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The Vietnamese Culture and Science Association Annual Newsletter



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Message from the President

It is my great honor to begin as the sixth President of The Vietnamese Culture and Science Association (2018-2020). My nonprofit journey with VCSA started 12 years ago when I attended Len Duong Camp 2006 in Virginia. The experiences I had, and the lessons I learned from Camp, changed my life and shaped me into the person I am today. Since that first experience in 2006, I have been involved as Len Duong staff and worked as a VCSA intern during my undergrad year. I had the privilege to be the Camp Master of Len Duong in 2015. I have enjoyed participating in many other VCSA activities and events throughout the years. I am very fortunate to get to know the great supporters and volunteers that join us on the path to carry out VCSA's mission. I hope you will continue to support VCSA, as well as myself, in this new endeavor to help strengthen the organization's connection with the community through many more cultural programs and events.

As the year 2018 comes to an end, it is time for us to review all the highlights of this past year and to celebrate VCSA's achievements:

- VCSA Houston continues to serve as the VCSA headquarter and works collaboratively with the 7 remote chapters in Dallas, Austin, Washington DC, San Diego, Minnesota, Toronto, and our newest member from city of Vancouver. GRACE (Gratitude, Respect, Accountability, Courage, Engagement) continues to be integrated with our core values in all aspects.
- Góp Lá Mùa Xuân Concert in April 22, 2018 to help raise funds for the children and orphans in Vietnam. The concert was partially sponsored by the Houston Community College International Student Services at their newest campus in Southwest Houston.
- Len Duong Leadership Development Camp was successfully delivered in May in Forest Glen Camp, Huntsville, TX with participants from across the US and Canada. Len Duong Camp continues to inspire campers to be leaders and to take action. This year's theme was "Y.E.U - Youth Empowering Unity"
- Annual Youth Excellence Recognition Program – Vietnamese-American students continue to make us proud with their achievements. Twenty-nine Vietnamese-American valedictorians and salutatorians were identified in the Houston area and vicinity, and twenty-two were honored at this event.
- The Mid-Autumn Children's Festival was held at the Houston Children's Museum in September, in partnership with Khai Tri Academy. We were able to introduce our culture through various activities with almost 5000 participants/visitors to the museum.
- Leadership Development Bonfire Passion or LDBP, our Houston VCSA Youth Chapter, fueled by the energy from Len Duong Camp, stayed very busy in 2018. They executed several workshops, many community events to promote volunteerism in our vietnamese youth community within the city of Houston and vicinity. This year, they also participated in a culture event held by the Asian Pacific Islander American Public Affairs - Houston Chapter at HCC West Loop to showcase our Vietnamese roots.
- Nuoc Non Ngan Dam 2 (Thousand Miles from Home 2) concert was held at HBU Dunham Theater was a huge success with more than 1200 attendees. The event promoted our beloved Vietnamese music and art and honoring Mr. Le, Van Khoa with his lifetime contribution to the Vietnamese music and such a beautiful harmonious collaboration between VCSA members, friends, supporters, sponsors, and supporters.

As you can see, VCSA delivers. We continue to stay very busy and committed to serve. VCSA is very grateful to establish and maintain our relationships with great corporations and the business community that provide us with the continued support needed for our programs and services. We hope that you will continue to support VCSA in 2019 and beyond. Particularly, I am super excited to work with the young group graduated from Len Duong 2018 in prep for the grand project of Viet Fest 2019. On behalf of the Executive Board, I would like to take this opportunity to sincerely thank all VCSA sponsors and members, partnering organizations, supporters, volunteers, our Board of Directors and the Advisory Board, for your continuous guidance and support to help us deliver our mission.

Sincerely,

Dr. Thien M. Cao
President

Message from the Board Chairs



Greetings,

On behalf of the Board of Directors of VCSA, we would like to send our best wishes to you and your family for a wonderful New Year 2019 full of prosperity and happiness!

2018 has been a fantastic year for VCSA as we ushered in the next generation of leaders and successfully completed a project that has been years in the making, Nước Non ngàn Dặm II concert. This cultural event showcased Vietnamese music in the Western orchestral setting and also the collaboration of multiple groups including composer, musician Le Van Khoa, the Houston Civic Symphony Orchestra, the Chan Ly choir of the Dominican Sisters of Houston, the Viet Choir led by Mr. Vien Phuong from Houston, and our wonderful volunteers. Other great highlights of programs in 2018 include the White House AAPI Meet and Greet meeting for the Houston AAPI communities to meet with the Executive Director from DC in January, our 21st Youth Leadership Development camp Len Duong during Memorial Holiday weekend followed by the 22nd Annual Youth Excellence Recognition Luncheon in August. We also partnered with the Children’s Museum of Houston to host the 15th annual Mid-Autumn Festival in October. The year ended strongly with Thousand Miles from Home II concert with a sold-out audience and excellent performing art and cultural program.

