

DETAILED PROGRAMME

1. Ministerial Roundtable on AI legal framework

1.1. Event Information

The Ministerial Roundtable on Artificial Intelligence Legal framework is a high-level event that convenes representatives from government agencies, international organizations, and leading enterprises to exchange perspectives, strengthen collaboration, and foster partnerships between Vietnamese businesses and global counterparts. The Roundtable focuses on the AI legal framework, emphasizing strategies, policies, and regulatory frameworks that ensure the safe, transparent, and responsible development and governance of AI.

The event aims to establish a high-level platform for stakeholders to share experiences, initiatives, and policy approaches on responsible AI governance. Through these exchanges, the Roundtable highlights Vietnam's proactive role, innovative spirit, and strong commitment to international cooperation in science, technology, innovation, and digital transformation.

Expected outcomes include consolidating policy insights and best practices among governments, international organizations, and businesses for human-centered and safe AI development. The Roundtable also seeks to shape practical cooperation frameworks and policy directions that will support Vietnam in refining its national AI strategy and governance mechanisms in line with global trends, while introducing and advancing Vietnam's AI initiatives at the regional level to contribute to shaping future cooperation on AI governance.

The event is expected to welcome approximately 300 participants from both domestic and international communities. The domestic delegation will include senior leaders and representatives from relevant ministries, central and local agencies, and major technology enterprises. The international participants will comprise senior officials and representatives from ASEAN and partner countries responsible for technology, innovation, and digital transformation; regional leaders of international organizations; as well as representatives from embassies, foreign technology companies, and associations.

1.2. Agenda

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Ministerial Roundtable on A.I legal framework

- Time: 09:30 - 11:30, 27/10/2025

- Venue: Van Long Room, Reed Hotel, Ninh Binh Province

Time	Content
09:00 – 09:30	Register
09:30 – 09:50	Opening Remarks • <i>Representative of Ninh Binh Provincial Leaders</i> • <i>HE. Mr. Nguyen Manh Hung, Minister of Science and Technology</i>
09:50 – 09:55	Video • <i>HE. Mr. Amandeep Singh Gill, Under-Secretary-General, UN Secretary-General's Special Envoy on Technology</i>
09:55 – 10:05	Launching Ceremony of the Report on the Assessment of Readiness in Implementing UNESCO Recommendations on AI Ethics • <i>Mr. Johnathan Baker, Head of Office and UNESCO Representative in Viet Nam</i>
10:05 – 11:10	Roundtable Discussion Session 1: Public Sector. Participants: Ministers, senior officials of ASEAN countries and partner countries. • <i>Moderator: Mr. Bui The Duy, Deputy Minister of Science and Technology</i> Session 2: International Organizations + Enterprises. Participants: Leaders of international organizations in Vietnam/region; Leaders of Enterprises. • <i>Coordinator: Mr. Bui The Duy, Deputy Minister of Science and Technology and Ms. Pauline Tamesis, UN Resident Coordinator in Viet Nam.</i>
11:10 – 11:20	FAQ & Conclusion • <i>Mr. Bui The Duy, Deputy Minister of Science and Technology</i>
11:20 – 11:25	Closing Remarks & Announcement of Vietnam's Initiative • <i>HE. Mr. Nguyen Manh Hung, Minister of Science and Technology</i>
11:25 – 11:30	Group Photo

2. The 6th ASEAN 5G Conference

2.1. Event information

The 6th ASEAN 5G Conference is an important initiative initiated and hosted annually by Vietnam from 2019 to now, within the framework of ASEAN digital cooperation. The event demonstrates Vietnam's determination to promote digital transformation, develop 5G infrastructure and apply artificial intelligence for sustainable development in the region.

The conference was attended by representatives of state management agencies in the field of telecommunications from ASEAN member states, as well as dialogue countries such as China, Japan, the United States and many experts and international organizations specializing in telecommunications and radio frequency. In addition, leading technology enterprises of Vietnam and the world operating in the fields of telecommunications, frequency and AI will also participate, creating a multi-dimensional forum connecting managers, researchers and businesses.

The goal of the conference is to create an annual sharing space between professional agencies in the region on 5G network development policies and strategies, 5G and AI application implementation practices, and discuss the development of the 5G ecosystem and build a 5G development roadmap for ASEAN. Thereby, management agencies and businesses have the opportunity to learn, share experiences and seek specific cooperation directions in deploying next-generation connectivity infrastructure.

The conference program consists of three working sessions, designed flexibly between expert keynotes and technical roundtable discussions. The first session focused on the global and regional vision of 5G combined with AI, with the participation of the APT Secretary General, Qualcomm experts, representatives of the Radio Frequency Authority and 10 telecommunications regulatory agencies of ASEAN countries and Timor Leste. The second session introduced practical applications of 5G and AI in fields such as public safety, telemedicine, agriculture, transportation – logistics, industry 4.0 and smart cities, with the participation of experts from Japan, the United States and many international businesses. The last session aims to build a sustainable 5G ecosystem through dialogue between management agencies, local authorities and large technology carriers such as Viettel, VNPT, Huawei, in order to orient long-term cooperation and development for the region.

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The 6th ASEAN 5G Conference

- Time: 13:30 - 17:00 Monday 27/10/2025

- Venue: The Reed Hotel

Time	Content
13:00	Registration
13:30 – 13:35	Opening Remark <i>H.E. Bui The Duy, Deputy Minister of Ministry of Science and Technology</i>
Session 1: Global and Regional Vision for 5G, AI, and Beyond	
13:35 - 13:45	Regional Cooperation on 5G and Beyond: Standards and Policy Alignment in the Asia - Pacific <i>Dr. Masanori Kondo, Secretary General of the Asia – Pacific Telecommunity (APT)</i>
13:45 - 14:00	Global Vision for AI, 5G and Beyond <i>Ms. Nies Puwati, Senior Director Government Affairs for South East Asia, Qualcomm International</i>
14:00 – 14:10	Spectrum planning and efficient use of frequencies for 5G and Beyond) <i>Authority of Radio Frequency, MST Viet Nam</i>
14:10-14:30	Roundtable: Discussion on 5G Development in ASEAN Each ASEAN Member State (AMS) will have 5 minutes, in alphabetical order, to share their experiences and best practices in 5G development. Use of presentation slides is encouraged to support the discussion Moderator: Viet Nam Telecommunications Authority (VNTA), MST Viet Nam.
14:30-14:45	Coffee Break
Session 2: 5G + AI Synergy Key Use Cases	
14:45-15:00	<i>Mr.Kiriyama Nobuo, Director-General for International Affairs , Global Strategy Bureau, MIC Japan</i>
15:00-15:15	<i>US Mission to ASEAN</i>
15:15-15:25	5G Use Cases and Monetization <i>Mr Deepak Singh, Head of CSP Solutions - MN M APAC CoE, Nokia</i>

