

## Hope for Cambodia

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Song Saa Hotel \＆Resorts operates Song Saa Private Island in Cambodfa，a resort with 27 luxury villas builr with susrainable materials and with the deepest respect for the natural environment．Song Saa Hord \＆Resorts also operates The Song Saa Foundation， which，in addition to expanding the resort＇s brand， secks to protect the local environment，community， and unique culture．






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The Song Sax Foundation was set up by Rory and Meliat Hunter，owners of Song Saa Private Lsland．Inapired by their love for Cambodia and their personal sustainability goals，they promote and encourge matine and land ecological conservation in the Koh Rong Archipelago，as well es work towards improving the lives and bealth of the local residents．The foundation has carried out several breakchrough projects，including building Cambodia＇s first marine coral reserve and coordinating the largest health programme on any of Cambodia＇s islands．

## PROTECTING MARINE ECOLOGY

Afere building the councry＇s first marine esecree in 2006．The Song Saa Foundation continues its conservation work on the coral reef and fisthing grounds in the Kah Roog Archipelago．It is also actively


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## 土地保充




involved in the propocal to build Cambodia＇s fins rational matine park，as well as developing a seawed conservation project to protect one of the rarest and moest vulnerable marine ecologies on earth．

## LAND CONSERVATION

The Soog Saa Foundation initiated Cambodia＇s first iskand－based solid waste management programme in 2011，in callaboration with the bocal community．It also set up the Song Saa Sustainability Centre（Sala Song Saa）to undertake reforestation work in mangrove and rainforest areas that have been damaged． The protection of primary rainforests and mangrones is important in ensuring the environmental health and adaptabiliry of the nearby villages．

## RAISE ENVIRONMENTALAWARENESS

One of the foundation＇s missions is to raise envitonmental awateness among the local people．The Song Saa Sea Turte Programme targets the youths and children of the Koh Rong Archipelago，giving them the opportunity to undersand their relationship with the land and the sea．The forandation also promotes livelihood support programmes such as organic vegetable farming to reduce the local people＇s dependence on the natural waters around them．

The foundation＇s Boar of Hope is a tradicional Cambodian fishing boat that has been ransformed irto a mobile reaching and Jearning centre．Each year，the Boat of Hope will ferry a group of international medical volunteers to the Kab Rong Archipelago， where they provide medical treatment to local revidents for a week．The Boat of Hope has also become an information centre that studies the effeces of climate change have on the local environmeat，and promotes sustainable development on the islands．





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