

## 7th Annual Meeting of the Asia Oceania Geosciences Society and Geosciences World Community Exhibition

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## Invitation

#### **Dear AOGS Members and Geoscientists,**

Join us in Hyderabad, India for the 7<sup>th</sup> Annual Meeting of the Asia Oceania Geosciences Society, taking place from 5th to 9th July, 2010 at the Hyderabad International Convention Centre (HICC). HICC is India's largest convention facility.

AOGS conference has experienced tremendous growth and opportunities during the last three annual meetings in 2007, 2008 and 2009. The society also gained immeasurable prominence from our overseas meetings. These are: AOGS2007 in Bangkok and AOGS2008 in Korea.

AOGS annual meetings provide excellent opportunities for academic exchange, information and knowledge sharing. Through this, we seek to further engage more geoscientists in Asia Oceania and especially from India, the host country.

The Geosciences World Community Exhibition is the major accompanying event to the scientific meeting. In addition to exhibits on products, services and commercial applications, the exhibition also includes an educational showcase by top universities with notable programs in geosciences.

We invite you to present the results of your research, expand your professional network and showcase your discoveries, products and services at AOGS2010 in Hyderabad, India.

AOGS... in Asia for Asia and the World



#### **About AOGS**

The Asia Oceania Geosciences Society, or AOGS for short, is an international society established since 2002; formed by like-minded individuals to promote geophysical science and public benefits for Asia and Oceania.

Its mission is to promote geophysical science for the benefit of humanity in Asia and Oceania.

Our society participates actively and advances in this field through publications and developing close connections with local and regional societies.

We strive to remain in touch with and contribute to the geophysical world community through cooperation with AGU, EGU, IUGG and JPGU.

#### AOGS Council 2009 - 2010



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Ching-Hua Lo President, Solid Earth Science (SE) Section

#### **AOGS Sections**

The formation of new Sections and the reorganization of Sections must be approved by the Council and ratified by an Annual General Meeting.

Each Section shall have its own Section President, Section Vice-President and one or more Section Secretaries.

AS	Atmospheric Science (Small scale and local wind systems, air pollution, mesoscale processes, global wind systems, cyclones, weather forecasting, atmospheric chemistry, global climate and its change)
HS	Hydrological Science (Hydrometeorology, Surface Water Hydrology, Ground Water Hydrology, Water Resources Planning and Management, Hydroinformatics)
os	Ocean Science (Estuarine and costal oceanography, ocean circulation, marine biogeochemistry, paleoceanography, marine geology, and atmosphere-ocean coupling.
PS	Planetary Science (interior, surface, magnetosphere, ionosphere, and upper atmosphere of solar system bodies other than earth)
ST	Solar and Terrestrial (sun, interplanetary medium, heliosphere, the magnetosphere, ionosphere, and upper atmosphere of planet earth, space weather)
SE	Solid Earth (geology, geodesy, geophysics, geochemistry)

With Interdisciplinary Working Groups (IWGs) such as -

NH	natural hazards, earthquakes, tsunamis, volcanoes, etc
NL	non-linear geophysics
PR	polar research

#### **AOGS Meetings and Venues**

**Singapore** 2006

Bangkok Thailand 2007

Busan Korea 2008





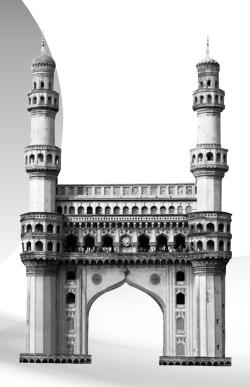
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Singapore

#### **AOGS Annual Meetings – Participant Profile**

Year		AOGS 2009	AOGS 2008	AOGS 2007	AOGS 2006	AOGS 2005	AOGS 2004
Dates		11-15 Aug	16-20 Jun	31 Jul-4 Aug	10-14 Jul	20-24 Jun	5-9 Jul
Host City		Singapore	Busan, Korea	Bangkok, Thailand	Singapore	Singapore	Singapore
No. of Participants		1148	1627	1093	744	846	1100
No. of Countries Represented		52	51	49	43	43	51 *
Distribution (%)	Asia & Oceania	82.3	85.1	78.4	76.0	71.0	71.24
	US & Canada	9.0	7.6	10.0	11.0	15.0	15.52
	Europe	8.7	7.3	11.6	13.0	14.0	13.05

