The 12th Asian Regional Association for Career Development (ARACD) Conference

Theme: Career Education and VET for Youth in Asia

Date: **May 17 & 18, 2017**

Location: Sheraton Seoul Palace Gangnam Hotel, Korea

If you have an interest in presentation or participation in the conference, please contact us (aracd12@gmail.com).

Anyone including non-Asian will be welcome!

Organized by:

Asian Regional Association for Career Development

Hosted by:

National Youth Policy Institute, Korea

Details of International Conference of ARACD 2017 in Seoul

◆Schedule (It may change due to several conditions)：

Wednesday, May 17

(Sheraton Palace Grand Ballroom)

10:30-12:00 General Assembly

12:00-13:00 Lunch

12:30-13:30 Registration

13:30-13:50 Opening Ceremony

13:50-13:55 Welcome Speech

13:55-14:25 Keynote Speech (President of ARACD, Prof. Mimura)

14:35-18:35 Symposium (Country Papers: Career Education and Job Training in Asian Countries)

18:50-20:50 Welcome Party

Thursday, May 18

(Sheraton Palace Classroom)

 8:40- 9:00 Registration

 9:00-12:00 Parallel Session (Oral Presentation & Poster Presentation)

       *Thematic Fields

       (1)Career education and counseling for Students

       (2)Beyond mainstream practice. Alternative and innovative approaches to educational and career education, counseling for career development

       (3)Job training, Vocational education, Apprenticeship and Entrepreneurship

       (4)Parental and community-based Support for Career Development

13:00-16:00 Study Tour: Free Semester of Middle School

◆Presentation (in English or in Korean)

Papers: Papers can focus on research, theoretical discussions or innovative practices on the theme of this conference. They will be grouped in parallel sessions, each of which will have a chair in charge of coordinating and moderating the time, as well as the final discussion. Each presentation will last 20 minutes leaving 10 minutes for questions at the end of the session.

Posters: Posters present, in a visual way, project outcomes preliminary data, an interesting practice, a program, a collaborative project / network or any idea which can be displayed graphically, related to the theme of the conference. The posters will be exhibited in the halls for two hours during the conference and will be required to facilitate discussion between the presenter(s) and participants for an hour. Posters must be printed, and handed it to the organizers at the start of the conference.

*All delegated who are interested in making presentation at the conference can choose poster session and papers. Delegates should submit a summary of 80-100 words in English by February 28 with the application form

* Please inform your colleague of this conference.

* To enforce ARACD activities, please contribute the membership fee (20.00 USD) at the general assembly

* Website of the conference and the application form will be distributed online soon. (www.aracd.asia/)