



Regional Office for Asia and the Pacific (ROAP)

The ICSU Regional Office for Asia and the Pacific was inaugurated on 19 September 2006 by the then Deputy Prime Minister of Malaysia, Y.A.B. Dato' Seri Najib Tun Abdul Razak. The Office will promote the development of science in Asia and the Pacific and strengthen the participation of developing country scientists in international research programmes.



WHAT WE WILL DO Bring together members of ICSU and key scientists to assess progress and plan further development of activities of ROAP

13th – 14th October 2009

Penang, Malaysia

Assessing

Forecasting

Planning

Implementing

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13 October 2009 - Day 1

09:00 a.m. Welcome
Representatives of host and sponsoring organizations

09:20 a.m. Launch of the 3rd ICSU Consultation
Minister of Science, Technology & Innovation (TBC)

09:40 a.m. Departure of Minister
Break

10:00 a.m. Keynote address: Global Activities of ICSU & Regional Offices
Professor Deliang Chen, Executive Director, ICSU

10:30 a.m. Overview of ICSU ROAP
Professor Bruce McKellar, Chair, ICSU Regional Committee for Asia and the Pacific

11:00 a.m. Activities of ICSU ROAP
Emeritus Professor Mohd Nordin Hasan, Director, ROAP

11:30 a.m. Discussion

11:50 a.m. Presentation on ICSU ROAP Priority Area: Hazard & Disasters

Integration with ICSU IRDR

Partnership in the region

12:40 p.m. Discussion

Implementing ICSU's Programme on Hazards & Disasters in Asia & the Pacific

01:00 p.m. Lunch

02:00 p.m. Presentation on ICSU ROAP Priority Area: Ecosystem

Integration with ICSU PECS

Partnership in the region

02:40 p.m. Discussion

03:00 p.m. Presentation on ICSU ROAP Priority Area: Sustainable Energy

Regional Science Plan

Partnership in the region

03:40 p.m. Discussion

04:00 p.m. Break

04:20 p.m. Introduction to Break-out Group
Break-out Group Sessions

05:30 p.m. End of Day 1

14 October 2009 - Day 2

08:30 a.m. Reports from Break-out Group Hazards & Disasters

08:50 a.m. Discussion

09:00 a.m. Reports from Break-out Group Ecosystem

09:20 a.m. Discussion

09:30 a.m. Reports from Break-out Group Sustainable Energy

09:50 a.m. Discussion

10:00 a.m. Developing in overall common strategy for implementation
Discussion

10:30 a.m. Break

11:00 a.m. Role of ICSU Unions
Representative from IUTAM (TBC)

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11:40 a.m. Discussion

12:00 p.m. Role of National Members - Developed Countries

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01:00 p.m. Lunch

02:00 p.m. Roundtable Discussion: Experiences of Regional Offices

02:30 p.m. Plenary Discussion

03:00 p.m. Break

03:20 p.m. High-level Discussion in Plenary: Influencing Policies and Society

04:20 p.m. Science Lecture (TBC)

05:00 p.m. Closing
Statement by Chair ICSU Regional Committee for Asia and the Pacific
Closing Statement by Host

05:20 p.m. Departures

(TBC - To Be Confirmed)