



Initiative

"Strengthening and disseminating legal knowledge for people with disabilities"





Initiative overview

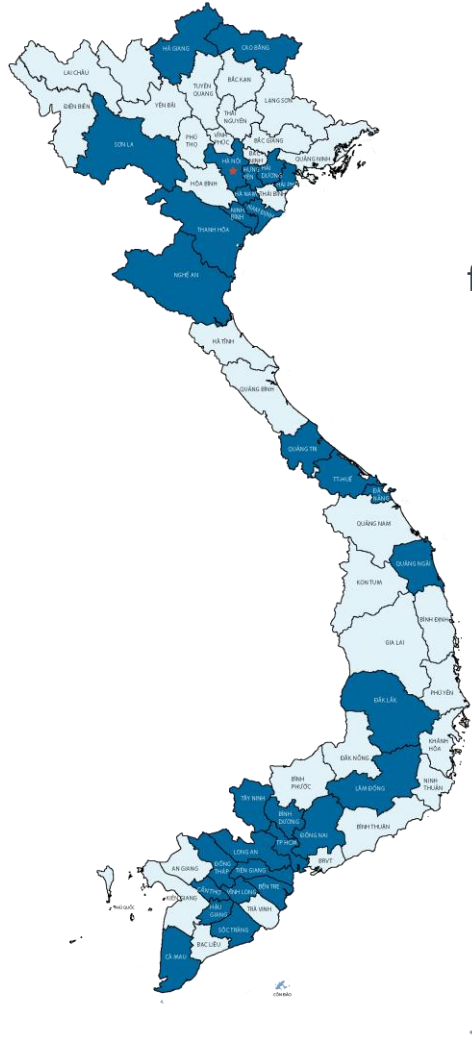
- Implementation Period: 2022-2025
- Implementing organization:
 - Viet Nam Federation on Disability (VFD)
 - Inclusive Development Action (IDEA)
- Number of PWDs selected: 105
- Location: 31 provinces across the country
- Technical and Financial Assistance: UNDP and DFAT

(Australian Department of Foreign Affairs and Trade)

Implementation Time and Results

2022	2023	2024	2025
Recruit trainees	Training in basic knowledge of law	Training on skills to apply knowledge in local association work	Training of trainers
178 applicants 105 selected trainees	89 graduated trainees 6 basic trainings at 3 regions	75 trainees, 6 advanced training in the North and the South	50 trainees 2 trainings in the North and the South

Selected Trainees' characteristics



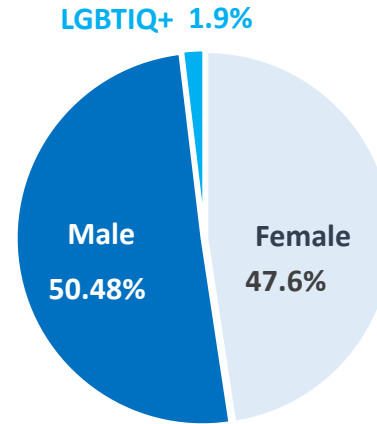
105 PWDs
from **31** provinces/cities



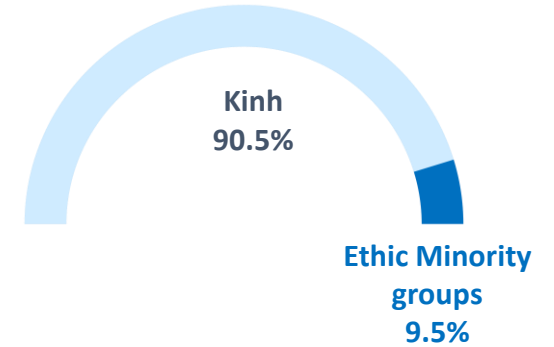
■ The province has trainees who are PWDs participating in training