15:25-15:35	Winning Together in the Mobile AI Era <i>Mr Huawei</i>
15:35- 15:40	Network Exposure Introduction <i>Mr. Pham Le Chung, Head of Digital Service, Ericsson</i>
15:40 – 15:50	Edge AI and 5G for Smart City Application <i>Mr Hoàng Hưng Hải, Staff Manager, Product Marketing, Qualcomm</i>
Session 3: Building a Sustainable 5G Ecosystem	
16:00-16:45	Roundtable: <i>Aligning supply, demand, and policy to grow ASEAN's 5G ecosystem.</i> Use of presentation slides is encouraged to support the discussion <i>Moderator: VNTA, MST Viet Nam</i> <i>Operator: Viettel, VNPT, Huawei</i> User Ministries & Local Governments
16.45 -17.00	Closing Remarks & Next Steps <i>Chair summary</i>

3. Vietnam - European Union Digital Cooperation Forum

3.1. Event Information

The EU-Vietnam Digital Cooperation Forum is a collaborative initiative between the Ministry of Science and Technology (MOST) and the Delegation of the European Union to Vietnam (EUD), supported by the EU-Vietnam Cooperation Fund (EUVCF) and the Digital 4 Development Hub, to promote policy exchanges and connect investment cooperation in strategic technology fields such as artificial intelligence generative (AI), quantum computing, semiconductors, cloud computing, and 5G/6G networks.

The event was held within the framework of Vietnam-EU Digital Week 2025, aiming to support Vietnam's green-digital dual transformation, and at the same time concretize the EU's commitment to implementing the Global Gateway Strategy and the European Tech Business Offer initiative .

The forum focused on clarifying the compatibility between legal frameworks – including Vietnam's Digital Technology Industry Law and AI Law, as well as the EU's AI Act – to create a favorable legal foundation for responsible innovation and technology development. In addition, the event is also a bridge between management agencies, businesses and international organizations in forming cooperation networks, developing digital human resources and expanding technology commercialization opportunities.

The expected results of the Forum include: formulating policy recommendations to strengthen digital cooperation between the two sides; identify opportunities within the framework of the European Tech Business Offer initiative; and expanding the network of partners for projects in AI, quantum, semiconductor and green technology.

The event is expected to be attended by leaders of the Ministry of Science and Technology and the EU Delegation, representatives of DG CONNECT, DG RTD, EURAXESS ASEAN, EUVCF, as well as technology enterprises, research institutes, investment funds and domestic and foreign press agencies.

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EU-Vietnam Digital Cooperation Forum

EU – Viet Nam Digital Cooperation Forum

- Time: 13:30 – 17:15, Monday, 27/10/2025

- Venue: The Reed Hotel, Ninh Binh

Time	Content
13:30 - 14:00	Welcoming and registering delegates
14:00 - 14:20	Opening Remarks • <i>Leaders of the Ministry of Science and Technology</i> • <i>Leader of the EU Delegation to Vietnam</i>
14:20 - 14:30	Take a souvenir photo
14:30 - 14:50	Presentation 1: Vietnam's green-digital dual transformation based on digital platforms (TBD) • <i>Ms. Nguyen Thi Thanh Ha, Deputy Director of the Department of Social Sciences, Humanities and Nature, Ministry of Science and Technology</i>
14:50 - 15:00	Presentation 2: EU International Digital Cooperation Strategy: New Opportunities to Promote EU-Vietnam Digital Cooperation (<i>tbc</i>) • <i>Mr. Gonzalo Serrano, Deputy Head of Cooperation Department, EU Delegation</i>
15:00 - 15:10	The potential of Digital Transformation and Artificial Intelligence (AI) in Vocational Education in Vietnam • <i>Mr. Pham Xuan Hoan, Senior Officer, GIZ</i>

15:15 - 16:30	Seminar 1: Vietnam's new Digital Technology Industry Law, the forthcoming Artificial Intelligence (AI) Law and the revised Technology Transfer Law - together with the EU AI Act: Promoting AI development through excellence, innovation and international cooperation (including exchanges on each party's AI legal framework) <u>Moderator:</u> <i>Mr. Vincent Bonneau, Consulting Manager, Sofrecom France</i> <u>Speakers:</u> • <i>Mr. Ho Duc Thang, Director General, National Institute of Digital Industry and Digital Transformation, Ministry of Science and Technology;</i> • <i>GS. Laurent El Ghaoui, Vice Rector in charge of scientific research and innovation, VinUni;</i> • <i>Mr. Juha Heikkila, AI Advisor, European AI Office (online)</i> • <i>Mr. Alexandre Zapolsky, CEO, Linagora, France;</i> • <i>Ms. Le Thai Ha, Managing Director, Vinfuture Foundation / Representative of Sovico Group (TBD)</i>
16:30 - 17:00	Seminar 2: Developments in Europe in the field of Quantum Technology <u>Moderator:</u> <i>Mr. Vincent Bonneau, Consulting Manager, Sofrecom France</i> <u>Speakers:</u> • <i>Prof. Francesco Tafuri, QTlab, University of Naples, Italy (online);</i> • <i>Mr. Niccolo Somaschi, CEO, Quandela, France (online)</i>
17:00 - 17:15	Closing • <i>Representative of the Ministry of Science and Technology / EU Delegation</i>

4. Vietnam - Digital Cooperation Organization (DCO) Digital Partnership Forum

4.1. Event Information

The upcoming Forum's agenda is structured to provide a comprehensive overview of critical developments in the digital landscape. Key discussion points include an assessment of Vietnam's digital economy and the National Strategy for Digital Economy and Digital Society Development, alongside an introduction to the Digital Cooperation Organization (DCO) and its Digital Economy Navigator tool. Furthermore, participants will delve into the national strategies for AI research, development, and application from both Vietnam and DCO member countries, ultimately seeking to identify areas for international collaboration and innovative solutions to promote a sustainable digital and AI ecosystem.

The primary purpose of this event is to actively foster and promote international cooperation between Vietnam and the DCO. By bringing various stakeholders together, the Forum aims to facilitate discussions on effective, innovative solutions, share crucial experiences in policy formulation, and collectively advance the development of a resilient digital and AI ecosystem.

We anticipate that coordinating and organizing this Digital Partnership Forum will yield concrete, long-term outcomes, thereby laying a crucial foundation for future strategic cooperation. These expected results include: (i) establishing an official working channel for continuous dialogue and problem-solving; (ii) facilitating expert exchange and policy best practices; (iii) synthesizing concrete proposals from experts to inform the finalization of Vietnam's National AI Strategy and its digital economy legal framework; (iv) providing direct access for Vietnamese policymakers, businesses, and academia to practical lessons from DCO member countries; (v) creating a robust networking platform to generate new research and business opportunities; and (vi) setting the premise for joint initiatives aimed at enhancing local digital capacity, especially among Small and Medium-sized Enterprises (SMEs).

