



Part I Monday, January 15

PROGRAM



- 9:30-9:40** **Opening Remarks**
- 9:40-10:40** **Special Lecture 1**
Dr. Mark Partridge
Swank Chair in Rural-Urban Policy /Professor, AED Economics, The Ohio State University
Natural Resources Curse and Economic Development
- 10:40-11:40** **Special Lecture 2**
Dr. Peter Nijkamp
Professor, The Tinbergen Institute, Amsterdam
The Netherlands and Adam Mickiewicz University, Poznan, Poland
LOOK WHO'S THERE! Foundation and Application of Migration Impact Assessment
- 11:40-13:10** **Lunch Break**
- 13:10-14:25** **Presentation by JDS Fellows**
- Akomeah Prince**
*Impact of Illegal Gold Mining on Smallholder Rice Farming in the Ashanti Region:
The Case of the Anum Valley Irrigation Project and Rain-Fed Lowland Rice Production Fields.*
 - Sujay Chowdhury**
Climate Change Adaptation Policy Actions in the Coastal Areas of Bangladesh
 - Bang Thai Duong**
Characteristic of Suspended Sediment and flow in downstream of Mekong river, Southern Vietnam
 - Vindya Hewawasam**
An Analysis of Climate Change Secretariat Initiatives to Achieve the National Climate Change Policy in Sri Lanka
 - Ho Thi Hang**
Effects of Nano-Bubble Water on Anaerobic Digestion of Lignin
- 14:25-14:40** **Coffee Break**
- 14:40-15:40** **Presentation by JDS Fellows**
- Islam Al-Imran Ruhul**
*Waste and Bio-resources in Rural Bangladesh:
Assessment of Biogas Energy Potential from Livestock and Rice Residues*
 - Khurelbaatar Javkhlan**
A Study on Environmental Approaches to Sustainable Urban Development of Ulaanbaatar City
 - Mihiri Kokila Wijesinghe**
Realizing the National Disaster Management Policy of Sri Lanka through Public Private Partnerships (PPPs)
 - Kofi Kyei**
*Efficiency Analysis of Rice Farmers in the Upper East Region of Ghana:
A case Study of the Kassena-Nankana Municipality*



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9:30-10:30 Special Lecture 3

Dr. John I. Carruthers

Director, Sustainable Urban Planning Program,
College of Professional Studies, The George Washington University

A Revealed Preference Exploration of Quality of Life in Seoul, Korea: A Hedonic Approach

10:30-11:30 Presentation by JDS Fellows

10. **Gulzhan Makhmudova**

The Remediation Policy after Mining Works in the Kyrgyz Republic

11. **Mohammad Sayed Momem Majumdar**

Regulatory mechanisms on coastal aquatic resources and the discrepancy between the legal framework and the reality: A case in Sundarbans, Bangladesh

12. **Munasinghe Nimali Lakmini**

Assessment of Disaster Safety in Matara District General Hospital in Sri Lanka

13. **Nasanjargal Naranbat**

Developing the management policy to reduce air pollution in Ulaanbaatar city using solar thermal heating utilization system

11:30-13:00 Lunch Break

13:00-14:15 Presentation by JDS Fellows

14. **Nguyen Hong Van**

Verifying the Increase of Salinity Intrusion at Interannual Scale in the Vietnam Mekong River

15. **Pa Pa Shwe Sin Kyaw**

Evaluation of the Best Management Practice on Soil Erosion at Bago River Basin, Myanmar

16. Phan Cao Duong

Analysis of land-cover changes in Central Vietnam using high-resolution multi-spatiotemporal remotely sensed data

17. Stamkulov Marat

Adaptation of Agriculture to Climate Change in the Kyrgyz Republic

18. **Su Myat Mon**

The Impact of Land Tenure Security to the Livelihood Development of Forest Dependent Communities in Zaw Gyi Reserved Forest, Southern Shan State

14:15-14:30 Coffee Break

14:30-15:30 Presentation by JDS Fellows

19. **Ta Hoang Trung**

Using Multi-Temporal High Resolution Satellite Data in Making Land Cover Map of the Mekong Delta

20. **Md Zia Uddin**

Impact of Road Intersection on Fuel Economy and Greenhouse Gases Emission on Dhaka-Chittagong National Highway

21. **Baktygul Ysabekova**

The Economic Evaluation of the Pastureland of the Kyrgyz Republic

22. **Zakaria Abdul-Razak**

Smallholder Rice Farmers' Adaptation and Resilience to Climate change in Ghana

15:30-15:40 Closing Remarks