

WORKSHOP INVITATION

Launch of Research Outputs on: "Developing an Energy Social Accounting Matrix (ESAM) to support an equitable energy and green transition in Viet Nam"

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Energy transition is central to Viet Nam's vision for a new model of economic growth. As a fundamental input to socio-economic development, energy not only shapes economic competitiveness but also has a profound impact on macroeconomic stability, social welfare and quality of people's life.

In the context of Viet Nam's ambition for sustained high economic growth and sustainable development, the energy transition must ensure national energy security, strengthen resilience, improve resource utilization efficiency, enhance competitiveness and social equity and inclusive progress.

The Institute for Policy and Strategy Studies, in collaboration with the United Nations Development Programme (UNDP) in Vietnam, is organizing a workshop to publicize the outputs of the research titled *"Developing an Energy Social Accounting Matrix (ESAM) to support an equitable energy and green transition in Viet Nam"*.

The research was jointly conducted by the Institute for Policy and Strategy Studies, the University of Copenhagen (Denmark), the National Statistics Office of Vietnam, and UNDP. The workshop aims to present and discuss research findings including the dataset, quantitative analysis tools, the applicability and other assessment to contribute to policymaking for a just energy transition.

Time: 8:30 AM – 11:30 AM, Monday, July 13, 2026

Venue: Pan Pacific Hotel, No. 1 Thanh Nien Road, Ba Dinh, Hanoi

(Tentative workshop agenda attached)

We sincerely invite delegates to attend and contribute your opinions at the Workshop.

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We look forward to your participation./.

UNDP Vietnam Resident Representative



Ramla Khalidi

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Time	Content
8:15 – 8:30	Registration
8:30 – 8:40	Introductory remarks
8:40 – 9:00	Opening Speeches - <i>Leader of the Central Commission of Policy and Strategy</i> - <i>Ms. Ramla Khalidi, UNDP Resident Representative in Viet Nam</i>
9:00 – 9:30	Developing the Energy Social Accounting Matrix (ESAM) for Vietnam: the findings <i>Dr. Dang Thi Thu Hoai, Director of Division for Sectoral and Local Economic Research, Institute for Policy and Strategy Studies</i>
9:30 – 10:00	Quantitative Models for Analyzing Just Energy Transition in Vietnam: International Experience and Policy Recommendations <i>Prof. Finn Tarp, University of Copenhagen, Denmark</i>
10:00 – 10:15	Coffee Break
10:15 – 11:15	Discussion Session: Policy Directions for Promoting Just Energy Transition in Vietnam <i>Moderated by: Mr. Nguyen Hoa Cuong, Vice President, Institute for Policy and Strategy Studies</i> Speakers: - <i>Dr. Jonathan Pincus, Dean of Fulbright School of Public Policy and Management, Fulbright University</i> - <i>Assoc. Prof. Dr. Nguyen Dinh Tho, Vice President, Institute for Agricultural and Environmental Policy and Strategy</i> - <i>Dr. Nguyen Ngoc Hung, Head of Energy Economics Division, Institute of Energy</i> - <i>Dr. Pham Ngoc Toan, Director, Center for Strategic Information, Analysis, Forecasting and Public Services, Institute of State Organization and Labor Sciences, Ministry of Home Affairs</i> - <i>Assoc. Prof. Dr. Vu Sy Cuong, Deputy Head, Department of Financial Policy Analysis, Academy of Finance</i>
11:15 – 11:30	Closing Remarks <i>Mr. Nguyen Hoa Cuong, Vice President, Institute for Policy and Strategy Studies</i>