

# UNESCO-COMPETENCE, “Energy for Sustainable Development in Asia” Course, and its extension activities in Vietnam, Laos, Cambodia, and Myanmar

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Development of a regional framework and programme of action for science education within the context of ESD

**Activity 4.1.1**  
(Year 1)

Frame Work

Framework development for COMPETENCE through regional Workshop on Rethinking Science Education targeting sustainability science, energy and other UNESCO science fields.

Development and validation of a model interdisciplinary course on sustainability science

**Activity 4.1.2**  
(Year 1&2)

### Model courses

Outline and content of a generic model course on Sustainability Science will be developed. Pilot courses will be developed to test and refine the effective approach. Possible experts for the development include UNU and Tokyo Univ.

**Renewable Energy for sustainable development**

Together with partners (Kyoto University, SEEForum), multi- and inter-disciplinary renewable energy model course for sustainable development will be develop. Year 1 is for the feasibility assessment.

**Activity 4.1.3**  
(Year 1-3)

Water, Environment and Disaster Risk Reduction

Model courses for water, DRR and environment will be developed together with Nagoya University (IHP), Kyoto University (DRH). Tokyo Tech (Water) and other regional partners. IHP e-learning course is planned for year 1.

Basic Sciences and Engineering

Courses on Climate Change and other emerging science issues will be developed later in the project.

Others science issues

Activities for Year 2-3 except IHP e-learning course

Mobilizing knowledge for sustainable development through ICTs

For the e-learning mode of course delivery, the project will continue working with ICT networks such as SOI, NREns, and TEIN

**Activity 4.1.4**  
(Year 1-3)

Infrastructure Network

# **Regional Experts Meeting to Develop a Model E-learning Course on Renewable Energy for Sustainable Development (19-20 May, 2010)**



Jointly organized by  
UNESCO Jakarta,  
Directorate General of Higher  
Education,  
Indonesian MoNE,  
and Gadjah Mada University

# Objective

- To create a multi- and inter-disciplinary **higher education** (undergraduate level & teacher) course that covers a broad range of energy for sustainable development issues
  - renewable energy technology and policy
  - energy-related environmental and social issues
  - gender and energy equity

***How energy can contribute to the MDGs.***

# Goals

To provide an understanding of

- 1) the linkage between energy services and sustainable development,
- 2) the current energy situation and the need for transition to a sustainable energy system,
- 3) different energy efficiency and renewable energy options and related issues,
- 4) role of energy efficiency and renewable energy in future energy scenarios.

# Mode of delivery

- The mode of delivery should facilitate access by students from different parts of the region for professional development and life-long learning.
  - Internet-based and be delivered through live video presentations with provision for downloadable presentations and lecture notes, online question and answer forums
  - Considering poor quality of Internet access prevalent in many developing countries, it would be useful to make all lecture materials available in the form of downloadable documents enabling off-line reading



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## UNESCO E-Learning Course

# ENERGY FOR SUSTAINABLE DEVELOPMENT IN ASIA

Energy course is developed under  
COMprehensive Program to Enhance  
Technology, Engineering and Science  
Education (COMPETENCE)

The course will be delivered  
every 10.00 am - 12.00 pm (GMT+7)

For registration please visit  
[www.connect-asia.org](http://www.connect-asia.org)

### Theme 1: Understanding of Sustainable Development

10/02: Sustainable development, What are MDGs?;  
Prof. Hubert Gijzen, UNESCO

16/02: Energy access, linkage between energy and MDGs;  
Prof. Sivanappan Kumar, AIT

### Theme 2: Current Energy Situation and Needs to Transform Toward Sustainable System

17/02: Current energy situation, Resources and future energy  
scenarios; Prof. Sivanappan Kumar, AIT

22/02: Gender perspective; Ms. Christina Aristanti, Dian Desa

24/02: Social and environmental cost, Ethics and behavioral  
change issues; Prof. Tetsuo Tezuka, Kyoto University

### Theme 3: Current (Conventional) Energy Technologies

01/03: Technology and applications (pros and cons of  
technology options):

Nuclear power generation; Prof. Hideaki Ohgaki,  
Kyoto University

Fossil fuel power generation; Prof. Harwin Saptohadi,  
Gajah Mada University

02/03: Status of conventional energy technologies;  
Prof. P. Ravindra, University Malaysia Sabah

