

## *ICAEW Economic Insight 2018: South-East Asia Q4 Report Launch Event*

In the month of December, ICAEW organised launch events in Kuala Lumpur, Malaysia and Jakarta, Indonesia. The event kicked off by the quarterly report presentation by Sian Fenner, Lead Asia Economist at Oxford Economics. The presentation was followed by a panel discussion focusing on topic such as the ongoing US-China trade tension and how it is upsetting the South-East Asia GDP growth.

### **Malaysia 4 December 2019**

Sian Fenner presented highlights from the ICAEW Economic Insight: South-East Asia Q4 2018 report at the launch in Kuala Lumpur.

Sian also discussed her thoughts on the role of Malaysian businesses in driving economic reform, competitiveness and development in 2019 with Y.B. Dr. Ong Kian Ming, Deputy Minister, Ministry of International Trade and Industry, Malaysia during a lively panel discussion moderated by Patrick Tay, Deals Partner, Economic and Policy, PwC Malaysia.



Sian Fenner presented highlights from Q4 2018 report



The panellists : Sian Fenner (far left), Y.B. Dr. Ong Kian Ming, and Patrick Tay

## Indonesia

### 5 December

The event began with Deny Poerhadiyanto, Head of Indonesia for ICAEW, delivering the opening address after which Sian Fenner continued with the report briefing and touched on the development of the US foreign trade policy and how it impacts economies in this region.

We were delighted to have Endy M. Bayuni, Senior Editor of The Jakarta Post, who gave more insights on the current Indonesia economy and the outlook for businesses in the coming year.

A panel discussion ensued moderated by Roger Finnie, FCA where the panelists took questions from the audience and the members of the media.



Q4 2018 Report Briefing followed by Panel Discussion