



HO CHI MINH CITY

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PROPOSAL FOR IEEE SMC 2027

Oct. 7-10, 2027

HO CHI MINH CITY, VIETNAM



**IEEE
SMC**
Systems, Man, and Cybernetics Society



HO CHI MINH CITY - A MODERN METROPOLIS

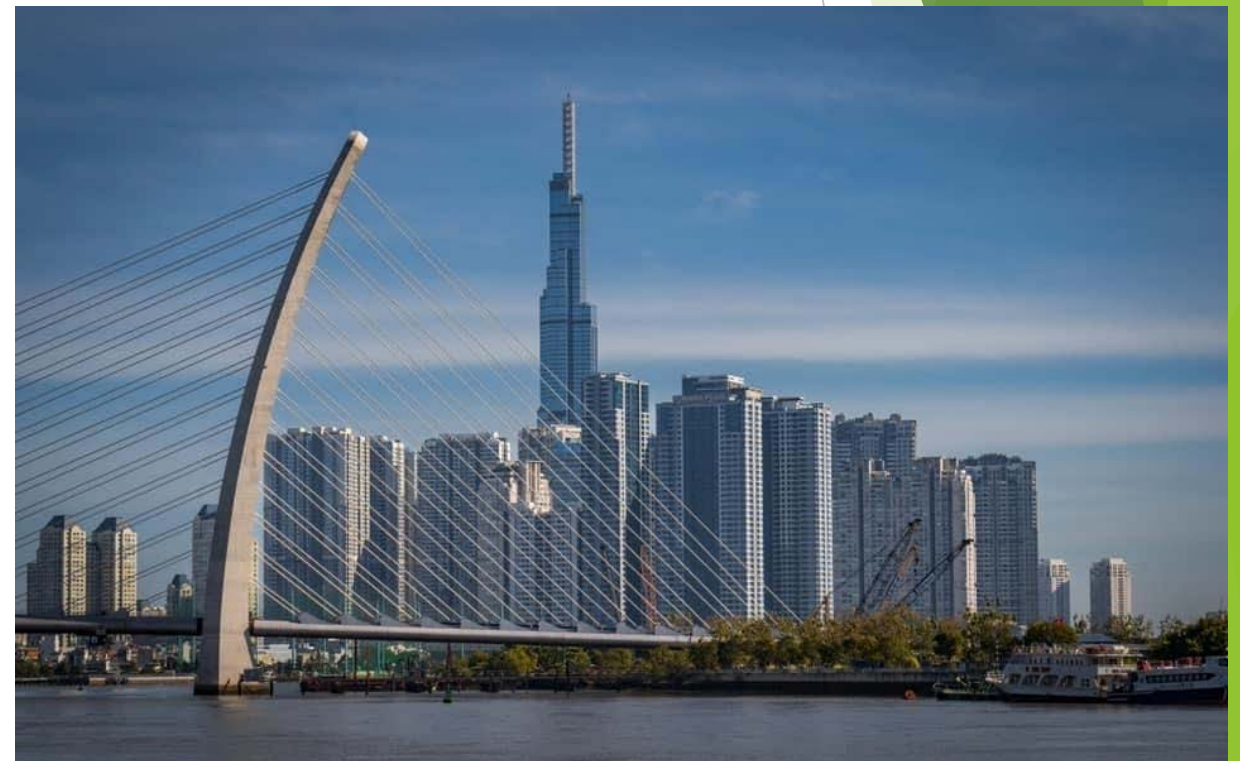
HO CHI MINH CITY AT A GLANCE

- **Language:** Vietnamese, English
- **Population:** 10 millions
- **Currency:** Vietnam Dong



HO CHI MINH CITY IS WILDLY KNOWN AS..

