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Foreign information goes ahead, paving the way to help the country stand firm in the new era.

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On the evening of December 3, the Central Propaganda Department, the Steering Committee for External Information Work and relevant agencies held the 10th National External Information Awards ceremony.

The award has attracted the enthusiastic participation of domestic and foreign agencies, organizations and individuals.

The entries are not only diverse in genre but also rich in content, highlighting the image of a dynamic, integrated, resilient Vietnam overcoming challenges, while affirming the cultural identity and historical traditions of the nation.

The Award Council awarded 10 first prizes, 20 second prizes, 30 third prizes and 49 consolation prizes to outstanding works.

Speaking at the award ceremony, Head of the Central Propaganda Department Nguyen Trong Nghia said that Vietnam's external information work has come a long way with many proud achievements.



Head of the Central Propaganda Department Nguyen Trong Nghia speaks at the award ceremony.
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Faced with the fluctuations of the world situation, foreign information increasingly demonstrates its role as a bridge to help the world understand correctly and deeply about Vietnam, and at the same time is a sharp tool to protect national and ethnic interests, and fight against erroneous and hostile viewpoints.

The Head of the Central Propaganda Department assessed that the achievements of foreign information are not only demonstrated through impressive figures such as the number of works and the number of information accesses, but also through the spread and recognition from the international community.

"Vietnam is known not only as a country with a rich culture and heroic history, but also as a country that is strongly growing on the path of innovation and international integration," affirmed Mr. Nguyen Trong Nghia.

He said that the 10th National Award for Foreign Information has attracted the attention and enthusiastic participation of domestic and foreign agencies, organizations and individuals.

The Head of the Propaganda Department acknowledged that through the works, the world not only sees Vietnam's achievements in economic, cultural, educational, and health development, but also feels the aspiration of the entire nation to rise up.

He affirmed that the country and people of Vietnam are standing at the threshold of history, this is the time for all Vietnamese people to unite, join forces, unite, and agree under the leadership of the Party, persistently realizing the aspirations and goals of strong development, building a prosperous, civilized, and happy country...

In that context, foreign information work is identified as an important part of the Party's political, ideological, and foreign affairs work, state diplomacy, and people's diplomacy.

To meet and fulfill its tasks well, the Head of the Central Propaganda Department suggested that foreign information work continue to be a sharp, pioneering force, leading the way, creating the foundation and favorable conditions to help the country firmly enter a new era - the era of national growth.



Head of the Central Propaganda Department Nguyen Trong Nghia and Deputy Prime Minister and Minister of Foreign Affairs Bui Thanh Son presented first prizes to authors and groups of authors.
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External information work needs to quickly grasp new media trends, build products that not only reflect reality but also have predictive and directional properties...



The group of authors won second prize. Photo: Thạch Thao

In addition, it is necessary to promote innovation and creativity, encourage initiatives in propaganda and promotion of Vietnam. Foreign information needs to continue to affirm the historical mission, cultural traditions, and the highest ideological values of the nation...



The group of authors won third prize. Photo: Vietnamplus

He also noted that foreign information needs to bring national soft power to a new level by positioning Vietnam as autonomous, confident, self-reliant, self-reliant, proud of humanity, building an increasingly better world, taking people's lives as the center, taking national comprehensive strength as the basis to write the story of Vietnam in the new era, the new era.