



## CONGRATULATORY MESSAGE

For UN Vesak Day 2019

On this international observance of the day of Vesak in 2019, It's a great pleasure to send my warmest greetings to all the Buddhist scholars and leaders gathering in Vietnam to pay homage to Buddha Gotama, but also to all those around the world whose lives have embodied his spirit and teachings.

We celebrate Vesakh every year that remind us about thrice-sacred day of Vesakh which happened in one day in the month of Vesakh ie: Birth, Enlightenment and Passing away of the Buddha Gautama. All Buddhist follower in the world celebrate Vesakh , especially Today we celebrate Vesak with United Nations, the National Vietnam Buddhist Sangha (NVBS) and representative of Nations in the world. We are representative of Nalanda Buddhist College, Indonesia give congratulatory message : Happy Vesak 2019/B.E 2562, May all beings always be happy, May people awakened for “Buddhist Approach to Global Leadership and Shared Responsibilities for Sustainable Societies.”, May We always walk in the Path of Deliverence.

We must work all together hand in hand to develop Global Leadership in the global crisis. We can collaborate to solve our problems in social and economi based on Buddha's teaching and practice Buddha Dhamma in daily activities. Especially in Indonesia , Buddhist Higher Education Institutes prepare students who will be a Buddhism teacher in elementary school, junior/senior High School, College, principal and also spread Buddha Dhamma in Indonesia. We prepare for young generation to have a chance to develop social and economic in the future and become Buddhist leaders.

I believe that the Buddhist leaders, who will attend the United Nations Day of Vesakh Celebration in Vietnam, will play a very eminent role in bringing out some productive results to immediately overcome the global crisis and to create a better world where all humanity could enjoy happiness and peace.

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