<sup>\* 0.19%</sup> of participants from other regions

#### Geosciences World Community Exhibition (GEOMEET) **Exhibitors at the AOGS2009 Meeting in Singapore**

APEC Climate Center Cambridge University Press Centre for Planetary Science, Kobe University College of Science, National Taiwan University Decagon Devices Inc Department of Geophysics, Kyoto University Earth Research Institute, The University of Tokyo Earth Science Research Promotion Center, NSC Hokkaido University Hydrospheric Atmospheric Research Centre, Nagoya University Prof Kenji Nakamura Indiana University Integrated Ocean Drilling Program (IODP) IOP Publishing Japan Geoscience Union John Wiley & Sons (Australia) Pte Ltd Kinemetrics Inc Korea Institute of Geoscience and Mineral Resources Kyushu University Nanometrics Inc National University of Singapore Picarro Inc Singapore Tourism Board Singapore-MIT Alliance for Research and Technology Springer-Verlag GmbH Taylor and Francis Asia Pacific Technical University of Munich The Earth Observatory of Singapore World Scientific Publishing Co. Pte Ltd

Ms Karen Yeo Prof Tadashi Mukai Prof Ching-Hua Lo Mr Matthew Galloway Prof Shigeo Yoden Prof Teruyuki Kato Ms Feng-yi Ho Prof Kosuke Heki Mr Gary Miksik Ms Emiri Kitami Ms Lisa Trenberth Prof Teruyuki Kato Ms Annalisa Druda Ms Victoria Hernandez vibh@kmi.com Ms Min Jeong Yoon Prof Kiyohumi Yumoto Mr Stephen Kilty Dr David Laurence Higgitt geodlh@nus.edu.sg Ms Tania Pashkevich Ms Doris Fernandez Ms Adiana Abdullah Ms Minicka Lothar Ms Azhani Eshak Dr Thomas Gruber Ms Sharmini Blok Ms Tai Xiang

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### 7th Annual Meeting

## AOGS 5 to 9 July 2010 Hyderabad

Hyderabad International Convention Centre, India

Proudly hosted by The Indian Geophysical Union AOGS 2010 will take place in Hyderabad, India, from 5 to 9 July 2010 at the Hyderabad International Convention Centre, India's largest convention facility

## **Host Country Information About Hyderabad**

Hyderabad, the capital of Andhra Pradesh is the second largest metro of India, known for its rich history and culture with monuments, mosques, temples, and a rich and varied heritage in arts, crafts and dance.

The city is over 400 years old and is noted for its natural beauty, mosques and minarets, bazaars and bridges, hills and lakes. It is perched on the top of the Deccan Plateau, 1776ft., above sea level, and sprawls over an area of 260 square kilometers and home to more than 6 million people.

Hyderabad has developed into a major hub for the information technology industry in India and the city is home to the world's largest film studio, the Ramoji Film City. It is also a sporting destination and various national and international games are conducted here.

Residents of Hyderabad are called Hyderabadis. The city is regarded as a blend of traditionality with modernity. Known as the City of Pearls, Hyderabad is also famous for its Hyderabadi cuisine, handicrafts and textiles, its gems and its jewelry, especially pearls.





#### **Getting There**

Max 2hrs by air from any city in India, 8-10 hrs from Europe and 4-5 hrs from Asia/Middle East

#### Weather

July temperature averages 26 to 32°c

#### Where to Stay

Special AOGŚ2010 hotel rates -1000 INR to 10,000 INR per night. Complimentary breakfast, coach transfer and in-room Internet

#### **Hotel Registration**

Opens 15 Jan 2010 Closes 21 May 2010

#### Voltage

Standardised voltage used in India is 230V/50Hz

#### Currency

Indian Rupee (INR) is the standard currency
1 USD ~ 46.6 Rupees

1 SGD ~ 34 Rupees

#### What to See & Do

- Discover: The rich historical and cultural legacy of India.
- Explore: The magnificent heritage attractions and the leading modern IT hub
- Indulge : Luscious "Hyderabadi Cuisine"
- Witness: The captivating monuments and architecture
- Acquire: World recognized high-quality pearls & Exquisite handcrafted traditional arts & crafts
- Come Visit: The largest film studio, listed in the Guinness Book of World record

