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VIETNAM URBAN SUSTAINABILITY SUMMIT 2024

THE PLENARY SESSION

Time: 13:00 – 17:30, Friday 08/11/2024

Venue: Foreign Relations Hotel, 33C Pham Ngu Lao Street, Phan Chu Trinh Ward, Hoan Kiem District, Ha Noi

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13:00	DELEGATE REGISTRATION
13:20	VIP INTRODUCTION <i>Representatives from the Organizers</i>
13:30	THE PLENARY SESSION
13:30	Welcome Remarks <i>Mr. Nguyen Viet Hung – Vice Minister, Ministry of Construction</i>
13:40	Remarks by The United Nations Human Settlements Programme (UN-Habitat) <i>Mrs. Laura Petrella, Head of the Division of Planning, Finance, and Economics, UN-Habitat</i>
13:50	Remarks by Egypt Ambassador <i>Mrs. Amal Abdel Kader Almorsi Salama, Egypt Ambassador</i>
14:00	Remarks by the Swiss Ambassador <i>Mr. Thomas Gass, Swiss Ambassador</i>
14:10	TEA BREAK
14:30	CONFERENCE SESSIONS (take place in parallel)
Grand Ballroom 1	Conference session 1: Policy Dialogue: Pioneering Effective Urban Law in Viet Nam <i>Co – hosted by: Urban Development Agency – Ministry of Construction, Vietnam Urban Planning and Development Association, and UN-Habitat.</i>
Grand Ballroom 2	Conference session 2: Advancing the New Urban Agenda (NUA) and Sustainable Development Goals (SDGs) in Vietnam: Strategies and Solutions <i>Co – hosted by: Vietnam Institute for Urban and Rural Planning (VIUP) and UN-Habitat.</i>
Grand Ballroom 3	Conference session 3: Enhancing Urban Climate Resilience towards Sustainable Development in Vietnam <i>Co – hosted by: Viet Nam Federation of Civil Engineering Associations and GIZ</i>
17:30	END OF CONFERENCE SESSION

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CONFERENCE SESSION 1: “POLICY DIALOGUE: PIONEERING EFFECTIVE URBAN LAW IN VIET NAM”

Time: 14:30 – 17:30, Friday 08/11/2024 | Simultaneously with Conference Session 2, 3

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- Urban Development Agency – Ministry of Construction
- Vietnam Urban Planning and Development Association
- UN-Habitat

14:30	OPENING REMARKS
14:30	Welcome Remarks <i>Mr Do Hau, Vice Chairman & Secretary General, Vietnam Urban Planning and Development Association</i>
14:40	Remarks from the Swiss Cooperation Office in Vietnam <i>Ms. Sibylle Bachmann, Head of Swiss Cooperation Office in Vietnam</i>
14:50	KEYNOTE SPEECH
14:50	Policy orientation for sustainable urban development in Vietnam <i>Mr. Tran Quoc Thai, General Director of Urban Development Agency – Ministry of Construction</i>
15:05	Policy Brief on Urban Law <i>Mrs. Anne Amin and Samuel Njuguna, UN-Habitat</i>
15:20	Urban governance models and tools for urban management <i>Mr. Nguyen Ngoc Hieu, Senior Lecturer & Academic Coordinator of Sustainable Urban Development, Master program, Vietnamese – German University</i>
15:35	State responsibility in urban planning and management <i>Mr. Dao Ngoc Nghiem, Vietnam Urban Planning and Development Association</i>
15:50	Overview of Innovations in Rural-Urban Planning Processes <i>Mr. Ngo Trung Hai, Secretary General of Associations of Cities of Vietnam</i>
16:05	PANEL DISCUSSION
	Moderator: Mr. Pham Thai Son, Senior Urban Development Specialist, UN-Habitat Discussion content: Policies that need to be regulated to manage sustainable urban development in Vietnam Panelists: Experts
17:15	CLOSING REMARKS
17:15	Closing remarks <i>Mr Do Hau, Vice Chairman & Secretary General, Vietnam Urban Planning and Development Association</i>
17:30	END OF CONFERENCE SESSION 1

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CONFERENCE SESSION 2: “ADVANCING THE NEW URBAN AGENDA (NUA) AND SUSTAINABLE DEVELOPMENT GOALS (SDGS) IN VIETNAM: STRATEGIES AND SOLUTIONS”

Time: 14:30 – 17:30, Friday 08/11/2024 | Simultaneously with Conference Session 1 & 3

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Hosted by:

- Vietnam Institute for Urban and Rural Planning (VIUP)
- The United Nations Human Settlements Programme (UN-Habitat)

