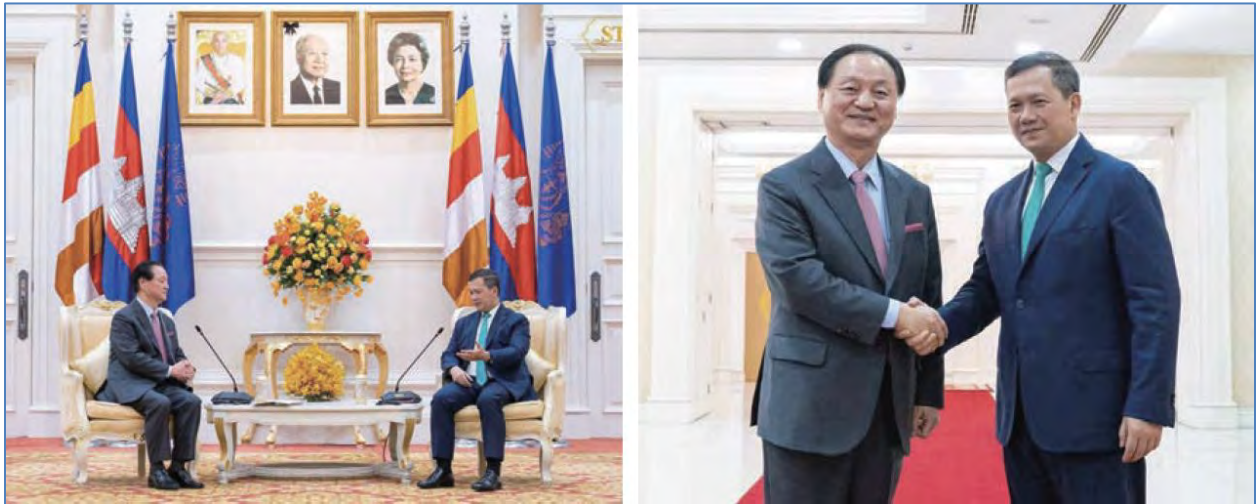


Chairman of UPF International meets top Cambodian leaders

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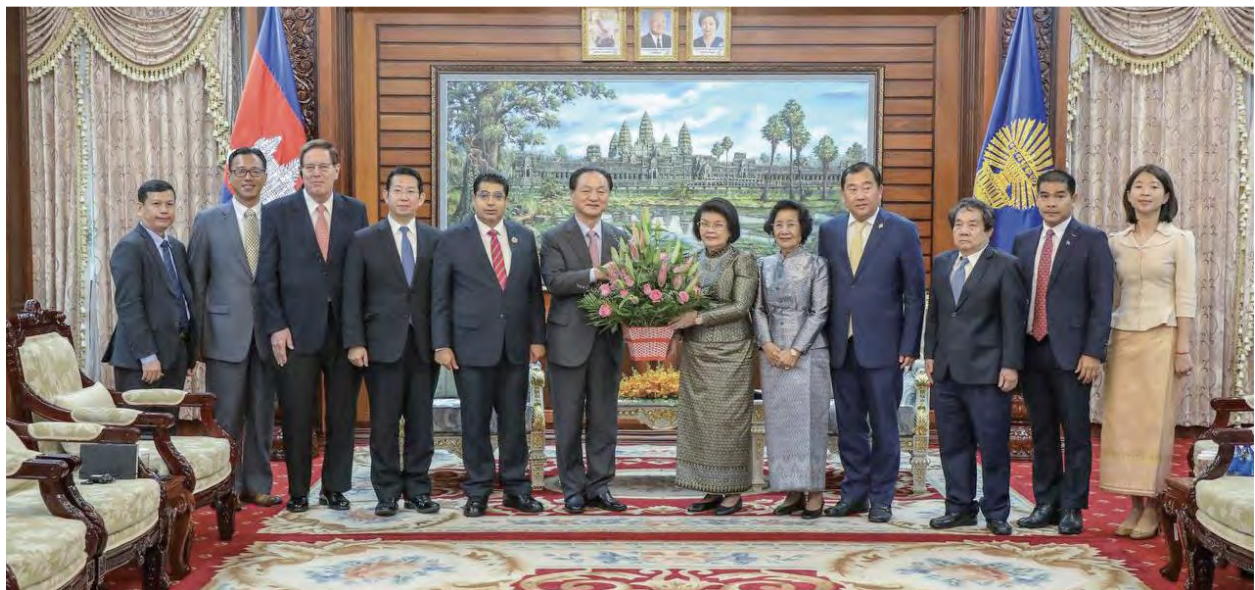
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Chairman of the Universal Peace Federation (UPF) International



Yang Chang-shik, Chairman of UPF International Meets with Cambodian Prime Minister Samdech Hun Manet

On November 20th, Dr. Yang met with Prime Minister Samdech Hun Manet at the Phnom Penh Peace Palace. He delivered a congratulatory message from Hak Ja Han Moon, the Co-founder of UPF, celebrating the Prime Minister's inauguration. Dr. Yang acknowledged and commended Prime Minister Hun Sen's efforts in advocating for peace and opposing war, noting that Cambodia's journey could serve as a model for conflict-ridden nations globally. He sought the Prime Minister's continued support for UPF's global initiatives, including peacebuilding efforts and the promotion of unity on the Korean Peninsula. Dr. Yang emphasized UPF's commitment to enhancing the wellbeing of Cambodians and stimulating the local economy. In response, Prime Minister Hun Manet expressed appreciation for the congratulatory message and assured ongoing governmental support for UPF's activities.



Yang Chang-shik, Chairman of UPF International Meets with Samdech Khuon Sudary, President of the National Assembly

On the same day, Dr. Yang discussed with President Khuon Sudary strategies for strengthening collaboration and communication between the Cambodian government and UPF.

He expressed hope for ongoing cooperation in various sectors based on the long-standing trust between Cambodia and UPF. President Khuon Sudary highlighted Cambodia's engagement in international forums to foster peace and dialogue and outlined the government's economic goals for the coming decades.

In response, President Khuon Sudary highlighted Cambodia's active participation in international forums such as AIPA, IPU, APPF, APF, and ASEP, aimed at fostering peace and dialogue. She outlined the government's ambitious goals to elevate Cambodia to a middle-income country by 2030 to a high-income country by 2050. She welcomed UPF's support in attracting investors and tourists, as well as in providing educational and training initiatives to enhance public sector capabilities. Dr. Yang reaffirmed UPF's role as a key partner and strategic ally of the Cambodian government, expressing his hope for ongoing mutual support to further strengthen their relationship.



Visit to the Win-Win Memorial

The day before, on November 19th, Chairman Yang visited the Win-Win Memorial. This memorial, completed on December 31, 2018, by Prime Minister Hun Sen, commemorates the 20th anniversary of the end of the Cambodian civil war, symbolizing a significant historical milestone.