The Second Annual Conference of the World Cultural Forum (Taihu, China)

Strengthen International Cooperation For Ecological Civilization Agenda (Draft)

Time: May 18-19, 2013

	May 17
00:00-24:00	Registration
09:30-17:00	Free activities
18:10-22:30	Dinner (buffet)
May 18	
07:00-08:00	Breakfast (buffet)
09:05-10:00	Entry of delegates for the Opening Ceremony
09:25-09:50	Group photo of (partial) delegates
10:00-11:00	Opening Ceremony of the Second Annual Conference of the World

(Taihu,

Chairman:

Cultural

YAN Zhaozhu

Cooperation for Ecological Civilization"

Forum

Executive Chairman and Secretary-General of the World Cultral Forum (Taihu, China)

China)--"Strengthen

International

Speeches by 7Chinese and Foreign Statesmen and Distinguished Guests:

A political leader of China Armando Emilio GUEBUZA

President of the Republic of Mozambique

Dame Louise LAKE-TACK

Governor-General of Antigua and Barbuda

Antonis SAMARAS

Prime Minister of Greece

Ruud LUBBERS

Prime Minister of the Netherlands, 1982-1994

ZHANG Meiying

Vice Chairperson of the 11th National Committee of the Chinese People's Political Consultative Conference (CPPCC)

XIA Baolong

Secretary of the CPC's Zhejiang Provincial Committee

11:30-11:50 Theme concert: Ecological Culture

12:00-13:00 Luncheon by the organizer of the Second Annual Conference of World Cultural Forum (Taihu, China)

13:30-14:30 THE PLENARY SESSION: STRENGTHEN INTERNATIONAL COOPERATION FOR ECOLOGICAL CIVILIZATION

Moderators:

JIA Zhibang

Director of the Environment and Resources Committee of the National Committee of the Chinese People's Political Consultative Conference

Keynote Speech:

YAN Zhaozhu

Executive Chairman and Secretary-General of the World Cultral Forum (Taihu, China)

Keynote Speeches:

YE Xiaowen

Vice President of the Academy of Chinese Culture

Matthew HODES

Director of the United Nations Alliance of Civilizations

Roy Sanford Morrison

Director of the Office for Sustainable Development at Southern New Hampshire University

QU Geping

Honorary President of the China Environmental Protection Foundation

Ervin LASZLO

Founder and Honorary President of the Club of Budapest in Hungary

DING Dewen

Academician of Chinese Academy of Engineering

FAN Zeng

Professor of Beijing University, Dean of the Institute of Chinese Painting Techniques **14:30-15:00** Tea Break

15:00-18:00 PARALLEL SESSIONS

15:00-18:00 PARALLEL SESSION 1: TRANSITION IN MODERN CIVILIZATION: THE SEVERITY OF THE GLOBAL ECOLOGICAL CRISIS AND THE SIGNIFICANCE OF PROMOTING ECOLOGICAL CIVILIZATION

- 1. The Severity of Global Ecological Crisis
- 2. The Features, Nature and Root Causes of the Global Ecological Crisis
- 3. Agricultural Civilization , Industrial Civilization and Ecological Civilization
- 4. Ecological Civilization and Changes of Human Society

Guest Moderators:

YE Xiaowen

Vice President of the Academy of Chinese Culture

QIN Dahe

Academician of Chinese Academy of Science, Deputy Director of the Population, Resources and Environment Committee of the 12th CPPCC

QU Geping

Honorary President of China Environmental Protection Foundation

Moderators:

YU Mouchang

Honorary Chairman of the Chinese Society for Studies on Environmental Ethics

Alexander CHUMAKOV

Professor, Director of Philosophy Department in the Financial University directly under the Government of the Russian Federation

Guest Speakers:

Stephen DINAN

The founder and CEO of The Shift Network in US

CHEN Junquan

Honorary Academy Member, Chinese Academy of

Social Sciences

Jean Houston MASTERS

American scholar and philosopher

WANG Songpei

Honorary Academy Member, Chinese Academy of Social Sciences; President of China Institute for Ecological Economics

