

Recap day 1

Regional Training Course on UNESCO Global Geoparks

28 May 2018

Oki Islands UGGp, Japan

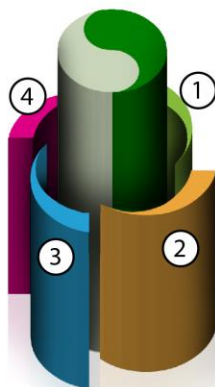
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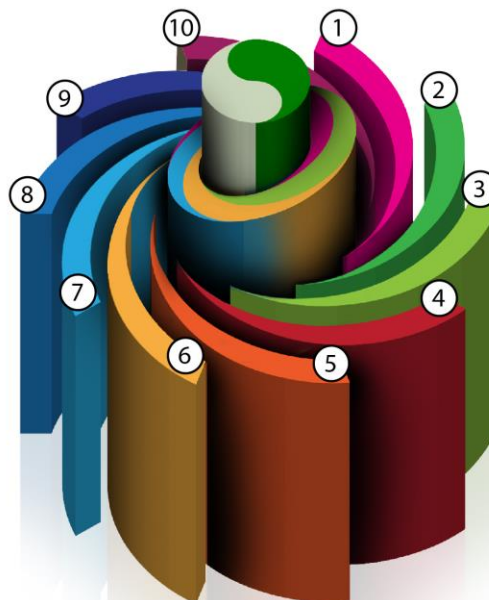
The Two Core Pillars

1. Celebrating Earth Heritage
2. Sustaining Local Communities



The Four Essentials

1. Geological Heritage of International Value
2. Management
3. Visibility
4. Involvement of Local Communities



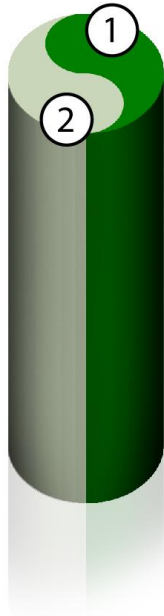
The Ten Topics

1. Sustainable Development
2. Education
3. Science & Research
4. Culture
5. Networking
6. Women
7. Local & Indigenous Knowledge
8. Natural Hazards (incl. Climate Change)
9. Geoconservation
10. Natural Resources



The Concept of UNESCO Global Geoparks

The Core pillars

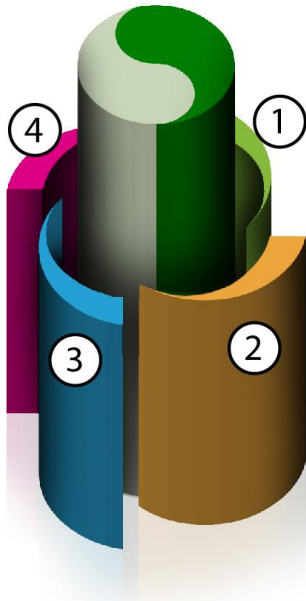


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- 1) Prof Nikolaos Zouros (GGN) :
Background, History and Concept
of UNESCO Global Geoparks
 - Not only about geology
 - Model of collaboration and
coordination for local sustainable
development
 - The Working Groups

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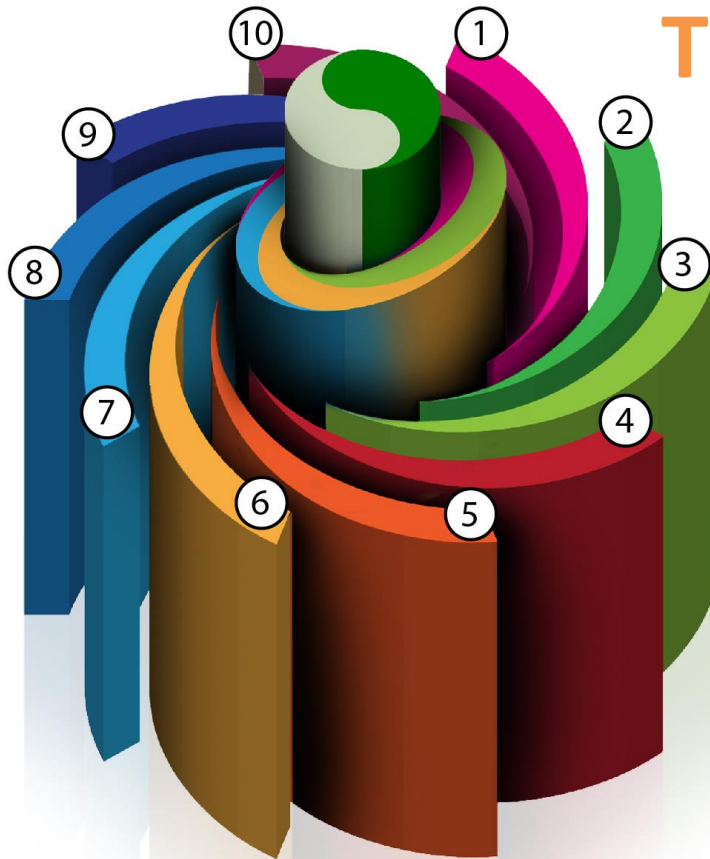
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- 2) Prof Patrick Mc Keever (UNESCO) :
UNESCO Global Geoparks in
practice around the world /
application and revalidation
processes
- Networking
 - Geopark people
 - Communicating Science and GeoScience
 - Conserving & Protecting our Geodiversity
 - Support Local Enterprise and gender equality



