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Digital Nation Summit Kuala Lumpur, ASEAN Edition

Day 2, Track 1, Afternoon Session

Synopsis

Edge to Agent: ASEAN AI Strategy Summit – Unlocking Intelligence Across Infrastructure, Platforms & Services

The **Edge to Agent: ASEAN AI Strategy Summit** will bring together leading stakeholders from APAC's telecommunications, technology, and digital innovation sectors to explore how artificial intelligence (AI) can be scaled strategically across the full value chain, from chipsets and networks to AI platforms, language models, and real-world applications. With focus on cross-sector collaboration between telcos, hyperscalers, innovative startups, digital ecosystem players, leading vertical players and policymakers, the summit will spotlight ASEAN's unique opportunity to embrace Agentic AI, LLMs, and SLMs to drive economic transformation and extend AI's benefits into the physical world across key vertical industries such as transportation, manufacturing, public services, and commerce. The summit will aim to chart a practical roadmap for realizing the full economic and societal potential of AI across the Asia-Pacific region.

Event Agenda

Time	Description
14:00 - 14:10	**Opening Remarks**
14:10 - 14:25	**Keynote: Realizing Value Across the AI Value Chain** Speaker:
14:25 - 15:05	**Panel Discussion 1:** Infrastructure Readiness – Compute, Networks & AI-Optimized Architecture Moderator: Panelists:
15:05 - 15:45	**Presentation:** AI at the Edge of the Physical World *A real-world demonstration of how agent-based AI systems are orchestrating supply chains or industrial robotics.* Speaker:
15:45 – 16:00	**Coffee Break**
16:00 - 16:40	**Panel Discussion 2:** Platform Innovation – LLMs, SLMs & AI Platform Strategy

	Moderator: Panellists:
16:40 – 17:20	**Panel Discussion 3**: Monetizing Intelligence – Business Models for AI-Powered Services Moderator: Panellists:
17:20 – 17:00	**Next Steps & Closing**