

INFORMATION OF SCIENTIFIC ACTIVITIES**Scientific workshop “Solutions to improve the quality of scientific research of Vietnam Academy of Social Sciences”**

On 6-7 June 2023, in Hanoi The Institute of Philosophy at the Vietnam Academy of Social Sciences (VASS) in collaboration with the Philosophical Association and the Confucius Institute at Hanoi University organized the Scientific workshop “Solutions to improve the quality of scientific research of Vietnam Academy of Social Sciences”. The workshop received a large number of scientists and scholars from research institutes and universities at home and abroad.

Vietnam and China are two Communist Party led countries of successful development with characterized identities. The achievements in the two countries have made an important contribution to perfecting the theory of scientific socialism and, at the same time, created the driving forces and core values for the world socialist movement, as well as for the development of the world and humanity. The workshop was a forum for scientists to exchange academic views and share lessons learned in the process of building socialism in Vietnam and China.

The workshop included three panels, providing an analysis of the contributions of the Vietnamese and Chinese socialism to the world from three aspects: socialism in economy; ideology and politics; culture and international integration. The presentations and discussions highlighted the achievements, as well as difficulties and challenges in the process of building socialism in Vietnam and China. Participants assessed the

contributions of Vietnam and China to the world in the fields of economics, politics, culture, society, military, diplomacy, environment, peace keeping, and solutions for global issues. Those topics were not only viewed against the two countries' achievements but also their proactive and responsible contributions, in terms of both philosophies and resources, to solving the world and human problems. In addition, there were discussions, exchanges, and summaries of the resolved and unresolved theoretical and practical issues during the process of building socialism in the two countries.

Participants also emphasized the Vietnam-China friendship which had been diligently cultivated and developed through generations of socialist leadership. The successful bilateral relations were of great significance not only for the two countries but to the international communist and labor movements, affirming the strength, vitality and future of the socialism in the world. Against the current turbulent world and regional contexts, moving towards socialism was an inevitable development trend, through which Vietnam and China should demonstrate their true values. It would contribute to promoting socialism, positioning the role and contribution of socialist countries on the world map for their stronger voice in solving the global issues. The two Communist Parties accordingly must persevere their socialist directions, together promote the continuous development of socialism, and showcase the advantages of the socialist regime in bringing in a bright future.