

VINACAPITAL'S 2023 INVESTOR CONFERENCE WELCOMES A RECORD NUMBER OF ATTENDEES FROM AROUND THE WORLD

Ho Chi Minh City, 03 October 2023 – VinaCapital Group, one of Vietnam's leading investment management companies, opened its 2023 Investor Conference at the Park Hyatt Saigon this morning, with over 150 guests from around the world in attendance. The two-day conference, which is being held as VinaCapital celebrates its 20th anniversary next month, features a variety of speakers representing a wide range of industries and sectors, from tech startups to established industrial companies and banks.

Don Lam, CEO and Founding Partner of VinaCapital Group, said: "It is always a pleasure to welcome investors back to Vietnam, but it is particularly special this year as VinaCapital prepares to mark its 20th anniversary. The strong turnout is evidence that Vietnam's attractiveness for investment is as high as it has ever been, and we are delighted to share our insights into the exciting opportunities we see in the market today."

This year's conference will cover a number of key topics, including:

- Economic and stock market outlooks
- FDI trends
- Logistics infrastructure
- Banking sector update
- Updates on VinaCapital's industry leading funds
- Impact of PDP8 on investment opportunities in renewable energy
- Evolution of ESG investing in Vietnam
- Growth capital and Vietnam's new emerging economy
- The resiliency of domestic consumption
- Update and opportunities in real estate
- VinaCapital Foundation

The sessions will feature senior executives from VinaCapital and guests including Mr. Paul DiGiacomo (BDA Partners), Mr. Huy Tran (Asia Commercial Bank), Mr. Chanitr Charnchainarong (Central Group), Mr. Joseph Low (Keppel Land Vietnam), Mr. Huy Pham (Nam Long Group), Mr. Dhruv Narain (AP Moller Capital), Mr. Hiep Le (Transimex), Ms. Thao Tran and Mr. Thong Le (Phu Nhuan Jewelry), Mr. Duong Tran (Vincom Retail), and Mr. Trung Vu (MB Bank), as well as representatives from startups Gene Solutions, DutyCast, and Homebase. His Excellency, the United States Ambassador to Vietnam, Mr. Marc Knapper, will deliver remarks about the recent signing of the Vietnam-U.S. Comprehensive Strategic Partnership and the opportunities it opens up for economic cooperation between the two countries and for U.S. companies and investors.

"Beyond our traditional funds, today VinaCapital is focused on sustainability, the green transition, and reinforcing the economy's solid foundation for robust and inclusive growth. Our clean and



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renewable energy projects, our newly launched VinaCarbon Climate Impact Fund, our co-founding of the Institute for Circular Economy Development, and EDGE Champion certification from the IFC for our real estate projects are just a few examples of how VinaCapital is continuing to play a leading role in Vietnam’s ongoing sustainable economic development,” concluded Mr. Lam.

VinaCapital held its first investor conference in 2005 as a platform to introduce Vietnam to foreign investors and promote investment opportunities in the country. The conferences enable current and prospective investors to personally experience Vietnam and witness its growth firsthand, as well as hear unique insights and perspectives from a range of experts and play an important role in attracting international investment into Vietnam.

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About VinaCapital

Founded in 2003, VinaCapital is a leading investment management firm headquartered in Vietnam, with a diversified portfolio of USD4 billion in assets under management. VinaCapital is the only company investing across all asset classes in Vietnam, managing a closed-end fund listed on the London Stock Exchange as well as several open-ended funds for international and local investors that are distributed through a variety of channels. VinaCapital was awarded “Best Fund House –Vietnam” in 2018-2020 and 2023 by *Asia Asset Management* magazine. The company also has partnerships with a number of international investors in hospitality, venture capital, and energy. As a responsible corporate citizen, VinaCapital prioritizes investments in companies contributing to Vietnam’s sustainable growth. VinaCapital is a founding member of the Institute for Circular Economy Development (ICED) to promote and drive initiatives on the environment and economic development.

More information about VinaCapital may be found at <https://vinacapital.com/>.

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