

**Asia-Europe Environment Forum (ENVforum) 7th Roundtable:
The Accounting of Nature:
Biodiversity and Ecosystem Services in Asia and Europe
27-30 June 2009
Hayama, Japan**

Agenda

Day 1 (27 June) – Scenario Workshop Day I Venue: Conference Room 1, Shonan Village Centre	
09.00	Registration
09.30	IFSAP Opening Plenary
10.00	Introductory session “Recapitulation of a scenario approach for environmental management and sustainable development”
11.00	Identifying driving forces for the future of biodiversity and ecosystem services
12.00	Lunch
13.30	Uncertainty analysis
14.30	Selection of key driving forces
15.00	Break and end of scenario session on this day
15.15	IFSAP Plenary Open panel session on biodiversity and ecosystem services
16.40	Break
16.50	IFSAP concluding session
18.00	Adjournment Dinner at Hikage-Chaya Restaurant in Hayama Town, transport is provided
Day 2 (28 June) – Scenario Workshop Day II Venue: Meeting Room 1, IGES Headquarters	
09.30	Establishing the scenario logics
10.00	Building first scenario storylines
11.00	First presentation and discussion
12.00	Lunch
13.30	Developing storylines
14.30	Presentation and consequences analysis
15.30	Break and end of scenario exercise

15.45 Excursion to nearby Satoyama Landscape with rice terraces, Yamaguchi Hoshun Museum followed by dinner at C33 restaurant

Day 3 (29 June) – Roundtable Day 1

Venue: Auditorium, Shonan Village Centre

09.00 Registration

09.30 Opening Session

Welcome remarks by **Mr. Hideyuki Mori, Vice President, IGES**

Introduction to roundtable by **Mr. Peter Ryan, Director for Intellectual Exchange, ASEF**

09.50 Opening remarks

Mr. Kuroda Daizaburo, Director-General, Nature Conservation Bureau, Ministry of the Environment of Japan

10.15 Break

10.30 Panel discussion: Asia and Europe – Policy challenges for conserving ecosystem services for promoting environmental integrity and human well-being?

Panelists:

1. **Dr. Ahmed Djoghlaif**, Executive Director, UN CBD Secretariat
2. **Prof. Masahiro Kawai**, Dean, ADB Institute
3. **Dr. A. Hamid Zakri**, Director, Centre for Global Sustainability Studies, Universiti Sains Malaysia
4. **Dr. Janos Zlinszky**, Senior Adviser for Environmental Policy to the President

Moderator: **Mr. Andrej Kranjc**, Ministry of the Environment, Slovenia

12.00 Lunch

13.00 Presentation of previously developed scenarios on biodiversity and ecosystem services

Ms. Anita Pirc-Velkavrh, European Environment Agency; **Dr. Marc Gramberger**, Prospex

13.30 Session 1: Evaluating the status quo – Ideas to overcome policy and institutional gaps in international policy frameworks

1. **Dr. Rudolf de Groot**, Associate Professor on Integrated Ecosystem Assessment & Management, Wageningen University
2. **Mr. Masanori Kobayashi**, Coordinator at Programme Management Office, IGES

Provocateur: **Dr. Cathy Maguire**, Comhar – Sustainable Development Council

Moderator: **Mr. Ismid Hadad**, KEHATI – the Indonesian Biodiversity Foundation

15.00 Break

15.15 Plenary Session: Linking Findings and Outcomes of first day to the scenario and general discussion

Dr. Marc Gramberger, Prospex

16.15 Special Panel on the Green New Deal and strategies for valuing biodiversity and ecosystem services

Panelists:

1. **Dr. Cielito Habito**, Director, Ateneo Center for Economic Research and Development, Philippines
2. **Dr. Henrik Egelyng**, Project Senior Researcher, Danish Institute for International Studies
3. **Dr. Young-Woo Park**, Regional Director, UNEP

Moderator: **Mr. Tetsuji Ida**, Kyodo News Agency

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| 17:35 | Wrap up for the day
Mr. Masanori Kobayashi , IGES |
| 17.45 | End of Day 3 |
| 18.00 | Reception at Shonan Village Centre
Parallel art exhibition by local artists |

Day 4 (30 June) – Roundtable Day 2

Venue: Auditorium, Shonan Village Centre

09.00 Session 2: Case Studies – Impact of climate change and human activity on key ecosystems in Asia and Europe

Case Study 1: Forest Ecosystems

Presenter: **Dr. Herry Purnomo**, Scientist, CIFOR

Case Study 2: Freshwater/Wetland Ecosystems

Presenter: **Mr. Mark Dubois**, Research Fellow, WorldFish

Case Study 3: Satoyama Initiative (secondary ecosystem)

Presenter: **Dr. Toshiya Okuro**, Associate Professor, University of Tokyo

Provocateur: **Mr. Yasushi Hibi**, Conservation International Japan

Moderator: **Ms. Ella Antonio**, Earth Council

Followed by discussion

10.30 Break

10.45 Session 3: Economic valuation and payment for biodiversity and ecosystem services

1. **Dr. Raphael Bille**, Biodiversity Programme Director, IDDRI

2. **Dr. Zheng Yan**, Assistant Research Fellow, Chinese Academy of Social Sciences

Provocateur: **Dr. Julius Oszlanyi**, Slovak Academy of Sciences

Moderator: **Mr. Christer Holtsberg**, Swedish Environmental Secretariat for Asia

12.15 Lunch

Side Event: **Regional Climate Change Adaptation Knowledge Platform**, hosted by **UNEP**

13.30 Session 4: Capitalising on ecosystem services: business opportunities for the private sector

1. **Mr. Ireneusz Mirowski**, Vice President, Polish EcoFund

2. **Ms. Dang Thuy Nga**, Environmental Economics Officer, WWF Greater Mekong Region

3. **Mr. Takeshi Takagi**, Chief Advisor on Sustainability Management – CSR Office, Hitachi Chemical WBCSD

Provocateur: **Prof. Jiang Gaoming**, Chinese Academy of Sciences

Moderator: **Ambassador Nobutoshi Akao**

15.00 Break

15.15 Concluding Panel: Prospects for Asia-Europe cooperation – concerted actions to tackle the challenges

Panellists:

1. **Mr. Peter van den Heuvel**, Head of the Trade Section, EC Delegation to Japan

2. **Mr. Rodrigo Fuentes**, Executive Director, ASEAN Centre for Biodiversity

3. **Dr. David Stanners**, Head of International Cooperation, European Environment

Agency

4. Mr. Ruy Barretto, Senior Counsel, Temple Chambers
Moderator: **Mr. Mahesh Pradhan**, UNEP

Closing Session

- 16.45 Wrap up of the day
Mr. Masanori Kobayashi, IGES
- 16.55 Short presentation of carbon-offset project, general feedback
- 17.00 **Closing remarks** by
IGES as host organisation
SENSA on behalf of Asia-Europe Environment Forum
- 17.10 End of Roundtable
- 17.30 Asia-Europe Environment Forum 10th Steering Committee Meeting (invited participants only)
- 17:30 Excursion
Visit to Hachimangu Shrine in Kamakura followed by dinner.
For participants who are staying in Narita hotel on the night of 30th June, kindly bring your luggage with you.