After the devastation of Hurricane Harvey in 2017, we were very fortunate to have the continued support of multiple local corporations and institutions who believe in our mission and goals of community building. We are grateful for the wonderful partnership with the VNCH (Vietnamese Community of Houston and Vicinity) for the Harvey Relief initiative and especially for Dr. John Nguyen and Shell for supporting the Harvey Relief Fund. We also thank Regal Nail Salon, Shell, Texas Instruments and Thoi Bao and so many other sponsors for your continuing support of our community programs throughout the year. It is also with great honor for VCSA to receive the Organization Support Grant from City of Houston and Houston Art Alliances to deliver our cultural programs for 2019.

We greatly appreciate the collaboration and partnership established with Chinese Community Center, VN Teamwork, OCA and the Natural Science Museum of Houston and several other community organizations in the AAPI communities in Houston. We look forward to another successful year of 2019 with these collaborations.

Our best wishes to you and your family for a great holiday season and thank you for your continued sponsorship, volunteerism, membership and partnership. We look forward to celebrating 2019 with you!

Yours Truly,

Two handwritten signatures in black ink. The first signature is 'Anh Lan' and the second is 'Jenny Le'. Both are written in a cursive, flowing style.

Dr. AnhLan Nguyen & Jenny Le
Co-Board Chairs

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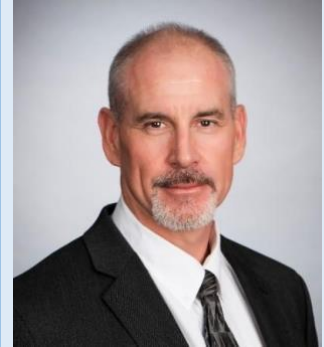
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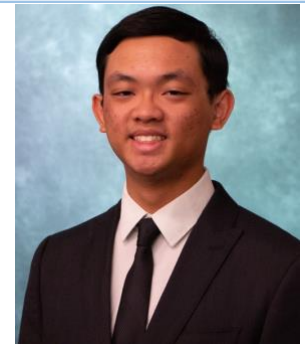
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White House AAPI Initiative Meet and Greet

On January 18, 2018 despite the severe weather, VCSA has the honor to collaborate with VN Teamwork to host a special Meet and Greet for Ms. Holly Ham, Executive Director of the White House Asian Pacific American and Islanders (AAPI) Initiative. Dr. Anhlan Nguyen (VCSA) and Mr. Michael Nguyen (VN Teamwork) have organized a very successful meeting for more than 30 non-profit AAPI community organizations to welcome Ms. Holly Ham to her home town (she graduated from University of Houston and previously worked for Compaq Corporation). The event provided a platform for all representatives of the AAPI communities in Houston and Vicinity to share their questions/concerns about the White House AAPI initiatives and projects. Ms. Holly Ham was very impressed with the vibrancy of our Houston AAPI communities and invited us to come to DC to join her in the celebration of the Lunar New Year in February.



MID-AUTUMN FESTIVAL



On September 22, 2018 VCSA celebrates our 15th Mid-autumn festival at the Children's Museum of Houston (CMH). This event is a great tradition to bring family and friends together to celebrate the harvest under a full moon, giving thanks for nature's abundance and for joyful reunions with loved ones. Our core team consisted of Elena Tran, Lam Nguyen, Nanhi Tran, David Toan Nguyen and Emily Le, along with over 60 volunteers put together this fantastic event for the community. According to CMH count, the day of the Tet Trung Thu festival brings in 3,000 guests into their museum to enjoy: lion dancing, Vietnamese storytelling, DIY ao dai workshop, and lantern parade.



CAMP LEN DUONG 2018

Len Duong Camp embarked on its 21st Annual Youth Leadership Camp in Huntsville Texas over the memorial weekend. With over 6 months of planning and organizing, the team brought over 250 campers to kick off another inspiring year with this year's theme Y.E.U – Youth Empowering Unity. The camp successfully continued to follow tradition and unite multigenerational ages of volunteers and campers across the U.S. and Canada. Starting from Friday, the campers and staff embraced the theme of Y.E.U. among each other as they unfrightenedly worked together to find their teammates. The awakening moment was when they all joined forces to after finding their teams and carried a puzzle framed heart across the room. From strangers to becoming a strong union of friendship and a sense of family on Monday, many hugs and tears fell during our departure on Monday.

