OVERVIEW OF VCCI AND CURRENT EXHIBITION AND TRADE FAIR ACTIVITIES IN VIETNAM

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The Vietnam Chamber of Commerce and Industry (Abbreviation: VCCI) is a non-governmental, non-profit organization.
The Vietnam Chamber of Commerce and Industry is the national organization which assembles and represents the business community, entrepreneurs, employers, and business associations in Vietnam.
Overview of VCCI

The purpose of the Chamber is to develop, protect, and support the business community, contribute to national socio-economic development.
VCCI – Ho Chi Minh City Branch

Its largest branch situated in Ho Chi Minh City (VCCI-HCM) operates in Ho Chi Minh City and 6 other provinces in the South, i.e., Binh Duong, Binh Phuoc, Dong Nai, Long An, Lam Dong, Tay Ninh.
Our services

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Together for Our Planet

The world we are living is facing many issues of climate change, environmental pollution, flooding,... that impact and prevent “Sustainable development”, VCCI - we are participating in variety of international and national projects to jointly come up with solutions for sustainable development such as renewable energy development, low emission energy, circular economy, symbiotic economy, water circulation, ... aiming at the Net-zero goal in 2050.
Current Exhibition Industry in Vietnam
Current Exhibition Industry of Vietnam

Since opening the economy, Vietnam's economy has grown at a high rate over the years, and is one of the fastest growing countries in the world. In addition to economic development activities in general, the exhibition industry also developed through regular exhibitions held in big cities such as Hanoi capital, Ho Chi Minh City, Danang City, ...
Exhibition centers in Hanoi

Hanoi International Center For Exhibition (ICE Hanoi)

Future National Exhibition Center
Exhibition centers in Ho Chi Minh City

SECC in Ho Chi Minh City

Tan Binh Exhibition & Conference Center in Ho Chi Minh City
Exhibition centers in Danang City and Binh Duong Province

- WTC Expo in Binh Duong Province
- Danang Exhibition Center
International Expo

Moreover, many enterprises and industries also participate in exhibition activities abroad such as in Europe, America, Thailand, Japan, China, ... to promote their products and services to customers from other countries.
According to my observation, although the exhibition industry is organized more often, there is not a full report or statistics in details of the exhibition industry in Vietnam. This makes the exhibition industry not really developed in line with the economic development potential of Vietnam.
Current Exhibition Industry of Vietnam

Our world has suffered 2 years of the covid-19 pandemic, disrupting and affecting all activities including the exhibition industry in Vietnam. Trade fairs have only recently returned to normal when the covid-19 pandemic is under control. However, the level of participation of both exhibitors and visitors are still limited due to concerns about covid-19.
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Although all restrictions on covid-19 have been completely removed in Vietnam, fair trade and exhibition activities are still not as good as before the covid-19 pandemic. The main reason is that there are some countries that still have strict control with covid-19, typically China's zero covid-19 policy. This is the place that there are the most enterprises participating in exhibitions and trade fairs, and currently they cannot participate in exhibitions abroad, including in Vietnam.
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However, with strong belief, countries will completely remove restrictions related to covid-19 in the last months of 2022. This will be an opportunity and spur the exhibition industry to flourish like a spring was compressed for long and now it is the opportunity for that spring to bounce back strongly.
Thank you very much for your listening