



National Institute for Environmental Studies

Official Side-Event at UNFCCC COP-13, Bali, Indonesia

Carbon Management in Cities: Gaps in Policy Discussions and Scientific Understanding

18:00 ~ 19:30, Thursday, December 06, 2007

Venue: Solar Room (Grand Hyatt Hotel)

Organizers

Asian Institute of Technology (AIT), www.ait.ac.th

Global Carbon Project (GCP), www.globalcarbonproject.org

National Institute for Environmental Studies (NIES), www.nies.go.jp

Agenda

Welcome

- 18:00-18:05 Goals and objectives of the side-event, **Dr. Shobhakar Dhakal**, Executive Director, Global Carbon Project - International Project Office, Japan
- 18:05-18:10 Welcome speech, **Professor S. Kumar**, Dean, School of Environment, Resources and Development, Asian Institute of Technology, Thailand
- 18:10-18:15 Welcome speech, **Dr. Yasuhiro Sasano**, Director, Center for Global Environmental Research, National Institute for Environmental Studies, Japan

Presentations

Chair: **Professor S. Kumar**, Dean, School of Environment, Resources and Development, Asian Institute of Technology, Thailand

- 18:15-18:30 Importance of urban carbon management in the context of global carbon management by **Dr. Shobhakar Dhakal**, Executive Director, Global Carbon Project- International Project Office, Japan
- 18:30-18:45 Carbon emissions and mitigations: Lessons from cross-city analyses in Asia, **Professor Ram M. Shrestha**, Energy Field of Study, School of Environment Resources and Development, Asian Institute of Technology, Thailand
- 18:45-19:00 Beyond emissions: Scientific challenges in understanding cities and climate change, **Dr. Richard Dawson**, Core-Researcher, Tyndall Centre for Climate Change Research, Newcastle University, Newcastle upon Tyne, United Kingdom
- 19:00-19:15 Challenges for city planners for carbon management and how science can help, **Dr. Debra Roberts**, Deputy Head, Development Planning and Management Unit, EThekwin Municipality (City of Durban), South Africa
- 19:15-19:25 Follow up discussions
- 19:25-19:30 Summary and conclusion by **Professor S. Kumar**

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