



INWEPF Symposium

<Date>

November 12, 2025

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- **There may be some media coverage.**
- **All meals and beverage during this event involving reception are offered by Japan without charge for all participants from INWEPF members.**
- **The shuttle buses are also arranged by Japan.**

<Timeline>

Time*	Agenda	Location
9:00-10:00	Registration	Main Conference room
10:00-10:30	Opening Ceremony	“
10:30-12:00	Keynote speech	“
10:30-11:00	1 – Prof. Naoki Ogi Education commentator / Professor Emeritus, Hosei University	
11:00-11:30	2 – Prof. Kimihito Nakamura Professor, Graduate School of Agriculture, Kyoto University	
11:30-12:00	3 – Ms. Busadee Santipitaks CEO, Mekong River Commission (MRC)	
12:00-13:30	Lunch Break	Room 305
13:30-15:00	Symposium (First half)	Main Conference room
13:30-13:45	1 – INWEPF 20 Years Progress and Future Prospects(Japan)	
13:45-14:00	2 – The system and history of sustainable rice paddy agriculture coexisting with Lake Biwa (Shiga prefecture)	
14:00-14:15	3 – Risk & Challenges of Paddy Farming in South Korea (South Korea)	
14:15-14:30	4 – Engineered Irrigation and Infrastructure Renewal: The Path to Malaysia's Rice Self-Sufficiency in MADA (Malaysia)	
14:30-14:45	5 – Bridging the Gap: Integration of National Benchmarking Index (MyKPA) and GIS for Water User Groups in Malaysia (Malaysia)	

14:45-15:00	6 – A new approach to facilitate climate change adaptation and mitigation (FAO)	
15:00-15:30	Coffee Break	Room 305
15:30-16:40	Symposium (Second half)	Main Conference room
15:30-15:45	7 – The Verification Study of Farm-Level AWD in the Red River Delta (Vietnam)	
15:45-16:00	8 – Promoting Climate-Resilient Irrigation Groundwater Solar Energy Opportunities and Challenges for Lao PDR (Laos)	
16:00-16:15	9 – Sustainable Water Management and Smart culture Practices for Higher Rice Productivity (Egypt)	
16:15-16:30	10 – Blending Innovation and Tradition: Advancing Water Saving Paddy Cultivation in Sri Lanka (Sri Lanka)	
16:30-16:40	11 – Wrap Up (Prof. Dr. Tsugihiko Watanabe, ICID Honorary Vice President)	
16:40-17:00	Closing Ceremony	“
17:00-18:00	Travel time	Bus toward reception venue
18:00-20:00	Reception	Lake Biwa cruise
20:00-20:30	Travel time	Bus toward each hotel

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