

**International Symposium on the Shonan Guidance
Principles
and
Asian-Pacific Database for Carbon Footprint of
Products
(Tentative)**

**‘First steps for implementing the Global Guidance Principles on LCA Databases in Asian
countries’**

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9:30 Opening Address: TBA, METI

Part 1: What are the Global Guidance Principles on LCA Databases?

9:35-9:40 **Introduction to Moderators and the Scope and Structure of the Workshop**

Atsushi Inaba, Kogakuin University

9:40-9:50 **The Motivation for developing Global Guidance Principles for Life Cycle Inventories**

Guido Sonnemann, UNEP

9:50-10:05 **Short introduction to key elements of the guidance principles**

Overarching, Current Practice, Future including Chapter 1

Bruce Vigon, SETAC

10:05-10:20 **Overview of the Shonan Guidance Principles**

Chapter 2, 3 and 4

Bruce Vigon, SETAC

10:20-10:30 Chapter 5 and 6

Guido Sonnemann, UNEP

10:30-10:50 Chapter 7 and 8

Bruce Vigon, SETAC

Coffee and Tea (10:50-11:00)

11:00-11:15 **Recent developments with regard to Life Cycle Assessment databases in Japan**

Kiyotaka Tahara, AIST

11:15-11:30 **Recent developments with regard to Life Cycle Assessment databases in the USA**

Greg Thoma, TSC

11:30 -12:30 **Panel discussion on next steps – Database Development for the future**

Atsushi Inaba, Greg Thoma, Bruce Vigon and Guido Sonnemann

12:30-13:30 Lunch

Part 2: What do the Shonan guidance principles mean for your country?

- 13:30-13:45 **Country Report of Database development**
Thailand
Thumrongrut Mungcharoen, Kasetsart University and National Metal and Materials Technology Center, Thailand
- 13:45-14:00 **Korea**
Joon Jae Lee, KEITI
- 14:00-14:15 **Taiwan**
Hu Allen H.; National Taipei University of Technology
- 14:15-14:30 **Philippines**
Raymond Tan, De La Salle University
- 14:30-14:45 **Australia and New Zealand**
Sandra Eady, CSIRO
- 14:45-15:00 **China**
Wang Hongtao, Sichuang University
- 15:00-15:15 **Singapore**
Reginald Tan, National University of Singapore
- 15:15-15:30 **Indonesia**
Benno Rahardyan, ITB
- Coffee & Tea (15:30-15:45)
- 15:45-17:05 **Panel discussion on next steps – Pilot studies in Asia**
Atsushi Inaba, Thumrongrut Mungcharoen, Joon Jae Lee, Hu Allen H, Raymond Tan, Sandra Eady, Reginald Tan, Benno Rahardyan, Bruce Vigon and Guido Sonnemann
- 17:05-17:15 **Conclusion of the day**
Atsushi Inaba, Kogakuin University