

Panel 5 (comments and general discussion)

- (1) Is there any Asian type of “Science-Society interface” ?
(transdisciplinarity, co-design/co-production)
- (2) How can we link experiences and efforts at national base to regional and then to global?
- (3) What kind of platform/node is adequate for Future Asia to be a hub for connecting existing networks (data/ human/ institutions)?
- (4) How can we encourage early career scientists in Asia to be involved in our activities both at Future Asia and Future Earth Process?

■ Future Asia is nothing a totally new platform but a networking hub to connect already existing wisdom, initiatives and platforms of Asia, within Asia, as well as Asian experiences and issues with global efforts.

■ Future Asia (GEC-Japan/Asia) is a platform where we want to communicate and connect everyone in Asia and then Future Earth too.