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6th KOREA-CHINA-JAPAN JOINT CONFERENCE ON GEOGRAPHY

November 6-9, 2011 Seoul, Korea

Welcome

The Korean Geographical Society is pleased to host the 6th Korea-China-Japan Joint Conference on Geography in Seoul, Korea. After several decades of welcomed cooperation between East Asian countries, exemplified by on-going academic conferences such as this, new roles for geographers in East Asia and the globalizing world, and geographical insights pertaining to cooperation and development are more relevant than ever. This cooperation extends to topics pivotal to cultural, environmental and urban, as well as political and economic geographical aspects of East Asia and its continually broadening role in the world. We welcome scholars, both senior and junior, to share their research and to foster cooperative networks.

Venue

Hoam Faculty House, Seoul National University, Seoul, Korea http://www.hoam.ac.kr/english/

Theme and Topic: "New Horizons of the East Asian Cooperation"

Our theme this year invites input on major geographic topics ripe for cooperation; from cultural, urban, political, and economic, to climate, geomorphology, hydrography, cartography and GIS.

Timetable

November 6, 2011, Sunday Venue: Hoam Faculty House, Seoul

15:00- Registration Desk Open 17:00-17:30 Opening Ceremony 17:30-18:20 Plenary Ceremony

18:30- Welcome Reception (hosted by the President of The

Korean Geographical Society)

November 7, 2011, Monday Venue: Hoam Faculty House, Seoul

09:00-12:00 Academic Sessions & Business Meeting

12:00-13:00 Lunch & Business Meeting

13:00-18:00 Academic Session & Poster Session

November 8, 2011, Tuesday Venue: Hoam Faculty House, Seoul

08:50-11:40 Academic Sessions

12:00-13:00 Lunch

13:00-18:00 Academic Sessions

18:30- Banquet Dinner

November 9, 2011, Wednesday Excursion (Seoul area)

8:00-18:00 Field Trip 18:30- Farewell Dinner

Official Language - English

Registration

Complete the registration form and send to kgeography77@gmail.com

Abstracts

Submit an abstract (maximum of 500 words) of your paper or poster presentation in Microsoft Word document format to kgeography77@gmail.com. After receiving your abstract, the committee will issue you an acceptance letter.

Poster Presentation

For details about poster presentation requirements, please visit the conference web page.

Deadlines

Registration September 30, 2011 Abstract Submission September 30, 2011

Field Trip

November 9, 2011, Wednesday 10:00-18:00 (Old and New Landscapes in Central Seoul: Gyeongbokgung–Samcheongdong–Insadong)

Gyeongbokgung was the first royal palace built by the Joseon Dynasty three years after the Joseon Dynasty was founded. Built in 1395, Gyeongbokgung was located at the heart of the newly appointed capital of Seoul (then known as Hanyang) and represented the sovereignty of the Joseon Dynasty. The largest of the Five Grand Palaces (the others being Gyeonghuigung, Deoksugung, Changgeonggung, Changdeokgung), Gyeongbokgung served as the main palace of the Joseon Dynasty.

Samcheong-dong is also famous for its high-class style, where you can find designer shops and exotic galleries that fill the neighborhood with an artistic flavor. You'll also find elegant restaurants and cafes here that shouldn't be missed.

The streets of Insadong are alive with traditional culture. The area that is now known as Insadong has been the center of culture since the Joseon era. Over the years a wider variety of arts have continued to move their way into this neighborhood, making it one of the best places in the world to find diverse genres of art. In 1997, car traffic was banned on the main street of Insadong, making it friendlier for visitors and improving the overall general atmosphere.

Registration Fee

Overseas participants: The registration fee is \$\pmu\$500,000 (Korean Won), inclusive of all meals (except for the dinner on 7 November), tea/coffee/snacks during session breaks, conference banquets, and field trip. The fee also covers accommodations for 4 nights (from 6 November to 10 November, 2011). Reservations will be reserved near the conference venue at Hoam Faculty House (HFH). Spouses are welcome, and will be charged \$\pmu\$250,000, inclusive of all privileges as described above. The registration fee can only be paid in Korean won and only at the registration desk of HFH from 6 November, 2011 when you register to the conference. The committee with credit cards or via bank drafts.

