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**VIETNAMESE TEACHER TO JOIN THE HONEYWELL
EDUCATORS@ SPACE ACADEMY AT ITS 10TH ANNIVERSARY**

More than 2 million students reached and inspired by 2,176 math & science teachers from 55 countries since 2004; 204 teachers from 27 countries will attend the 2014 program; 10 alumni representing each year to be guests-of-honor

Hanoi, Vietnam –June 11, 2014 - More than 200 teachers from around the world, including one Vietnamese representative, are gearing up to take the trip of a lifetime to [Honeywell Educators @ Space Academy](#) (HESA) – the ‘game-changing’ experience celebrating its 10th anniversary of inspiring teachers who, in turn, inspire students to pursue STEM education and careers.

Created in partnership with the U.S. Space & Rocket Center (USSRC), Honeywell (NYSE:HON) developed the award-winning scholarship program to help middle school math and science teachers become more effective educators in science, technology, engineering, and math (STEM). During the past ten years, Honeywell has awarded scholarships to 2,176 teachers from 55 countries, including two from Vietnam.

This year, Bui Tuan Ngoc, head of Maths & Information Education Department at Tran Phu Specialised High School in Haiphong City, has been chosen among the 204 teachers from 27 countries to attend one of two five-day programs offered over consecutive weeks from June 11-24 at the USSRC in Huntsville, Ala. Teachers will be given rigorous training focused on science and space exploration including astronaut-style exercises like high-performance jet simulation, scenario-based space mission, land and water survival training, and interactive flight dynamics programs.

“I’m proud to be able to represent Vietnamese teachers to join HESA this year. I hope to gain valuable experiences and knowledge from this program which will in return help me bring more new innovative ideas to my teaching for my students, to increase their creativity and pro-active learning as well as their teamwork skills. Those are also key purposes of the Vietnam Ministry of Education and Training on their coming innovative teaching proposal,” said Bui Tuan Ngoc.

Since 2004, educators have shared their experiences and knowledge to more than 2 million students, inspiring many to pursue STEM education and careers. From winning grants from local and federal governments, to entering students in international and NASA educational projects, to creating STEM-focused after school programs, the impact of the program is continuing beyond the classroom. To help mark the program’s decade-long run, 10 HESA alumni have been selected, one representing each year, to be the guests-of-honor at the graduation ceremony on June 23.

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“This is a program all about re-igniting passion in teachers,” said Mai Trang Thanh, president of Honeywell Indochina. “This year, we are excited to have teacher Bui Tuan Ngoc to be selected for the scholarship, and I strongly believe that there will be more Vietnamese teachers joining this innovative program in the upcoming years to deliver their passion to the students in a unique way.”

To attend Honeywell Educators @ Space Academy, candidates must complete a thorough application process. Qualified teachers are awarded scholarships, round-trip airfare, tuition, meals and accommodations sponsored by Honeywell and its employees.

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