#### **AOGS2010 Conference and Exhibition Venue**

#### Hyderabad International Convention Centre (HICC) is India's largest convention facility.





- State of the art IT infrastructure, design, technology, and other convention facilities
- conceptualised, designed and created across a 15-acre landscaped environment to hold events for up to 5000 people
- Located right in the flourishing business hub of India
  - located at a 40-minute drive from the newly opened Rajiv Gandhi International Airport; close proximity to all leisure essentials such as retail, pool, restaurant and bars
- Safe and secured gated campus, away from noise and pollution
- Connected to Novotel Hyderabad, a 287-room international business hotel
- It is located adjacent to Hitec City, home to large national and international technology companies.

More info here: http://www.hicc.com/delegate information.html

#### AOGS2010 National Advisory Committee (NAC) & Supporting Organizations

**NAC Chairman**Dr. V. Jayaraman
Director NRSC, Hyderabad

NAC Convener Dr. Anil Bhardwaj SPL, VSSC, Trivandrum

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Dr. Anjan Chaki Director, AMD, DAE, Hyderabad

Dr. N. K. Dutta Director General, GSI, Kolkata

Dr. Y V N Krishnamurthy ISRO HQ, Bangalore



AOGS 2010 Important Dates	
Abstracts	
Submission	Opens 15 Dec 2009 - Closes 1 Mar 2010
Acceptance Notification	23 Mar 2010
Author Registration Deadline	10 May 2010
Registration Fee Waiver Application	
Application Deadline	Opens 15 Dec 2009 - Closes 1 Mar 2010
Result Notification	23 Mar 2010
Successful Fee Waiver Applicant Registration Deadline	10 May 2010
Registration	
Early Bird Rate Deadline	10 May 2010
Online Registration Deadline	5 June 2010
Advertisements & Exhibits	
Material Deadline for Printing/Publishing	30 April 2010
Conference Starts	5 July 2010

#### **How to Join AOGS2010? Submit Abstracts BEFORE 1st MARCH 2010**

AOGS2010 Registration	Fees are Services Tax Inclusive						
Fees	If Paid by 10 May 2010			If Paid after 10 May 2010			
AOGS/EGU Members	INR	SGD	USD	INR	SGD	USD	
Standard Rate	17500	475	380	21200	580	460	
Student Rate	8800	240	190	10600	290	230	
Non AOGS/EGU Members	INR	SGD	USD	INR	SGD	USD	
Standard Rate	22300	610	490	27500	750	600	
Student Rate	11300	310	250	13700	375	300	
Retirees	INR	SGD	USD	INR	SGD	USD	
60 yrs & above	11300	310	250	13700	375	300	
Additional Registration Fee	INR	SGD	USD	INR	SGD	USD	
For Each Paper in excess of Two	10600	290	230	10600	290	230	
One-Day Fee	INR	SGD	USD	INR	SGD	USD	
(i.e. non-paper writer and/ or presenter)	8800	240	190	10600	290	230	

Fees are subject to change

- 1. USD and INR fees are indicative and subject to currency fluctuation
- SGD fees are fixed
   Prevailing government taxes and service charges shall apply
- Tertaining government daze and service transges sinal apply
   Each registration fee can cover TWO presentations/papers maximum. An additional registration fee of INR10600/SGD290/USD230 applies for each paper in excess of the TWO presentations/papers per registration.

#### Fee and Payment on or before 10 May 2010

- 1. Early Bird Rates end on 10 May 2010
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  2. Increased Rates apply if payment is not received on or before 10 May 2010
  3. Non-members need register and pay fees by 10 May 2010 or papers will be withdrawn
  4. Members need register attendance by 10 May 2010 or papers will be withdrawn
  5. Only INR, USD and SGD payments can be accepted

- Payment Onsite after 4 June 2010
  1. Please proceed to "Payment Onsite" at the convention centre
  2. Cash or Credit Card payments in INR, SGD and USD can be accepted
  3. Cash payment must be in EXACT AMOUNT as we shall be unable to return change
  4. Only American Express/Visa/Master Card can be accepted

