

1st Circular

The 5th Asia Pacific Geoparks Network (APGN) Symposium 2017

Zhijindong Cave UGG

September.19th-22nd,2017

Theme: UNESCO Global Geoparks Contribute to the Sustainable Development of Local Economy

Session Topics:

- Empowering local socio-economic sustainable development
- Communicating geopark, geosite and geotourism
- Popularizing scientific knowledge for public education
- Promoting aspiring global geoparks
- Networking karst landscape global geoparks

Official Website: www.apgn2017.com

Proposed Schedule

Date	Contents		
Sept. 16 th 2017-17 th 2017	Meeting of the UNSECO Global Geoparks Council		
Sept. 18 th 2017	Registration		
	Meeting of APGN Advisory Committee Meeting of APGN Coordination Committee		
Sept. 19 th 2017	09:00-10:00	Opening Ceremony	
	10:00-12:00	Keynote 1	
		Keynote 2	
		Keynote 3	
	Keynote 4		
	13:00-17:00	Oral Presentations	
	18:00	Welcome Banquet	
Sept. 20 th 2017	09:00-10:00	Keynote 5	
		Keynote 6	
	10:00-12:00	Oral Presentations	
	13:00-17:00	Oral Presentations	
	18:00	Dinner	
Sept. 21 st 2017	09:00-17:00	Mid-Symposium Excursion	Route A: Zhijindong Cave-Museum-Zhijin Grand Gorge
			Route B: Dongfenghu Lake-Zhijindong Cave-Museum
	18:00	Dinner	
	19:00-21:00	Campfire Party	
Sept. 22 nd 2017	09:00-12:00	Oral Presentations & Posters	
	13:00-17:00	Oral Presentations & Closing Ceremony	
Sept. 23 rd -25 th 2017	Post-Symposium Excursion	Route A: Huangguoshu Waterfall - Xingyi national Geopark-Wanfenglin-Guiyang(The Guizhou Typical Karst Landscape) Route B: Zunyi-Maotai-Chishui National Geopark (World Nature Heritage Site)-GuiYang Route C: Xijiang Miaozhai-Guiyang(Local Culture) Route D: ZunYin - Suiyang Shuanghedong Cave National Geopark -Guiyang(Guizhou Typical Karst Landscape)	

Supporters

Global Geoparks Network (GGN)
Asia Pacific Geoparks Network (APGN)
Chinese Geoparks Network (CGN)
Bijie Municipal Government
Provincial Department of Land and Resources of Guizhou
Zhijin Government

Organizer

Zhijindong Cave UNESCO Global Geopark

Organization Committee

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Recommended Hotels

Dragon City Hotel
Hongzhou International Hotel
Wenzhou Hotel
Tongxinyulong Hotel

Registration Fees

Early Registration:3,000 RMB(February 20th.-April 30th,2017)

Regular Registration:3,300 RMB(May 1st-July 31st,2017)

Registration Deadline: July 31st,2017

The registration fees covers

- 1) The Symposium fee of APGN 2017(September19th -September22th)
- 2) Mid-Symposium Excursion on September 21st (you can choose one between two routes)
- 3) The lunch and dinner during the Symposium

Accommodation ,exhibition and Post-Symposium Excursion are not covered in the registration fees

Abstract Deadline: April 30th(Sun),2017

Official Website Open: February 20th(Mon),2017

Transportation

(1)On arrival,bus will be provided at the airport (11:00a.m-5:00p.m, September 18th)

(2)On your departure day, bus will be available for those participate in the post-conference excursion in the morning of September 23rd(9:00a.m),from hotel to Longdongbao Airport of Guiyang ,Feixiong Airport of Bijie and Guiyangbei Railway Station.

Please contact with the organization committee in advance if you need the service .

Venue Longdongbao Airport of Guiyang
Feixiong Airport of Bijie
Guiyangbei Railway Station

Attention

It will spend 2.5 hours from the venue to the recommended hotels , please arrange your schedule.