Gender



Ethic Groups



Age Group



Selected Trainees' characteristics

 Mobility disability

71%

 Visual disability

16%

 Hearing and speech disability

6%

 Multi disability

5%

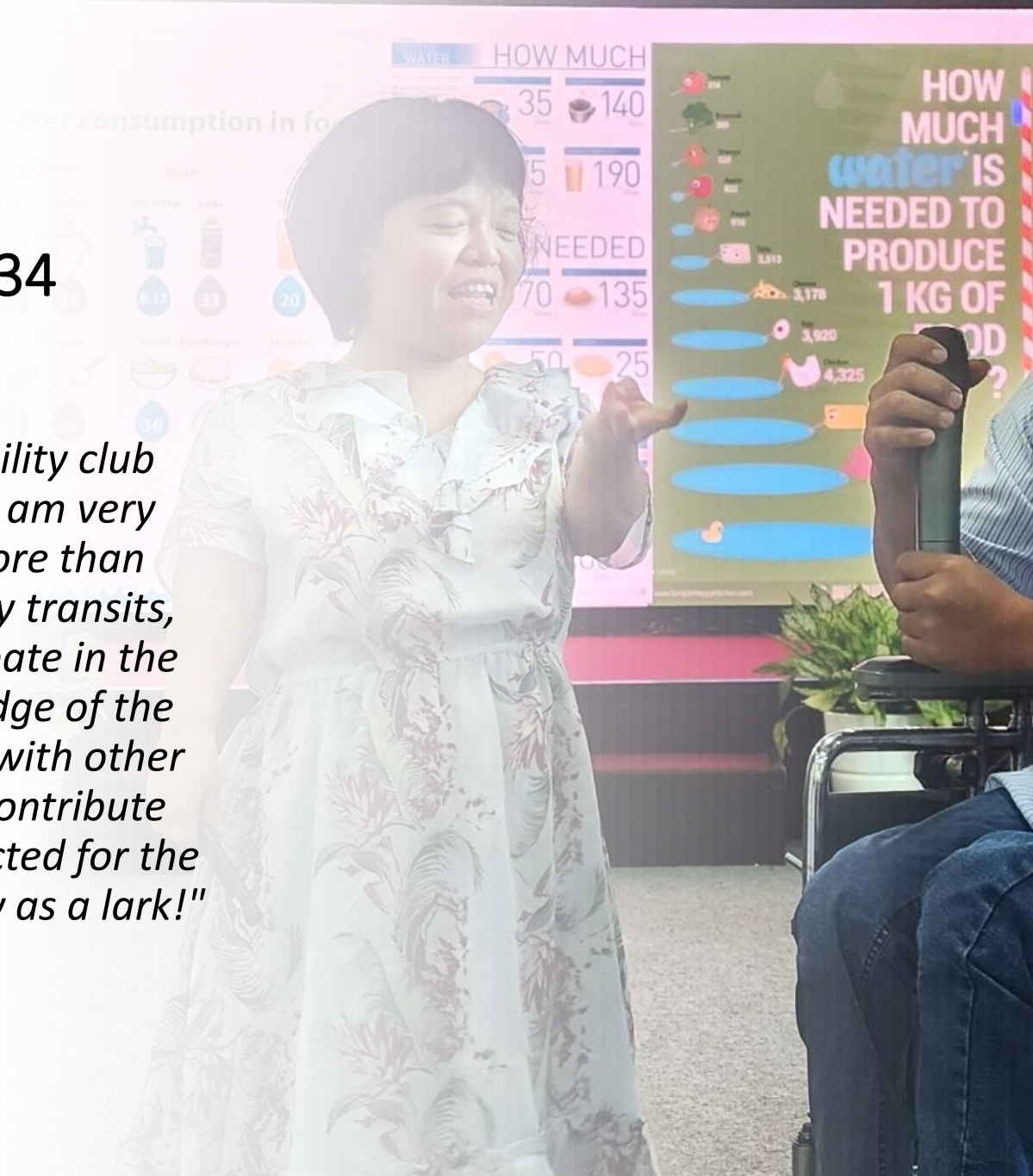
 Intellectual disability

1%



Trainees's sharing: Mr. Nguyen Quang Hung (34 years old) from Tay Ninh:

"I am a leader of a Youth with disability club and the owner of a tricycle factory. I am very busy with my job. I have to travel more than 300km to the training site with many transits, but I always enthusiastically participate in the training. Because the useful knowledge of the law and the opportunity to interact with other PWDs help me develop myself and contribute more to the community. If I am selected for the advanced training, I will be as happy as a lark!"



Ms. Nong Thi Thiet (26 years old, from Nung ethnic group) from Cao Bang:

