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9:15am - 9:30am



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Session 1: Political Update -General Secretary Tô Lâm Streamlines Vietnam's Political System: Restructuring the Party and State, Provincial and Communal Governments

9:30am - 10:30am



Professor
Janine O'Flynn
Chair



Emeritus Professor Carl Thayer Presenter



Session 2: Economy & Trade -Shifting Focus and Navigating Change: Vietnam's Economy Amid Reform and Trade Uncertainty

11:00am - 12:00pm



Professor Paul Burke Chair



Professor Long Chu Presenter



Dr Mai NguyenPresenter



Session 3: Environment and Agriculture - Pressing Issues and Policy Responses in Vietnam's Agriculture and Environment

12:00pm - 1:00pm



Emeritus Professor Quentin GraftonChair



Dr Thang DoPresenter



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