

Vietnam Mining Development

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The mining and environmental consulting group - I2M Associates, LLC, based in Houston, Texas is supporting mineral exploration, mining and property re-development projects in Vietnam.

I2M Associates LLC, provides advice and investigations on existing mining and exploration projects. Their services would include bringing state-of-the-art technology to Vietnam in terms of exploration methods and presentation. New geophysical methods used in exploration for deep mineralization would be employed and well as new drilling and sampling technology. New computer applications would also be brought to bear in I2M projects.



I2M Chief Geologist: Mr. Michael D. Campbell
in Vietnam 2014.

I2M services would also involve providing investigations and presentations (aka lectures) for personnel in government and industry, and for students at the university on a range of subjects related to both mining and environmental issues, like conducting investigations on the gold and silver potential of Vietnam, and on the widespread arsenic contamination in the groundwater around Hanoi and what needs to be done about the problem, such as:

- 1) Identify the source(s) of the arsenic in the groundwater.
- 2) Define the vertical and horizontal extent of the problem, and then.
- 3) Design and implement a remediation program to eliminate the problem.

I2M Associates LLC, is encouraging U.S., U.K., and EU companies to invest in vetted Vietnam mining and associated projects.

Frequently Asked Questions (FAQs)

Why should Investors come to Vietnam?

Vietnam mineral resources are widely under-explored and undeveloped. Basic geological mapping of Vietnam has been established in most parts of the country by previous Russian and Chinese geologists and engineers, which has been improved and expanded considerably since the 1980s by Vietnamese geologists through major funding support from various Vietnam governmental offices and with person-nel support from the major universities in Vietnam.



I2M Mining Team at Regional Mines Department

What will Investors Find in Vietnam Mining Projects ?

1) Outstanding potential for world-class mineral discoveries of, for example, gold and silver, base metals, uranium, and other mineral commodities, and

2) Good infrastructure to support field projects. For example, government mining and geological offices are available in many regions to supply reports, and maps, and assistance to mining company activities.

3) The local inhabitants are very supportive of new mining activities and appreciate new investments that benefit all, including the local inhabitants through new and well-paying employment, new business for shops. new training opportunities, and local representation to assist in developing Vietnam's natural resources and in protecting their environment.



I2M Field Team Inspecting Mining Prospects

What Kind of Business Environment will Investors Encounter in Vietnam Mining Projects ?

1) An improving business climate favorable to Vietnam-style capitalism where investments for the purpose of making reasonable returns on such investments are encouraged and supported by local and national governments. Existing mining operations in Vietnam provide examples of the numerous successes over the past 10 years. However, as in other countries, it is important to develop the appropriate local and governmental relationships. Also, exploration and mine development involve the same risks as in other South-East Asia countries, and

2) The first contacts should be local personnel knowledgeable in the Vietnamese law and associated regulations and who are well known by local and national government mining officials. and are encouraging them to embrace and implement modifications to the current mining regulations with the intent of and language from the Australian mining regulations, where natural resource exploration and mine development are supported through project funding by local and overseas mining companies. This includes controlling at least 51% of projects funded by foreign companies for the purpose of maintaining management of operations and associated activities. This would optimize project profitability for the benefit of company shareholders and local inhabitants, who may also own shares in the company, and

3) As any knowledgeable mining investor would know, mining projects (once a discovery is made and defined) require a number of years before production (revenue) can be realized. With the assistance of local contacts and I2M, the mining business environment will be improving over the next few years that will further encourage mineral exploration and mine development in Vietnam. Now is the time to help bring Vietnam into the international arena of world mining and investment.



I2M monitors environmental, mining and nuclear power and other activities in selected parts of the world. The I2M Web Portal covers Vietnam as well ([more](#)).

In order to begin exploration and conducts activities in Vietnam, contacts should be developed in the region of interest. This includes local contacts, government contacts, university contacts, and, of course, legal contacts. I2M is supporting the efforts Mr. Oliver Massmann, who is General Director of Duane Morris Vietnam LLC.

He offered his assistance in a recent meeting with new Prime Minister Nguyen Xuan Phuc regarding Sustainable Foreign Direct Investment ([more](#)).

To reinforce the integrity of expanded mining opportunities, the Vietnamese Government has recently approved new penal codes to protect worker health and safety ([more](#)).

For additional information on Oliver Massmann ([more](#)), see:

Low feed-in-tariffs deter foreign wind power investors ([more](#))

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October, 2015 Newsletter ([more](#))

Duane Morris Vietnam LLC. ([more](#)) and

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