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Activity Report of Vietnam

Since the 25th IRG meeting, held in December 2005, matters relating to the ideograph standardization and implemetation in Vietnam are as follows:

1. Preparing for IRG#26 in Hue: Vietnam delegates and VNPF representative have planned for preparing IRG#26 meeing in Hue, in June. The Center for Information Technology of Thua Thien-Hue province and Vietnamese Nom Preservation Foundation are the co-host for the meeting. The preparation for the meeting had been completed before the planned time.
2. VNPF developed a National Electronic Archives of great works, beginning with 6 versions of Tale of Kieu and the a work "Whole History of Great Viet" in chu Nom characters.
3. An international conference on Chu Nom was held in Hue from June 01-02 with more than 40 papers and near 100 participants focus on chu Nom structures, old documents, libraries of Nom books and information technology for Nom studies.
4. VNPF agrees to take the role of a sponsor for up coming activities related to chu Nom.
5. Vietnamese font producers are agreed to join into a project about an industrial standard for Chu Nom in the near future.

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