## **EASTS** – Asia's leading transport research society

Eastern Asia Society for Transportation Studies

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## **ABOUT THE SOCIETY**

EASTS (Eastern Asia Society for Transportation Studies), an umbrella organization of transportation science societies in Eastern Asia, was founded in November 1994 following the meeting with transport experts from 13 countries/regions. The primary objectives of EASTS are to foster and support excellence in transportation research and practice and to stimulate professional exchange in all aspects and modes of transportation. There are currently 19 member domestic societies. We encourage more individual members and more member domestic societies who are interested in Easts activities.

## **ACTIVITIES**

#### **International Conference**

The primary activity of the Society is to organize, generally once every two years, a conference on transportation studies, gathering researchers and practitioners from member countries/areas. The next 13th conference will be held on September, 2019 in Colombo, Sri Lanka

Latest Conferences Date & venue	Conference Theme	# of Papers		
12th Conference 18-21 Sep., 2017 in HCMC, Vietnam	Safe, Green and Integrated Transport	544		
11th Conference 11-14 Sep., 2015 in Cebu, Philippines	Resilient and Inclusive Transportation Systems through Smarter Mobility	475		
10th Conference 9-12 Sep., 2013 in Taipei, Taiwan	Towards a Harmonized Transportation Society	500		
9th Conference 20-23 Jun., 2011, in Jeju, Korea	Green Growth and Transport	425		

#### **Publications**

Journals are available online. Visit www.easts.info.

- Asian Transport Studies (ATS) [ONLINE ISSN 2185-5560]
- Journal of the Eastern Asia Society for Transportation Studies [ONLINE ISSN 1881-1124, ISSN 1341-8521]
- Proceedings of the Eastern Asia Society for Transportation
   Studies [ONLINE ISSN 1881-1132]

#### **Awards**

- Yasoshima Prize, Excellent Paper Awards and OCDI Award
- Outstanding Transportation Project Award
- Outstanding Presentation Award
- Best Domestic Society Award

#### **Public Relations**

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### **International Research Group (IRG)**

Several international cooperative research projects are being conducted as an International Research Group (IRG) approved by EASTS due to the increasing importance of international viewpoints in the transportation field. The IRG is expected to hold seminars and symposia as part of EASTS activities, and encouraged to apply for other funding sources and to coordinate with other organizations.

#### [New IRGs]

- Gender and Transport Nexus: Achieving A More Equitable and Inclusive Society
- Motorcycle, motor scooter, motorbike ownership and use in South East Asia city
- Research on Promoting Sustainable Rural Area Development through Roadside Station
- Institutions for Railway Development in Asian Cities (IRDAC)

(11 IRGs in total are now in action as of 18 July, 2017.)

# International Cooperative Research Activities (ICRA)

EASTS is offering **research grants** to a group of researchers involved in transportation and related fields through its International Cooperative Research Activity (ICRA). The reports of past ICRA projects are available online.

#### **Collaboration with Domestic Societies**

EASTS collaborates with Member Domestic Societies by cosponsoring conferences, symposiums and seminars.

# FINANCIAL SUPPORT FOR PAPER PRESENTERS

EASTS has been offering financial support to researchers in developing countries to carry on their research, participate in international conferences, etc.

Please check the Call for Papers of each conference.

## **TEMBERSHIP**

#### EASTS is welcoming members from all over the world!

#### How to Become a Member of EASTS

- (a) Individuals who have a member domestic society of EASTS in their country -> Regular Membership Application through Member Domestic Societies
- (b) Individuals who have no existing member domestic society of EASTS in their country -> Regular Membership Application through the recommendation of two regular members of EASTS and approval of the Board of Directors. If you need any help, please contact EASTS secretariat (membership@easts.info).
  - \*Application form can be downloaded at EASTS website

#### EASTS Member List (as of 18 July, 2017)

Country	# of Members		Country	# of Members				
/Area	Regular	Student	Total	/Area	Regular	Student	Total	
Australia	46	0	46	New	21	0	21	
Cambodia	24	2	26	Zealand	21	U	21	
China*	107	17	124	Philippines	68	17	85	
Hong Kong	5	3	8	Singapore	6	1	7	
Indonesia	124	0	124	Sri Lanka	41	0	41	
Japan	393	94	487	Taiwan	143	6	149	
Korea	79	23	102	Thailand	52	46	98	
Lao PDR*	21	0	21	Vietnam	69	6	75	
Malaysia*	10	8	18	Individual	71		71	
Mongolia	15	1	16	Member**	. –		. –	
Myanmar*	23	0	23	Total	1,342	226	1,568	
Nepal	24	2	26	*as of September 2016				

\*\*from outside EASTS area



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All regular members shall have the following rights and privileges:

- (1) To participate in all deliberations/meetings of the society;
- (2) To have access to all records of the associations; and
- (3) To receive discount of conference registration fees.

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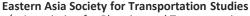
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