

The Scientific Advisory Committee Meeting in 2023 (SAC23) on the
Acid Deposition Monitoring Network in East Asia (EANET)
10-12 October 2023, Virtual Meeting

CONSIDERATION OF THE REVISED TASK FORCES OF THE EANET

I. INTRODUCTION

1. During the Medium-Term Plan for the Acid Deposition Monitoring Network in East Asia (MTP) (2016-2020), four Task Forces (TFs) and one Expert Group (EG) were established to support the EANET's monitoring activities.
2. In line with the expansion of scope of the EANET and the activities assigned by the MTP of 2021-2025, the role of TFs needed to be adjusted accordingly.
3. The first draft of the document of the Revision of the Task Forces of the EANET was submitted and discussed at the Working Group Meeting (WG2022) of EANET on 24-25 August 2022 and comments were made.
4. The Secretariat and the Network Center for the EANET (NC), revised the document based on the comments from the WG2022 and submitted to the 22nd Session of the SAC (SAC22) on 18-20 October 2022. SAC22 reviewed and made further comments. The Secretariat and NC updated the document considering all comments and suggestions for submission to IG24.
5. The Twenty-fourth Session of the Intergovernmental Meeting on the Acid Deposition Monitoring Network in East Asia (IG24) on 24-25 November 2022 approved the Re-organization of the Task Forces and its Terms of References with modifications incorporating the proposed changes by all the Participating Countries (REPORT OF THE SESSION, EANET/IG24/13).
6. Mr. Mohan Kumar Sammathuria, the Chair of SAC, on 11 February 2022, communicated with SAC members for the election of the Chairperson for each of the new Task Force (TF), and the Chairpersons of TFs have been elected.
7. The Network Center, as the secretariat of SAC and TFs, on behalf of SAC invited Participating Countries to nominate members for each Task Force on 17 April 2023.
8. The document presents the nominations from Participating Countries and the revised Revision of Task Forces of the EANET, approved by IG24 with minor changes suggested by SAC, IG24 and Participating Countries.

II. THE ELECTED CHAIRPERSONS AND MEMBERS OF THE REVISED TASK FORCES AND EXPERT GROUPS OF EANET

9. Taking into account the activities in the previous MTP (2016-2020) and in the current MTP (2021-2025), the IG24 approved the proposal for the revision of the TFs and the Term of References for the Task Force on Monitoring and Assessment of Atmospheric Environment, the Task Force on Monitoring and Assessment of Environmental Effects and the Task Force on Atmospheric Environment Quality Management (Attachment 1).

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10. Based upon the Procedures for Establishing the Task Forces and Expert Groups (Annex 2 of EANET/IG 10/7), SAC elected Professor Taehyoung Lee from R. of Korea as the chairperson of the Task Force on Monitoring and assessment of Atmospheric Environment, Dr. Wilfredo M. Carandang from Philippines as the chairperson of the Task Force on Monitoring and Assessment of Environmental Effects and Dr. Sergey Gromov from Russia as the chairperson of Task Force on Atmospheric Environment Quality Management (Attachment 1).
11. Based on the Rules of Procedures for Establishing the Task Forces and Expert Groups (Annex 2 of EANET/IG 10/7), SAC invited Participating Courtiers to nominate the members of the Task Forces. To date, 29 members have been nominated by Participating Countries (Attachment 1).

III. ACTIONS REQUIRED

12. The Twenty-third Session of the Scientific Advisory Committee (SAC23) of the Acid Deposition Monitoring Network is invited to review the nominations of members of the Task Forces of the EANET and may wish to discuss, consider, and provide guidance for further action to the 25th Intergovernmental Meeting (IG25) to be held in November 2023, as appropriate.