Our camp was also blessed by the presence of many well-known guests—Houston Councilman Steve Le, Dr. John Nguyen, Emmy Award winner artist, Vanessa Vo, Mr. Bao Nguyen, Ms. Duy-Loan Le, Ms Linda Akutagawa, Mr. Charlie Ton, Mr. Dat Nguyen, Dr. Hai Ho, Dr. Anhlan Nguyen, Mr. Jeff Watkins, Ms. Lisa Thao Nguyen.

Over 4 days of camp, campers and staff left camp with stronger connection with their culture and community. Even today 6 months after camp, campers are still returning to VCSA to assist and volunteer for their local chapters helping preserve the culture of the future generations of Vietnamese Americans through Yeu and Unity.



YOUTH EXCELLENCE RECOGNITION LUNCHEON

The 22nd Annual Youth Excellence Recognition Luncheon was held on Sunday August 5th, 2018 at Kim Son Restaurant with a packed audience of 500. The event honored 22 Vietnamese American who graduated as Valedictorian or Salutatorian of their respective high school for the class of 2018. The event was chaired by 2017 past honorees, Paul Vu and Xuan Tran along with a very strong team of approximately 70 past honorees and volunteers. The keynote speaker this year was Councilmember Dr. Duc (Steve) Le, a family medicine doctor affiliated with multiple hospitals in the area and also serves as Houston City Council Member from District F. Great kudos to Xuan Tran, Paul Vu, and the team for delivering an outstanding program and extremely well received by the communities. Our sincere thanks to Councilmember Dr. Steve Le.



Nước Non Ngàn Dặm II, Thousand Miles from Home II Concert



VCSA Houston team just completed an extraordinary event - the Nước Non Ngàn Dặm II concert - with a sold-out audience of 1,200 (great thanks to the big group from Dallas and Austin who came to support as usual, we are truly thankful for your friendship and we hope that you had a great time). This event was delivered by a 30-member team who has worked tirelessly in the past 18 months to bring to Houston one of the most significant cultural event featuring Musician Le, Van Khoa and Vietnamese music accompanying by Houston Civic Symphony Orchestra.



The team was led by Father Phạm Hữu Tâm, a great leader in our community and a long-time VCSA friend, advisor, and the project manager is our beloved Mr. Luong, Hoang Nam (one of our board members) alongside with an excellent program team led by our founder Mr. Nguyễn Ngọc Bảo, Mr. Hà Hữu Quang, our past president Elena Tran and so many more... The success of this program is not only in the cultural perspective (by the way Mayor Sylvester Turner proclaimed Nov 11 to be Le Van Khoa Day) but also helped to raise a good amount of money for our next community projects in 2019.



As one of the team leads from the organizing committee commented at the project closing meeting: "The key success factor was teamwork! The best teamwork was demonstrated in this project, not only at the event day but also during the 18 months of planning for the event. All team members were allowed to contribute at their best!"



Partially supported by City of Houston and Houston Art Alliance



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Camp Lên Đường ReYÊUnion

On July 15th, 2018 the Lên Đường ReYÊUnion was organized by Vincent Tran and Lily Lam to provide continuity to Lên Đường 2018. Simply stated, a group of campers felt a void after Lên Đường ended, so they decided to organize a reunion to bring everyone back together. The ReYÊUnion staff consisted of 20 passionate Lên Đường campers and as a team, they organized an event with nearly 100 attendees. The ReYÊUnion staff wanted to create a program that captured the essence of the camp with a program of games, a skit, food, a keynote speaker, and a photo booth. The ReYÊUnion event was organized to also showcase the campers' gratitude to all of the Lên Đường staff members' hardwork and dedication to create such an impactful camp.



VCSA College Preparedness Workshop



On July 27th, 2018 VCSA hosted a College Preparedness Workshop at Van Houston Academy. Thank you to our VVDV 2018 Co-chairs, Xuan Tran and Paul Vu for delivering such a successful workshop. The workshop had nearly 50 guests in attendance that included incoming college freshmen, high school students, and parents. Our outstanding panel of speakers included past honorees Xuyen Phan, Nicholas Nguyen, Bao-Tran Ma, Alex Tran, Cecilia Nguyen, Nathan Truong, and Van Houston Academy principal, Vy Van. Our audience got the chance to learn more about the college application process and transitioning to university life.

