

DAILY PROGRAMME

SUNDAY, 14th AUG 2016

0900	Registration Open <i>(until 2000 hours, at Pre Function Foyer)</i>
0930	IPS Scientific Advisory Board Meeting
1230	Lunch
1300	IPS Executive Board Meeting
1500	Break
1530	IPS National Committee Round Table
1730	Briefing for Session Chairs

MONDAY, 15th AUG 2016

0700 - 1700	REGISTRATION, POSTERS&COMMERCIALEXHIBITIONBOOTHSET-UP <i>(until 2000 hours, at Pre Function Foyer)</i>
	EXCURSIONS <ol style="list-style-type: none">1. Agriculture on Tropical Peatland: Smallholder Farms2. Agriculture on Tropical Peatland: Oil Palm Industry3. Semenggoh Nature Reserve4. Bako National Park

TUESDAY, 16th AUG 2016

COLOSSEUM	
	CHAired BY :DR. KUSHAIRI
0800	KEYNOTE 1 : Sustainable Nutrient Management of Fen Grassland on Peat Prof. Jürgen Pickert <i>Leibniz Centre for Agricultural Landscape Research, GERMANY</i>
0830	KEYNOTE 2 : Emissions of Methane and Nitrous Oxide on Peatlands Prof. Ryusuke Hatano <i>Hokkaido University, JAPAN</i>
0900	KEYNOTE 3 : Planting Oil Palm in Peatland: My Experience, Challenges and Opportunities Datuk Amar Abdul Hamed Bin Haji Sepawi <i>Ta Ann Holdings Berhad, MALAYSIA</i>
0930	KEYNOTE 4 : Communicating Peat Science to Society Dr Kalyana Sundram <i>Malaysian Palm Oil Council, MALAYSIA</i>
1000	PLENARY TALK 1: History of Tropical Peatland in South-East Asia Prof. Emeritus Hisao Furukawa <i>Kyoto University, JAPAN</i>
1040	Coffee/ Tea Break and Exhibition
1115 - 1230	WELCOMING ADDRESS Dr Lulie Melling <i>Congress General, 15th International Peat Congress, 2016</i>
	WELCOMING REMARKS Björn Hånell <i>President, International Peatland Society</i>
	MINISTERIAL ADDRESS YB Datuk Seri Mah Siew Keong <i>Minister of Ministry Plantation Industry & Commodity (MPIC), MALAYSIA</i>
	OPENING ADDRESS AND OFFICIAL OPENING by GUEST OF HONOUR YAB Datuk Patinggi Tan Sri Adenan bin Haji Satem <i>Chief Minister of Sarawak, MALAYSIA</i>

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COLOSSEUM	
1230	<i>Lunch and Exhibition</i>
	CHAired BY : DR. KALYANASUNDRAM
1400	KEYNOTE 5 : Key Agro-Environmental Management of Tropical Peatland Dr LulieMelling <i>Tropical Peat Research Laboratory Unit, MALAYSIA</i>
1430	KEYNOTE 6 : What is The Way Forward on Indonesian Peatlands Prof. SupiandiSabiham <i>Bogor Agriculture Institute, INDONESIA</i>
1500	KEYNOTE 7 : Carbon Balance of Tropical Peat Swamp Forest Prof. Takashi Hirano <i>Hokkaido University, JAPAN</i>
1530	<i>Coffee/Tea Break and Exhibition</i>
	CHAired BY : DR. KALYANASUNDRAM
1600	KEYNOTE 8 : Shifting Paradigms in SE Asian Peatland Management Dr Marcel Silvius <i>Wetlands International, NETHERLANDS</i>
1630	KEYNOTE 9 : The Ring of Fire: Tackling Indonesia's Peatland Fire Dynamic Prof. Susan Page <i>University of Leicester, UNITED KINGDOM</i>
1700	KEYNOTE 10 : Is Plantation Agriculture Good For The Poor? Evidence From Indonesia's Palm Oil Expansion DrRyan Edwards <i>Stanford University, USA</i>