- Industry Participants
  1. If attending more than 2 days, full fee is applicable and as shown in AOGS/EGU
   Members/Non Members Category
- 2. Rates are not applicable to Authors and Presenters

Over the age of 60 and not employed more than 10% of full time in a professional capacity

#### Why Participate As an Exhibitor

- This is your opportunity to reach out to more than 2000 researchers, consultants, students to:
- · Introduce your services, programs and products to this rapidly growing geosciences community
- Be amongst the market leaders and key players in the Asia and Oceania regions
- Explore international business opportunities and increase your market exposure
- Acquire new clients and connect with geoscientists from the regions
- Be up and close with authors and business counterparts in the global geosciences community

#### **Exhibition Packages**

#### 3 Types:

Туре	Description
Exhibition Booth - Standard Booth Size 3m x 3m	Standard Booth Price includes shell scheme on needle punch carpet, fascia board with company name, counter & 2 chairs, 3 no. 100W spot lights and power supply (one 15 amp power point)
SGD3,500/USD2,800/NIR128,000 (If Paid After 10 May 2010 – SGD4,000/USD3,200/INR146,000)	Located in the exhibition Hall 3, this is the place where trade show traffic and conference delegates converge. Meet your qualified prospects here. Show them what's new in the industry. There's no better place to promote your new products, services, personnel or facilities.
Take SGD500/USD400/INR18,000 off booth price if Include Carpet but exclude rest of Shell Scheme	
Educational Showcase (By Invitation only) Standard Size 3mx2m	Standard Showcase Price includes three 3mLx2mH back panels on needle punch carpet, counter & 2 chairs, 3 no. 100W spot lights and power supply (one 15 amp power point)
SGD750/USD600/INR27,500 (If Paid After 10 May 2010 – SGD860/USD690/INR31,600)	Strategically located along the walls of Hall 3, showcase space will be assigned on a first-come-first-served basis and subject to exhibitor being a renown academic institution and payment been received.
Publisher's Hall Standard Booth size 3m x 3m	Standard Booth Price includes shell scheme on needle punch carpet, fascia board with company name, counter & 2 chairs, 3 no. 100W spot lights and power supply (one 15 amp power point)
SGD3,500/USD2,800/INR128,000 (If Paid After 10 May 2010 – SGD4,000/USD3,200/INR146,000)	Strategically located as a cluster near the entrances, the pavilion will display the scholarly peer-reviewed research journals, top quality technical and scientific manuscripts and an extensive range of books on geosciences from leading international academic, society and independent publishers.

SGD fees are fixed. USD and INR fees are indicative and subject to currency fluctuation

#### **Exhibitor Benefits**

- Exhibitor write-up in the Exhibition Guide which will be distributed to all participants
- Online classified in the Exhibiting Company page on the event website
- Access to GEOMEET, the one-on-one online business matching portal
- Full Registration Passes that entitles the holder access to all conference sessions and hosted functions. Registration Pass holders can be paper writers and/or presenters.
- Exhibitor Passes that entitles the holder access to all conference sessions and hosted functions. Exhibitor Pass holders must not be paper writers and/or presenters
  - Exhibition Booth Package: TWO Registration & TWO Exhibitor passes each
  - Educational Showcase One Registration & One Exhibitor pass each
- All exhibition packages include the e- mailing of 50 invitation cards to email addresses that you provide, latest by 30 April, 2010.
- All materials for printing/publishing must arrive by 30 April, 2010

Exhibition, Advertising, Sponsorship & Donation Opportunities with AOGS

All exhibition packages include the e-mailing of 50 invitation cards to email addresses you provide. Exhibitors can also enjoy access to GEOMEET the one-on-one online business matching portal, where you get to meet prospective buyers, collaborators and fellow researchers.