Participants for this high-level dialogue will include representatives from relevant Vietnamese ministries, government agencies, research institutes, universities, and leading technology enterprises. The international side will be represented by the DCO delegation, Ambassadors from DCO member states, international organizations, and esteemed guests attending the Digital Week.

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Vietnam - Digital Cooperation Organization (DCO) Digital Partnership Forum

- Time: 13:30 – 16:30

- Venue: Trang An 2 Meeting Room, Reed Ninh Binh Hotel

Time	Content
13:30 - 14:00	Delegate Registration
14:00 - 14:10	Welcome Speech • <i>Assoc. Prof. Hoang Huu Hanh, Deputy Director of the Department of International Cooperation, Ministry of Science and Technology</i> • <i>Mr. Ahmad Khudayar Bhinder, Director of Digital Policy and Intelligence, Digital Cooperation Organization</i>
14:10 - 14:30	Overview of Vietnam's digital economy, National Strategy for the development of digital economy and digital society • <i>Mr. Nguyen Van Thuat, Deputy Director of the Department of Economy and Digital Society, Ministry of Science and Technology</i>
14:30 - 14:50	An overview of DCO and the role of the Digital Economy Navigator in tracking maturity in the digital economy across 10 key pillars, and how this helps countries in developing data-led strategies and impactful programs. • <i>Mr. Laze Pejowski, Director of Digital Economy Navigator, Digital Cooperation Organization</i>
14:50 - 15:10	Vietnam's national AI research, development and application strategy. • <i>Representative of the National Digital Transformation Agency, Ministry of Science and Technology</i>
15:10 - 15:30	International collaboration and innovative solutions to foster a Sustainable Digital and AI Ecosystem • <i>Mr. Ahmad Khudayar Bhinder, Director of Digital Policy and Intelligence, Digital Cooperation Organization</i>
15:30 - 16:15	Open discussion
16: 15 - 16:30	Conclude • <i>Assoc. Prof. Hoang Huu Hanh, Deputy Director of the Department of International Cooperation, Ministry of Science and Technology</i> • <i>Mr. Ahmad Khudayar Bhinder, Director of Digital Policy and Intelligence, Digital Cooperation Organization</i>

5. Regional Workshop on Digital Transformation based on Artificial Intelligence

5.1. Event Information

The Regional Workshop on Digital Transformation based on Artificial Intelligence is an activity within the framework of Vietnam International Digital Week 2025, chaired by the Ministry of Science and Technology, in collaboration with the Development and Reform Commission of Choang Ethnic Autonomous Region, Guangxi Province, China organized. The event brings together representatives of Vietnamese state management agencies in the field of digital transformation, national standards and data, along with the participation of large Vietnamese and Chinese organizations, research institutes and technology enterprises such as VNPT, FPT, Huawei, etc ZTE, iFLYTEK, MaiYue Technology and China-ASEAN Information Port Co., Ltd.

The objective of the workshop was to discuss trends, policies and solutions for the application of artificial intelligence in the digital transformation process at the national and regional levels. Delegates will share experiences in governance, standardization, and promote cooperation in AI development in a cost-effective, responsible and human-centered direction.

The program of the workshop consists of three main parts. The opening session will feature orientation speeches by leaders of the two sides, emphasizing the importance of cooperation in AI development and digital transformation. The symposium session focused on topics such as AI based on national data, digital government, Internet infrastructure safety, AI standards, and cooperation experiences through the China-ASEAN AI Application Cooperation Center. The business cooperation session facilitates businesses to share AI solutions applied in the fields of education, healthcare, transportation, agriculture, and online public services.

Focus topics discussed include national data and AI applications for digital government, AI standards and governance, Internet infrastructure security and digital connectivity, and the development of low-cost and responsible AI models. The workshop also devoted space to business matching (B2B) activities, in order to promote research and development cooperation, technology transfer and implementation of AI application projects between Vietnam and China.

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Regional Workshop on Artificial Intelligence-Driven Digital Transformation

- Time: 13:30–16:00, October 27, 2025

- Venue: Van Long Room 1, The Reed Hotel, Ninh Binh

Time	Content
13:30 – 14:00	Delegate Registration
14:00–14:04	Opening Remarks • <i>Mr. Tran Duy Ninh, Director General, National Authority of Digital Transformation</i>
14:04–14:08	Keynote speech: Leveraging Artificial Intelligence for Regional Development: Guangxi’s Experience • <i>Mr. Lin Zenan, Member of the Leading Party Group, Deputy Director of Development and Reform Commission of Guangxi Zhuang Autonomous Region</i>
14:08–14:43	Presentation Session
14:08 – 14:15	Developing Artificial Intelligence Applications Based on National Databases • <i>National Data Center, Ministry of Public Security</i>
14:15–14:22	Application of Artificial Intelligence in Building e-Government • <i>Mr. Do Lap Hien, Head of Digital Services, National Authority of Digital Transformation</i>
14:22–14:29	Ensuring Internet Security For Artificial Intelligence in Digital Transformation • <i>Mr. Nguyen Truong Thanh, Head of Technical Department, Vietnam Internet Information Center</i>
14:29–14:44	Leveraging the Platform of the China-ASEAN Artificial Intelligence Application Cooperation Center to Help Build an Intelligent Era China-Viet Nam Community of Shared Destiny. • <i>Mr. Zhao Zhigang, Deputy Secretary-General of the People's Government of Guangxi Zhuang Autonomous Region, Director-General of the Big Data Development Bureau of Guangxi Zhuang Autonomous Region</i>

14:44–14:51	Artificial Intelligence Standards • <i>Mr. Bui Ba Chinh, Acting Director, National Barcode Center, Directorate for Standards, Metrology and Quality</i>
14:51–15:31	Enterprises Cooperation Session: Promoting Viet Nam-China Cooperation on Affordable AI for Key Sectors (Education, Healthcare, Transportation, Agriculture)
14:51 – 14:56	National Sovereign Artificial Intelligence – Necessity and Execution • <i>Dr. Rex Hou, Huawei APAC Public Sector Director</i>
14:56 – 15:01	Application of Artificial Intelligence in Online Public Services • <i>Mr. Nguyen Van Quang - AI Application Consultant - VNPT Group</i>
15:01 – 15:06	AI Empowers, Together Draws a New Chapter in Digital Intelligence • <i>Mr. Shi Yi, Chief Marketing Officer , ZTE Vietnam</i>
15:06 – 15:11	Artificial Intelligence Empowers Industries, Building a New Bridge for China-ASEAN Cooperation • <i>Mr. Zhong Neng - Co-Chairman, China - ASEAN Information Port Co., Ltd.</i>
15:11 – 15:16	Vietnam's AI Momentum: Building Competitiveness in the Global AI Economy • <i>Assoc. Prof. TS. Ngo Xuan Bach, Director of AI Products, FPT Smart Cloud, FPT Corporation</i>
15:16 – 15:21	Opportunities for Viet Nam - China Enterprises Cooperation in Artificial Intelligence Applications • <i>Mr. Deng Caidie, Executive Chairman and Co-Chairman, MaiYue Technology Co., Ltd.</i>
15:21 - 15: 26	Leveraging CMC's AI Product and Service Ecosystem for Practical Applications • <i>Mr. Le Minh - Chief Technology Officer CMC TS</i>
15:26 – 15:31	Artificial Intelligence Contributes to High-Quality Education Development in Viet Nam • <i>Mr. Han Zhongnian, Deputy General Manager of Guangxi Region, iFLYTEK Co., Ltd.</i>

