

2015 10TH RIHN International Symposium

Beyond Stakeholder Engagement:

The people, cultures, institutions, and ecologies of new water governance

Modern water management was once a field for engineers and others engaged in the technical and institutional design of systems of water provision. In recent years, however, water research, management, and policy have undergone a dramatic evolution. There is increasing acknowledgement of the need to design coherence between human and ecological systems of water provision and the cultural practices of water use, so that water governance corresponds to social needs and ecological values. There is also growing recognition of the cultural elements related to water, and attempts to insert them into management systems through a range of participatory methods.

Drawing on fieldwork conducted in Japan, Indonesia, and several other countries, presentations and panel discussions of this symposium emphasize the knowledge and learning dimensions of recent social and ecological research in water governance, including new conceptual and practical methods of stakeholder engagement. Session participants will examine the frontier of knowledge co-production in water governance, as they also reflect on the roles and identities of researchers working in this emerging field.

June **17-19**, 2015

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English

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Examining Local Water Management:
 Cases from Indonesia, Turkey and Japan

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 Stories from the field

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Re-thinking the Role of Culture in Resource Governance

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 Reflection and proposals



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Wednesday June **17**, 2015

Opening Session

Chair: Steven R. MCGREEVY (RIHN)

- 10:00-10:05 **Opening Remarks**
KUBOTA Jumpei
(Deputy Director-General, RIHN)
- 10:05-10:25 **Objectives of the Symposium**
ABE Ken-ichi
(Symposium Chairperson, RIHN)
- 10:25-11:25 **Keynote Address 1**
Claudia PAHL-WOSTL
(University of Osnabrück, Germany)
- 11:25-11:35 **Coffee Break**
- 11:35-12:35 **Keynote Address 2**
Marco TODERI
(Marche Polytechnic University, Italy)
- 12:35-13:40 **Lunch**

Session 1

Examining Local Water Management: Cases from Indonesia, Turkey and Japan

Chairs: HAMASAKI Hironori (Nagasaki University, Japan) and NAGANO Takanori (Kobe University, Japan)

- 13:40-13:50 **Session Objectives**
HAMASAKI Hironori (Nagasaki University, Japan)
NAGANO Takanori (Kobe University, Japan)
- 13:50-14:20 **OUE Hiroki**
(Ehime University, Japan)
- 14:20-14:50 **Dorothea Agnes RAMPISELA**
(RIHN)
- 14:50-15:20 **Erhan AKCA**
(Adiyaman University, Turkey)
- 15:20-15:40 **Coffee Break**
- 15:40-16:10 **NAKAGAMI Ken'ichi**
(Ritsumeikan University, Japan/ RIHN)
- 16:10-16:40 **Discussion**

Thursday June **18**, 2015

Session 2

Knowledge Co-production in Water Governance: Stories from the field

Chairs: ABE Ken-ichi (Symposium Chairperson, RIHN), Daniel NILES (RIHN) and Steven R. MCGREEVY (RIHN)

- 10:00-10:10 **Session Objectives**
Steven R. MCGREEVY
(RIHN)
- 10:10-11:10 **Stories from the Field** (10 min each)
KOTERA Akihiko (RIHN)
HASHIMOTO (WATANABE) Satoko (RIHN)
SEKINO Nobuyuki (RIHN)
KATO Hisaaki (RIHN)
MASUHARA Naoki (RIHN)

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By Eizan Railway

From Demachiyana Station in Kyoto City, take the Kurama Line. Get off at Kyoto-Seikadai-mae Station. RIHN is a 10-minute walk from the station.

By Car, Taxi

From Kyoto International Conference Hall, take Route 40 to Nikenchaya.

- 11:10-11:30 **Coffee Break**
- 11:30-12:30 **Panel Discussion**
From Stories to Lessons in Social Learning from the Field
Panelists:
Claudia PAHL-WOSTL, Marco TODERI, KOTERA Akihiko, HASHIMOTO (WATANABE) Satoko, SEKINO Nobuyuki, KATO Hisaaki, MASUHARA Naoki
Moderator:
Steven R. MCGREEVY (RIHN)
- 12:30-13:30 **Lunch**

Session 3

Re-thinking the Role of Culture in Resource Governance

Chair: ONISHI Yuko (RIHN)

- 13:30-13:40 **Session Objectives**
Daniel NILES
(RIHN)
- 13:40-14:20 **Moira MOELIONO** (tentative)
(Center for International Forestry Research, Indonesia)
- 14:20-15:00 **Ami Aminah MEUTIA** (tentative)
(RIHN)
- 15:00-15:20 **Coffee Break**
- 15:20-16:00 **Anne MCDONALD** (tentative)
(Sophia University, Japan)
- 16:00-16:40 **David GROENFELDT** (tentative)
(Water-Culture Institute, USA)
- 16:40-17:10 **Discussion**

Friday June **19**, 2015

Session 4

Beyond Stakeholder Engagement: Reflection and proposals

Chairs: Daniel NILES (RIHN) and Steven R. MCGREEVY (RIHN)

- 10:00-10:05 **Introduction**
Daniel NILES
(RIHN)
- 10:05-10:25 **Synthesis of Days 1 & 2**
Remarks
Claudia PAHL-WOSTL
(University of Osnabrück, Germany)
- 10:25-10:45 **Remarks**
Marco TODERI
(Marche Polytechnic University, Italy)
- 10:45-11:05 **Remarks**
KUBOTA Jumpei
(RIHN)
- 11:05-11:25 **Coffee Break**
- 11:25-12:10 **Roundtable Discussion: Nurturing social learning in Asian contexts**
- 12:10-12:25 **Next Steps, Proposals Discussion**
- 12:25-12:30 **Closing Remarks**
YASUNARI Tetsuzo
(Director-General, RIHN)

