

# **International Conference on Transformation of Asia-Pacific Regions: Exploring New Directions in Economy, Environment, and Society**

## **Introduction**

For the past few decades, the Asia-Pacific area has been in transformations within various sectors, including demographic, social, economic, environmental, and political transformations. The driving forces to make those changes are essential because of the area being wildly open to the world. We were privileged to beneficially affect the lives of tens of thousands of people who dwelled in this area, but we also were vulnerable to the prosperity of this area.

Double-folded purposes for this international conference are, first, to discuss the issues that the Asia-Pacific region is undergoing its dramatic transformation and adjustment. The second is that we have to share our developmental trajectories that could be other country's or region's strategy policies in the future. Therefore, empirical studies, as well as theoretical models for the Asia-Pacific areas, are welcome.

**Date:** April 30-May 2 (Saturday-Monday), 2022.

**Venue:** Lecture Hall B106, Humanities and Social Sciences Building III, National Dong Hwa University, Hualien, Taiwan

**Organizers:** The Ph.D. Program in Asia-Pacific Regional Studies, College of Humanities and Social Sciences; Vietnam Taiwan Research Institute, National Dong Hwa University

**Sponsors:** Ministry of Education, Executive Yuan, Republic of China (Taiwan); College of Humanities and Social Sciences, National Dong Hwa University

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## **Call for Papers and Panels:**

Panels or individual papers are encouraged to focus on the general theme and the following sub-themes. The conference also accepts papers on Asia-Pacific area issues that do not fall under the general theme and sub-theme. We welcome panels that include organizers from multiple universities and research institutes.

**General Themes:** Transformation of Asia-Pacific Regions: Exploring New Directions in Economy, Environment, and Society

## **Suggested Sub-Themes:**

Population

Culture

History

Economy

Society

Environment

## **Time Table**

- **February 28, 2022**  
Deadline for abstract submission
- **March 7, 2022**  
Announcement of accepted proposal
- **March 10, 2022**  
Conference registration will begin
- **April 8, 2022**  
Deadline for conference registration. (No late registration)
- **April 15, 2022**  
Deadline for submission of full paper
- **April 30-May 2, 2022**  
Conference at NDHU, Hualien, Taiwan

**Registration Fees:**

Regular fee: 600 NTD

Student fee: 300 NTD

Registration fees include two meals (lunch), refreshments, and PDF files of abstract.

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