

ASEAN

- The 10 countries
- “create a single market and production base which is stable, prosperous, highly competitive and economically integrated with effective facilitation for trade and investment in which there is free flow of goods, services and investment; facilitated movement of business persons, professionals, talents and labour; and free flow of capital”
- “creation of the free flow of skilled labour through ‘harmonisation and standardisation’(ASEAN 2007:18), particularly in preparation for the AEC”

Present status

- At present, each countries are introducing NQF. Already 8 countries have NQF in placed with remaining of Laos and Myanmar
- Regional framework named “ASEAN Qualifications Reference Framework” (AQRF) has been developed since 2010 and adopted by three ASEAN Minister Meeting 2015; (Education, Labor and Economic)
- The AQRF Committee has been established in 2017 and just finished the 4th meeting and workshop in middle of May; last month
- There are 3 countries; Malaysia, Philippines and Thailand intended to reference to AQRF by 2019 and submitted the partial reports.

The Needs on cooperation

- Regional/international cooperation as Loan and grant projects to enhance the Higher education and TVET
- National investment to reform the system and building the capacity at institutional level
- Consultant as experts for each levels
- Platform to sharing the documents and materials
- Community of practices or the Network; in QA, there are ENQA, INQAAHE
- Initiative Capacity Building Program for Young officers who working related to LO or Training of Trainer on LO