WEDNESDAY, 17th AUG 2016

	COLOSSEUM 1	COLOSSEUM 2	OLYMPIA 1	OLYMPIA 2	EIFFEL 1
0820	PEATLANDS IN HARMONY	THEME 2.1	THEME 1.5	THEME 3.1	SPECIAL SESSION 6
		PEATLAND CARBON BALANCE, STORAGE & LOSSES	PEATLAND BIODIVERSITY	RESTORATION OF BOREAL, TEMPERATE & TROPICAL PEATLANDS	ASIA FLUX
1000	<i>Coffee / Tea Break and Exhibition</i>				
1030	PEATLANDS IN HARMONY	THEME 2.1	THEME 2.2	THEME 3.1	SPECIAL SESSION 6
		PEATLAND CARBON BALANCE, STORAGE & LOSSES	GHG EMISSION FROM NATURAL & MANAGED PEATLANDS	RESTORATION OF BOREAL, TEMPERATE & TROPICAL PEATLANDS	ASIA FLUX
1230	<i>Lunch and Exhibition</i>				
1330	PEATLANDS IN HARMONY	THEME 5.1	THEME 2.2	THEME 3.1	THEME 1.1
		AGRICULTURE & FOREST PLANTATIONS ON PEATLAND	GHG EMISSION FROM NATURAL & MANAGED PEATLANDS	RESTORATION OF BOREAL, TEMPERATE & TROPICAL PEATLANDS	PEAT CHARACTERISTICS
1510	<i>Coffee / Tea Break and Exhibition</i>				
1540	PEATLANDS IN HARMONY	THEME 5.1	THEME 5.3	SPECIAL SESSION 6	THEME 1.1
		AGRICULTURE & FOREST PLANTATIONS ON PEATLAND	PEATLAND MANAGEMENT: LEGISLATIONS, REGULATIONS & POLICIES	PEATLAND RESTORATION: THE WAY FORWARD	CONSERVATION OF PEATLAND FOREST & WILDLIFE
1700	Poster Session				
1900 – 2200	PEAT GALA				

THURSDAY, 18th AUG 2016

	COLOSSEUM 2	OLYMPIA 1	OLYMPIA 2	EIFFEL 1	EIFFEL 2
	THEME 2.3	THEME 1.2	SPECIAL SESSION 3	THEME 1.3	SPECIAL SESSION 1
0820	PEAT FOREST- WILDFIRE – IMPACTS ON ENVIRONMENT & SOCIETY	GEOCHEMISTRY, HYDROCHEMISTRY & HYDROLOGY OF PEATLAND	PUBLICALLY MANAGED PEATLAND CARBON STORAGE, ECOSYSTEM SERVICES & MANAGEMENT	PEATLAND REMOTE SENSING, AERIAL & SATELLITE IMAGERY	SOFT SOIL ENGINEERING
1000	<i>Coffee / Tea Break and Exhibition</i>				
	THEME 2.3	THEME 1.2	SPECIAL SESSION 3	SPECIAL SESSION 2	SPECIAL SESSION 1
1030	PEAT FOREST- WILDFIRE – IMPACTS ON ENVIRONMENT & SOCIETY	GEOCHEMISTRY, HYDROCHEMISTRY & HYDROLOGY OF PEATLAND	PUBLICALLY MANAGED PEATLAND CARBON STORAGE, ECOSYSTEM SERVICES & MANAGEMENT	PEAT FOR HORTICULTURE & ENERGY	SOFT SOIL ENGINEERING
1230	<i>Lunch and Exhibition</i>				
	THEME 2.3	THEME 6.1	SPECIAL SESSION 4	THEME 3.2	THEME 4.1
1330	PEAT FOREST- WILDFIRE – IMPACTS ON ENVIRONMENT & SOCIETY	CULTURAL & SOCIO- ECONOMIC ASPECTS OF PEATLAND	TROPICAL PEATLAND BIODIVERSITY & CONSERVATION IN SOUTHEAST ASIA	REWETTING & RE- VEGETATION TECHNIQUES	PEAT USE, PEATLAND TECHNOLOGY & AGRO-TECHNOLOGY
1510	<i>Coffee / Tea Break and Exhibition</i>				
	THEME 2.3	THEME 6.2	SPECIAL SESSION 4	THEME 5.2	THEME 1.4
1540	PEAT FOREST- WILDFIRE – IMPACTS ON ENVIRONMENT & SOCIETY	PEATLAND& LOCAL PEOPLE	TROPICAL PEATLAND BIODIVERSITY & CONSERVATION IN SOUTHEAST ASIA	PEATLAND FORESTRY	PEATLAND CONSERVATION & MANAGEMENT
1700	Poster Session				
1900 – 2200	PEAT BBO				

FRIDAY, 19th AUG 2016

COLOSSEUM 2	
0800	IPS ANNUAL ASSEMBLY OF NATIONAL REPRESENTATIVES (Open for all participants)
	Presentation of annual report, balance sheet and Auditor's report
	Discharge of the outgoing IPS Executive Board and Secretary General
	Election of the new IPS Executive Board
0930	Coffee/ Tea Break
1000	IPS GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF MEMBERS (Open for all participants)
	Outgoing President's Report Bjorn Hanell
	Secretary General's Outlook 2016-2020 Hannu Salo
	Introduction of the Incoming President
	Presentation of Honours
1130	CLOSING CEREMONY
	Welcoming Remarks by the new IPS President
	Address by the Congress General for the 16 th International Peat Congress, Estonia 2020 Erki Niitlaan
	Closing Remarks by Congress General Dr Lulie Melling
	Address by the Honourable Minister Datuk Amar Haji Awang Tengah Ali Hasan Minister of Industrial and Entrepreneur Development, Trade and Investment, MALAYSIA
1230	Lunch