

APR Workshop on Disaster Management
Julpo Bay Tidal Flat Ecological Park • Korea
21 to 25 June 2018

General Information

Aim:

To bring understanding on the nature of global risks, identify the best preventive methods in disaster management, and how best to prepare for, respond to and recover from disasters locally and internationally.

Objectives:

- To share the work being undertaken by various NSOs in the Region
- To introduce key concepts in disaster management
- To identify the role of Scouts at pre- during- post disaster stages
- To develop system of networking amongst and within NSOs in managing relief work

Venue:

Julpo Bay Tidal Flat Ecological Park
Buan, Jeollabukdo
Republic of Korea
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Website: <https://julpoman.buan.go.kr/home>

Julpo Bay Tidal Flat Ecological Park is approximately 3 1/2 hours away from Incheon International Airport. The park was created to protect ecological environment around tideland marsh including Ramsar wetlands.

Date and Duration:

21 to 25 June 2018. Participants are expected to arrive on 20 June and may leave on of 26 June.

Participants:

This Seminar is proposed to gather a maximum of 40 national and sub-national level leaders who are involved, responsible for or have interest in the area of disaster management. Participants should be ready to accept the role of NSO coordinator and committed to further strengthen the NSO capacity and able to establish local network.

Registration Fee:

USD150.00 which covers inland transport, food (from lunch on 20 June to lunch on 26 June) and accommodation during the event (check-in on 20th June and check out on 26 June), programme materials. Those who have any special food requirements please inform in advance.

Airport Reception:

Participants will be met by KSA Scouts at Incheon International Airport and will be transported to the venue. For easy recognition, it is expected that participants arrive in uniform or at least wear the scarf. Please ensure to send your itinerary well in advance to KSA with a copy to us.

Accommodation:

Accommodation called Mara house will be provided from evening of 20 June to 25 June (six nights). Any extra night will be borne by the participant.

All rooms are ondol-styled and each room will be shared by 4 people. The Korean traditional heating system "Ondol" has been updated into a more modern style. Ondol rooms are special room where participants can experience the traditional style of sitting and sleeping on a warmed floor.

It does not provide any single bedroom.

Visa: Most countries require visa to enter the Republic of Korea. For more information, visit <http://www.visa.go.kr>. We highly recommend that you apply for your visa well ahead of your travel date to avoid the last minute rush.

Working Language:

The working language of the workshop is English. Participants must be able to understand and take an active part in the discussions in English.

Weather:

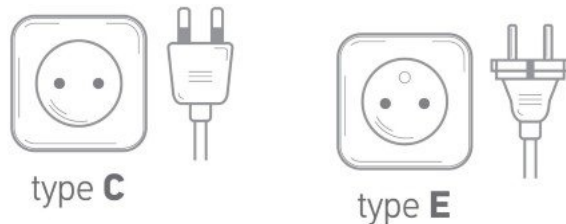
Weather in Korea in the month of June will be favorable as it is the start of Summer. Warmer temperatures with minimal rainfall is experienced with normal temperature that ranges from 17°C to 27°C.

Currency:

Won is the official currency of South Korea. Current conversion to USD1.00 is around KRW1,070 (as of 27 February 2018). Credit cards are widely accepted throughout the country. It is highly recommended to change your money at the airport if you do not have credit card.

Electricity:

Electricity supply in Korea is 220 volts, 60hz. The outlet has two round holes and is the same type used in France, Germany, Greece and many other countries.



Personal gear to bring

Scout uniform, personal clothing, personal medicines, jacket, slippers, personal toiletries, national costume, and delicacies to share during international night.

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