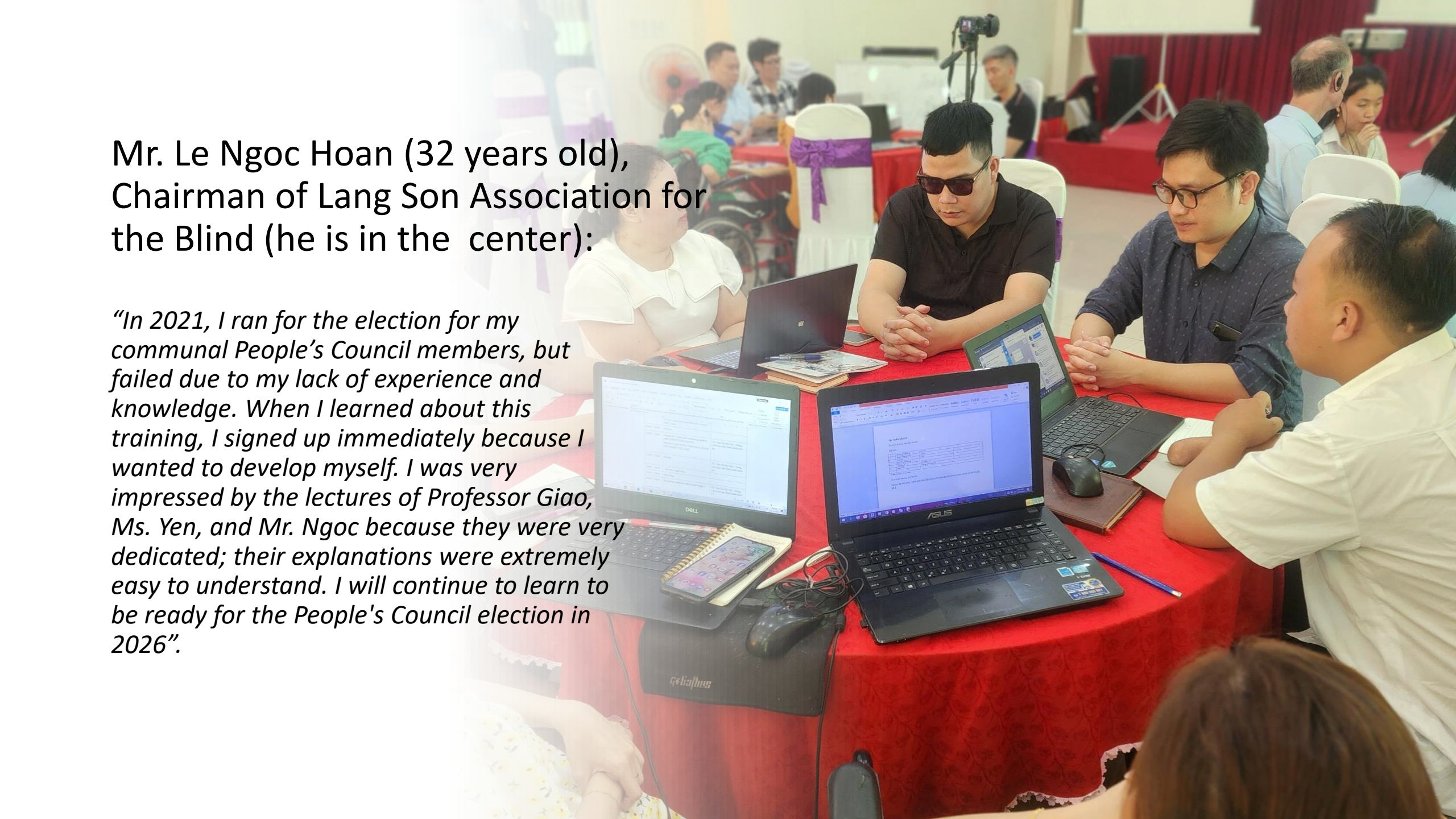
“I hold a Bachelor degree of Law, and have been working for 2 years. I was amazed because I actually learned so much from the training. I learned legal knowledge through scenarios I had never encountered before, teamwork and positive feedback. My group consists of three Deaf persons , one person with visual disability and I am a person with mobility disability. My heart burst with joy when I successfully communicated with other team members to do the presentation assignment together. Even though I was almost the youngest participant in the training, I was excited to speak and spoke a lot”.



Ms. Dinh Hoai Linh, 35 years old, representative of LGBTQIA+ Deaf Group Dong Nai



“I am always eager to learn about the law to protect the rights of myself and the community. That's why I'm so excited to be taking this course. In particular, I was very impressed with the enthusiasm and dedication of the lecturers and interpreters in the course. They always try to create the best conditions so that we can learn effectively”.

A group of people are seated around a table covered with a red cloth. In the center, a man wearing sunglasses and a black polo shirt is looking at a laptop. To his right, a man with glasses and a dark blue patterned shirt is also looking at a laptop. To the left of the man in sunglasses, a woman in a white top is looking towards him. In the foreground, a man in a white shirt is looking towards the group. Several laptops are open on the table, displaying various software interfaces. A mouse and a smartphone are also visible on the table. The background shows other people seated at tables, suggesting a larger event or training session.

Mr. Le Ngoc Hoan (32 years old),
Chairman of Lang Son Association for
the Blind (he is in the center):

“In 2021, I ran for the election for my communal People’s Council members, but failed due to my lack of experience and knowledge. When I learned about this training, I signed up immediately because I wanted to develop myself. I was very impressed by the lectures of Professor Giao, Ms. Yen, and Mr. Ngoc because they were very dedicated; their explanations were extremely easy to understand. I will continue to learn to be ready for the People's Council election in 2026”.