

Dear APNN representatives,

It is with great pleasure that we announce the 2018 KWSE/APNN Young Woman Scientists (YWS) Camp & Smart Sister Workshop to be held from 24 to 26 August, 2018 in Daejeon, Korea under the theme, "Y.E.S (Young Women Engineers and Scientist), we are the future of Asia!".

YWS Camp has been held annually since 2012 for next generation women scientists and engineers in Asia Pacific nations to strengthen their global capacities, to exchange research information, and to share cultural experiences. This year, in order to expand this great opportunity, the camp will be held for 3 days. Since Daejeon is the hub of R&D as well as the knowledge industry of Korea, we believe participation in the 2018 YWS Camp will not only be a great chance to empower oneself with scientific capabilities but also to make friends and expand one's global network.

We, therefore, would greatly appreciate your recommending two female graduate students who belong to science or engineering departments, no later than June 22, 2018. We also kindly ask that you do not recommend those who already have participated in this program. This is to give more students the opportunity of global mobility and experience. Please take note of the following information:

- 1) Please recommend two women scientist/engineer under age of 35
- 2) Required: oral or poster presentation on their research/projects
- 3) KWSE will support:
 - a) round-trip plane ticket (economy-class)
 - b) accommodations for 4 nights
 - c) meals during the Camp
 - d) travel expenses using airport limousine bus from Incheon Int'l Airport to Daejeon (only if receipts are submitted)
- 4) Materials to be submitted: application form with photo, CV, and a copy of passport

We thank you in advance for your cooperation in recommending excellent young women in STEM from your country. If you need further information, please feel free to contact us at ywscamp@kwse.or.kr.

Sincerely,

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