15:31 –15:38	Closing Remarks • <i>Mr. Tran Duy Ninh, Director General, National Authority of Digital Transformation</i>
15:38–15:45	Closing Remarks • <i>Mr. Lin Zenan, Member of the Leading Party Group, Deputy Director of Development and Reform Commission of Guangxi Zhuang Autonomous Region</i>
15:45–16:00	Networking / Informal Discussion

6. The Consultative Workshop on the development of the ASEAN Digital Master Plan (ADM) 2030

6.1. Event information

The workshop was an in-depth activity for delegates from ASEAN countries and the ASEAN Secretariat, focusing on evaluating the results of ADM 2025, and discussing the desired results, pillars and key initiatives of ADM 2030. The discussions revolved around core issues such as digital policy, open data, artificial intelligence, cybersecurity, digital skills and digital infrastructure development. Through this, the workshop aims to promote regional cooperation, narrow the digital gap, strengthen connectivity capacity and develop a dynamic, sustainable and inclusive ASEAN digital economy.

The ASEAN Digital Master Plan 2030 framework sets out a vision to make ASEAN a global digital hub, competitive, connected and inclusive. Specific objectives include strengthening the digital capacity of member states to promote economic growth, innovation, regional and global integration, and ensure safety, reliability and sustainability in the digital development process.

ADM 2030 is built on eight key strategic directions. In particular, the focus includes: developing seamless and inclusive digital infrastructure (5G, 6G networks, cloud computing, data centers and cross-border connections); promoting digital government and smart public services; strengthening digital trade and fintech cooperation; bridging the digital gap and improving digital skills; building a dynamic innovation ecosystem; promoting ASEAN's digital industry and the resilience of small and medium-sized enterprises; developing green digital transformation towards a circular economy; and affirmed ASEAN's leading role in the field of AI and emerging technologies.

The structure of ADM 2030 consists of four main components: Strategic Outcomes that represent the expected results by 2030; Enabling Areas provide support in terms of legal, financial and human resources; a set of measurement indicators (Metrics of Success) to track the progress of implementation; and the implementation roadmap (Timeline) is divided into medium-term periods 2026-2028 and long-term 2029-2030.

The highlight of ADM 2030 is the inheritance and expansion from ADM 2025, with coverage of emerging technologies, green economy orientation, and deeper international cooperation. The document harmoniously combines regional strategies and national needs, creating a common reference framework for ASEAN digital policy

6.2. Agenda

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**The Consultative Workshop on the development of the
ASEAN Digital Master Plan (ADM) 2030
28th Oct 2025, Ninh Binh, Viet Nam**

- Time: 08:30 - 12:00, Tuesday 28/10/2025

- Venue: The Reed Hotel

Time	Content
08:30	Registration
08:45 – 09:00	Opening Session
	Opening Remarks by <i>Ministry of Science and Technology Viet Nam</i> <i>Remarks by ASEC</i>
09:00-9:30	Session 1: ASEAN DIGITAL DEVELOPMENT LANDSCAPE Objective: To allow ASEAN Member States to share brief updates on national digital development progress and key priorities for regional collaboration Suggested inputs from AMS (5–7 minutes each): - National digital transformation status and priorities (infrastructure, technology, skills, digital government, etc.) - Key national initiatives or policies toward 2030 - Proposed areas for ASEAN cooperation (AI, cybersecurity, digital skills, e-commerce, AI and emerging technologies, industry digitalization, etc.)
9:30 – 10:00	Session 2: Brief on the the development of the ASEAN Digital Masterplan 2026-2030
	Final Review of the ADM 2021–2025, Key Lessons from ADM 2021–2025 (successes, gaps, overlaps) (<i>Thailand - TBC</i>) (10 minutes)
	Overview of the Draft ASEAN Digital Masterplan 2030 (<i>BCG Group</i>) - ADM 2030 development process and structure - Vision, mission, and guiding principles - Mapping between ADM 2030 and AEC Strategic Plan 2026–2030 - Overview of Desired Outcomes (DOs) and Enabling Actions (EAs) (20 minutes)
10:10-10:20	Coffee Break
10:20-10:35	International Expert sharing 1: JICA's experience in Digital Public Infrastructure Development

10:35 – 10:50	International Expert sharing 2: Global trends and Australian experience in Digital Transformation in Government
10:50 – 12:00	Detailed discussion on each DO and EA focusing on AMS feedback Discussion clusters: - DO1–DO2: Digital Infrastructure and Digital Government - DO3–DO4: Digital Society and Trusted Digital Ecosystem - DO5–DO6: Innovation, Industry, and Digital Economy - DO7–DO8: Green Digital Transformation and Emerging Technologies Method: - Brief presentation by BCG (5 minutes per DO) - AMS interventions and technical feedback (2–3 minutes each) - Summary by ASEC
12:00 -13:00	Lunch Break
13:15 – 14:30	SESSION 3: Moving Towards Finalisation of ADM 2030 - Presentation by BCG on timeline for ADM 2030 finalisation and endorsement - Intervention by ASEC on next steps for ADM 2030 finalisation and endorsement. - Discussion and agreement on: - o Key priority enabling actions under ADM 2030 - o Proposed metrics of success - o Discuss on roadmap and monitoring mechanism Expected Output: - Consensus on direction for ADM 2030 Draft 2 revision - Agreed outline for submission to ADGSOM and ADGMIN 6
14:30	Closing Remarks

7. Artificial Intelligence Startup Forum

7.1. Event Information

The AI Startups Forum was organized to introduce the policy environment to support the development of artificial intelligence startups in Viet Nam; introduce the market and technological capacity of Vietnamese enterprises in the field of artificial intelligence; promote international cooperation, co-creation and build a sustainable artificial intelligence ecosystem in Vietnam.

On the sidelines of the Forum, there will be a space to display and introduce products of businesses, creating opportunities to connect with domestic and foreign agencies, organizations and investors.

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ARTIFICIAL INTELLIGENCE STARTUP FORUM

(A.I Startup Forum)

- Time: from 08:30 - 12:30, Tuesday, 28/10/2025

- Venue: The Reed Hotel Ninh Binh, Ninh Binh province.