Uwe ALBRECHT

German practicing physician and pioneer of energy medicine

ZHOU Hongchun

Research Fellow at Development Research Center of the Chinese State Council

Michael Charles TOBIAS

American ecologist, filmmaker

YIN Dengxiang

Director, the Studies Center of Science, Technology and Society, Chinese Academy of Social Sciences

Juri TALVET

Chair Professor of World Literature and the Director of Spanish Studies at the University of Tartu in Esthonia

WANG Shuming

Director of Institute for Marine Territory Resource Management, Law& Politics School of Ocean University of China

Ravishankar Ramanayakanpet VENKATRATNAM

Spiritual leader and founder of the Art of Living Foundation

ZHUO Xinping

Academy Member, Chinese Academy of Social Sciences; Director, Institute of World Religions, Chinese Academy of Social Science

15:00-18:00 PARALLEL SESSION 2: UNDERSTANDING ECOLOGICAL CIVILIZATION: ITS CONCEPTS AND PROSPECTS

1. The Concept of Ecological Civilization and the Sustainable Development

- 2. Promote the Integration of Science, Technology and Public Participation to Promote Ecological Civilization
- 3. Strengthen the Education and Institution-Building for Ecological Civilization
- 4. Ecological Civilization and Global Fairness and Justice.

GROUP ONE

Guest Moderators:

JIA Zhibang

Director, the Population, Resources and Environment Committee of the 12th CPPCC

WANGYuqing

President, Chinese Society of Environmental Sciences,

LU Shumin

Party Secretary of Chinese People's Institute of Foreign Affairs

Moderators:

WANG Nuo

Professor, School of Humanities, Xiamen University

Andrew Anderson BRENNAN

Professor of Philosophy in La Trobe University, Melbourne, Australia

Guest Speakers:

Alexey GRYAKALOV

Director, Studies Center of Modern Philosophy in Russian National Normal University

WANG Rusong

Academician of Chinese Academy of Engineering ;Director, Studies Center of Eco-Environmental Science , Chinese Academy of Sciences

Riane EISLER

President of the Center for Partnership Studies

LI Huiguo

Honorary Academy Member, Chinese Academy of Social Sciences

Christian GAMBORG

Associate Professor of University of Copenhagen in Denmark

CHOW Pak-Kiu

Deputy Director, Studies Center of Social Sciences, Hong Kong College of Technology

Finn ARLER

Director, Studies Centre of Applied Ethics (ETIK), University of Aalborg, Denmark

YE Wenhu

Director, Studies Center of Chinese Sustainable Development, Beijing University

William GLADSTONE

Writer, Founder and President of Waterside Productions Inc

Yeuk-Sze LO

Senior lecturer of philosophy, La Trobe University, Australia

YIN Peihong

Deputy Director Research Center of Environment and Economy Policy, Ministry of Environmental Protection

GROUP TWO

Guest Moderators:

WANG Jirong

Vice-President of National Women's Federation in China

ZHAO Keming

Vice-Chairman of the Financial and Economic Committee in the NPC

SUN Rongmin

Vice-President of Chinese People's Institute of

Foreign Affairs

ZHENG Shiling

Academician of Chinese Academy of Sciences

Moderators:

PAN Jiahua

Director, Institute of Urban Development and Environment, Chinese Academy of Social Sciences

Thalia Fung RIVERON

Professor of Philosophy, University of Havana in Cuba

Guest Speakers:

Carl MITCHAM

Professor of Liberal Arts and International Studies , Colorado University of Mines in US

HE Jiankun

Director, Institute of Low-Carbon Economy, Tsinghua University, Deputy-Director of the National Climate Change Expert Committee in China

Weiming-TU

Professor of Harvard University

Atiq RAHMAN

Executive Director of Bangladesh Centre for Advanced Studies (BCAS). Expert in Environmental Development

WANG Shaojie

Former Deputy Director, Committee of Population, Resources and Environment, National Committee of the CPPCC; Professor of Wuhan University

Michel MAFFESOLI

Professor in Sorbonne University, France; Director, French National Acadeny of Sciences

WU Bin

Secretary of the CPC Party Committee, Beijing Forestry University

HONG Dayong

Director, Institute of Environmental Sociology, Renmin University of China

SONG Guojun

Director, Institute of Environmental Policy and Planning, Renmin University of China

