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## 2nd Announcement: Asia-Pacific Network for Global Change Research (APN)

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### **Asia-Pacific Network for Global Change Research (APN)**

**Institute of Oceanography, VAST, Vietnam  
A.V. Zhirmunsky Institute of Marine Biology FEB  
RAS, Russia**

### **International Conference**

### ***"DEVELOPING LIFE-SUPPORTING MARINE ECOSYSTEMS ALONG WITH THE ASIA-PACIFIC COASTS – A SYNTHESIS OF PHYSICAL AND BIOLOGICAL DATA FOR THE SCIENCE-BASED MANAGEMENT AND SOCIO-ECOLOGICAL POLICY MAKING"***

In December 21-23, 2015, Institute of Oceanography, VAST and A.V. Zhirmunsky Institute of Marine Biology, FEB RAS with support of the APN (Asia-Pacific Network for Global Change Research) will hold an International Conference with main theme concerning with the problems of developing life-support marine ecosystems along with the Asian-Pacific coasts.

**Conference venue:** Institute of Oceanography, 01 Cau Da, Nha Trang, Viet Nam.

**Conference Sessions Topics:**

- Climate/global environmental changes and possible effects on the marine biodiversity in East Asia.
- Physical forcing to marine biodiversity: seawater chemistry, pollution, eutrophication, water motion and currents, etc.

- Marine biodiversity and marine ecosystems management.
- Physiology and reproduction of the marine organisms.
- Conservation, management and sustainable exploitation of the marine living resources.

**Oral presentations and Poster Session are planned!**

**Call for papers and Deadline**

**- 15<sup>th</sup> December: Registration and submission of abstracts**

**Registration:** Completed registration form should be sent to the Conference Secretariat, Dr. Tatiana Dautova ([tndaut@mail.ru](mailto:tndaut@mail.ru)) and Mrs. Bui Thi Minh Ha ([btminhha@gmail.com](mailto:btminhha@gmail.com))

**Abstracts:** Participants are to send short abstract (no more half of printed page, in English) for the including to the Program of the Conference in according with the Sessions Topics.

**Proceedings.** Participants of the conference **are also expected to submit extended abstracts** to be published as book of **Proceedings of the Conference**; deadline is **February 15, 2016**.

Extended abstracts must not exceed 4 pages, Microsoft Word, body text in Times New Roman font with 12pt size (1.5 spacing), may include 1-2 figures in \*jpg or \*tiff format (not more than 400 kb each, they should **not inserted** into the text and sent **as separate files**) and a very short list of references (up to 5-6); author(s) and affiliations should follow on line below title. References should be presented as follows, in alphabetical order (do not abbreviate journal names):

**books:** *Habe T.* 1977. Systematics of Mollusca in Japan. Bivalvia and Scaphopoda. Tokyo: Hokuryukan. 372 p.

**journal papers:** *Fujii S.* 1987. The molluscan fauna from Toyama Bay in the Japan Sea // Journal of the College of Liberal Arts, Toyama University (Natural Science). V. 20, N 1. P. 17–31.

**book chapters:** *Lü D.* 2004. Family Acmaeidae // Seashells of China. Qi Zhongyan (Ed.). Beijing: China Ocean Press. P. 14–15.

All abstracts must be submitted electronically as an e-mail attachment to Dr. Tatiana Dautova: [tndaut@mail.ru](mailto:tndaut@mail.ru)

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**Organizing Committee**

1. Dr. Tatiana N. Dautova, A.V. Zhirmunsky Institute of Marine Biology FEB RAS and FEFU, Russia (co-chair);
2. Dr. Dao Viet Ha, Vice Director of Institute Oceanography, VAST, Vietnam (co-chair);
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We look forward to seeing you in Nha Trang in December 2015!