- the business and financial hub of Vietnam
- classic French architecture and sleek skyscrapers



Modern city lying downstream of Dong Nai and Sai Gon rivers, HCMC is surrounded and traversed by almost 1,000 kilometers of rivers and canals which offer a great potential for waterway tourism





Traditional market



Traditional Aodai

















Traditional Xichlo



Popular sidewalk coffee

Expat Life in 7 Asian Cities

	 Bangkok Thailand	 Ho Chi Minh City Vietnam	 Hong Kong HKSAR	 Kuala Lumpur Malaysia	 Shanghai China	 Singapore Singapore	 Tokyo Japan
 Overall Ranking	11th	6th	46th	1st	13th	5th	53rd
 Quality of Urban Living	43rd	52nd	36th	41st	19th	3rd	14th
 Getting Settled	18th	10th	28th	1st	27th	12th	57th
 Urban Work Life	40th	10th	46th	30th	13th	37th	49th
 Finance & Housing	3rd	2nd	36th	1st	22nd	20th	43rd
 Local Cost of Living	9th	2nd	54th	3rd	27th	43rd	38th
 Happiness Level	85%	89%	81%	85%	79%	79%	65%

The Expat City Ranking 2021 covers 57 cities in total.

Ho Chi Minh City ranks sixth in top 10 cities for expats in 2021

Ranking sixth out of 57 cities, Ho Chi Minh City made it into the top 10 in four indices, and wound up in the bottom 10 in the fifth - quality of urban living - InterNations

INTERNATIONAL ROUTE MAP



HO CHI MINH CITY IS BEST CONNECTED IN THE WORLD

- *Chặng bay do Vietnam Airlines khai thác*
Operated by Vietnam Airlines.
- - - *Chặng bay hợp tác liên danh với các hãng hàng không khác*
Operated by codeshare partners.



*Vietnam Airlines cũng hợp tác liên danh với SNCF từ Paris đến 19 điểm nội địa Pháp.
Vietnam Airlines offers codeshare services on 19 domestic French routes to/from Paris operated by SNCF.*

CONVENTION CENTER IN HCMC

GEM CENTER – DISTRICT 1, CITY CENTER

As the two halls of GEM Center, Castor and Pollux impress with their creative wood art works. Especially with a ceiling height of nearly 9m and a capacity of more than 1,000 guests along with outstanding technical and structural features, this place is suitable for the needs and soaring ideas of all types of events.



CONVENTION CENTER IN HCMC

SHERATON HOTEL – DISTRICT 1, CITY CENTER

Not only providing an ideal accommodation for visitors to visit Saigon, but Sheraton Saigon Hotel is also a venue for events and meetings. Here, Sheraton offers an area of more than 2,500 square meters with 18 meeting rooms with spacious space and equipped with modern infrastructure to meet all different needs of customers.



CONVENTION CENTER IN HCMC

Another convention centers and 4-5 stars hotels

WHITE PALACE - <https://whitepalace.com.vn/hvt/>

THE ADORA - <https://theadora.vn/>

NOVOTEL SAIGON CENTER - <https://www.novotel-saigon-centre.com/vi/>

SOFITEL SAIGON PLAZA - <https://sofitel-saigon-plaza.com/vi/>

INTERCONTINENTAL SAIGON - <https://www.icsaigon.com/>

LIBERTY CENTRER SAIGON RIVER SIDE - <https://www.libertycentralsaigoncentre.com/vi/>

LE MÉRIDIEN SAIGON - <https://www.lameridienhosaigon.com.vn/>

PARK HYATT SAIGON - <https://www.hyatt.com/en-US/hotel/vietnam/park-hyatt-saigon/saigon>

REX HOTEL SAIGON - <https://www.rexhotelsaigon.com/>



Key Features

Hotels

Hotels	124
Meeting Rooms	390
Sleeping Rooms	16,644
Largest Event Space / Venue	Holiday Inn & Suites Saigon Airport, 4,248 sq. ft.
Largest Meeting Room	Holiday Inn & Suites Saigon Airport, 12,584 sq. ft.
Average Sleeping Rooms per Hotel	134
Average Meeting Rooms per Hotel	3
Hotel Room Rate	\$82 - \$2,699

Convention Centers

Convention Centers	7
Meeting Rooms	40

According to statistics, Ho Chi Minh City currently has more than 2,320 accommodation establishments, of which about 20 hotels meet 5-star standards and about 120 hotels have 3 stars or higher.

