



2021 Online Thematic Seminar on Management Challenges of Internationally Designated Areas



Invitation

Date and time 29 September – 1 October 2021 / 15:00 - 17:00 Seoul time (GMT+9)
Registration https://us02web.zoom.us/webinar/register/WN_LE2Jz89tRRSxQQFfgjfC6g

29 September (WED) Involvement of Local Community in Internationally Designated Areas

Opening Ceremony

Keynote Speech

Dr. Natarajan Ishwaran

Executive Director

Deep-time Digital Earth (DDE) Program,
International Union of Geological Sciences (IUGS)



Case Presentation

Itoigawa UNESCO Global Geopark

Japan Mr. Theodore Brown

Hong Kong UNESCO Global Geopark

China Ms. Yu Nam Chan

Yeoncheon Imjin River Biosphere Reserve

Republic of Korea Ms. Miyoung Kwon

Panel Discussion

30 September (THU) Communication Strategy of Internationally Designated Areas

Keynote Speech

Prof. Kyung-Sik Woo

Emeritus Professor

Department of Geology, Kangwon National University

Chair

IUCN WCPA Geoheritage Specialist Group



Case Presentation

Basque Coast UNESCO Global Geopark

Spain Dr. Asier Hilario

Entlebuch Biosphere Reserve

Switzerland Ms. Annette Schmid Hofer

Cheongsong UNESCO Global Geopark

Republic of Korea Ms. Seongok Ju

Panel Discussion

1 October (FRI) Ecotourism in Internationally Designated Areas

Keynote Speech

Prof. Kelly Cerialo

Co-Chair

UNESCO Champlain-Adirondack Biosphere Reserve

Associate Professor

Paul Smith's College



Case Presentation

Cat Ba Biosphere Reserve

Vietnam Mr. Tuyen Thanh Le

Ngorongoro Lengai UNESCO Global Geopark

Tanzania Mr. Joshua Mwankunda

Jeju Island Biosphere Reserve

Republic of Korea Ms. Nami Kim

Panel Discussion

Languages English and Korean (simultaneous interpretation will be provided)

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