### Theme 4: Energy Efficiency

Energy efficiency technologies:

03/03: Sector wise opportunities in Japan and Asia;  
Prof. Keiichi Ishihara, Kyoto University

08/03: Sector wise opportunities in China and Asia;  
Prof. Yanjia Wang, Tsinghua University



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### Theme 5: Renewable Energy

- 10/03: Renewable energy technology; Prof. Hideaki Ohgaki,  
Kyoto University  
15/03: Renewable energy technology - Bioenergy;  
Prof. V.K. Vijay, IIT  
17/03: Support strategies to promote renewable energy (policy),  
Renewable energy as a tool to empower community;  
Dr. Bundit Funtamasan, JGSEE  
22/03: Prof. Xi Wenhua, ISEC-UNIDO (tbc)

### Theme 6: Sustainable Energy Policy and Development

- 24/03: Local/national/global policies; Prof. Low Seow Chay,  
Nanyang Tech University  
29/03: Stakeholder engagement; Prof. Low Seow Chay,  
Nanyang Tech University

### Theme 7: Case Studies

- 31/03: Good practices (policy, technology innovation, public  
participations) and lessons learned; Prof. V.K. Vijay, IIT  
05/04: Perspectives from participants; Prof. Kamaruddin Abdullah,  
Dharma Persada University and Dr. Dadan,  
Ministry of Energy, Indonesia (tbc)



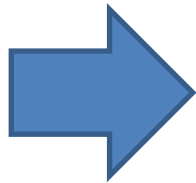
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# Outcome

- > 600 registrants from 23 countries (include EU and Central Asia)
- 130 accomplished
- 7 Essay Award Winners
- **Course materials : 7 themes (17 class, 16 lecturers)**



*Localization*

*Energy Issues : National Policy, Available Resources, Culture*

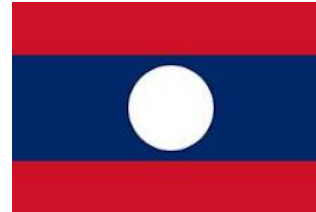
# Extension Activities under ODA-UNESCO

## Energy Science Education Activities for Sustainable Development in Asia

2011 : Vietnam



2012 : Laos



2013 : Cambodia



2014 : Myanmar



**2015 : Bangladesh : proposal submitted  
(+ Timor-Leste)**

# Objective

## (ODA-UNESCO Program)

- To localize “Energy for Sustainable Development in Asia” **for each country.**
- Keep original concept (contents and target audience):
  - How can (renewable) energy contribute to MDGs.

# Mode of delivery (ODA-UNESCO Program)

- Traditional style (face-to-face type lecture) would be suitable.

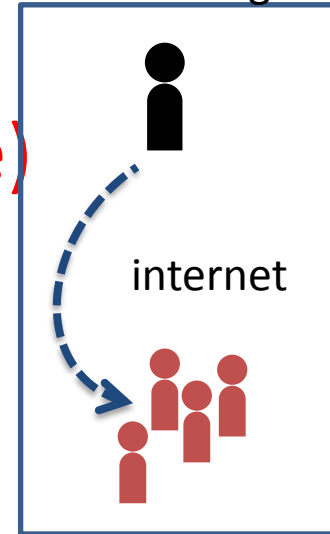
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- Need training seminar
- Materials delivered via CDs or USBs
- Downloadable from HP

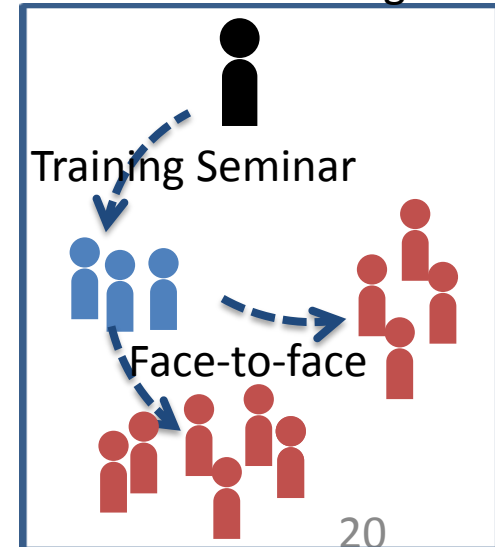
<http://www.iae.kyoto-u.ac.jp/unesco-esd/>

- Textbook ...
- How to disseminate nation wide...