GAO Jixi

Director of Nanjing Institute of Environmental Sciences, Ministry of Environmental Protection

15:00-18:00 PARALLEL SESSION 3: PROMOTE ECOLOGICAL CIVILIZATION: STRENGTHEN EXCHANGES AND COOPERATION BETWEEN DIFFERENT CIVILIZATIONS, AND EARNESTLY FORSTER A CONSERVATION CULTURE

- The Ideas and Experiences on Ecological Protection of Different Nations
- 2. Strengthen Cooperation between Different Civilizations to advance Ecological Civilization that Reflects a New Concept of Civilization
- 3. Cases of Promoting Ecological Civilization: Experience of Fostering a Conservation Culture (Pilot Areas)
- 4. Strategies and Measures to Reinforce International Cooperation, Respond to Global Environmental Changes and Safeguard Global Ecological Security

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Guest Moderators:

ZHANG Meiying

Vice Chairperson of the 11th National Committee of the Chinese People's Political Consultative Conference (CPPCC)

FENG Jicai

Vice-Chairman of the China Federation of Literary and Art Circles

YAN Zhaozhu

Executive Chairman and Secretary-General of the World Cultral Forum (Taihu, China)

Moderators:

SU Shuyang

Writer and Honorary President of the Tian Han Foundation

Pierre LACONTE

President of the Foundation for the Urban Environment in Belgium, Former Vice-Chair, Environment Agency Scientific Committee, European Union.

Guest Speakers:

Princess Irene Emma Elisabeth of the Netherlands

A Thinker in the Field of Ecology

XIA Lihua

Mayor of Daqing City in China

Ross Carl ANDERSON

Former Mayor of Salt Lake City, Utah, US

LI Ren

Vice Mayor of Suining Municipal Government in Sichuan Province of China

Scott HINES

Mayor of Rancho Mirage, California, US

Mayor of Hangzhou city, China

Alan Moriyoshi ARAKAWA

Mayor of County of Maui, Hawaii, US

CUI Dapeng

Secretary-general, Low Carbon Research Group, Chinese Society of Sustainable Development

Sylvie FAUCHEUX

President of University of Parisian West (Université du grand ouest parisien)

XU Jianmin

Academician of Chinese Academy of Engineering , Former National Satellite Meteorological Center

WANG Shuqing

Director of Institute for Ecological Engineering and Circular Economy Institute, Former Vice-Mayor of Qiqihar City in China

Barry Brian SANDREW

Entrepreneur, Expert in Digital Imaging

GROUP TWO

Guest Moderators:

XIONG Guangkai

Honorary Chairman of China Foundation for International and Strategic Studies

ZHENG Keyang

Adviser to the National Party Construction Research Association

WANG Guangqian

Academician of Chinese Academy of Sciences

Moderators:

LIU Runwei

President of Chinese Society of Studies on Red Culture

Mohamed Noman GALAL

Political Advisor in Bahrain Ministry of Foreign Affairs

Guest Speakers:

Barbara Marx HUBBARD

Co-founder and President of the Foundation for Conscious Evolution

XU Hongxi

Director of the Yangzhou Municipal Bureau of Land and Resources

Lady Montagu of Beaulieu

Director of Beaulieu Enterprises Limited

YANG Huilin

Vice President of Renmin University, Deputy President of the Chinese Comparative Literature Society

Daniel Wayne RASMUS

Education Consultant, Strategist and Industry Analyst;Former Director,Department of Forecasting Information work, Microsoft Corporation

XUE Kongkuan

Design, China National Architecture Materials Group

Corporation

Architecture Materials Group

Kawther Abdel-Rahim ELSHERIF

Educator and Painter

LI Nuyun

Executive Deputy Director, the Office of Climate Change Response, National Forestry Bureau in China

Tom Oliver Christian KIRFEL

German Writer, Philanthropist

Jennifer Lynn WELLS

Associate Professor, California Institute of International

Studies, San Francisco, US

XUE Yanyan

Senior Manager of Climate Organization

Richard LANG

Chairman & CEO of Democra Soft Company in US

15:00-18:00 PARALLEL SESSION 4: ZHEJIANG'S EXPERIENCE IN PROMOTING ECOLOGICAL CIVILIZATION

Moderators:

