Project Description

Name	2017 Seminar on Small Hydropower Development and Management for Central and East Europe Countries			
Organizer	National Research Institute for Rural Electrification, Ministry of Water Resources;			
Time	August 3 rd –	August 3 rd – 23 rd , 2017		English
Invited Countries	Officials from the related departments in the filed of hydropower, Central and East Europe Countries			
Number of Participants	25			
Requirements for the Participants	Age	Under 45 for officials at or below director's level; under 50 for officials at director general's level.		
	Health	In good health condition with a health certificate issued by the local public hospital; without diseases with which entry to China is disallowed by Chinese laws or regulations; without severe chronic disease such as serious high blood pressure, cardiovascular/cerebrovascular diseases and diabetes; without mental diseases or epidemic diseases that are likely to cause serious threat to public health; not in the process of recovering after a major operation or in the process of acute diseases; not seriously disabled nor pregnant.		
	Language	Capable of listening, speaking, reading and writing in English.		
	Others	The expenses of family members or friends coming to and staying in China will not be covered by the Chinese Government.		
Host City	Hangzhou City, Zhejiang Province	Local Temperature		25-35℃
Cities to visit	Shanghai City; Ningbo City, Jinhua City, Dongyang City, Zhejiang Province; Yichang City, Hubei Province	Local Temperature	Ningbo Cit Jinhua Cit Dongyang C	nanghai City 25-35°C ty, Zhejiang Province 24-34°C y, Zhejiang Province 25-35°C City, Zhejiang Province 25-35°C City, Hubei Province 25-35°C
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About the Organizer	HRC, also called NRIRE, was founded with the joint sponsorships of Chinese government and UN organizations such as UNDP/UNIDO in 1981 in Hangzhou, China, specializing in R+D and training etc. in the fields of renewable energy development including SHP and rural electrification. Entrusted by Chinese Ministry of Water Resources, the Ministry of Commerce, the Ministry of Science & Technology, the Ministry of Foreign Affairs, UNDP, UNIDO, ILO, FAO and ASEAN Secretariat etc., HRC has until now, successfully hosted 87 seminars/training courses for more than 1700 participants of 112 countries regarding the subjects of rural electrification, water resources and renewable energy, inclusive of small hydropower, solar energy and wind power, etc. Meanwhile, HRC hosted over 30 international meetings or conferences in China and abroad, such as "Second International SHP Seminar" in Hangzhou, "International Seminar for S&MHP" in Brazil, "Promotion Conference for Clean Energy Development" in Macedonia, "Seminar on Small Hydropower and Rural Electrification" in Tanzania, "Ministerial Seminar on Water Resources Management & Planning for Developing Countries" and "Ministerial Seminar on Water Resources and Small Hydropower for Developing Countries", etc. and approved to be "International S+T Cooperation Base of Zhejiang Province for Renewable Energy and Rural Electrification". It is also renowned as the "Family of SHP in the World" and certified as the "Model of South-South Cooperation" of the Ministry of Commerce of China.		
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Hydropower. All the participants will be kindly asked to introduce the exploitation of small hydropower in their home countries, and the presentation should cover the following contents: *Overview of the country (e.g. geography, climate, population, economy etc.); General condition of energy and power of the country (e.g. energy structure, electrification ratio, energy organization, energy development strategy, etc.); Condition of small hydro development; Potential projects of SHP projects and Difficulties and barriers in SHP development.* The participants are expected to prepare the related document/country report before coming to China.