

# General Information

## **Asia-Pacific Expert Symposium on Global Citizenship**

### **Social Responsibilities and Ethics of Global Enterprises and Educators**

23-24 October 2014  
Marine Solar Park, Changwon, Republic of Korea

#### **Dates**

23 – 24 October 2014 (Thursday to Friday)

#### **Venue**



Name : Marine Solar Tower  
Location: 121-2 Myeong-dong,  
Jinhae-Gu, Changwon

Marine Solar tower in Eumji-do island in Jinhae-gu leads in upgrading citizens' quality of life by actively dealing with The requirements for changes in global energy paradigms. This building is selected by the Ministry of Knowledge Economy in 2007 as a landmark project to renewable energy industry. This building generate solar energy 600KW per hour which is the amount to produce the electricity for the usage of 200 family every day.

#### **Airfare and local cost**

Changwon city will bear the costs of round-trip, economy-class airfare to/from Changwon and all local costs including meals, and local transportation in Changwon, ROK during the conference. We will contact you in the very near future to organize your air ticket, which will be issued to

you as an e-ticket. In compliance with UNESCO administrative rules, the organizers will not cover terminal fare and visa fee of the participants. However the main organizer will offer the ride from Gimhae international airport to the venue or hotel.

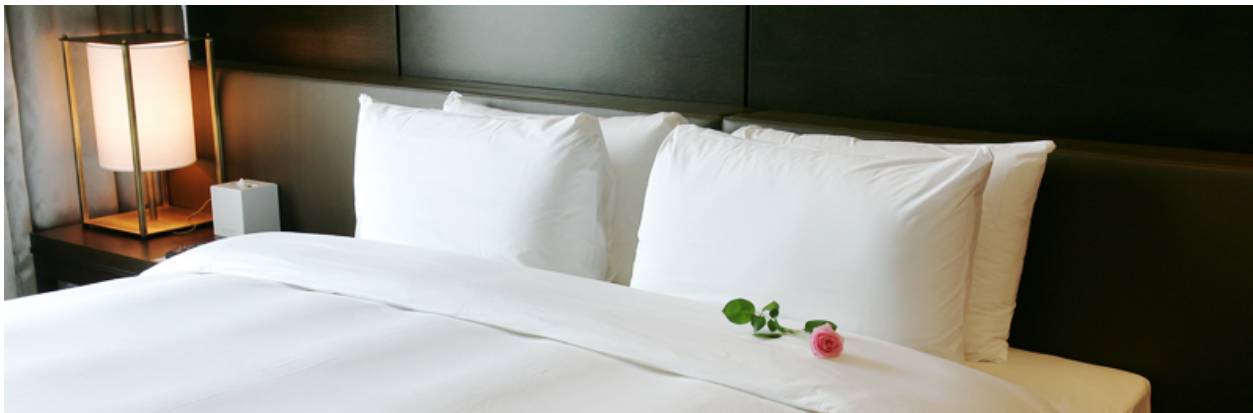
## **Passport and Visa**

The participants are responsible for ensuring that their passport is valid for at least six months from their travel dates and other required travel documents.

Participants are required to contact Republic of Korean Embassy/Consulate in their respective country and to apply for visa on their own, if a visa is needed. Please consult the website of Korean Ministry of Foreign Affairs to check if your country required a visa to enter Korea. The cost of visa will be the responsibility of the participants.

Should you require assistance in obtaining your relevant visa, please contact UNESCO Bangkok(see contact details on the last page)

## **Accommodation : Pullman Hotel in Changwon**



To simplify your logistical arrangements, we have reserved double Deluxe rooms for participants at the Pullman hotel, in Changwon, RoK. Changwon city will settle the cost of the accommodation directly with the hotel for participants funded by the co-organizers. Participants will be responsible to cover all extra expenses incurred during the workshop, including items consumed in the room, personal calls and usage of business centre. More information on the hotel is available on the hotel website: <https://pullman.ambatelen.com/changwon/main.amb>

## Meals



All meals will be provided by the organizers while you are in Korea for the conference from OCT.22-24. Each menu will be informed before the meal.

International buffet breakfast at the Pullman hotel is included in the price of the room. During the conference period, the international buffet lunch will be prepared at the venue. In addition, mayor of Changwon will host the buffet dinner at Pullman hotel, on 23<sup>rd</sup> of OCT. For the lunch of 24<sup>th</sup> of OCT, Korean duck soup will be served before the tour to Doosan industry and Chrysanthemum festival.

## Exchange Rate

The commercial rate is subject to change daily. The exchange rate for cash is slightly lower than for travellers' cheques. There are banks and currency exchange kiosks located at the Gimhae International Airport and near the hotel. The current exchange rate is approximately 1,077.73 Korean won to 1.00 USD.(Korean exchange Bank rate as of 2<sup>nd</sup> of OCT)

## Weather and Attire

The weather in Korea at the time of the conference is generally very mild but a bit chilly in the morning and night time. The daily temperature rate of 16-24C. The proper jacket will be necessary for outdoor activities but the venue will manage the comfortable atmosphere. Therefore it is advisable that you pack appropriate clothing for the conference.

## **Transport to Hotel/Venue**

The organizer will provide a vehicle for all participants with invitation to Hotel from/to airport, Venue.

If you wish to travel from Hotel to local areas in Changwon, public metered taxi and bus is available at the hotel.

## **Medical Emergency**

In the event that you should require urgent medical attention, please contact the hotel's information desk(24 hours). The hotel has first-aid kits available for basic medical care.

## **Further Information**

Any quires related to the symposium may be addressed to

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