14:30	OPENING REMARKS
14:30	Welcome Remarks <i>Ms. Pham Thi Nham, Vice Director, Vietnam Institute for Urban and Rural Planning</i>
14:40	Remarks from The United Nations Human Settlements Programme (UN-Habitat) <i>Mr. Jonghyo Nam, Chief Representative of UN-Habitat in Vietnam</i>
14:45	KEYNOTE SPEECH
14:45	Challenges of Implementation of New Urban Agenda and SDG11 <i>Mr. Frank D'hondt, Technical Advisor, and Project Director of the "Institutional Strengthening and Capacity Building for Urban Development in Vietnam" Project (ISCB Project). UN-Habitat</i> <i>Mr. Pham Thai Son, Senior Expert on Urban Development ISCB Project Manager, UN-Habitat Vietnam</i>
15:00	Sustainable Development Goals in Vietnam: Implementation Practices and Recommendations. <i>Ms. Nguyen Thi Thanh Nga, The Department of Science, Education, Natural Resources, and Environment, Ministry of Planning and Investment.</i>
15:15	Establishment of a Center of Urban Excellence to SDG and NUA implementation in Vietnam <i>Mr. Pham Van Bo, Vice President, Academy of Managers for Construction and Cities</i>
15:25	Urban Planning for Sustainable Development: Strategies for Vietnamese Cities <i>Mr. Pham Hoang Hai, Director of Planning and Infrastructure, enCity. International Consulting Company</i>
15:40	Orientation toward sustainable urban development in the Master Plan of Hanoi toward 2045, with a vision to 2065 <i>Mr. Le Hoang Phuong, Director of Hanoi Architecture and Planning Centre, VIUP</i>
15:55	Integrating Sustainable Development Goals (SDGs) into Local Planning: A Case Study of Participatory Planning in Tam Thanh Commune, Tam Ky City <i>Mr. Dang The Hien, Institute of Smart Urban and Management, School of Technology and Design, University of Economics Ho Chi Minh City (UEH-CTD/ISCM).</i>
16:10	PANEL DISCUSSION
	Moderator: Mr. Hoang Vinh Hung, Director, Vietnam Institute for Urban and Rural Planning Discussion content: Core missions and solutions for implementing the new urban program and sustainable development objectives in Vietnam. Tentative experts: - Ms. Pham Hue Linh, VIUP - Mr. Pham Van Bo, AMC - Mr. Nguyen Tri Thanh, Asia Foundation - UN Expert

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17:15	CLOSING REMARKS
17:15	Closing remarks Mr. Hoang Vinh Hung, Director, Vietnam Institute for Urban and Rural Planning
17:30	END OF CONFERENCE SESSION 2

CONFERENCE SESSION 3: “ENHANCING URBAN CLIMATE RESILIENCE TOWARDS SUSTAINABLE DEVELOPMENT IN VIETNAM”

Time: 14:30 – 17:30, Friday 08/11/2024 | Simultaneously with Conference Session 1 & 2

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14:30	WELCOME REMARKS
14.30	Welcome Remarks <i>Dr. Dang Viet Dung, Chairman of Viet Nam Federation of Civil Engineering Associations</i>
14.45	Remarks by GIZ leadership <i>Mr. Patric Schlager, , Team Leader of the project: Mekong Delta Climate Resilience Programme (MCRP), German International Cooperation (GIZ)</i>
	KEYNOTE SPEECH
15:00	Application of sponge city model in urban development—pilot activities in Mekong Delta cities <i>Dr. Jonathan Parkinson, ECOPSIS, Team Leader - Sponge City Concept Development, Mekong Delta Climate Resilience Programme (MCRP), GIZ</i>
15:15	Ho Chi Minh City’s Flood Exposure and Decision-Support Platform (FEDS) <i>Ms. Ta Thanh Lan, Technical Infrastructure Development Center of Thu Duc City - HCMC</i>
15.30	Development of green infrastructure to respond to climate change <i>Dr. Le Thi Bich Thuan, Viet Nam Federation of Civil Engineering Associations</i>
15:45	Climate resilient urban development in Can Tho City <i>Mr. Doan Thanh Tam, Deputy Director, ODA Project Management Unit, Can Tho City</i>
16:00	Alternative and complementary funding options for climate resilience and sustainable urban drainage in Vietnamese cities <i>Mr. Pablo Nunez, Global Infrastructure Basel Foundation (GIB), Expert of MCRP-GIZ</i>
16:15	Climate resilient urban development in AFD’s projects in Vietnam: Tools and recommendations <i>Mr. Hervé Conan, Director, French Agency for Development (AFD) Vietnam</i> <i>Mr. Vu Canh Toan, Technical Leader, Institute for Environmental and Social Transformation.</i>
16:30	DISCUSSION
	Moderator: - Dr. Dang Viet Dung, Chairman of Viet Nam Federation of Civil Engineering Associations - Mr. Nguyen Hong Tien – Former Director of the Department of Technical Infrastructure, Ministry of Construction, Senior Staff of the Mekong Delta Climate Resilience Programme (MCRP), German International Cooperation (GIZ) Vietnam. Discussion content:

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	Core Missions and Solutions in Urban Development for Climate Change Adaptation towards sustainable development. Panelists: Experts
17:15	CLOSING REMARKS
17:15	Closing remarks <i>Mr. Nguyen Hong Tien – Former Director of the Department of Technical Infrastructure, Ministry of Construction, Senior Staff of the Mekong Delta Climate Resilience Programme (MCRP), German International Cooperation (GIZ) Vietnam.</i>
17:30	END OF THE CONFERENCE SESSION 3