Time	Content
08.30 - 09.00	Welcoming delegates
09:00 - 09:05	Opening Remarks • <i>Leader of the Ministry of Science and Technology</i>
09:05 - 09:20	Policies Supporting AI Startups • <i>Dr. Nguyen Van Truc, Director of the Center for Science and Technology Enterprise Development</i>
Session 1 - Vietnam's AI Story: From Collaborative Vision to Real-World Innovation	
09:20 – 09:35	OneMedic and the AI-driven MedTech Ecosystem • <i>Mr. Nguyen Francis Tuan Anh, Founder and CEO of OneMedic</i>
09:35 – 09:50	AI Employees – The Smart Workforce for Modern Enterprises • <i>Mr. Nguyen Xuan Hoang, Vice Chairman of MISA Joint Stock Company</i>
09:50 – 10:05	MedCAT IDUS: Automated Data Generation Platform – A Breakthrough Solution for Digital and Economic Transformation • <i>Mrs. Dang Thi Anh Tuyet - CEO, MedCAT Joint Stock Company</i>
10:05 – 10:20	Break
Session 2 – Platform Leadership and Multilateral Cooperation: Building a Sustainable AI Ecosystem in Vietnam	
10:20 – 10:35	NVIDIA Inception: Empowering Vietnam's AI Innovators • <i>Mr. Benjamin Chan, Program Manager of Inception Startup Program, Asia TBD, NVIDIA Corporation</i>
10.35 – 10:45	Developing GenAI Technology and Its Cross-Sector Applications • <i>Dr. Le Anh Van, Director of VNPT GenAI Platform</i>
10:45 – 10.55	The Artificial Intelligence Revolution on Devices • <i>MSc. Vu Ngoc Quyet, Chairman & Founder of LocaAI.</i>
10.55 – 11.05	Artificial intelligence human resource development • <i>Representative of the Faculty of AI, Institute of Post and</i>

	<i>Telecommunications Technology (PTIT)</i>
11:05 – 11:15	Investing in artificial intelligence startups • <i>Ms. Thach Le Anh, Founder of VSV Capital</i>
11.15 – 12:25	Panel Discussion and Networking: “How can Vietnam move from technology adoption to co-creation in building a sustainable AI ecosystem?” <u>Coordination:</u> <i>Leaders of the Department of Information Technology Industry, Leaders of the Department of Start-ups and Technology Enterprises.</i> <u>Panelists:</u> <i>OneMedic, MISA, MedCAT IDUS, NVIDIA, VNPT, LocaAI, PTIT, VSV Capital.</i>
12.25 – 12: 30	Summary and closing • <i>Leaders of the Department of Information Technology Industry</i>
12.30	Lunch

8. International Forum on Digital Workforce Development

8.1. Event information

The Forum is organized under the chairmanship of the Ministry of Science and Technology, with the objective of discussing the development of high-quality digital human resources to meet the demands of digital transformation and international integration. The event serves as a platform for sharing experiences, training models, and policy discussions to ensure a sustainable and skilled workforce for the digital era.

The Forum aims to shape Vietnam's digital human resource development strategy through enhanced international cooperation, aligning with the country's digital transformation and global integration goals. The program focuses on global trends in digital skills, innovation-oriented education, and the creation of a sustainable human resource ecosystem. It also underscores regional cooperation, particularly in digital skills and cybersecurity, with an emphasis on Vietnam–Republic of Korea collaboration.

The event will also showcase technological initiatives and solutions for digital skills development and smart education through case studies and practical applications in Vietnam. Participants will exchange perspectives on advanced higher education models, mechanisms for linking academia, industry, and government, and propose policy recommendations and international cooperation frameworks to foster the development of a high-quality, comprehensive, and sustainable digital workforce.

The Forum is expected to gather approximately 70 participants. The domestic delegation will include representatives from ministries, local authorities, research institutes, universities, schools, and technology enterprises. International participants will include representatives from international organizations, embassies, as well as foreign enterprises and technology associations.

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(International Forum on Digital Workforce Development)

- Time: from 08:30 - 11:50, Tuesday, 28/10/2025
- Venue: The Reed Hotel Ninh Binh, Ninh Binh province.
- Presiding unit: Post and Telecommunications Institute of Technology

Time	Content
08.30 – 09.00	Registration
09.00 – 09.10	Opening Speech • <i>Leaders of the</i> Post and Telecommunications Institute of Technology
09.10 – 09.30	Presentation 1: Strategic orientation for the development of Vietnam's digital human resources through international cooperation. • Post and Telecommunications Institute of Technology
09.30 – 10.00	Keynote: Vision for the future of digital human resources. • <i>Mr. Klaus Wehage (USA), Global Educator for Growth and Innovation</i>
10.00 – 10.20	Presentation 2: Vietnam's semiconductor human resource needs and Korea-Vietnam training cooperation • <i>LetuinEdu Co., Ltd</i>
10.20 – 10.40	Presentation 3: Research on global and applied cases in Vietnam in developing digital skills and empowering communities through artificial intelligence. • <i>Intel Vietnam</i>
10.40 – 11.00	Presentation 4: Introducing education technology solutions, tools and smart platforms to support digital talent development • <i>Huawei Vietnam</i>
11.00 – 11.40	Discussion session: Global cooperation in developing digital human resources at the university level. Discussion content: – Cooperation between the Government and enterprises in developing training programs associated with labor market needs. – International lessons learned that can be replicated in the region. – The role of emerging technologies in digital human resource development.
11.40 – 11.50	Group photo

9. Regional Workshop on Resilient Telecommunication Infrastructure Development

9.1. Event information

The Regional Workshop on Sustainable Telecommunications Infrastructure Development was organized to share policies, experiences and models of sustainable telecommunications infrastructure deployment of countries around the world. The event aims to expand coverage, improve access to services, ensure safety and sustainability of telecommunications systems, and promote innovation in network management and operation.

The conference program consists of two main discussion sessions. The first session focused on exchanging policies and solutions for safe and sustainable digital infrastructure development. The second session introduced technology solutions and practical deployment models from telecommunications enterprises inside and outside the region. In addition, the open discussion session will create opportunities for international experts to share experiences on the public-private cooperation model in the development of sustainable telecommunications infrastructure.

The key topics of the workshop include: expanding coverage through investment in backbone networks, intermediary networks and access networks, combining public-private partnership models, sharing infrastructure and using public telecommunications service funds; improve people's affordability by deploying universal funds, low-cost devices, and local digital transformation centers. In addition, the workshop also focused on ensuring the resilience of infrastructure to natural disasters, integrating risk management into planning and promoting "green transition" through the use of renewable energy.

Another important content is strengthening cybersecurity, including building incident response capacity, protecting critical infrastructure, training information security skills, and developing a cybersecurity academy. At the same time, the workshop encouraged technological innovation and market models, promoted the deployment of 5G, open network (Open RAN), satellite connectivity and multi-utility infrastructure sharing, as well as investment in submarine fiber optic cable systems and cross-border intermediate infrastructure.

