Welcomen Message

Dear Colleagues:

On behalf of the Organizing Committee, I would like to extend my heartfelt welcome to the delegates attending the First Asian and Oceanic Congress for Radiation Protection (AOCRP-1) to be held at Hotel Lotte in Seoul, Korea from October 20 through 24, 2002.

This Congress under the theme of “Radiation Protection toward the New Horizon” will provide a great opportunity for the attendants to update themselves on the current trends in various fields of radiation protection by exchanging scientific and technological information and improving cooperation in education and research among members of AOARP.

For the scientific program, plenary and invited lectures including symposia will be presented by a number of outstanding scientists in the field of radiation protection. During the congress, over 100 scientific papers and approximately 200 posters will be presented by scientists from 21 countries.

Seoul, the vibrant capital of Korea, with its many historical sites and tourist attractions provides an excellent atmosphere for the Congress. I am confident that many of you will enjoy this Congress and take this opportunity to admire the scenic beauty and cultural life of Korea and, most importantly, meet its friendly people.

Welcome to Seoul, Korea!

Charn Il PARK, M.D.
Secretary General of AOCRP-1
Invitation

Dear Colleagues:

The Korean Association for Radiation Protection (KARP) is privileged to host the First Asian and Oceanic Congress for Radiation Protection (AOCRP-1) on October 20-24, 2002 in Seoul, Korea.

This is the first Congress which is hosted by KARP under the deep interest and full support of both the Asian and Oceanic Association for Radiation Protection (AOARP), and the International Radiation Protection Association (IRPA). The aim of this Congress is to strengthen the friendship among professionals of the radiation protection society through a mutual exchange of invaluable experiences and recently gained knowledge in the course of radiation protection practices, and to show off an importance of the radiation protection area.

This Congress will take "Radiation Protection toward the New Horizon" as the Congress theme, and cover a wide variety of subjects including the currently interesting areas as given in the main topics.

We plan to hold an exhibition in conjunction with the Congress to provide commercial firms an opportunity to display their products and services for radiation protection.

The AOARP is pursuing the establishment of new collaborative relationship among the Asian and Oceanic countries through this Congress toward the new horizon of this century.

We are ardently expecting you and your spouse to take part in the Congress and to enjoy the beautiful autumn season in Korea. Again we look forward to welcoming you in Seoul, 2002.

Yong-Kyu Lim, Ph. D.
President of AOCRP-1
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