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ICOLD: in Vietnam, for Sustainable Development

For the first time in the history of ICOLD, the 19th Annual Meeting of the International Commission on Large Dams (ICOLD), was held in Ho Chi Minh City, Vietnam, one of the most rapid economic growth of ICOLD member countries at the National Convention Center, in Hanoi, from May 25th to May 30th.

Over 500 delegates, including 100 representatives of governmental organizations, including 40% of the 40 first-time attendees, attended the 19th Annual Meeting, a landmark achievement in dam development, an indicator from the President of ICOLD, and the President of the National Convention Center, who will be honored for his contribution to the 19th Annual Meeting.

Whether dam building goes with sustainable development is one of the main agenda topics to be presented during the 19th Annual Meeting, scheduled around the theme "Climate and Sustainable Development of River Basins". The program was a big success with more than 400 people being registered to attend sessions in 10 tracks, being divided into three main

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