

FISH-BOL 2012

Fish Barcode of Life World Conference

1. Overview

Welcome

In celebration of International Exposition Yeosu Korea 2012, the Fish Barcode of Life Initiative (FISH-BOL), Ichthyological Society of Korea, and Korea Ocean Research and Development Institute will hold Fish Barcode of Life World Conference at the Expo site in Yeosu, Republic of Korea from June 12 – 14, 2012. The organizing committee cordially invites you to join the conference and share the experience of fish DNA barcoding and its use for taxonomy, species delimitation, population and phylogeographic analyses, egg and larvae detection, environmental monitoring, forensics and policy making, and industrial applications.

The conference is supported by the organizing committee of EXPO 2012 Yeosu Korea, University of Science & Technology, Ministry of Land, Transport and Maritime Affairs, and Korea Tourism Organization.

Date: June 12 – 14, 2012

Venue: International Pavilion C at the Expo exhibition area in the city of Yeosu

Official language

ENGLISH

Deadlines

Registration*: February 20, 2012

Hotel Reservation*: February 20, 2012

Abstract submission

- Young scientists applying for financial support: February 10, 2012
- General participants: March 15, 2012

Notification of financial support: February 15, 2012

*** Registration and hotel reservation should be made before February 20, 2012** to secure a hotel room. After the date, availability of hotel rooms will be very limited.

2. Theme & Schedule

Main Theme

Fish Barcode Life World Conference; Taxonomy, Phylogeography, and Forensics

Sub Themes

1. Taxonomy, 2. Species delimitation, 3. Population and Phylogeography, 4. Molecular ecology (egg and larvae detection, life histories, etc), 5. Environmental monitoring, 6. Forensics and Policy, 7. Industrial applications, 8. Barcoding technology

Schedule (to be revised further)

	6/12(Tue)	6/13(Wed)			6/14(Thu)	
08:50-09:10	Opening Ceremony	09:00-09:40	Keynote Speech 4		09:00-09:40	Keynote Speech 5
	09:10-09:50	Keynote Speech 1	09:40-11:00	Session 4: Population and Phylogeography Ichthyological Society of Korea Session 1		
09:50-10:30	Keynote Speech 2	11:00-11:20	Coffee Break		09:40-11:00	Session 6: Environmental Monitoring
10:30-10:50	Coffee Break	11:20-12:40	Session 5: Molecular Ecology	Ichthyological Society of Korea Session 2	11:00-11:20	Coffee Break
10:50-12:30	Session 1: Taxonomy				11:20-12:40	Session 7: Forensics and Policy
12:30-14:00	Lunch	12:40-14:00	Lunch		12:40-14:00	Lunch
14:00-14:40	Keynote Speech 3	14:00-18:00	Excursion to Expo (International Participants)	Ichthyological Society of Korea Session 3, 4	14:00-14:40	Keynote Speech 6
14:40-16:00	Session 2: Species delimitation				14:40-16:00	Session 8: Industrial applications
16:00-16:20	Coffee Break				16:00-16:20	Coffee Break
16:20-18:00	Session 3: Lightning talks on posters				16:20-18:00	Session 9: Barcoding technology
18:00-	Poster Session	18:30-	Welcome Reception		18:00-	ISSC & LOC meeting

Each session theme and agenda can be adjusted when all abstracts are submitted.

3. Registration

Sign Up

*** FISH-BOL 2012 Website will be open February 1, 2012: www.fishbol2012.kr**

(You can reach there also through www.expo2012.co.kr)

*** You should sign up and register the conference via on-line system upon the website is open.**

Before registration and abstract submission, please sign-up first

If you have already signed up, please log in with your e-mail and password.

* If you have forgotten your password, please enter your E-mail address and click Send Me My Password. If you do not receive an automatic reply, please contact the Secretariat.

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Registration & Registration Fees

Early Registration Deadline: February 20, 2012

We urge the interested participants to register as early as possible through the on-line registration system. Registration is not considered complete until the registration fee is received.

On-site registration is unacceptable since the participants need an 'entrance pass' card to enter the conference room at the Expo exhibition area. After registration, please fill out the attached 'entrance pass application form' and send it to us with your photo (gif or jpg form, less than 300K size).

Booking a hotel room by February 20, 2012 is strongly recommended. We cannot guarantee the hotel availability after the 20th of February.

For the awardees of the young scientist support program, hotel reservation will be made directly by the local organizing committee.

We recommend strongly that interested participants register and book a hotel as early as possible.

