



**Conference on Smart Sustainable Cities in Vietnam and
Official Opening Ceremony**

8th May, 2017

Hoa Binh Hotel, 27 Ly Thuong Kiet, Hanoi

8:00-8:30	Registration:
8:30-9:50	Opening ceremony <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Opening remark<ul style="list-style-type: none">- Prof. Viet-Anh Nguyen, SAUNAC representative, HUCE• Welcome speeches<ul style="list-style-type: none">- HUCE Rector, Pham Zduy Hoa,- Turku University of applied science (TUAS) Vice rector Juhani Soini "How Saunac project may promote sustainable, intelligent urban development in Vietnam through higher education",- Delegate from Ministry of Education,- Delegate from Ministry of Construction,• Agreement signing ceremony,• Official announcement of the SAUNAC project: project manager Henna Knuutila, TUAS,• Group photo session.
10:00-10:20	Coffee break
10:20-11:20	Plenary session 1: Keynote lectures <ol style="list-style-type: none">1. Smart Cities, Theory and Practice (Prof. Dr. I.J Opstelten from HU Utrecht),2. Challenges and opportunities to develop smart cities in Vietnam,3. Innovative pedagogy in higher education for Smart city, engineering and business, Harri Lappalainen, TUAS.
11:20-12:10	Plenary session 2: Case studies on Smart Cities <ol style="list-style-type: none">4. Open data for Vietnam smart cities,5. Waste management in smart cities for sustainable development6. Smart city case study: Ecopark, Green city model application in Vietnam.



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12:10-13:10	Buffet lunch	
13:10-14:30	<p>Parallel 1: Round table discussion – Stakeholder collaboration for Smart Sustainable Cities.</p> <p>The objective of this session is to share cooperation experiences from each of the stakeholders (universities, government, private sectors, enterprises, EU companies...).</p> <p>The discussion follows the topics:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Collaborative pathways for smart cities: lessons from EU countries, • Business and cooperation for Smart Vietnamese cities, • Initiatives for collaboration between Universities, private sectors and public authorities towards implementing Smart Sustainable Cities concept in Vietnam. 	<p>Parallel 2: Educational practices for Smart Sustainable Cities.</p> <p>This session will discuss the content of collaborative education, research and develop smart city concept in the context of Vietnamese universities.</p> <p>The topics for discussions are:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Smart cities from theory to practice: challenges and opportunities, • Possibility for joint research and development projects for Smart cities in Vietnam, • Piloting smart city concept in Vietnam: feasible/ practical approach, • Q&A.
14:30-14:50	Coffee break	
14:50-15:20	<p>Plenary session 3</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Summary of the Parallel sessions, Facilitators from Parallel sessions, • Concluding remark, • Closing remark, • Announcement for networking evening. 	
15:20-17:00	Networking event	
17:00-18.20	Internal meeting	

Registration for attendance can be made [here](#)