#### Advertisement Packages (30 April 2010 is Material Deadline for Printing/Publishing)

#### 4 Modes:

Mode	Description						
Print Advertisement in Pin-up Poster and Book Mark ONE SPOT ONLY! Exclusive to AOGS2010 Partner Sponsor	The Pin-up Poster details Program Highlights and is a quick guide to help visitors and participants navigate the event. When fully expanded, the poster measures 59cm Ht x 42cm Width (A2 Size). The poster provides a program overview and important dates on the next conference and will be distributed to members and contacts of AOGS and its major partners at their events taking place annually in Asia, Europe and USA. The Book Mark provides important dates on the next conference and will be distributed to members and contacts of AOGS and its major partners at their events taking place annually in Asia, Europe and USA.  Important Note: All materials for printing/publishing must arrive by 30 April 2010						
Print Ads in Program Book (9.75" Height x 6" Width)	Whether you are initiating a new campaign or re-energizing an existing one, an advertisement in the program book brings you instant reach to an audience that wants to know your offerings and potentially share it with others. The Program Book is distributed to all conference participants who used it as a reference guide to navigate their way through the event.						
	Position	Mono		Full Colour	_		
	Back Cover	NA		Reserved	-		
	Inside Back Cover	NA		SGD3,000/USD2,400/INR110,000	0		
	Inside Front Cover	NA		Reserved			
	Inside Full Page	SGD1,500	/USD1,200/INR55,00	00 SGD2,000/USD1,600/INR73,000			
	Important Note: All mate	erials for printi	ng/publishing must ar	rive by 30 April 2010	_		
Online Classifieds on AOGS 2010 Website SGD750/USD600/INR27,500	Price includes posting on the event website in the "Exhibiting Company" page. Orders are scheduled on a first-come-first-served basis. Reach an online community with your ad and channel targeted sales prospects to your online presentation.						
(80 x 30 Pixels)		ssue Date	Ad Closing	Materials Due			
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	F	eb 2010	Jan 1	Jan 8			
	N	Iar 2010	Feb 1	Feb 8			
	A	pr 2010	Mar 1	Mar 8			
		May 2010	Apr 1	Apr 8			
Brochure Display on Shared Table SGD1,380/USD1,100/INR50,500	Display your product, se Maximum of 500 pieces Important Note: All ma	display/distrib	ution by each advert				

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#### **Sponsorship & Donation - Any amount**

Any amount donated will go to the society in support of young and promising scientists who require financial support. This is in the form of registration fee waiver that the society offers yearly.

A range of sponsorship options is available and designed such that you can set your budget and capping them to fulfill the purpose of your participation and achieve your marketing objectives.

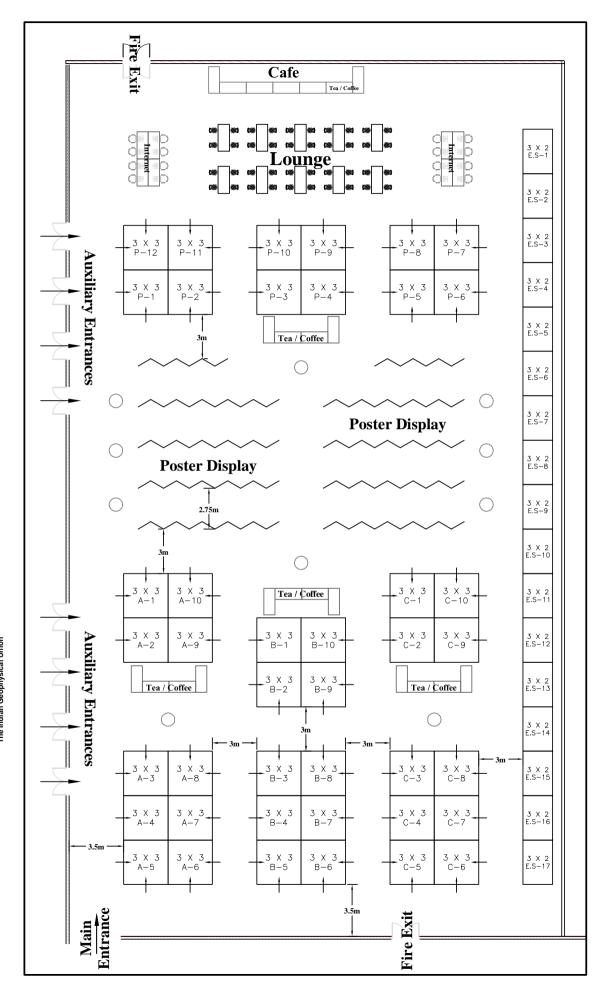
Design your personalized strategy to reach for your attending prospects now. Contact us for a discussion