Registration Fee & Benefits

For international participants

Registrants	Early Registration Fee Before/on Feb 20	Late Registration Fee
Regular participant	200USD	250USD
Student	100USD	150USD
What to cover	<ul style="list-style-type: none">· Entrance pass· Welcome Receptions· Coffee/Tea Breaks· Book of Abstracts· Expo ticket· Conference Bag	

For domestic participants

Registrants	1Day	2 Days	3 days
Regular participant	50,000 KW	100,000 KW	200,000 KW
Student	30,000 KW	50,000 KW	100,000 KW
What to cover	<ul style="list-style-type: none">· Entrance pass· Welcome Reception· Coffee/Tea Breaks· Book of Abstracts· Conference Bag	<ul style="list-style-type: none">· Entrance pass· Welcome Reception· Coffee/Tea Breaks· Book of Abstracts· Conference Bag	<ul style="list-style-type: none">· Entrance pass· Welcome Reception· Coffee/Tea Breaks· Book of Abstracts· Expo ticket· Conference Bag

Accompanying persons

The accompanying person fee will be USD 60 per person (For Korean, 60,000 KW per person).

This fee includes a three day expo ticket and access to the Welcome Reception on Wednesday the 13th of June 2012.

Payment methods:

Full payment is required upon completion of your online registration. Amounts are in USD (for domestic participants, Korean Won). We only accept Visa or Mastercard for payment. Receipt will be given to the registrants at the Meeting.

If you wish to pay by bank/wire transfer please email the conference secretariat at fishbol2012@kordi.re.kr for a manual registration form.

Refund policy:

To obtain a full refund email your request to the Secretariat (Seona Yun, fishbol2012@kordi.re.kr) 15 days prior to the start of the Meeting.

50% refund will be given if we receive your request less than 15 days prior to the start of the Meeting. In both cases, a non-refundable \$15 processing fee will be retained. There will be no refund (0% refund) for all requests submitted after the meeting starts.

Registration Form (on-line registration from Feb. 1, 2012)

4. My page

Welcome XXX!

Thank you for your participation in Fish Barcode of Life World Conference 2012 (FISH-BOL 2012). To continue the next steps, please click each of application indexes.

Category	Review & Modify	Status	Print
Registration	Registration form	complete/incomplete	
Abstract Submission Template Download	Submitted abstract	not submitted/submitted	
Presentation File	Submitted presentation file	not submitted/submitted	
Application for young scientist support program	Applied/ unapplied	Accepted/unaccepted	

5. Young Scientist Support Program

Application Deadline: Feb. 10, 2012

Notification of the awardees: Feb. 15, 2012

Objectives

- The Young Scientist Support Program aims to encourage active involvement and participation of foreign young scientists in the conference.

How many will be supported?

- Thirty people

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Who can apply?

- Should log in and register before application.
- Should be under 35 years of age as of June 11, 2012
- Abstract (either for oral or poster presentation) must be submitted.

Required Documents

- Documents to be submitted

☐ 1) A copy of the applicant's Passport or Photo ID with the birth date

☐ 2) Application form

- Notes

- ☐ Submitted documents will not be returned to the applicant.
- ☐ Incomplete or incorrect documents are subject to rejection.

What to cover?

- Registration fee and Accommodations.

(Note: International air fare will not be included in the support and should be prepared by the applicant)

Announcement of the selection: Feb. 15, 2010.

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6. Abstract Submission

Guide:

- **February 10, 2012; deadline for young scientists support program**
- **March 15, 2012: deadline for general participants**

The Conference will include invited and contributed papers. Contributed papers will be selected for oral or poster presentations. Ichthyological society of Korea, the co-host of FISH-BOL 2012, requests the keynote speakers as well as the invited speakers to submit a full paper to the conference so that the society can publish the papers in a special volume of the society's journal. It is highly recommended that the full papers be submitted by May 15, 2012.

Abstract guidelines:

Once the abstracts are submitted, a sub-committee of ISSC will determine their acceptance.

An abstract that does not conform to the following guidelines will be returned to the author for revision.

Language: English

Format: Rich Text Format (.rtf) or Word (.doc) file

Max size: 300 words (body)

No pictures, tables, or graphs

Download Abstract Template (pdf<0.1Mb; doc<0.1Mb) for details

Note: Preferred type of presentation should be marked.

Steps to submit an abstract:

1. Format an abstract according to the instructions in the abstract template
2. Register the conference through on-line system
3. Submit the abstract through on-line system
4. Confirmation email will be sent to you instantly, after abstract submission

Abstract Acceptance

Notification: by April 15, 2012

Abstract submitters will receive a notification email by April 15, 2012 from FISH-BOL 2012 Secretariat regarding the acceptance of their abstracts either as oral or poster presentation.*

Session conveners will do their best to accommodate authors' preferences for oral or poster presentations. However, the number of oral presentations accepted for each session will be limited by the availability of timeslots. Therefore, some of the abstracts might be moved to the poster session. A sub-committee of ISSC for abstract selection reserves the right to reject submitted abstracts which are poorly written, do not follow the abstract guidelines, and/or are completely beyond the scope of the

conference.

*The submitter's server might return the secretariat's email. Please check "Schedule" page to see if your presentation has been accepted.

