

ASIAN CREDIT UNION FORUM 2026

Unspoken Realities, Bold Bridges:

Credit Union Transformation and Resilience Era 2026+

*Pre-Forum Workshop:
September 7-9, 2026*

*Open Forum:
September 10 - 12, 2026*

Venue: Berjaya Times Square



Organizer:



ASSOCIATION OF
ASIAN CONFEDERATION OF
CREDIT UNIONS

Hosts:



WORKSHOPS



CEOs / GMs Workshop



ACUES Workshop



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With great anticipation and renewed commitment, we warmly welcome you to the Asian Credit Union Forum on the theme *“Unspoken Realities, Bold Bridges: Credit Union Transformation and Resilience Era 2026+,”* proudly hosted by **ANGKASA – Angkatan Koperasi Kebangsaan Malaysia Berhad.**

As we step into a new era shaped by rapid technological change, evolving member expectations, regulatory shifts, and global uncertainties, this program invites us to confront the realities we often leave unspoken—governance gaps, digital disruption, leadership succession, youth engagement, and sustainability challenges.



Strategic, Resilient, and Collaborative...

Together, we will build bold bridges between tradition and innovation, between seasoned leadership and emerging voices, and between stability and transformation. Through powerful plenary sessions, thought-provoking panel dialogues, and interactive workshops, participants will explore practical pathways toward digital transformation, resilient governance, inclusive growth, and member-centered innovation.

This gathering brings together leaders, regulators, young professionals, and cooperative champions from across the region to share insights, strengthen partnerships, and co-create solutions for a stronger, more adaptive credit union movement.

In the Transformation and Resilience Era 2026+, standing still is not an option. We move forward—stronger, wiser, and more united.

Join us as we shape the next chapter of the Asian credit union movement—bridging realities, inspiring action, and building a resilient future together.

FORUM AT A GLANCE

Pre-Forum Workshop September 7-9, 2026

CEOs Workshop – exclusively for CEOs/General Managers of ACCU Member organizations (National Federations)

Asian CU Executive Society (ACUES) – open CEOs/GMs and senior executives of a primary credit union.

Women & Youth – Women leaders and staff in charge of Gender promotion in federations/credit unions and young professionals and leaders aged 35 below

September 9, 2026

Arrival of Forum Participants

September 10, 2026

08:00 – 12:00	Credit union visit
12:00 – 13:30	Lunch
14:00 – 17:00	Cultural Immersion
18:00	Dinner



September 11, 2026

8:00 – 10:00	Inaugural Sessions
10:00	Morning Break
10:30 – 11:15	Plenary 1: Co-opportunities: Where Credit Unions Are Headed?
11:15 – 12:00	Plenary 2: Spotighting the Overlooked: Cooperators Confirming the Unspoken Realities That Matter
12:00	Lunch Break
13:00 – 14:00	Plenary 3: How do we see the Transformation and Resilience Era 2026+
14:00 – 15:00	Plenary 4: From Automation to Empowerment: Ways Generative AI Strengthens Credit Unions in the Resilience Era
15:00	Afternoon Break
15:30 – 17:00	Breakout Session: 1. Organizational Renewal & Governance: From Drift to Drive - Reignite values, reclaim cooperative identity, and empower leaders with purpose 2. Member Engagement & Social Impact: Member Reconnection - Making every member feel seen, heard, and valued again 3. Innovation, Integration & Advocacy: Digital Horizon - Charting the future with platforms, fintech, and member-owned innovation
18:00	Dinner and Malaysian Night

September 12, 2026

8:00 – 9:00	Plenary 5: Youth-Powered, Values-Driven: The New Credit Union Story
9:00 – 10:00	Plenary 6: Benchmarking Brilliance: Lessons from Korea's Credit Union Movement