COMPETENCE Program



ODA-UNESCO Program



# Actual Activities - Timeline

1. **Match-up Workshop** to set-up the course and assignment of responsible lecturers (May-June)  
*material development*
2. **Human Capacity Building Workshop** to visit Japanese energy facilities and attend international symposium (Sept-Oct, @ Kyoto)
3. **Working Group Meeting** for verifying the content of educational materials (Dec) *brush-up*
4. **Local seminar/workshop** to disseminate and promote the energy course and materials (Feb)
5. **Evaluation Committee Meeting** to ensure the quality of the educational curriculum and materials (Feb)



1<sup>st</sup> workshop in Hanoi  
May 30-31, 2011



2<sup>nd</sup> workshop in Kyoto University  
September 26, 2011



3<sup>rd</sup> Workshop in Hanoi  
December 25, 2011



Training Seminar in HCM  
April 4-6, 2012



# Output (until Feb. 2015):

- **PPT materials** (in Vietnamese, Laos, Khmer, Myanmar, and English version of each country)
  - 7 themes = 14 (2hrs) – 28 (45min) class course
  - CD or USB delivery (downloadable from HP)
- **PPT supplemental material**
  - More than 1000p.
- **4 days Training Seminar** in Hanoi, HoChiMinh, Vientiane, Phnom Penh, Yangon:
  - More than 400 participants (certification)
- ***Future extension*** : *follow-up program (need survey!) and practice program for students (do something!)*



# Summary

- We have a very good experience, thanks to COMPETENCE program to initiate us!!
- Course materials becomes more sophisticated one.
- Good team with UNESCO energy experts, Vietnam, Laos, Cambodia, and Myanmar lecturers.

***Strong network has been established among them.***

	<b>COMPETENCE Course</b>	<b>Vietnam</b>	<b>Laos</b>	<b>Cambodia</b>	<b>Myanmar</b>
Language	English	Vietnamese + English	Lao + English	Khmer + English	Myanmar + English
Expert meeting	1+1(reviewing)	3+1	<=	<=	<=
Target Audience	Under Graduate Student	Lecturers	<=	<=	<=
Mode of delivery	E-Learning	Face-to-face	<=	<=	<=
Contents Themes	7	<=	<=	<=	<=
Session	17 (2 hours)	14 (2 hrs)	14 (2 hrs)	14 (1 hr)	28 (45 min)
Supervisor	ASEAN experts	UNESCO experts	Vietnam experts	+Laos experts	+ Cambodia experts
Term	2010-2011	2011	2012	2013	2014



Thank you for your kind attention



# COMPETENCE | COMprehensive Program to Enhance Technology, Engineering, and ScienNCe Education in Asia

*The Role and Contribution of Higher Education Institutions*

## “Rethinking Science Education”

+ Excerpts

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### About COMPETENCE

COMPETENCE focuses on rethinking science education to put it in the context of Sustainable Development, and introduces innovations into the teaching of science, technology, engineering and energy in higher institutions of learning and research and development bodies in Asia and the Pacific to make it a more effective tool to build their knowledge, skills and attitudes for sustainable living.

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### General Objective

To use science education as a fundamental basis for sustainable development, and to engage youth, educational institutions, and governments to develop and use science education as a fundamental basis for sustainable development in Asia and the Pacific.

### Project Partners and Collaborators

SOI and CONNECT-Asia Network, APAN, Kyoto University, SEEFForum, Hokkaido University CENSUS, Nagoya University, National University of Timor Leste, Brac University, Asian Institute of Technology, National University of Vietnam, National University of Laos, Keio University and other universities and research institutions in Asia

