

ENGLISH LANGUAGE TRAINING VIRTUAL MISSION TO VIETNAM UK-Vietnam cooperation on enhancing ELT capacity in Vietnam 24th September 2020

Background:

The education system in Vietnam is undergoing major reform in the following areas:

- K12 curriculum,
- Foreign language teaching (with a preference for English)
- Teaching methods
- Teacher training

The National Foreign Language Project (NFLP) which is coordinating English Language Training sector under the Ministry of Education and Training in Vietnam has a vision towards "making foreign languages a comparative advantage of development for Vietnamese people", with English language a central part of this.

This project also aligns with the UK - Vietnam Education Memorandum of Understanding signed in October 2019, where the UK and Vietnamese governments are working together at a strategic level to support these ambitions.

As part of this cooperation, DIT, together with NFLP is organising a **Free Virtual ELT Mission** with Vietnam, focusing on two main activities:

- Introducing and building knowledge of the ELT market, opportunities and trends in teaching and learning English in Vietnam.
- Education business to business matching.

The main areas of focus are:

- English Teacher Training,
- English for Specific Purposes
- School partnerships and joint courses,
- Co-development of learning resources,
- Online and blended training solutions.

This mission is focussed on in-country opportunities and not student recruitment.

Benefits:

Participants will have the opportunity to:

- Develop an in-depth knowledge of local requirements and models of collaboration
- Explore areas for partnership, exchange ideas on education policy and practices to improve the quality of ELT in Vietnam
- Engage with English Major and non-language universities, colleges, public and private schools, foreign language centers and institutions operating in the field of English language teaching in Vietnam.

Format and Times:

08.00 - 13.00 UK Time.

Using the MS Teams platform (the details to follow).

Register your interest now

The programme is **free to attend** for delegates that are UK-based ELT/ EdTech digital content providers on a first-come first-serve basis.

If you are interested in being a part of this exciting event, please request an application form and delegate profile to be completed by 28 August 2020.

UK delegate profiles will be circulated to the Vietnamese institutions in advance of the programme.

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