Nước Non Ngàn Dặm II Fundraiser

Thanks to the hard work of the NNND-2 Hosting Committee and fund raising team, a fundraising dinner was held on September 9 to raise funds for the concert to be held in November this year. Our sincere thanks to the Hosting Committee led by Rev Dr. Anthony Tam Pham including Mrs. Nga Dung Nguyen & Alpha Realtor, Ms. Sophia Huynh & Dr. Steve Nguyen, Mr. Tri La & Mrs. Thuy Vo – Kim Son restaurant, Dr. Trina La & Mr. Tan La, Mr. & Mrs. Kevin Ngo, Dr. Theresa Ngoan Tran, Dr. Mai Hoa Pham, Dr. Thanh Huong Nguyen, Mr. Bao Nguyen and Mr. Tinh Trinh – The event was blessed with the presence of Teresa Mai, Ngoc Ha, and Mr. Le Van Khoa from California. We raised more than \$40,000 from that event to cover the financial need for the big concert on November 11. Our sincere thanks for Kim Son Restaurant for being our Platinum sponsor and also support the dinner that evening, and Mr. Christopher Dzung Dinh for bringing his sound system to serve on that evening.



Góp Lá Mùa Xuân Concert



This is the second year VCSA delivered a very successful concert to raise funds for the disabled children and orphans at the Sunflower Center (Trung Tâm Hướng Dương) located at Bình Dương, Việt Nam. The center was founded by the famous one-armed guitarist and teacher, Mr. Nguyen, The Vinh. The Center has helped more than 100 children with disability or without parents to graduate from high school and then graduated from college. 100% of the students at this Center graduate from high school and college and some even was offered study abroad scholarship. The concert was partially sponsored by the Houston Community College International Student Services organization and was held on April 22, 2018 at the beautiful new campus of HCC in the Southwest area. The event was very well attended and well received by the community. Beside Nguyen, The Vinh, the one-armed guitarist, we also featured the born-blind guitarist Dat Nguyen from California, and two other disabled artists from Vietnam: Dr. Vo, Hoang Yen, Executive Director of the DRD Vietnam (Disability Research & Capacity Development), and Thuy Tien, vocalist and local Vietnamese instrumentalist Hải Yến and guitarist Hoang Phuc, pianist Hoang Lộc.



Việt Fest in September 2019

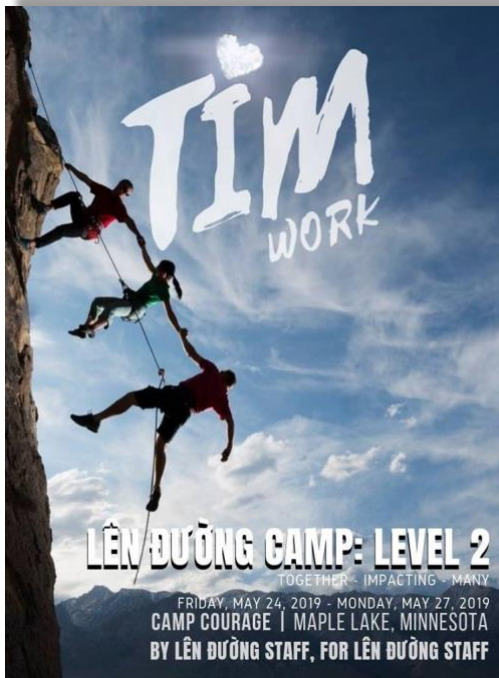
A group of motivated LD18 campers are set to launch the first ever Việt Fest to the greater Houston area in order to establish a platform to display and promote Vietnamese culture in Fall 2019. Việt Fest would be the perfect opportunity for parents and older generations to bring their children and grandchildren to reconnect with their roots and find out what it truly means to be a Vietnamese in America. For the Houston community as a whole, this would be a wonderful family event for all to be exposed to and become more aware of the beauty and richness of the Vietnamese culture. A successful Việt Fest can leave behind a legacy for future generations to come and something for them to be proud of further boosting their national pride.

