German Science Day
20 years of Science & Technology Cooperation between Vietnam and Germany

1 March 2017
CARAVELLE HOTEL, 19-23 Lam Son Square, Ho Chi Minh City

Program

Moderation:
Mrs. Anke Stahl and Dr. Ludwig Kammesheidt

08:30 – 09:00
Registration and welcome tea/coffee

09:00 – 09:20
Welcome addresses
Mr. Frithjof A. Maennel, Deputy Director General, “International Cooperation in Education and Research”, Federal Ministry of Education and Research (BMBF)
H.E. Tran Quoc Khanh, Vice Minister, Ministry of Science and Technology (MOST)
Mr. Andreas Siegel, Consul General, German Consulate General, HCMC

09:20 – 09:50
S&T Landscape in Vietnam and Germany with Focus on International Cooperation
Mr. Phung Bao Thach, General Director, Department of International Cooperation, MOST
Frithjof A. Maennel, BMBF
Dr. Ulrich Katenkamp, Head of Division 724, BMBF (“Research for Sustainability”)

09:50 – 10:00
The Leibniz Association – Partner for International Research
Dr. Christoph Häuser, Deputy Director General, Museum for Natural History, Berlin

10:00 – 10:30
Coffee break

10:30 – 11:55
Overview of bilateral cooperation projects

Water Technology:
Prof. Bui Duy Cam, VNU-HUS and Prof. Karl-Ulrich Rudolph, IEEM Witten University
How we tried a “Triple-Bridging-Approach for our BMBF/MOST Water Research Project in Can Tho”

Prof. Franz Nestmann, KIT Karlsruhe and Prof. Nguyen Van Hieu, VAST, Hanoi
„Adapted Technologies for a Sustainable Protection of Water and Land Resources in the Southern Mekong Delta”

Urban Development:
Dr. Ulrike Schinkel, IZES, Saarbrücken and Dr. Nguyen Phu Thai, DISED Da Nang
“Rapid Planning: Sustainable Infrastructure, Environmental and Resource Management for Highly Dynamic Metropolises”
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**Bioeconomy:**
Prof. Ulrich Schurr, FZ Jülich and Prof. Nguyen The Nha, VFU
“VIETWOOD and Beyond: International Collaboration for Novel Value Chains for a Sustainable Bioeconomy”

**Health research:**
Dr. Trung, VNU Hanoi and Prof. Ivo Steinmetz, University of Greifswald
“Melioidosis in Vietnam: Unravelling the True Burden”