Korean participants: The registration fee is ₩300,000, inclusive of all meals (except for the dinner on 7 November), tea/coffee/ snacks during session breaks, and conference banquets. It does not cover fees for accommodation or the field trip. There is an extra fee of ₩40,000 for the excursion. Accommodations can be arranged by request on a daily fee basis.

Travel Award

Submitted papers will be published in the proceedings of the conference. Award winners will be selected based on submitted work and after presentations conclude. Award winners will be announced at the conference 'Banquet Dinner' and prizes will be distributed. Winners receive half the amount of the registration fee.

- Young geographer (Three years or less since Ph.D. awarded; Under 40 years of age)

ORGANIZATION

Organizer: The Organizing Committee of the 6th Korea-China-Japan Joint

Conference on Geography

Co-organizers: The Korean Geographical Society (KGS)

The Geographical Society of China (GSC)

The Association of Japanese Geographers (AJG)

Sponsors: Seoul Metropolitan Government (Seoul Convention Bureau)

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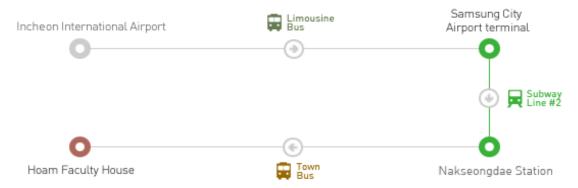
About Seoul



Seoul is the capital of Korea. The word "Seoul" means capital in traditional Korean. The Hangang (Han River) flows through Seoul from east to west and the city is surrounded by scenic mountains. Seoul contains history and tradition, as well as the latest IT technology, fashion, and entertainment venues, making it a global city with unique appeal.

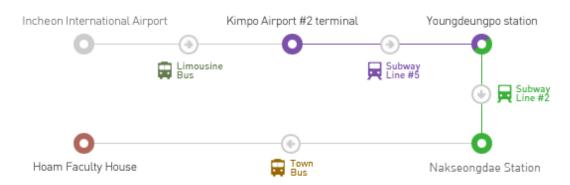
From Incheon International Airport (4 Transportation Options)

OPTION 1 - Incheon Airport (Subway)



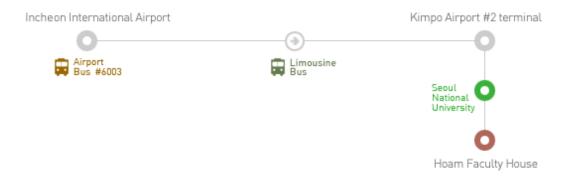
- 1. Take an airport limousine bus from Inchon Airport and get off at Samsung City Airport Terminal.
- 2. Take Subway #2 line (Green Line) toward Sindorim at Samsung Station and get off at Nakseongdae Station; Go out exit #4
- 3. Take the #2 town bus (the 'Little Green Bus') in front of Jean Boulangerie Bakery just across and to the left from the GS Gas Station. This bus goes to the Seoul National University campus via the rear gate. The shuttle bus interval is 3-5 minutes. Get off in front of Hoam Faculty House.

OPTION 2 – Incheon airport(No.1) & Kimpo airport(No.2)



- 1. Take an airport limousine bus at Inchon Airport to Kimpo Airport #2 Terminal.
- Take Subway #5 Line (Purple Line) at Kimpo Airport and transfer to the #2 line (Green Line) going toward 'Kyodae' (College of Education) at Youngdeungpo Station. Get off at Nakseongdae Station and go out exit #4
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OPTION 3



- 1.Take airport bus #6003 at Incheon Airport and get off at the main gate of Seoul National University.
- 2. Take a taxi or a shuttle from the main gate of Seoul National University to HoAm.

OPTION 4

Take a taxi from Incheon Airport to Hoam Faculty House (HFH): The distance is around 70 km and it takes about 1.5hrs.

Type of taxi	Airport to HFH	HFH to Airport
Black (luxury) taxi	KW 100,000	KW 70,000
Normal taxi	KW 70,000	KW 60,000

^{*} Always ask the driver about the fare before taking taxi.