7. Travel/Hotel

Visas

Valid passports are required. Entry visas may be necessary depending on your nationality. If needed, please apply for your Korean visa as timely as possible to avoid possible delays. Entry visas must be obtained from the Korean Consulates in the participant's respective countries. For visa requirements and other information on entry conditions, please visit to website: <http://www.immigration.go.kr/indeximmeng.html>

Should anyone need a letter of invitation, please download and fillout the form for invitation letter, and send the completed form to the Secretariat by e-mail(fishbol2012@kordi.re.kr) by March 31, 2012 at the latest.

[Application Form for Invitation Letter Download](#)

Countries under Visa Waiver Agreements

Nationals of visa waiver countries can enter Korea without a visa as long as the purpose of their visit is tourism or temporary visit.

> Find Countries under Visa Waiver Agreements with Korea

Continent	Countries
Asia	Macau(90 days), Brunei, Saudi Arabia, Arab Emirates, Yemen, Oman, Japan (90 days), Qatar, Taiwan, Hong Kong (90 days), Kuwait, BAHRAIN(90 days) [12 countries]
North America	United States(90 days), Canada (6 months) [2 countries]
South America	Guyana, Guatemala, Argentina, Ecuador, Uruguay, Paraguay [6 countries]
Europe	Monaco, Vatican, Bosnia-Herzegovina, Albania, Cyprus, San Marino, Serbia, Montenegro, Slovenia(90 days), Andorra, Croatia [11 countries]
Oceania	Guam, Nauru, New Caledonia, Micronesia, Samoa, Solomon Islands, Kiribati, Fiji, Australia (90 days), Marshall Islands, Palau, Tuvalu, Tonga

	[13 countries]
Africa	South Africa, Seychelles, Mauritius, Swaziland, Egypt (5 Countries)
Countries that are granted visa-free entry for diplomatic and government official passport holders (2 countries)	
Asia	Indonesia, Lebanon

Visa Types

Single Entry Visa

- Only a single-entry is permitted for the duration of the visa.
- Valid for 3 months from the date it had been issued.

Multiple Entry Visa

- Multiple entries are permitted for as long as visa remains valid.
- Valid for:
 - : Diplomacy (A-1) / Conventions/Agreements (A-3) visa status: 3 years from date of issue.
 - : Visa provided under multiple-entry visa Agreement: duration specified by an agreement.
 - : Visa provided for national benefit: duration specified by the Minister of Justice

For general inquires and questions, please visit e-Government for Foreigner

Hotels

Hotel information

The list of the recommended hotels in Yeosu and their special rates are as follows:

Hotel name	Room type	Price(KW) including tax	Breakfast (KW)
MVn L hotel	standard(2 bed)	175,300	33,880
	deluxe(2 bed)	204,600	
	suite(2 bed)	306,200	
	silver suite(noblian, 1 bed)	353,200	
	gold suite(Noblian, 2 bed room)	486,600	
	royal suite(2 bedroom)	532,300	
The Ocean hotel	double(1 bed)	161,700	25,000
	twin(2 bed)	176,400	

	ocean twin(2 bed)	194,000	
	ocean premium(1 bed)	194,000	
	orange Condo(1 room, 1 bathroom)	229,300	
	green condo (3 room, 1 bathroom)	352,800	
Gyungdo golf & resort	26 area(1 bedroom, bathroom, kitchen, living room)	252,000	22,000
	36 area(2 bedroom, 2 bathroom, 1 kitchen)	346,500	
	37 area(2 bedroom, 2 bathroom, 1 kitchen)	357,000	
	47 area(3 bedroom, 2 bathroom, 1 kitchen)	451,500	
Hidden bay hotel	Standard	166,300	22,000
	Deluxe Twin(2 bed)	194,000	
	Family Twin(2 bed)	228,700	
	Corner Suite	277,200	

Hotel reservation

You can book a hotel at www.expo2012hotels.kr. The website provides the booking information in English, Chinese, Japanese, and Korean language. Privilege is provided for conference participants. You should book the hotel from February 1 – 20, 2012. You can pay by Visa, Master, or JCB credit card. Booking will be open to the public from February 21. Therefore, after February 20 we cannot guarantee the hotel availability.

More information for booking hotels

8. Transportation

9. Useful Information(Getting Around)

Yeosu is one of the country's most picturesque port cities especially at night. Famous for its seafood, beaches, flowers and marinas, it is developing as an international ocean resort and tourist destination as well as being selected as a host city for the 2012 World Expo in Yeosu Harbor.

The city of Yeosu consists of the Yeosu peninsula as well as 317 islands (49 inhabited, 268 uninhabited) with population of 300,000. Yeosu is a city of history and loyalty where the headquarters of South Jeolla Province Navy Base was located, and the Great Admiral Yi Sun Shin invented the Geobukseon or "a turtle ship" to save the country while serving as the Navy Commander when Japan invaded Korea in 16th century.

Lying about midway along the southern coast of South Korea, Yeosu has cool summers and mild winters thanks to the sea wind and warm current. Its blessed ocean climate also brings Yeosu relatively longer springs and autumns than other regions.

If you want more information, visit at

http://eng.yeosu.go.kr/home/eng/Tourists/Tourism/land_torur/page.wscms

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