### For More Information:

**UNESCO Office Jakarta;** Regional Science Bureau for Asia and the Pacific.

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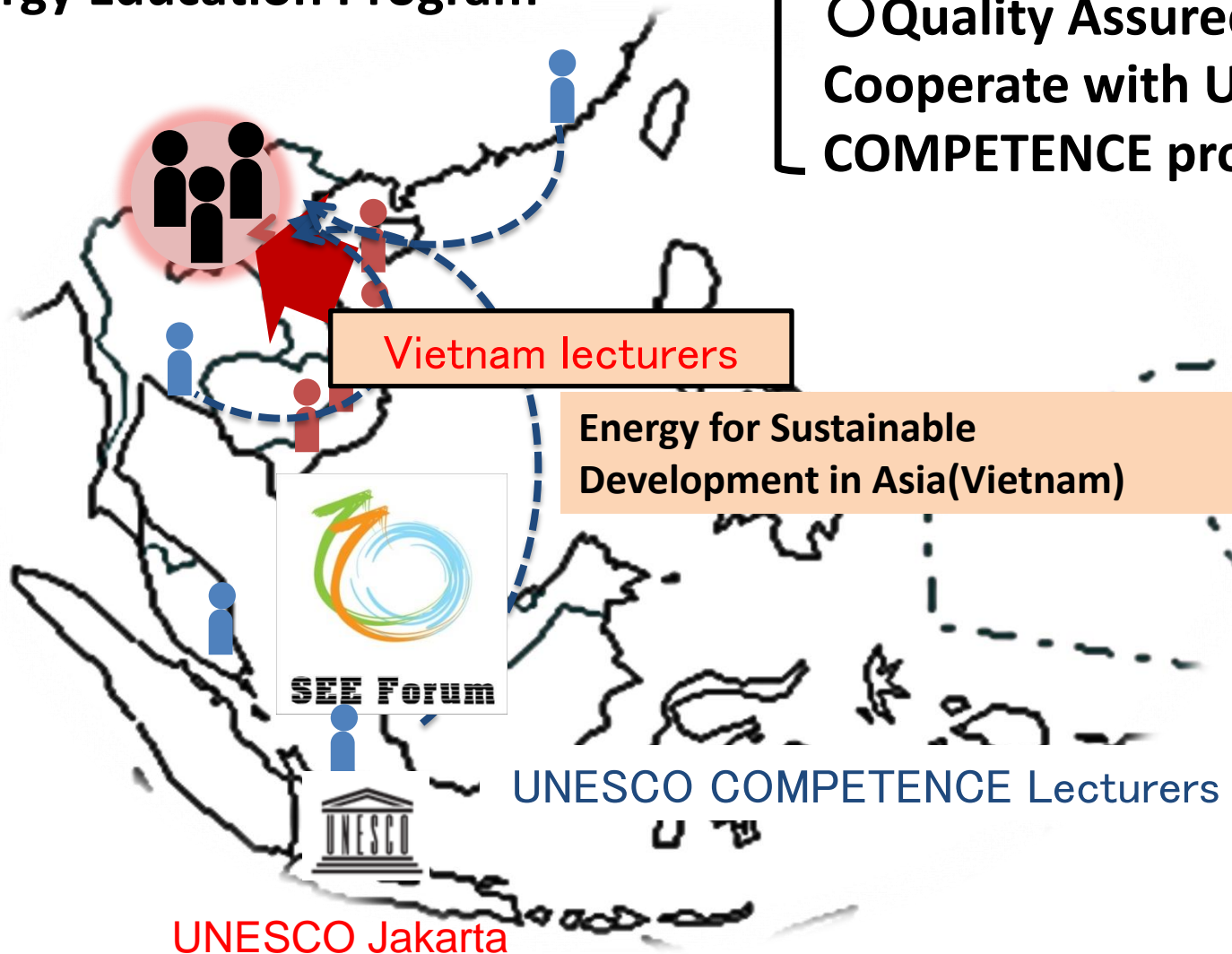
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## Development of Comprehensive Energy Education Program

- Human Resource Development in Energy Education
- Quality Assured in Cooperate with UNESCO COMPETENCE program



# Coordinators for each theme

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<b>Theme 1</b> Understanding of SD	Prof. S. Kumar, AIT	Prof. Luu Duc Hai, HUS
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## **Goal 7. Ensure access to affordable, reliable, sustainable, and modern energy for all**

7.1 by 2030 ensure universal access to affordable, reliable, and modern energy services

7.2 increase substantially the share of renewable energy in the global energy mix by 2030

7.3 double the global rate of improvement in energy efficiency by 2030

7.a by 2030 enhance international cooperation to facilitate access to clean energy research and technologies, including renewable energy, energy efficiency, and advanced and cleaner fossil fuel technologies, and promote investment in energy infrastructure and clean energy technologies

7.b by 2030 expand infrastructure and upgrade technology for supplying modern and sustainable energy services for all in developing countries, particularly LDCs and SIDS