Co-Founders: David-Toàn Nguyen and Vincent Tran

Co-Chairs: David-Toàn Nguyen, Lily Lam, and Alexander Le



Camp Len Duong, Level 2 in May 2019



We will have a very special staff-only Len Duong 2.0 that will focused on reinvigorating our volunteers and mapping out the strategic direction of Len Duong for 2020 and beyond. Len Duong staff members will have the chance to recharge and focus on team building and bonding. Len Duong 2.0 will be on May 24 to May 27, 2019 in Maple Lake, Minnesota. The organization committee is led by our former President, Ms. Elena Tran (Houston).

Houston Art Alliance Grant

VCSA was awarded a grant of \$18,750 from the Houston Art Alliance. This was a very competitive process with more than 130 applications were reviewed for the Support for Organizations program, and 2 panels were held over 4 days with a total of 19 panelists reviewing applications. In total, 126 applications were awarded funding, with 25% of awardees serving Houston’s historically underserved communities through their mission and programming.



Leadership Development Bonfire Passion

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APAPA's Fashion Cultural Showcase



"Fuel Up, Fire Up, and Spread the Bonfire Passion"

Leadership Development Bonfire Passion is a youth chapter within VCSA's Houston Chapter. LeadBP was founded by a group of Len Duong 2011 Campers who came back from the camp and was inspired to "be the change" in local community.

Our mission is to promote leadership, culture, and communication. We strive to bridge the gap and barriers between Vietnamese youth's culture, identity and diversity issues through workshops and outreach programs.

Halloween Party



Christmas Party



Leadership Development Bonfire Passion

Highlights in 2018

Volunteering at the Houston Food Bank



Volunteering at Nursing Home



LeadBP Retreat



Volunteering at BPSOS's Banh Mi Cook-Off



VCSA VOLUNTEERS RECOGNITION

Our sincere thanks to the following project coordinators who have successfully delivered VCSA programs in the year of 2018.

Camp Len Duong 2018

Tengah Nguyen | Camp Master
Tina Au & Jaime Duy | Camp Master Assistants



Mid-Autumn Festival

Elena Tran, Lam Nguyen, Nahni Tran,
David Toan Nguyen, and Emily Le | Co-Coordinators



Góp Lá Mùa Xuân

Anhlan Nguyen | Coordinator



Long Quang Nguyen | VCSA Staff



The 22nd Annual Youth Excellence Recognition Luncheon

Xuan Tran and Paul Vu | Co-Chairs



Nước Non Ngàn Dặm II Concert

Rev Dr. Tam Pham | Program Lead
Nam Luong, Elena Tran | Program Managers
Francis Ha | Music Director



Nước Non Ngàn Dặm II Concert Fundraising Event

Kim Phuong Le | Coordinator



Ann Nguyen | Summer Intern



VCSA VOLUNTEERS RECOGNITION

Thank you to all of our volunteers!



VCSA – SAN DIEGO CHAPTER

Vietnamese Culture and Science Association – San Diego activities revolve around comprehensive educational sessions with health screening performed by Asian Pacific Health Foundation (APHF) in the community. Kayla Giang, PharmD, a former volunteer while a student pharmacist at UCSD School of Pharmacy, has been Executive Director at APHF as of April 2017. Binh Nhung as Program Director, searches for sites such as churches, temples and community centers to host the health events twice a month. A strong student force from pre-professional to pharmacy students at UCSD Skaggs School of Pharmacy and other schools was recruited and trained at quarterly orientation sessions before actually working on patients.

Former co-president Leah Nhi Lê has returned to San Diego, and eager to start the new term for the VCSA San Diego executive Committee. See her statement as follows: “With the rapid rate of technological and scientific advances, the next generation of leaders will need to be able to adapt and evolve more quickly than ever. VCSA is uniquely positioned to help Vietnamese youth learn these necessary skills through their outreach programs, internationally recognized leadership camp, and associate chapters. The VCSA mission aligns with Leah’s core values of volunteerism and mentorship and she is excited to advance that mission and serve the San Diego chapter as the President.

In her own words: *“I have seen the positive and powerful impact that VCSA has had on the Vietnamese community in Houston and the resulting ripple effects it had around the world. The impact the VCSA-hosted Len Duong camp has had on my life was profound and has inspired me to carry on and spread the tenets of leadership beyond the camp itself. I carry G.R.A.C.E with me every day and that first-hand experience of transformation lit a fire within me to encourage others to do the same. I believe I am the right person to help support the VCSA mission and work to build up the Vietnamese community in San Diego.”* A meeting is planned in January 2019 for the new president to enunciate the program of activities for VCSA San Diego Chapter.