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ATTACHMENT 1 - NOMINATED MEMBERS OF THE TASK FORCES

Task Force on Monitoring and Assessment of Atmospheric Environment

R. of Korea	Prof. Taehyoung Lee (Chairperson) Professor, Department of Environmental Science, HANKUK University of Foreign Studies
Cambodia	Mr. Him Chandath Deputy Director, Department of Air Quality and Noise Management, General Directorate of Environment Protection, Ministry of Environment
China	Dr. Jingyu Tian Engineer, Department of Atmospheric Environmental Monitoring, China National Environmental Monitoring Center
Japan	Dr. Shiro Hatakeyama Director General, Asia Center for Air Pollution Research (ACAP)
Malaysia	Dr. Ahmad Fairudz bin Jamaluddin Director, Atmospheric Science and Cloud Seeding Division, Malaysian Meteorological Department (MET Malaysia)
Mongolia	Ms. Altantuya Bold Chemist engineer of Central Laboratory of Environment and Metrology, National Agency for Meteorology and Environment Monitoring, Ministry of Environment and Tourism, Mongolia
Myanmar	Ms. Wai Lwin Than Staff Officer, Hydrological Division, Department of Meteorology and Hydrology (DMH), Ministry of Transport and Communications
Russia	Dr Tamara V. Khodzher Head of Laboratory of Hydrochemistry and Chemistry of Atmosphere, Limnological Institute (LIN) Siberian Branch Russian Academy of Sciences (SB RAS)
Thailand	Associate Professor Dr. Sarawut Thepanondh Atmospheric Environment Dean of the Faculty of Public Health, Faculty of Public Health, Mahidol University
Viet Nam	Dr. Nguyen Van Hong
Contact Person of NC as Secretariate of TFs	Dr. Keiichi Sato Head, Atmospheric Research Department, Asia Center for Air Pollution Research (ACAP)

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Task Force on Monitoring and Assessment of Environmental Effects

Philippines	Dr. Wilfredo M. Carandang (Chairperson) Professor, Institute of Renewable Natural Resources, College of Forestry and Natural Resources, University of the Philippines Los Baños
Cambodia	Mr. Yim Raksmeay Deputy Director of the Department of Air Quality, Noise and Vibration Management
China	Yu Yang, Senior Engineer China National Environmental Monitoring Center
China	Du Jiaqiang Senior Research Professor Chinese Research Academy of Environmental Sciences
Japan	Prof. Atsushi Kume Professor, Department of Agro-environmental Sciences, Faculty of Agriculture, Kyushu University
Malaysia	Dr. Siti Aisah binti Shamsuddin Senior Research Officer, Environment and Climate Change Programme, Forestry and Environment Division, Forest Research Institute Malaysia (FRIM)
Mongolia	Ms. Altantuya Bold Chemist engineer of Central Laboratory of Environment and Metrology, National Agency for Meteorology and Environment Monitoring, Ministry of Environment and Tourism, Mongolia.
Myanmar	Ms. Witt Yi Soc Assistant Director, Hydrological Division, Department of Meteorology and Hydrology (DMH), Ministry of Transport and Communications
Philippines	Dr. Wilfredo M. Carandang (Chairperson)
Russia	Dr. Ekaterina Zhigacheva Researcher, Yu.A. Izrael Institute of Global Climate and Ecology (IGCE)
Thailand	Ms. Siwaporn Rungsiyanon Environmental Effects Director of Transboundary Air Pollution Subdivision, Air Quality and Noise Management Division, Pollution Control Department (PCD)
Viet Nam	Ms. Ngo Thi Van Anh Senior Researcher, Center for Environmental Research, Vietnam Institute

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Contact Person of NC as Secretariate of TFs	Dr. Hiroyuki Sase Head, Ecological Impact Research Department, Asia Center for Air Pollution Research (ACAP)

Task Force on Atmospheric Environment Quality Management

Russia	Dr. Sergey A. Gromov (Chairperson) Deputy Director, Institute of Global Climate and Ecology (IGCE), Roshydromet
Cambodia	Mr. Sam Sokyimeng Chief office of Mobile Air Pollution Control Office, Department of Air Quality, Noise and Vibration Management
China	Dr. Chu Yangxi Associate Research Professor, Chinese Research Academy of Environmental Sciences
Japan	Dr. Toshimasa Ohara Research director, Center for Environmental Science in Saitama
Malaysia	Ms. Norazlinda binti Ismail Principal Assistant Director, Air Division, Department of Environment (DOE)
Mongolia	Ms. Altantuya Bold Chemist engineer of Central Laboratory of Environment and Metrology, National Agency for Meteorology and Environment Monitoring, Ministry of Environment and Tourism, Mongolia
Myanmar	Dr. Kyu Kyu Sein Deputy Director, Hydrological Division, department of Meteorology and Hydrology (DMH), Ministry of Transport and Communications
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Viet Nam	Dr. Le Ngoc Cau Deputy Director General, Viet Nam Institute of Meteorology, Hydrology and Climate Change (IMHEN), Ministry of Natural Resources and Environment
Contact Person of NC as Secretariat of TFs	Dr. Ken Yamashita Head, Planning and Training Department, Asia Center for Air Pollution Research (ACAP)