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The 10 topics – Day 1-



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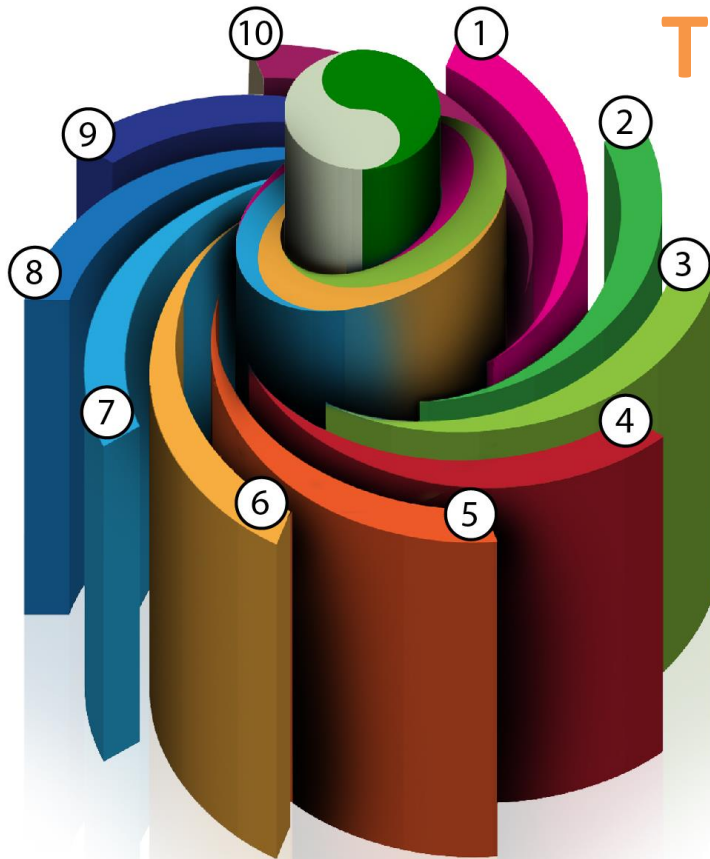
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- 1) Dr Yuang Zheng, CGN
 - UNESCO Global Geoparks in China → Networking (5)
- 3) Dr Mahito Watanabe, JGC
 - UNESCO Global Geoparks in Japan: journey from NGO to Network and Committee (5)
- 3) Prof Setsuya Nakada, JGC
 - National networking and institutional organisation in Japan
 - Geohazards (8)
- 3) Ms Devona Lauritzen, Mt Apio UGGp
 - Education, Research support (2&3)
- 4) Dr Ko Takenouchi, Itoigawa UGGp
 - Geoconservation (9)



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The 10 topics – Day 2-



The Ten Topics

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| 1. <u>Sustainable Development</u> | 6. <u>Women</u> |
| 2. <u>Education</u> | 7. <u>Local & Indigenous Knowledge</u> |
| 3. <u>Science & Research</u> | 8. <u>Natural Hazards (incl. Climate Change)</u> |
| 4. <u>Culture</u> | 9. <u>Geoconservation</u> |
| 5. <u>Networking</u> | 10. <u>Natural Resources</u> |

- 5) Mr Yukihiro Matsuura, San'in Kaigan UGGp
 - Local Sustainable development and Management (1,4&10)
- 6) Dr Katsuhiko Asahi, Izu Peninsula UGGp
 - ESD, SDGs (2)
- 7) Ms Jagoda Woloszyn, Oki Islands UGGp
 - Island Geopark (WG)
- 8) Ms Kana Furusawa, JGN
 - Networking, Gender and Capacity Development activity (6&7)



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Day 2 and Day 4 Workshops



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No	Country	Technical/ geological	Funds	Communication/Aware ness/coordination	Community/ local development	Education
1	Myanmar	x	x	x	x	
2	Sri Lanka	x	x	x		
3	Malaysia			x	x	x
4	Kyrgyz Republic			x	x	
5	Thailand		x	x		x
6	Lao		x			x
7	Cambodia	x		x		
8	Philippines	x	x	x		
9	Nepal	x	x	x	x	
10	Indonesia	x	x	x		
11	Timor-Leste			x	x	
12	Mongolia	x		x	x	
13	Vietnam		x	x		

Day 2 and Day 4 Workshops

- Workshops day 2
 - Discussion
 - What can be accomplished through Geoparks?
 - What are the goals of Geoparks?
 - Exchange with Japanese colleagues on Japanese solutions implemented in Japan and brainstorming for local solutions in participants country
- Workshops day 4
 - Exchange with Japanese colleagues on Japanese solutions implemented in Japan and brainstorming for local solutions in participants country
 - Role of different institutions.



- Outputs: (2 slides on Day 4- Wed)
 - Understanding of the national challenges
 - Roadmap of the next steps