## **Geosciences World Community Exhibition** 7th Annual Meeting &

General Information
Conference: 5 to 9 July (Registration Desks Open 4 July)
Hall 3 Exhibition: 5 to 8 July (Set-up: 4 July from 2pm; Tear Down: 8 July from 5pm)

ALL HAPPENING AT HYDERABAD INTERNATIONAL CONVENTION CENTRE, HALL 3 Conference • Exhibits • Showcase • Merchandising Display



## AOGS2010 Session Proposals (Partial Listing)

\*main convener

#### **Atmospheric Science (AS)**

#### AS01 - Structure and Dynamics of Mesosphere and Lower Thermosphere

\*Sridharan SUNDARARAJAN, National Atmospheric Research Laboratory, India Subramanian GURUBARAN, Indian Institute of Geomagnetism, India

#### AS02 - Measurement and Modeling of Atmospheric Aerosols for Climate and Air Quality Applications

\*Pawan GUPTA, UAHuntsville, United States Harish GADHAVI, National Atmospheric Research Laboratory, India Sundar CHRISTOPHER, UAHuntsville, United States A JAYARAMAN, National Atmosphere Research Laboratory, India

#### AS03 - Climate change and tropical climatic hazards in Asia Oceania

\*Yuriy KULESHOV, Australian Bureau of Meteorology, Australia

#### AS04 - Science with Very Low Frequency Radio Waves: Theory and Observation

\*Sandip Kumar CHAKRABARTI, S.N. Bose National Centre for Basic Sciences, India

#### AS05 - Extreme Weather Events in the changing Climate

\*Sushil Kumar DASH, Indian Institute of Technology Delhi, India Jai-Ho OH, Pukyong National University, South Korea Ashok Priyadarshan DIMRI, Jawaharlal Nehru University, India

#### AS06 - Cloud Aerosol Interaction and Weather Modification Experiments in Asia and Oceania

\*Venkateswara Rao BEKKAM, JNT University, Hyderabad, India Rosenfeld DANIEL, The Hebrew University, Israel J.R.Kulkarni, Indian Institute of Tropical Meteorology, Dr. Homi, India

#### AS07 - Severe Thunderstorm Observation and Regional Modeling (STORM)

\*Uma Charan MOHANTY, Indian Institute of Technology, India Someshwar DAS, SAARC Meteorological Research Centre, Bangladesh Taiichi HAYASHI, Kyoto University, Japan

#### AS08 - Biosphere -Atmosphere Interaction in the tropical mangrove ecosystem

\*Tapan Kumar JANA, Calcutta University, India

#### AS09 - Asian Aerosols and Climate: The Known and Unknown

\*S K SATHEESH, Indian Institute of Science, India S SURESH BABU, Vikram Sarabhai Space Centre, India Dimitris G KASKAOUTIS, National Observatory of Athens, Institute of Environmental Research and Sustainable Development, Greece

#### AS10 - Asian Snow-Glaciers and Climate Change

\*Ramesh SINGH, Chapman University, United States
Tetsuo TETSUO OHATA, Institute for Observational Research for Global Change, Japan
S. KANG, Institute for Tibetan Plateau Research, China
Daqing YANG, CliC International Project Office, Norway, Norway
R. K. MIDHA, Sharda University, India

#### AS11 - Observational and Modeling Studies on Tropical Cyclones

\*Uma Charan MOHANTY, Indian Institute of Technology, Delhi, India Jayaraman K V POTTY, RIMES, ADPC, Thailand Dev NIYOGI, Purdue University, United States

Sundararaman.G GOPALAKRISHNAN, Hurricane Research Division(HRD), AOML, NOAA, United States

#### AS12 - Predictability of weather and climate: Theory, Methodology and applications

\*Wansuo DUAN, Institute of Atmospheric Physics, Chinese Academy of Sciences, China FranÁois-Xavier LE DIMET, Lab.Jean-Kuntzman/UniversitÈ Joseph Fourier, France Youmin TANG, Uni. of Northern BC, Canada Hyun Mee KIM, Yonsei University, South Korea

#### AS13 - Aeolian Dust

\*Cheol-Hee KIM, Pusan National University, South Korea Soon-Ung PARK, Center for Atmospheric and Environmental Modeling, South Korea Chung-Ming LIU, National Taiwan University, Taiwan