LOCAL ORGANIZERS



HO CHI MINH CITY OF TECHNOLOGY AND EDUCATION

FACTS AND FIGURES

Two campuses with total area of 21 ha and 128,128 m² of construction area

Over 26,000 students (19,000 full-time undergraduates and 7,000 part-time)

Over 600 faculty members and 200 administrative staff with 90 PhD holders

13 faculties, 1 institute and 16 centers

98 practice workshops (16,980 m²) and 58 laboratories (10,362 m²)

175 classrooms with a total area of 27,902 m², size of each varying from 42 m² to 187 m²

Computers: 1,100 for teaching, learning and research; 450 for management and administration

A football field (10,000 m²), three volleyball courts, a tennis court and a sporting event hall

Two dormitories accommodating 2416 students

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VISION

HCMC University of Technology and Education is a fully autonomous entity. The university aims at becoming a leading hub for training, research, innovation and entrepreneurship in Vietnam, which can be on par with other regional and international prestigious universities.



MISSION

HCMC University of Technology and Education provides services of practical training, applied research and community outreach. It is committed to continuous innovation and creativity, offering high quality human resources and scientific products to the fields of vocational education, science and technology to meet the demands of the socio-economic development of the country.

EDUCATIONAL PHILOSOPHY

Humanity – Innovation – Integration

CORE VALUES

The core values of a comprehensive and modern education system which HCMC University of Technology and Education has been appreciating, preserving, and implementing creatively include

- + Upholding and implementation of Vietnamese people's humane traditional values.
- + Cultivation of talent and creativity, with a focus on training professional skills and responsibility.
- + Respect for the learners and community's benefits. Building an ever-learning society.
- + High regard for quality, effectiveness, and innovation in activities.
- + Integration, cooperation, and sharing

QUALITY POLICY

The university continuously improves its quality of teaching, learning, research and community services to provide students optimal opportunities for all-round competence development, meeting the national demands of the socio-economic development and international integration.

(Attached to decision No. 1420/QĐ-ĐHSPKT on May 11, 2020)

Preliminary Conference Committee

- Honorary Chairs
Prof. Tsu-Tien Lee, Taiwan
- Steering Committee
Prof. Sam Kwong, China
Dr. Adrian Stoica, USA
Prof. Imre Rudas, Hungary
Dr. Eddie Tunstel, USA
Prof. Ljiljana Trajkovic, Canada
- General Chairs
Prof. Le Hieu Giang, Vietnam
Prof. Yo-Ping Huang, Taiwan
- Special Session Chairs
- Tutorial Chairs
- Workshop Chairs
- Financial Chairs
- Program Chairs
Prof. Hoang An Quoc, Vietnam
Prof. Shun-Feng Su, Taiwan
- Program Co-Chairs
- Publicity Chair
Prof. Vu Van Phong - HCMUTE
- Web Chair
Chau Ngoc Thin
- Registration & Local Arrangement
Thin Chau, Nguyen Nguyen, Truc Tran, Huy Dinh, Thuy Phung, Nam Nguyen, Phuc Bui

