



**Introduction on Haiphong city and the cooperation
between Kitakyushu city and Haiphong city**

Haiphong is the main gate to the sea and the third largest city of Vietnam, as well as the major center of industry, commerce, tourism, education, training and services of the Northern region of Vietnam. To achieve the ambitious aim of becoming an industrialized city by 2020, Haiphong has continuously invested in enhancing industrial infrastructure with the following outstanding projects:

- Haiphong International Gateway Port, which will be the largest deep-sea port in the region and will be capable of receiving ships with a tonnage of 100,000 DWT*
- New highway No.5 connecting Hanoi and Haiphong*
- New runways and international terminals of Cat Bi International Airport*

These projects will substantially upgrade its diverse traffic system and significantly increase transportation capacity and efficiency for both domestic and international.





Haiphong also possesses beautiful natural landscape with a variety of breathtaking beaches, islands and forests. These features enable Haiphong to be an ideal destination for tourists. Besides, another striking aspect of Haiphong is its diligent, energetic, skillful and creative people. They altogether constitute a large, young, hard-working, skilled and dedicated workforce and effectively meet the demand of a fast changing era.





Haiphong is a strategic investment destination, where there have been investors from 32 countries and regions .Haiphong hereby expresses gratitude to current investors and extends its warm welcome to potential investors as well as undertakes to make every effort to support investors for their long-term business success.

“Seeing is believing” Please come and share success with Haiphong!

KITAKYUSHU AND HAI PHONG - SISTER CITIES

A Memorandum of Understanding (MoU) was signed between the two cities to promote international cooperation and exchange in April 2009

1. Improving ability to participate in planning infrastructure

- Signing MOU on technical cooperation about clean water and sewage water
- Implementing the project on improving water quality.
- Carrying out the program on filtering water.

2. Supporting production and trade activities of the business between the two cities

- Improving the supporting industries sector of Haiphong city
- Developing business-to-business relationship of the two cities.

3. Promoting cultural exchanges

- The music and traditional art groups have participated in performances at local festivals

4. Training human resources

- Training 06 internships

The sister city relationship was made official in April 2014

- 5. Supports for Planning green growth strategy under the framework of inter-city cooperation between Kitakyushu City and Hai Phong City



Mr. Kitahashi -Mayor (right) and Mr. Mihara - the Chairman of City Assembly (left) shaking hands with Mr. Duong Anh Dien - the Chairman of Hai Phong People's Committee (center)