

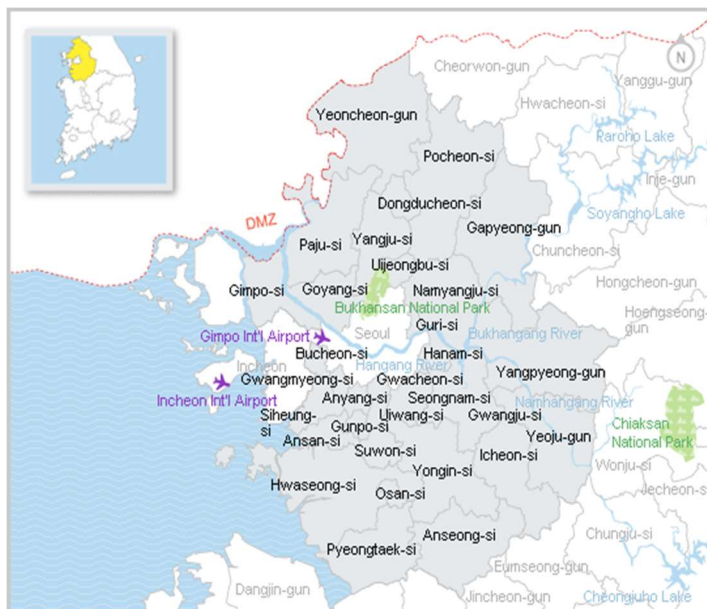
2016 Gyeonggi-Do Ddabok Community International CONFERENCE

- Theme : Social Finance
- Location : Champagne Hall, Novotel ambassador, Su-won City, Gyeonggi Province
- Date : Tuesday, Oct. 25th, 2016 - Thursday, Oct. 27th (3 days)

Sub-Theme	Solidarity	Cooperation	Community
Time	Tuesday, October 25	Wednesday, October 26	Thursday, October 27
10:00-10:30	Opening ceremony	Session 3: - Relation-based alternative finance and self-help financing in Korea + Side event: Crowd-funding Audition	Session 6: - Sustainable funding mechanism for community - NPO Bank network (Japan) - Community Shares Unit (U.K.)
10:30-11:00	Keynote lecture		
11:00-12:00	*Global Roundtable "International Trends and Prospect of Social Finance"		
13:30-15:30	Session 1: - Social roles and tasks of financial institution - Laboral Kutxa (Mondragon, Spain) - JAK membersbank (Sweden)	Session 4: - Administration of the funds, and governance structure. - Fiducie du Chantier de l'économie sociale (Canada) + Side event: Mentor-Mentee Table	* Policy discussion panel : Tasks and Strategies of Social Finance in Gyeonggi Province * Closing ceremony
15:50-18:00	Session 2: - Investment in community development - BPI France(France) - CDFI(U.S.)	Session 5: - Development of cooperative financing system - Legacoop(Italy)	
18:30-20:30	+ Side event: Networking party		

■ Brief Information on Gyeonggi Province and the Conference

Gyeonggi Province is located in the west-central region and surrounds Seoul, the capital of Korea. The area of Gyeonggi Province is 10,189 km², accounting for approximately 10.2% of the total land area of South Korea. Its population has reached about 12.9 million and it is steadily increasing. Gyeonggi Province is the most populous region and consists of 28 cities and 3 counties.



<Map of Gyeonggi Province>

Gyeonggi Province legislated the Provincial by law on Fostering the Local Social Economy in 2015 to support social enterprises, cooperatives, community enterprises, self-sufficient enterprises and non-profit organizations. The province is home to some 2,200 social economy organizations, which together hire over 12,000 persons. The aggregate revenue of these organizations account for 0.078 percent of the gross regional domestic product of the province. Regarding these stats, it is still much smaller than traditional economy in the scale that social economy in Gyeonggi province. Though its short history, the social economy is rapidly growing in Gyeonggi and other regions in South Korea.



A multitude of social economy initiatives are seeking to bring social change in a better way to communities around Gyeonggi Province. However, they face the challenges of ensuring sustainability in maintaining and developing their activities as well as supporting their businesses.

Noting Gyeonggi Province's effort to foster the local social economy by introducing social finance, and observing the growing need for developing the related policies, laws, and institutions, we came to organize this international conference exclusively dedicated to social finance and related topics.

Thus, we would like to introduce the very first international conference under the theme of 'Social Finance' from the 25th to the 27th of October. The Governor of Gyeonggi Province as well as representatives from local governments and social economy enterprises and networks are expected to attend.



Many organizations and people leading social finance from various countries in the world attend 2016 Gyeonggi Province Ddabok Community International Conference.

We expect many interest and participation of you.

Thank you.



Gyeonggi Province launched Ddabok Community Support Center in June 2015, an endeavor based on public-private partnership, as an intermediary organization for supporting the local social economy and community activities. This year's conference is hosted by Gyeonggi Province, and Ddabok Center serves as its operating secretariat.

Venue

Novotel Ambassador Hotel Suwon (2F)

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TRAIN(KTX)

Incheon Airport <-> Seoul Station <-> Suwon Station: Appx. 80 mins

BUS

Incheon Airport <-> Suwon Station: Airport limousine No. A4100, Appx. 70 mins

Gimpo Airport <-> Suwon Station: Airport limousine No. A4300, Appx. 70 mins

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