Preliminary Budget - INCOMES

INCOMES (USD)							
Items	Amount (USD)	Est number of attendees			Est totals		
		600	800	1000	600	800	1000
1. Registration							
1.1 Early Bird							
IEEE SMC Members	950	200	265	330	190,000	251,750	313,500
Other IEEE Members	1,100	150	200	250	165,000	220,000	275,000
IEEE SMC Life Members	650	5	10	15	3,250	6,500	9,750
other IEEE Life Members	750	5	10	15	3,750	7,500	11,250
IEEE SMC Student Members	650	25	35	45	16,250	22,750	29,250
Other IEEE Student Members	750	25	35	45	18,750	26,250	33,750
Non IEEE Members	1,200	50	65	70	60,000	78,000	84,000
Non IEEE Student Members	850	20	25	30	17,000	21,250	25,500
1.2 Late							
IEEE SMC Members	1,100	40	50	60	44,000	55,000	66,000
Other IEEE Members	1,200	25	30	40	30,000	36,000	48,000
IEEE SMC Life Members	750	-	-	-	-	-	-
other IEEE Life Members	850	-	-	-	-	-	-
IEEE SMC Student Members	750	15	20	25	11,250	15,000	18,750
Other IEEE Student Members	850	5	5	10	4,250	4,250	8,500
Non IEEE Members	1,200	25	35	45	30,000	42,000	54,000
Non IEEE Student Members	900	10	15	20	9,000	13,500	18,000
1.3 Additional							
Additional Paper	300	50	65	85	15,000	19,500	25,500
VIPs	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Total Registration (1)		600	800	1,000	617,500	819,250	1,020,750

Items	Amount (USD)	Est number of attendees			Est totals		
		600	800	1000	600	800	1000
2. Social							
Additional Banquet Ticket	200	25	35	45	5000	7000	9000
Total Social (2)					5000	7000	9000

Items	Amount (USD)	Est number of attendees			Est totals		
		600	800	1000	600	800	1000
3. Exhibition							
Exhibitors					15,000	15,000	15,000
Total Exhibitors (3)					15,000	15,000	15,000

Items	Amount (USD)	Est number of attendees			Est totals		
		600	800	1000	600	800	1000
4. Promotors							
Endorsements					10,000	10,000	10,000
Total Promotors (4)					10,000	10,000	10,000

	Est totals		
	600	800	1000
Total Income (1), (2), (3), (4)	647,500	851,250	1,054,750

Preliminary Budget – EXPENSES

Expenses (USD)			
ITEM	Est no. attendees		
	600	800	1000
1. Promotion, PR	15,000	17,000	20,000
Total Promotion, PR	15,000	17,000	20,000

2 Proceedings			
E-conference Platform	2,000	2,500	3,000
Editing	3,000	3,500	4,000
Total Proceedings	5,000	6,000	7,000

3. Administration			
Room rental	170,000	200,000	240,000
Conference handling and administration	15,000	20,000	25,000
Conference secretariat/organizer/committee	10,000	15,000	20,000
Webpage	2,000	2,000	2,000
Make content	1,500	1,500	1,500
Miscellaneous administration	5,000	7,000	10,000
Total Administration	203,500	245,500	298,500

4. Technical Equipment			
Tech equipment/services	10,000	12,000	14,000
Scanner	5,000	5,000	5,000
Miscellaneous tech equipment	5,000	7,500	1,000
Total Tech Equipment	20,000	24,500	20,000

5. Social			
Welcome reception	6,000	7,500	8,500
Conference launches	60,000	80,000	100,000
Coffee/Tea breaks	30,000	35,000	40,000
Gala dinner	50,000	70,000	80,000
Misc social	5,000	7,000	10,000
Total social	151,000	199,500	238,500

6. Contingency			
~10% from incomes	64,750	85,125	105,475

Total Expenses	459,250	577,625	689,475
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<i>Total Income</i>	647,500	851,250	1,054,750
<i>Total Expenses</i>	459,250	577,625	689,475
Surplus	188,250	273,625	365,275

INTL' CONFERENCE ORGANIZED BY HCMUTE

SERIES of The International Conference on System Science and Engineering (ICSSE)
- *Published to IEEE Xplore*



INTL' CONFERENCE ORGANIZED BY HCMUTE

The International Conference on Green Technology and Sustainable Development (GTSD)
- Published to IEEE Xplore and Springer



CONFERENCE SUPPORT

- ▶ From Ho Chi Minh City Department of Science and Technology
- ▶ From Taiwanese universities
- ▶ From Tech companies in Vietnam





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**HO CHI MINH CITY AND HCMUTE
WARMLY WELCOME THE
SCHOLARS, EXPERTS, ENGINEERS,
AND PRACTITIONERS FROM ALL
OVER THE WORLD!**