

The 10th East Asia Workshop for Marine Environment and Energy
EAWOMEN² 2021 Qingdao China – 21st to 22nd Oct. 2021

Dear Colleagues,

The Local Organization Committee (LOC) is glad to announce that the 10th EAWOMEN² will be held at Qingdao, China in 21st and 22nd, Oct., 2021. The workshop is going to provide a platform for East Asia Scholars and studies to exchange their recent ideas and researches in the field of marine environment and energy.

The workshop was originally organized by the Korean Society for Marine Environment and Energy (KOSMEE) & the Research Committee on Marine Environment, Society of Naval Architects of Japan (MEC-SNAJ) in 2003. In 2005, Taiwan attended the workshop, which was extended by East Asian Workshop for Marine Environments (EAWOMEN). In 2009, the workshop was extended to four parties because of China's attendance, Name of the network was changed to EAMEN² for including marine energy in 5th EAWOMEN held in Japan, 6th in China, 7th in Taiwan, 8th in Republic of Korea, and 9th in Japan again. This workshop has been held every 2 years and the coming 10th EAWOMEN² will be held in Qingdao, China.

In the wake of the COVID-19 a global pandemic, the LOC in close consultation with the President Keyyong Hong and the International origination Committee (IOC), has made a difficult decision to move to an online/offline parallel Conference, replacing the original plan in China. Our main concern is the health of everyone involved. As the pandemic continues to affect all our lives, including various travel restrictions, we have taken this step to minimize the risk to us during this period of uncertainty.

According to the present travelling restricts, the Chinese domestic attendees could gather in Qingdao to hold an offline session. The abroad attendees have to communicate and deliver the presentation through an internet conference system, which will be announced as soon as it is prepared.

Workshop details

The workshop will be run from **Thursday 21 October until Friday 22 October**, the full program will include scientific keynote speeches (Online/offline, to be confirmed), oral presentations (Online/offline), poster sessions (Only offline).

Topics:

All the topics related to the marine environment and energy.

We are inviting Abstracts for both oral and poster presentations which will be subject to peer-review, the deadline for submission is **Tuesday 31st August 2021** and the portal is now open. Guidelines will be sent to all presenters and we have a team of experts on hand to help you through the virtual process.

Important dates:

Abstract submission deadline 31.08.2021

Notification of abstract acceptance deadline 15.9.2021

Registration Opens (Online/Offline session) 15.9.2021

Registration deadline (Online session) 05.10.2021

Domestic registration deadline 21.10.2021

Full paper submission deadline 22.12.2021

The official language of the conference is English.

As the time is restricted for preparing the workshop. We accepted the abstracts or the posters during the period of the workshop. The attendees could submit a full paper after two months. The full papers should be published in a workshop proceeding first in 2021, and then in 2022 we may consider a further publication of full papers utilizing a platform like a special issue of specific SCI-indexed journals, such as **Water** and **Journal of Marine Science and Engineering**.

Thank you to everyone for their continued support and understanding during these uncertain times. We wish you all the very best and we very much look forward to seeing you in 2021, albeit virtually.

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