To VCSA San Diego, all Chapters Members and Collaborators,



Thank you for your exceptional work and generous support during the year.

HAPPY HOLIDAYS 2018

Asian Pacific Health Foundation www.aphfsd.org

VCSA – DALLAS CHAPTER

With the support of the VNTI at Texas Instruments and collaboration with ICEVN (Institute for Civic Education in Vietnam), VCSA-Dallas chapter organized successfully a workshop with the topic “Emotional Intelligence through the lens of GRACE” presented by Dr. Anhlan Nguyen – The Chapter also participated in a number of cultural activities throughout the year with the Vietnamese community in Dallas-Fort Worth.



VCSA – D.C. CHAPTER

VCSA DC chapter had a few activities this year focusing on supporting the Book Signing Event of ICEVN (Institute for Civic Education in Vietnam), promoting Camp Len Duong with a few talk shows, attending the Tet Celebration at the White House organized by the White House AAPI Task force, and celebrating the wedding ceremony of Dr. Charles Cuong Nguyen and Dr. Kim Yen Vu-Nguyen at Catholic University of America campus. A group of VCSA members from Houston came and joined the celebration. Congratulations again to Dr. Cuong & Kim Yen Nguyen for their renewing the vow ceremony.



VCSA – TORONTO CHAPTER

VCSA-Toronto chapter had a new elected president: Mr. Nhat Nhu Nguyen – The team organized a very successful fundraising event on April 1, 2018 at the beautiful residence of Mr. & Mrs. Ky Anh Do, a long time supporter and sponsor for Len Duong camp. The event attracted approximately 60 guests including our volunteers and Ms. Tengah Nguyen, LD2018 camp master was present at the event to deliver a remark on the reason why she volunteered to serve. Several testimonials from past campers also added a lot of positive emotions and excitement for the parents of the campers this year. Dr. Anhlan Nguyen, VCSA Board chair was also present at this event to support the event. The team raised more than \$10,000 CAD for camp Len Duong 2018. Congratulations to Nhat Nguyen and the VCSA Toronto chapter!



VCSA – AUSTIN CHAPTER



VCSA – HOUSTON CHAPTER



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VCSA is blessed to receive the support and sponsorship from several corporations and local businesses to help us deliver a year full of programs and services. We would like to acknowledge the support of Regal Nails Salon & Mr. Charlie Quy Ton, Mr. Dat Nguyen and Thoi Bao Inc., Shell Oil Company, VNTI group & Texas Instruments, CenterPoint Energy, Dr. Steve Nguyen & Mrs. Sophia Huynh, Ms. Nga Dung Nguyen & Mr. Binh Nguyen, Kim Son Restaurant (Mr. & Mrs. Tri La, Mr. Tan La & Dr. Trina La), Dr. Huong Le & Minh Nguyen (Providence), Van Lang IPA & Dr. Tram Ho and Mr. Duc Hoang, Ms. Christine Huynh and AB Realty, Dr. Thanh Huong Nguyen, Dr. Theresa Ngoan Tran, Dr. Robert Quang Le, Dr. Mai Tram Nguyen, Mr. & Mrs. Knut Eriksen, Catherine Tran Charity fund, Dr. Danh Le & Ms. Thanh Luu, the Vietnamese American Medical Association (VAMA), Saigon Eggroll, Mr. Kevin Duc Nguyen and Absolute Realty, Ms. Ann Tran & Luminous Home, Dr. Boon Tran and Omni Vision, and our media partner Mr. & Mrs. Duong Phuc, Ms. Kim Thoa Vu and Saigon Radio 900AM, Mr. & Mrs. Kevin Ngo & VietTV, Ms. Hoang Thanh Tam & SBTN Canada, VietFace TV and all other Viet media organizations in Texas, California and Canada. We also greatly appreciate the partnership with BPSOS, Chinese Community Center, VN Teamwork, Children's Museum of Houston, Natural Science Museum of Houston, Asia Society and Houston Arts Alliance. We are very thankful for the Organization Support Grants provided by City of Houston through Houston Arts Alliance for our cultural programs in 2018 and 2019.



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The Vietnamese Culture and Science Association is a non-profit organization founded in 1990. It has over 600 members; a majority of which is young Vietnamese American/Canadian professionals.

Mission Statement

The Vietnamese Culture & Science Association promotes excellence in education, leadership and skills development through culture and science. Our organization encourages multi-generational and cross cultural collaborations. We foster civic participation in the mainstream and Vietnamese community.

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