Invitation

Conference on Smallholders and Poverty Alleviation in the

Asia-Pacific Region

October 29-31, 2018 | Beijing, China

As it comes to the 40th anniversary of China's reform and opening up, against the backdrop of building a well-to-do society in an all-round way, and deepening Poverty Alleviation Initiatives, the Institute of Agricultural Economics and Development, Chinese Academy of Agricultural Sciences will hold a Conference on "Smallholders and Poverty Alleviation" in the Asia-Pacific region, which will take place from October 29 to 31, 2018 in Beijing, China.

China's poverty alleviation efforts have achieved remarkable results, but there are still new difficulties and challenges. In order to share experiences in the field of poverty alleviation, this symposium will focus on how to effectively combine government promotion with the endogenous incentives of smallholders to improve the effectiveness of poverty alleviation, in the hope of forming theoretical results and countermeasures that will help promote the development of poverty reduction in the Asia Pacific region. The relevant information of this symposium is hereby notified as followed:

1. Theme of the conference

Under the background of China's poverty-alleviation efforts, combining the small-scale farmers' development and poverty alleviation practices in the Asia-Pacific region, the focus will be on improving the ability of smallholders to survive and develop, especially on the experiences and frontiers of smallholders' development and poverty reduction in various countries.

Main topics:

- Factors, transmission mechanism and performance affecting small-scale farmers' poverty reduction.
- ♣ The impact of agricultural modernization on small-scale farmers and its response.

- ♣ Agricultural productive services and poverty reduction for small farmers.
- Basic rural public services and poverty reduction for small farmers.
- China's agricultural policy and small-scale poverty reduction.
- Comparison of the differences in the national or regional differences between the development of small-scale farmers in Asia and the Pacific and poverty reduction.

2. Time and Place

Time: October 29th-31st, 2018.

Venue: Beijing Friendship Hotel.

Address: No. 1, Zhongguancun South Street, Haidian District, Beijing.

Tel: 0086-10-68498888

3. Schedule

October 29th, 2018: Check in.

October 30th-31st, 2018: Seminars.

Conference language: English.

The conference plans to invite 100 experts and scholars, home and abroad, on poverty reduction and smallholder development to join this event.

4. Funding

- The conference does not charge any conference fees.
- ➤ Chinese participants are responsible for the respective travel expenses and accommodation occurs by the conference.
- The conference shall provide the accommodation and the travel expense for one participant from each different countries in Asia-Pacific Region, including Chile, Indonesia, Malaysia, Mexico, Papua New Guinea, The Philippines, Peru, Russia, Thailand, and Viet Nam.

5. Contacts

(1) Participation feedback: Please send the participation answer form to the

conference group email before August 15, 2018.

(2) Submission for contributed papers (indicating the author, company, and contact

information): Please send the conference paper to the conference group email before

August 15, 2018: apec spa2018@caas.cn.

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Attachment: Participation Answer Form

Participation Answer Form

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Hotel reservation		☐ Single Room			
		Duration date: From to			