



ISAP 2014

International Forum for Sustainable Asia and the Pacific: ISAP



Bringing Regional Voices to the Post-2015 Development Agenda:

Solutions for a Low-carbon, Resilient and Inclusive Asia-Pacific

Climate change has become a reality and there is now no time to waste. We must take action to mitigate the changes and also to cope with their impacts. The Asia-Pacific has seen increased GHG emissions from major economies across the region, with socially-marginalised populations being particularly affected. Resource limitation is another major challenge facing sustainable development in this region.

To cope with changes in the natural, social and economic systems and to pass on various assets to the next generation, we need to shift from current development trends, and promote low-carbon and inclusive development in which people of all backgrounds are engaged in creating opportunities and sharing benefits.

ISAP2014 aims to gather various key stakeholders and ensure that their voices can be linked with regional and international discussions that we hope will continue to 2015 and beyond.

Wednesday
23 July
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» 9:30-17:15

Thursday
24 July
2014

» 9:30-17:45

Venue

**PACIFICO
YOKOHAMA**
[Yokohama, Japan]



Languages: English and Japanese (with simultaneous interpretation)

Capacity: 300 (each day)

Fee: Free

Organisers: IGES and United Nations University Institute for the Advanced Study of Sustainability (UNU-IAS)

Collaborators: United Nations Environment Programme (UNEP) / United Nations Economic and Social Commission for Asia and the Pacific (UNESCAP) / Asian Development Bank (ADB) /

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Speakers (tentative list and order)

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Mr. Rintaro Tamaki

Deputy Secretary-General & Acting Chief Economist, The Organisation for Economic Co-operation and Development (OECD)

Dr. Emil Salim

Chairman of Advisory Council to The President, The Republic of Indonesia

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Science Adviser to the Prime Minister of Malaysia / Chair, Intergovernmental Platform on Biodiversity and Ecosystem Services (IPBES)

Mr. Rae Kwon Chung

Director, Environment and Development Division, United Nations Economic and Social Commission for Asia and the Pacific (UNESCAP) / Former Climate Change Ambassador of the Republic of Korea

Mr. Kaveh Zahedi

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ISAP2014 Session Programme [Tentative]

DAY 1 » Wed, 23 July

09:30 09:50	Opening Session			OP
09:50 12:20	Plenary Session 1 Accelerating Low Carbon, Resilient and Inclusive Development in the Region: Implications of the IPCC Fifth Assessment Report for Asia			
12:20	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ■ Rajendra K. Pachauri, Director-General, The Energy and Resources Institute (TERI) / Chair, The Intergovernmental Panel on Climate Change (IPCC) ■ Rintaro Tamaki, Deputy Secretary-General & Acting Chief Economist, The Organisation for Economic Co-operation and Development (OECD) ■ Emil Salim, Chairman of Advisory Council to The President, The Republic of Indonesia ■ Abdul Hamid Zakri, Science Adviser to the Prime Minister of Malaysia / Chair, Intergovernmental Platform on Biodiversity and Ecosystem Services (IPBES) 			P-1
12:20	Break			
12:35 13:45	Lunch Session 1 Key Messages from IGES White Paper V: How Regional Integration in Asia Can Benefit People and the Environment			L-1
13:45	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ■ Rae Kwon Chung, Director, Environment and Development Division, United Nations Economic and Social Commission for Asia and the Pacific (UNESCAP) / Former Climate Change Ambassador of the Republic of Korea 			
13:45	Break			
Parallel Session				
14:00 15:30	Launch of the Japan 2050 Low Carbon Navigator: Navigating toward Low Carbon Societies PL-1	Building Resilient Cities in Asia: From Theory to Practice PL-2	Bringing SLCPs and PM2.5 into Integrated Air Pollution and Climate Change Strategies in Asia: Linking Science, Models, and Action PL-3	14:00 16:00
15:30	Break			Stakeholder Communication for Informed Decisions: Lessons from and for the Displaced Communities of Fukushima PL-4
15:30	International Climate Regime in 2020 and Initiatives in Asia: Mitigation Actions and a Measuring, Reporting and Verification (MRV) System PL-5	Key Messages from IPCC AR5 and Its Implications in Asia: Future Perspective of Climate Change Policies in Asia through Integration of Mitigation and Adaptation PL-6	Setting the Direction for Adaptive Development: The Urgent Need to Achieve a Sustainable Asia-Pacific PL-7	

DAY 2 » Thu, 24 July

09:30 10:30	Plenary Session 2 Pursuing a Sustainable Society: Sustainable Development Goals (SDGs), Sustainable Lifestyles and Well-being			
10:30	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ■ Kaveh Zahedi, Regional Director and Representative, United Nations Environment Programme Regional Office for Asia and the Pacific (UNEP-ROAP) 			P-2
10:30	Break			
Parallel Session				
10:45 12:45	Financing Low Carbon Technology Transfer for Small-Medium-Enterprises (SMEs): A Match-making Strategy PL-8	Benefits and Challenges of Community Engagement for the Sustainable Use of Biodiversity: Lessons from Participatory Landscape Management under the Satoyama Initiative PL-9	Implementing the Sustainable Development Goals (SDGs) in Asia: Toward a Common Language for Governance <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ■ Surendra Shrestha, Director, United Nations Environment Programme's International Environmental Technology Centre (UNEP IETC) 	PL-10
12:45	Break			
13:00 14:20	Lunch Session 2 Promoting an Integrated Knowledge-Base System for Scientific Low Carbon Development Policymaking in Asia L-2		13:00 14:30	Roundtable on Harnessing Synergies between Adaptation and Disaster Risk Reduction: Pertinent Issues, Success Cases and the Way Forward
14:20	Break			
Parallel Session				
14:35 16:35	Making Cities More Sustainable in Asia: Bridging Theory and Practice PL-11	Empowering Stakeholders and Spearheading Innovation for Sustainable Development: Lessons from the Field and Future Perspectives PL-12	Advancing Education as a Goal for Sustainable Development: On the Road to Nagoya – Moving towards Transformative Learning for Sustainable Lifestyles PL-13	
16:35	Break			
16:45 17:45	Closing Session			CL