Participants are expected to include representatives of ASEAN telecommunications regulators, international experts on telecommunications infrastructure, and business leaders in this field from Vietnam, Japan, South Korea and China.

9.2. Agenda

AGENDA

(Regional Workshop on Resilient Telecommunication Infrastructure Development)

- Time: 8:30 - 12:00, 28/10/2025

- Venue: Trang An Room 2 - 3rd Floor, The Reed Hotel

Time	Content
09:00 – 09:10	Opening Remarks Representative of the Ministry of Science and Technology • <i>Mr. Nguyen Anh Cuong, Deputy Director of the Department of Telecommunications</i>
09:10 – 10:00	Session 1: Policies, solutions and experiences for safe and sustainable digital infrastructure development Current policies and orientations for sustainable digital infrastructure development in Vietnam • <i>Mr. Vu Ngoc Duong, Deputy Head of Infrastructure Department, Department of Telecommunications</i> Sustainable Telecommunications Infrastructure - Trends and Innovations • <i>Mr. Thomas Chalumeau - Global Team Lead, Broadband Connectivity, Telecommunications Infrastructure, WB</i> Experience in sustainable telecommunications infrastructure development • <i>MIC Japan (TBD)</i>
10:00 – 11:00	Session 2: Technology solutions and practical deployment models from telecommunications enterprises • <i>Mr. Tran Thanh Hai, Technical Director of FPT Telecom,</i> • <i>Huawei: Mr. Chen Jie. Director of Fiber Optic Industry Development</i> • <i>Mr. Kim Ngoc Tuyen, Technical Specialist, VNPT</i>
11:00 – 11:30	Open Discussion Session - Policies, legal frameworks, and public-private partnership (PPP) models. - To propose measures to encourage investment and regional cooperation. <u>Expert</u> • <i>Mr. Mohamed Wahish, Chief Investment Officer, IFC WB</i> • <i>Representatives of participating businesses and experts</i>
11.30-11.40	Closing • <i>Leaders of the Department of Telecommunications</i>

10. EU-Vietnam Research and Innovation Day 2025

10.1. Event Information

The EU-Vietnam Research and Innovation Day 2025 is co-organized by the Ministry of Science and Technology (MOST), the Delegation of the European Union to Vietnam (EUD) and EURAXESS ASEAN with support from the EU-Vietnam

Cooperation Fund (EUVCF) within the framework of the Vietnam International Digital Week. This is a cooperation activity to promote research and innovation between Vietnam and the EU. The event takes place in the context of globalization and rapid technological development, as research and innovation become key drivers for sustainable growth

The program aims to strengthen the connection between management agencies, research institutes, universities and businesses on both sides; introducing funding and collaboration opportunities from the Horizon Europe Program – the world's largest research program with a budget of EUR 95.5 billion; at the same time, it supports Vietnam to develop an ecosystem of science, technology, innovation and digital transformation (S&T and Innovation) in association with the orientation of green and sustainable development.

The event is expected to bring practical results such as: expanding opportunities to access international funding, forming a research and innovation cooperation network between Vietnam and the EU, and strengthening the role of Vietnam and the EU as reliable partners in global scientific and technological cooperation.

Participants included leaders of the Ministry of Science and Technology, the EU Ambassador to Vietnam, representatives of DG RTD, EURAXESS ASEAN, EUVCF, research institutes, universities, businesses, research foundations and more than 200 participants from Vietnam and Europe.

10.2. Agenda

AGENDA

EU Research and Innovation Day - Vietnam

(EU - Vietnam Research & Innovation Day)

- Time: 13:30 - 17:30, Tuesday, 28/10/2025

- Venue: The Reed Hotel, Ninh Binh

- Presiding Unit: Department of International Cooperation

Time	Content
13:30 - 13:45	Welcoming and registering delegates
13:45 - 14:00	Opening Remarks - Leaders of the Ministry of Science and Technology - Leader of the EU Delegation to Vietnam
14:00 - 14:10	Take a souvenir photo
14:10 - 14:30	The EU's Global Approach to Research & Innovation <i>TS. Neville Reeve, EU Directorate General for Innovation</i>
14:30 - 15:00	Towards the NAFOSTED – Horizon Europe co-financing mechanism: Strengthening research and innovation cooperation between Vietnam and the EU (15 minutes) <i>Mr. Dao Ngoc Chien, Director of NAFOSTED Foundation, Ministry of Science and Technology</i> Overview of innovation in Vietnam (policies, roles of some innovation centers) and cooperation activities with the EU in the coming time (15 minutes) <i>Mr. Nguyen Truong Phi, Head of Innovation System Management Department, Department of Innovation, Ministry of Science and Technology</i>
15:00 - 15:15	<i>Breaks</i>
15:15 - 15:45	EU-Vietnam Research & Innovation Cooperation Update – Pillars I and II of Horizon Europe • <i>Ms. Leonie Nagarajan, Regional Coordinator, EURAXESS ASEAN</i>
15:45 - 16:30	Seminar with beneficiaries who have been participating in Horizon Europe: "Building a successful roadmap to participate in Horizon Europe – from identifying partners to improving organizational capacity" <u>Coordinator:</u> <i>Ms. Leonie Nagarajan, Regional Coordinator, EURAXESS ASEAN.</i> <u>Speakers:</u> <i>Representatives of universities and research institutes participating in Horizon Europe (from EURAXESS ASEAN, TBD)</i>

16:30 - 16:45	Introduction of EURAXESS ASEAN's research support platform and services • <i>Ms. Leonie Nagarajan, Regional Coordinator, EURAXESS ASEAN</i>
16:45 - 17:15	Opportunities to finance EU-Vietnam research and innovation cooperation through EU member state mechanisms
17:15 - 17:30	Closing Remarks

11. International Forum on Strategic Technologies

11.1. Event Information

The International Forum on Strategic Technologies with the theme "Developing and mastering artificial intelligence" is an initiative by the Ministry of Science and Technology of Viet Nam in collaboration with international partners and leading experts, organizations, aiming to share experiences, discuss breakthrough policies and the latest technology trends to promote the development and mastery of Artificial Intelligence (AI) technology in both public and private sectors.

The forum will be attended by representatives from state agencies governing science and technology, experts, scholars, international organizations and leading domestic and international technology enterprises.

The event will be structured with two presentations focusing on strategic technology development orientations and two roundtable discussion sessions to focus on 03 groups of strategic technology products out of 35 strategic technology products approved by the Prime Minister under Decision No. 1131/QĐ-TTg dated June 12, 2025, including: (i) Large Vietnamese language model; (ii) Virtual assistants; (iii) and Specialized Artificial Intelligence.

In each session, the discussion will focus on sharing successful examples of implementing national AI strategies in the world, and at the same time encourage participation and sharing from relevant experts and businesses.

