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Green Jobs in Asia Regional Conference

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Surabaya, Indonesia

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Conference Objectives

- Share achievements and lessons learned from the Green Jobs in Asia Project in the five targeted countries (Bangladesh, Indonesia, Nepal, Philippines and Sri Lanka);
- Learn from other on-going and upcoming green jobs projects in Asia & the Pacific region (China, Fiji, India, Malaysia and Thailand);
- Identify what ILO constituents and strategic partners consider as key priorities in the promotion of green jobs;
- Stimulate social dialogue around common areas of interest (e.g. mainstreaming of green jobs policies, etc.).

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Presentations

The ILO Green Jobs Programme in Asia & the Pacific Region – Vincent Jugault, Senior Specialist in Environment and Decent Work, ILO ROAP

The Green Jobs in Asia Project (Bangladesh, Indonesia, Nepal, Philippines and Sri Lanka) – Matthew Hengesbaugh, Project Coordinator Green Jobs in Asia Project

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Conference Agenda and Sessions Overview

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Day 1: Seizing opportunities and assessing needs

11.00 – 12.30: Tripartite Panel Discussion on
green jobs for a sustainable future

14.00 – 17.30: Training and capacity building
activities on green jobs:

- Activities in the region (ILO overview and
concrete experiences from social partners)
- Tripartite working groups
- Report to plenary and discussion

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Day 2: Sector analysis and successful approaches

9.00 – 10.30: Green Jobs Employment Models in Renewable Energy and Recycling

11.00 – 12.30: Green Jobs Employment Models in Construction and Sustainable Tourism

14.00 – 15.30: Greening of Enterprises in Thailand and the Philippines

15.45 – 17.30: Green Entrepreneurship and Youth Employment in China and Indonesia

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Day 3: The way forward

9.00 – 9.45: Support to farmers in disaster prone areas (Philippines)

9.45 – 11.00: Mainstreaming of green jobs policies

11.15 – 12.45: Round table with partners

14.00 – 16.30: Green jobs for the future through working groups and plenary discussion

Closing of the Conference

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Day 1 to Day 3: Side events

8.00 – 9.00:
Workers and Employers Group Meetings

Community of practice



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Participants' expectations and contributions