FU Xiaofeng

Deputy Director of General Office of the People's Government of Zhejiang Province

Guest Speakers:

LU Ziyue

Vice Governor of Zhejiang Province

Ruud LUBBERS

Former Prime Minister of the Netherlands

XUZhen

Chairman of Ecological Affairs Office of Zhejiang Province

ZHANG Kunmin

Professor of Tsinghua University, Honorary President of Chinese Society of Sustainable Development

Herman Hijpolitus Ferdinandus WIJFFELS

Dutch Economist , Professor of Utrecht Sustainability Institute(USI) in Utrecht University

Arthur HANSON

Foreign Chief Advisor, China Council for International Cooperation on Environment and Development

Isabel Nancy HILTON

Founder, Editor and Consultant, *Dilaogue of China and the Foreign* Net

ZHENG Hangsheng

Director, Studies Center of Sociological Theory and Methodology, Renmin University of China

Diana Maria PALAZZOLO

Representative of Mayor Clair Fortier of South Lake Tahoe City

WANG Shu

County Magistrate of Anji, Zhengjiang province

ZHU Hailun

Director of the General Office of Jiaxing Environment

Federation

WANG Youlin

Chairman of Environment-Friendly Youth Ambassadors

Association of Zhejiang Province

18:10-19:30 Dinner (buffet)

19:30-20:30 Cultural Events: Watching IMPRESSION-WEST LAKE

May 19

07:00-08:30 Breakfast (buffet)

09:00-10:30 Parallel high-level Dialogues

09:00-10:30 High-level Dialogue on TV: Ecological Civilization and Lifestyle

Moderators:

Anchor of Phoenix TV

Guest Speakers:

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Vice Chairperson of the 11th National Committee of the Chinese People's Political Consultative Conference (CPPCC)

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Director, Institute of Low-Carbon Economy, Tsinghua University;

Deputy Director of the National Climate Change Expert Committee

CAO Hongxin

Members of the National Committee of the Chinese People's Political Consultative Conference, Vice President of China Society of Chinese Traditional Medicine

9:00-10:30

Mayors' Roundtable Dialogue: Sharing Global Experience in Promoting Ecological Civilization

Moderators:

PAN Jiahua

Director, Institute of Urban and Environmental Studies, Chinese Academy of Social Sciences

Guest Speakers:

Pierre LACONTE

President of the Foundation for the Urban Environment in Belgium, Former Vice-Chair, Environment Agency Scientific Committee, European Union.

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Mayor of Rancho Mirage, California, US

Alan Moriyoshi ARAKAWA

County Magistrate of Maui, Hawaii, US

Robert Dana WILLIAMS

Mayor of Park City, Utah, US

Ross Carl ANDERSON

Former Mayor of Salt Lake City, Utah, US

XIA Lihua

Mayor of Daqing city, China

Vice Mayor of Hangzhou City, China

LI Ren

Vice Mayor of Suining Municipal Government, Sichuan, China

WANG Shu

County Magistrate of Anji, Zhengjiang Province, China

10:40-12:00 Visit Hangzhou West Lake

12:10-13:10 Lunch (buffet)

14:45-15:00 Entry of Delegates for the Closing Ceremony

15:00-16:00 Closing Ceremony of the Second Annual Conference of World Cultural Forum (Taihu, China)--"Joint Efforts for Promoting Ecological Civilization"

Moderators:

XI Zheng

Executive vice governor of Zhejiang Province

Guest Speakers:

Princess Irene Emma Elisabeth of the Netherlands

Thinker in the Field of Ecology

WANG Yuqing

President of Chinese Society for Environmental Sciences

Ogunlade DAVIDSON

Minister of Energy and Water Resources of Sierra Leone

LIU Yanning

Executive Chairman of China Council for the Promotion of Nationalities

Trade (CCPNT)

Pierre LACONTE

President of the Foundation for the Urban Environment in Belgium, Former Vice-Chair, Environment Agency Scientific Committee, European Union.

YU Mouchang

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Chairman of the Board, Phoenix TV

Release of the Hangzhou Declaration on an Ecologically Advanced Future

Proposal: To make the opening date of the Annual Conference (May 18) the World Ecological Civilization Day

18:00-19:30 Dinner (buffet)