Topics of discussion include:

- Vietnamese data is standardized and shared in a controlled manner.
- Direction for the development of LLM models.
- High-performance computing infrastructure (AI compute).
- Cooperation of 3 houses (State – Scientist – Enterprise) to develop LLM.
- Connecting international resources and technology partners.
- Applying AI to solve global challenges (climate change, health, education).

In addition, in addition to the technical roundtables, the organizers will facilitate B2B and B2G networking sessions for businesses and organizations to attend. These sessions will facilitate enterprises and organizations to network and discuss potential collaboration opportunities for their AI initiatives.

11.2. Agenda

AGENDA

INTERNATIONAL FORUM ON STRATEGIC TECHNOLOGIES

(International Forum on Strategic Technologies)

- Time: 13:30 - 17:00

- Venue: Trang An 2 Meeting Room - 3rd Floor, The Reed Hotel

Time	Content
13:30 – 14:00	Welcoming delegates
14:00 – 14:10	Introduction of delegates
14:10 – 14:25	Strategic technology development orientation in Vietnam • <i>Leaders of the Department of Science, Technology and Technology</i>
14:25 – 14:40	Cooperation in AI capacity development in Vietnam • <i>Representatives of science and technology enterprises/organizations</i>
International Roundtable Session	
14:40 – 15:40	Topic 1: Developing Vietnamese Large Language Models (Vietnamese LLMs) and Virtual Assistants Key issues: + Standardized Vietnamese data and controlled sharing. + Direction for the development of LLM models. + High-performance computing infrastructure (AI compute). + Cooperation between 3 houses (State – Scientist – Enterprise) to develop LLM. + Connecting international resources and technology partners. • <i>Coordinator: Prof. TS. Nguyen Thanh Thuy; ASS. TS. Bui Thu Lam.</i>
15:40 – 15:55	Breaks
15:55 – 16:50	Topic 2: Specialized AI and analytical AI – Practical directions for Vietnam Suggest discussion: + Health – priority areas: data availability, AI diagnostic imaging, abnormal detection, disease forecasting, and hospital operation optimization. + Smart City/Environment – AI application to analyze forecasts of congestion, air quality, rainstorms, landslides,... + Open discussion: selection of feasible areas in the next 12–18 months + Focus on AI analysis: (1) forecasting; (2) abnormal detection; (3) exploring Vietnamese knowledge; (4) Optimal operation.

	• <i>Coordinator: Prof. TS. Nguyen Thanh Thuy; ASS. TS. Bui Thu Lam.</i>
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12. Vietnam-US Workshop on Open RAN

12.1. Event Information

The Vietnam-U.S. Workshop on Open RAN is an initiative jointly organized by the Ministry of Science and Technology of Vietnam, the U.S. Department of State, and the Open RAN Policy Alliance (ORPC) to share successful practices on Open RAN

policy implementation in the world. The workshop will be attended by representatives of state agencies governing telecommunications sector, experts, international organizations on Open RAN and leading domestic and international technology enterprises.

The event will be structured with two roundtable sessions to focus on two technical areas where businesses and regulators will benefit from technical assistance. In each area, the discussion will focus on sharing successful examples of implementing the Open ORAN policy in the world, and at the same time encourage participation and sharing from relevant experts and businesses. Topics of discussion include:

- Network Integration Model: specialist vs operator-led vs hybrid
- Integrate AI into the Open RAN network.
- Encourage the implementation of Open RAN and research and development (R&D).
- Develop advanced Open RAN testing laboratories.
- Network security in an open vs. closed architecture.

In addition to technical roundtables, the organizers will facilitate B2B networking sessions for businesses and organizations to attend. These sessions provide a platform for organizations to network and discuss potential collaboration opportunities for their Open RAN initiatives.

12.2. Agenda

AGENDA

Vietnam-U.S. Workshop on Open RAN

Vietnam – US Workshop on Open RAN

- Time: 13:30 - 17:00

- Venue: Meeting Room 5 - 2nd Floor, The Reed Hotel

Time	Content
14:00 – 14:05	Opening Remarks: Open RAN Policy Alliance (ORPC) • <i>Mr. Alexander Botting, International Director, ORPC</i>
14:05 – 14:15	Welcoming speech: Ministry of Science and Technology • <i>Leaders of the Department of Telecommunications (VNTA), Ministry of Science and Technology</i>
14:15 – 14:25	Statement by the Representative of the U.S. Government (Embassy)
14:25 – 14:40	Presentation of the business • <i>Mr. Troy Joo, Director of 5G, DeepSig</i> • <i>Viettel Group (Viettel High-tech)</i>
14:40 – 15:40	Roundtable Discussion: Testing Labs: <u>Discussion Topics:</u> • <i>What is the current state of OTICs internationally?</i> • <i>Where are there gaps in the current OTIC market? Where could Vietnam focus its efforts?</i> • <i>What are some of the challenges from</i> • <i>What are some of the interoperability challenges as the number of labs</i> <u>Speakers:</u> • <i>Munish Chhabra, Head of Software and Mobile Services Sales, Radisys</i> • <i>Ian Wong, Senior Director, Frequency and Wireless Architecture, Viavi</i> • <i>Sadayuki Abeta, Chief Strategy Officer of ORAN, NTT DOCOMO and CTO, OREX SAI NTT (attended online);</i> • <i>Representative of Viettel Group;</i> • <i>Moderator: Mr. Alexander Botting, International Director, ORPC</i>
15:40 – 15:50	Breaks
15:50 – 16:00	Presentation of the business • <i>Ms. Nies Purwati, Senior Director, Qualcomm</i>
16:00 – 17:00	Roundtable Discussion: Integrating Artificial Intelligence (AI) and Networks <u>Discussion Topics:</u> • <i>What were the initial challenges with multi-vendor integration?</i> • <i>Where are we today?</i>

	• <i>How is AI being integrated into networks and what capabilities is this enabling?</i> • <i>What additional AI capabilities may be developed to further enhance network efficiency/capability?</i> <u>Speakers:</u> • <i>Randhir Amarasinghe, Senior Sales Manager, Rakuten Symphony</i> • <i>Hiroyuki Kiyonagi, Head of RU Operations and Business Management, IFinity/Fujitsu</i> • <i>David Hoelscher, Vice President of Global Sales, Chipsets and 5G Technologies, Metanoia Communications</i> • <i>Moderator: Mr. Adam Dobell, International Advisor, ORPC</i>
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13. ITU Forum: Innovation and Digital Transformation for Sustainable Development

13.1. Event Information

Identifying existing barriers and challenges to the innovation and digital transformation environment is an important step forward. However, finding

breakthrough solutions to overcome these obstacles is the next leap that many countries, including Viet Nam, are striving toward.

The ITU Forum on Innovation and Inclusive Digital Transformation for Sustainable Development, organized by the International Telecommunication Union (ITU) in collaboration with the Ministry of Science and Technology (MOST) of Viet Nam, aims to promote joint actions to remove policy, technical, and financial barriers in fostering a “healthy” innovation ecosystem and an inclusive, transformative digital transition - particularly in developing countries’ digital governments.

