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<http://www.census.hokudai.ac.jp/html/JSTJICA/index.html>

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“Tackle climate change issues among Asian countries”

2nd AFCU 2012

15-17 February 2012

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BACKGROUND

More than at any point in our history, the global community requires rapid deployment of innovative policies and incentives to combat climate change. The most immediate and cost effective solutions must be harnessed to begin our global transformation to low carbon, sustainable development. Success in tackling a highly complex climate change problem will require strong will, great policy skills, looking-forward vision and above all, a global commitment to fairness and justice. This should be based upon the principle of common but differentiated responsibility and respective capabilities among nations.

Asian countries are the heart of this challenge. With the population size of more than 4 billion people (60% of the world population) and the potentials of rapid economic growth and large trade surplus with the rest of the world, Asia has accumulated over US\$4 trillion of foreign exchange reserves – more than half of the world's total. However, as a result of the continued emissions of GHGs, it is estimated that the spatial average over the Asian region of the annual mean warming would be about 3°C in the 2050s and about 5°C in the 2080s (*IPCC Third Assessment Report*). This also would lead exacerbate the threat to biodiversity due to land use and land cover changes and population pressure.

Therefore, there is a need to encourage collaborative efforts, particularly for the developing countries of Asia, where impacts of climate change are likely to be felt most severely because of resource and infrastructure constraints. Mainstreaming climate change issues into planning, designing and implementing development activities may lead to better life in the near future.

The 1st Asian Forum on Carbon Update has been conducted on 14th –17th March 2011 in conjunction with Asian countries representatives to initiate a consortium among Asia on carbon update. Since remarkable progress has been made on the network, the 2nd Forum will be held to share updated information and experiences on country activities.

AIMS OF THE FORUM

- To share ideas and experiences on the implementation of low carbon economy by elaborating various technical/practical issues.
- To update the on-going initiatives and progresses on Asia's mitigation actions to reduce GHG emission, particularly the most recent issues such as REDD+, MRV, climate financing and capacity building.
- To develop potential collaborative efforts among Asian countries in seeking a viable mechanisms in tackling climate change issues.

DATE AND VENUES

The second Forum on Asian Carbon Update will be held from 15th –17th February 2012, at Grand Royal Panghegar Hotel, Bandung, INDONESIA
<http://www.grandroyalpanghegar.com>

PROGRAMMES

The 2nd AFCU 2012 program includes topics such as policy update among Asian countries, research and technology, projects update, technical consultation, investment forum, outreach and awareness programs, launching of AFCU portal, micro assessment initiatives, and financial engineering of Climate Change incentives, legal instrument development and promotion of “carbon neutral”.

PARTICIPANTS

In the 1st Asian Forum on Carbon Update held in 14th–17th March 2011, a total of 210 participants attended from 20 countries. More than 300 participants are expected to actively participate in the 2nd Asian Forum on Carbon Update 2012, including the representatives of key agencies in Asian countries, UN agencies, donor agencies, universities and research communities and private sectors.

FORUM SESSIONS

- (i) Plenary Sessions & Keynotes
- (ii) Country Update on Policy, Strategy and Program related to Climate Change
- (iii) Technical Sessions:
 1. Low Carbon & Green Economy
 2. MRV for Climate Change & Environment
 3. Advanced Remote Sensing System for MRV
 4. Offset Mechanism Update
 5. Land Tenure, Community Forest and Safeguards
 6. REDD+ Pilot Project & Feasibility Studies
 7. Standardization Issues on Climate Change Agenda
 8. Modelling for Policy Maker & Low Carbon Society Scenario
 9. Energy Efficiency & Material Recycling for Low Carbon Society
 10. Networking & Cooperation (Trans-Kalimantan University Network, Heart of Borneo/HoB, etc)
 11. Capacity Building & Education
 12. Biodiversity & Ecosystem Services
 13. Carbon Emission Control by Watershed Management in Peatland
 14. Peatland Definition & Peatland Mapping
 15. Satoyama Initiative (Integrated Land Management)
 16. Reference Emission Level & Emission Factors
 17. Forest Management & Plantation
 18. Experiences & Lesson Learned from Indonesia
 19. Sentinel Asia
 20. NAMAS & Enhancing National Climate Changing focused in Asia
 21. Asia Youth Forum





The 2nd Asia Forum on Carbon Update (AFCU) 2012

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Grand Royal Panghegar Hotel, Bandung, INDONESIA

February 15-17, 2012

REGISTRATION FORM

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I wish to make an oral presentation on a paper entitled:
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I wish to participate in the poster session on a paper entitled:
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I wish to participate in the Field Excursion on February 18th, 2012

Deadline for submission of registration form and abstracts: February 3rd, 2012

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