#### **AS14 - Middle Atmosphere Science**

\*S. K. DHAKA, University of Delhi, India Shigeo YODEN, Kyoto University, Japan Hye-Yeong CHUN, Yonsei University, South Korea Zeyu CHEN, Chinese Academy of Sciences, China

#### AS16 - Climate Change in Monsoon Asia-Pacific: Progress, Issues and Challenges

\*Ashok KARUMURI, Indian Institute of Tropical Meteorology, India
BN GOSWAMI, Indian Institute of Tropical Meteorology, India
Saji Njarackalazhikam HAMEED, APCC, South Korea
Scott POWER, Bureau of Meteorology, Australia
Fredolin T. TANGANG, National University of Malaysia (Universiti Kebangsaan Malaysia), Malaysia
Joong-Bae AHN, Pusan national University, South Korea

#### AS17 - Mesoscale Meteorology and Typhoon

\*Kevin Kei Wai CHEUNG, Macquarie University, Australia Chung-Chieh WANG, National Taiwan Normal University, Taiwan Yihong DUAN, National Meteorological Centre, China

#### AS18 - AMY1 - a coordinated observations

\*Jun MATSUMOTO, Tokyo Metropolitan University, Japan Jianping LI, Chinese Academy of Sciences, China BN GOSWAMI, Indian Institute of Tropical Meteorology, India

#### AS19 - AMY 2 - Variability

\*Kyung-Ja HA, Pusan National University, South Korea BN GOSWAMI, Indian Institute of Tropical Meteorology, India Jun MATSUMOTO, Tokyo Metropolitan University, Japan

#### AS20 - Radioactively and Chemically Active Trace Gases Over Asia and Oceania

\*Manish NAJA, ARIES, India Mukai HITOSHI, NIES, Japan Marcel SCHOOT, CSIRO, Australia

#### AS21 - Precipitation Science and Application Over Asia Using Satellite Data

\*Shuji SHIMIZU, Japan Aerospace Exploration Agency, Japan Kusuma RAO, Indian Space Research Organization, India

#### AS22 - Numerical Modelling and Data Assimilation of Mesocale Tropical Weather

\*Tieh-Yong KOH, Nanyang Technological University, Singapore Shigeo YODEN, Kyoto University, Japan

#### AS23 - AMY3 - Monsoon Modeling

\*Jianping LI, Chinese Academy of Sciences, China Kyung-Ja HA, Pusan National University, South Korea BN GOSWAMI, Indian Institute of Tropical Meteorology, India

#### AS24 - "Measurements, characterization and modeling of atmospheric deposition"

\*Ranjit KUMAR, Technical College, Dayalbagh Educational Institute (Deemed University), India S.N. SINGH, National Physical Laboratory, New Delhi, India

#### **Hydrological Science (HS)**

#### **HS01 - hydrometeorology**

\*C.G. CUI, China Meteorology Agency, China

#### **HS02 - Climate Change and River Basin Management**

\*Akira MANO, Tohoku University, Japan

#### **HS03 - Flood Defence Technology for Next Generation**

\*Kun-Yeun HAN, Kyungpook National University, South Korea

#### HS04 - Geogenic and Anthropogenic Contribution of Groundwater

\*Surendra ATAL, National Geophysical Research Institute, India

#### HS05 - Mechanisms of water cycle in changing environment

\*Hongbin ZHANG, WuHan University, China

#### HS06 - Role of Voluntary Organizations in Ground Water Management of Hard rock

\*P. S. KULKARNI, Maulana Azad College, Aurangabad, India Rajendra NIJJAR, Alternative Development Initiative, India

#### HS07 - Challenges in Hydrologic Modeling and Forecasting

\*Bellie SIVAKUMAR, University of California, Davis, United States Sri SRIKANTHAN, Bureau of Meteorology, Australia Vinayakam JOTHIPRAKASH, Indian Institute of Technology - Bombay, India Ji CHEN, University of Hong Kong, Hong Kong

#### HS08 - Impact Of Climate Change On Groundwater Resourses - Problems and Perspectives

\*Sanjay PATIL, North Maharashtra University Jalgaon, India Jaydeep NIKAM, Yashwantrao Chavan Maharashtra Open University Nashik, India

#### **HS09 - Water Crisis and Conflicts**

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