In addition, the Forum seeks to establish a cooperative platform (network) to introduce scalable, sustainable, and feasible models, technologies, and solutions for innovation and digital transformation, while strengthening mutual understanding and cooperation among governments, businesses, research institutions, and international organizations.

The Session of thematic presentations laying the foundation for the open interactive discussion on improving the innovation environment, accelerating breakthrough digital transformation, and reaffirming the central role of digital government in innovation for sustainable development. It also aims to connect policymakers, regulators, research and training institutions, technology enterprises, and international organizations.

The Innovation Cafè session led by ITU is a highly interactive segment designed to explore ideas, share experiences, and co-create solutions for comprehensive government digital transformation.

13.2. Agenda

AGENDA

ITU FORUM: INNOVATION AND DIGITAL TRANSFORMATION FOR SUSTAINABLE DEVELOPMENT

(ITU Forum: Innovation and Digital Transformation for Sustainable Development)

- Time: From 13:30 to 16:40

- Venue: Van Long Room 1 (3rd Floor), The Reed Hotel

Time	Content
13:30 – 14:00	Welcoming delegates
14:00 – 14:15	Opening Session • <i>Deputy Director of the Department of International Cooperation Hoang Huu Hanh</i> • <i>ITU Regional Programme/Project Coordinator Mr Ashish Narayan</i>
14:15 – 14:35	Lesson 1: Overview of global innovation and digital transformation <u>Main content:</u> Overview of global innovation and digital transformation, with special emphasis on the GovStack standard in the comprehensive digital transformation of state management agencies (Digital Government) and the introduction of the ITU-ASEAN Cooperation Framework on Digital Government. • <i>Mr. Ashish Narayan, ITU Regional Programme Coordinator for Asia and the Pacific.</i>
14:35 – 14:55	Lesson 2: Perspectives from businesses on innovation and digital transformation for development <u>Main content:</u> Sharing the factors leading innovation in the digital transformation process, the bottlenecks for developing an environment that promotes innovation and proposing some solutions to promote innovation. • <i>Mr. Nguyen Trong Tinh, Head of Strategy Department, Military Telecommunications Group (Viettel Group).</i>
14:55 – 15:15	Breaks
15:15 – 15:35	Lesson 3: Policies to promote the application of research and development, promote innovation (in enterprises) <u>Main contents:</u> Sharing policies on legal corridors, policies on science, technology and innovation, including policy breakthroughs to promote research and development results using the state budget, for science and technology organizations, promoting innovation in enterprises and the economy, etc. and the management of the innovation environment. • <i>Dr. Chu Thuc Dat, Deputy Director of the Innovation Department.</i>
15:35 – 16:35	Open Interactive Session (Innovation Cafè) Scenario: The moderator and speakers will discuss with the delegates on 4 topics: (1) Institutional problems? (2) Data issues? (3) The problem of digital skills?

	(4) Technology problems? <i><u>Moderator:</u> Ms. Akanksha Sharma Innovation Specialist, ITU Innovation Centre located in India.</i>
16:35 – 16:45	Closing Session

14. Vietnam – Korea Digital Forum

14.1. Event Information

The 5th Vietnam-Korea Digital Forum is an annual activity coordinated between the two sides to implement the signed Memorandum of Understanding on cooperation between the two countries (2022) and is within the framework of the Vietnam International Digital Week 2025 chaired by the Ministry of Science and Technology from October 27-30, 2025.

The content of this year's Forum has the theme "From Vertical AI to Inclusive AI, Shaping the Future Together", focusing on sharing experiences between Vietnam and Korea in the field of artificial intelligence (AI) with the sharing of management agencies as well as the presentation of leading Korean corporations Countries on platform AI models (such as LG AI, Naver, SK Telecom), Semiconductor AI application models (such as Fusiosa AI, Rebellions, SAPEON, Nextchip), Typical of specialized AI by industry (Factory, Health/Health, Education/Language, Culture/Entertainment).

The forum had a total of about 20 presentations and shares from Vietnam-Korea state management units on related policies for the development of artificial intelligence, and presentations from Vietnamese-Korean businesses sharing the experiences of the two countries on AI development in various industries, fields such as Healthcare, Education, and manufacturing, especially with the participation of presentations on Semiconductor AI models from leading Korean enterprises such as Furiosa AI, Rebelions, Mobilint, etc.

Side activities include:

- Exhibition of AI and IT products and services: Displaying and demonstrating products and services from typical Korean enterprises in the fields of: AI Semiconducotr (Rebelions, Mobilint, Furiosa), AI solution (Saltlux, Gmission, Visionwave, Braincheese, Saferzone), Edtech (Letuin, BNV Sokution, Ubion), AI Datacenter (Hyosung), Healthcare (NTL Heathcare, Softnet), Smart travel (ND Soft, Dowhat)

- IR Startup Pitching: Organized in collaboration with the National Innovation Center (NIC) and KICC Hanoi. There are 10 Korean and Vietnamese startups participating

- Recruitment Counseling (Korea IT School): Organized a 1:1 interview between Korean IT and 70 Korean IT programming and interpreting students trained by KITS.

- MOU signing ceremony: Support the organization of MOU signing for Korean-Vietnamese enterprises that plan to sign before or connect directly at the event.

14.2. Agenda

PROGRAM

Vietnam – Korea Digital Forum 2025

(Vietnam – Republic of Korea Digital Cooperation Forum)

- Time: 09:30 - 17:30, 29/10/2025

- Venue: Lotte L7 Tay Ho Hotel, Hanoi.

Time	Content
09.00-09.30	Opening Ceremony
9.30-10.10	Sharing Vietnam-Korea AI policy • <i>Korea AI Industry Cluster Agency</i> • <i>Ministry of Science and Technology</i>
10.10-11.50	Semiconductor AI and Data Center • <i>Rebellion</i> • <i>Viettel AI</i> • <i>Furiosa AI</i> • <i>CMC AI</i>
12.00-13.00	Lunch break
14:30 - 14:50	Specialized AI • <i>NTHL Healthcare</i> • <i>BNV Solution</i> • <i>Visual Camp</i> • <i>Gmission</i> • <i>Softnet</i> • <i>EMCT</i>
15.00-16.00	Vietnam-Korea Digital Cooperation • <i>Hanoi Medical University</i> • <i>Korea IT Cooperation Center</i> • <i>TBC</i>
16.00-17.00	IT Startup Pitching Contest • <i>First Prize</i> • <i>Second Prize</i> • <i>Third Prize</i> • <i>Fourth Prize</i>
17.00-18.00	Breaks
18.00-20.00	VIP Dinner (for private guests) Award ceremony for winning companies Medal awarding ceremony for partners of KICC Hanoi Networking