10:00	Morning Break
10:30 – 12:00	Breakout Session: 1. Organizational Renewal & Governance: Governance with Grit - Elevate oversight, embed ethics, and lead with accountability 2. Member Engagement & Social Impact: Stories That Stick - Why purpose-driven branding is the ultimate magnet for Next-Gen 3. Innovation, Integration & Advocacy: One Movement Unifying networks into a stronger, scalable cooperative force. Emphasizes collective strength, integration, and solidarity
12:00	Lunch Break
13:00 – 14:30	Breakout Session: 1. Organizational Renewal & Governance: Back to Mission, Forward with Impact - Clarify purpose, rebuild financial strength, and center every choice on members 2. Member Engagement & Social Impact: Climate-Proofing the Future: Resilience is the new ROI 3. Innovation, Integration & Advocacy: Policy Edge Influencing regulation to create enabling environments for growth

14:30	Afternoon Break
15:00 – 16:00	Plenary 7: From Balance Sheets to Belief Systems: Reviving Cooperative DNA
16:00 – 16:30	Plenary 8: Commitment and closing
19:00	International Night

September 13, 2026

ACCU AGM (Only by Invitation) and Departure of Forum Participants

BRIDGE Your Future:

Reasons to Attend the

Asian Credit Union Forum 2026



Unspoken Realities & Strategic Insights:

Explore the pressing challenges and hidden realities shaping the future of credit unions while engaging with visionary leaders who are driving transformation across the region. Gain practical strategies to strengthen resilience, governance, and sustainable growth in an evolving financial landscape.

Transformation & Capacity Building:

Deepen your expertise through immersive learning experiences designed to equip you with forward-looking skills. Develop adaptive leadership, embrace digital innovation, and strengthen operational resilience to navigate the Transformation Era 2026+ with confidence.

Bold Bridges & Regional Collaboration:

Connect across generations, institutions, and borders to build meaningful partnerships. Through interactive workshops and dynamic exchanges, foster collaboration, share diverse perspectives, and co-create innovative solutions that advance a stronger, more united credit union movement.

REGISTRATION FEE

Conference <i>(include arrival and departure date)</i>	Early Bird (Payment Received Before May 15, 2026)		Regular (Payment Received After May 15, 2026)	
	Single (USD)	Twin (USD)	Single (USD)	Twin (USD)
CEO/ GM /Asian Credit Union Forum and AGM <i>September 6-14, 2026</i>	1,650	1,250	1,750	1,350
Pre-Forum Workshop & Asian Credit Union Forum <i>September 6-13, 2026</i>	1,450	1,150	1,550	1,250
Asian Credit Union Forum <i>September 9-13, 2026</i>	950	750	1,050	850
Asian Credit Union Forum & AGM <i>September 9-14, 2026</i>	1,075	850	1,175	950
Non-Member Fee	100	100	100	100

METHOD OF PAYMENT:

- Bank Transfer (please request ACCU the bank account details & send receipt of bank transfer by e-mail copy to accumail@aaccu.coop)
- Credit card using ACCU Donation Payment Gateway: <https://aaccu.coop/donate.html>
- For group registration, payment can be made through ACCU member organization. Official receipt of payment should accompany the registration form.

CANCELLATION & TRANSFERS:

- If you cannot attend, a substitute delegate is welcome to participate in your place (same gender) at no additional charge provided you inform us on or before July 15, 2026.
- A full refund, less a 20% administrative charge, will be given if cancellation is received in writing on or before July 15, 2026.
- A 50% refund will be given if cancellation is received in writing at least 7 working days (August 29) prior to the forum. Cancellations received less than seven days before the forum cannot be refunded.

The registration fee covers the following: accommodation in single or twin-sharing room, Meals from dinner on the day of arrival to breakfast on the day of departure, Conference materials, and credit union visits.

Organizer:



The Association of Asian Confederation of Credit Unions is the regional organization for credit unions that represents more than 55.16 million members from more than 35,000 credit unions in 20 countries. Established in 1971, ACCU works in partnership with members to promote and strengthen credit unions as effective instruments for the socioeconomic development of people. ACCU provides platform for learning to leaders and professionals in credit unions.

Host:



ANKASA - Angkatan Koperasi Kebangsaan Malaysia Berhad is the national apex body representing cooperatives in Malaysia. Established in 1971, it strengthens governance, promotes sustainable growth, and supports the development of cooperatives across various sectors. ANKASA plays a key role in advancing innovation, capacity building, and international cooperation within Malaysia's cooperative movement.