

**INVITATION to the
International Conference and Study Tours on
The Futures of Displacement and Resettlement¹**

August 31-September 3, 2019, Nanjing, China

With Optional PRE-CONFERENCE STUDY TOURS

Second International Conference on Resettlement and Social Development

Global Dialogue on Dam induced Displacement and Resettlement *

31 August 2019

International Network on Displacement and Resettlement 2019 Meeting

**Benefit Sharing and Sustainable Development
in Displacement and Resettlement****

1 – 3 September 2019

Program Co-Chairs - SHI Guoqing and Theodore E. Downing

ORGANIZERS

***Global Dialogue.** Hohai University, INDR, Reservoir Resettlement Committee of China Hydropower Association, Resettlement Sociology Committee of China Association of Sociology, CTGC China Three Gorges University

**** Benefit Sharing and Sustainable Development.** The International Network on Displacement and Resettlement. INDR, Hohai University, China Three Gorges Corporation, China Three Gorges University.

Co-organizers: Reservoir Resettlement Committee of China Hydropower Engineering Society, Hydropower and Water Conservancy Planning and Design Research Institute, Migration and Resettlement Sociology Committee of China Sociologic Society, Industrial Sociology Committee of China Sociologic

CONFERENCE SPONSORS

NRCR (National Research Center for Resettlement), School of Public Administration and Asian Research Center of Hohai University, Resettlement Bureau of China Three Gorges Corporation, Reservoir Resettlement Research Center of Three Gorges University

LOGISTICS

Conference Venue: Hohai University, No. 1 Xikang Road, Nanjing, Jiangsu Province, China.

Hotel: [Junheng Hotel](#), No. 1 Xikang Road, Nanjing, Jiangsu Province, China - near Hohai. Appox 80 USD per night

PROGRAM THEME

Benefit-sharing and sustainable development in resettlement (BSSD) is becoming a major way to improve the lives and livelihoods for those displaced or resettled. Through a major collaborative effort of 11 institutions and organizations, the 2019 meetings will examine BSSD from multiple perspectives.

Suggested theme questions include:

1. How is and might BSSD be folded into current resettlement theories, methods and academic frontiers? International, national and subnational laws and standards? Private sector funded projects? Sectoral management – including the hydro, mining, and transportation. Urban resettlement? Rural?
2. What are the advantages and disadvantages of different types of benefit-sharing organizations and financing of benefit-sharing arrangements?
3. What organizational innovations have emerged that avoid unequal benefit sharing or the risk of missing vulnerable populations – especially women and children, indigenous peoples and minorities? What provisions in the design and execution of BSSD mechanisms are appropriate for indigenous and minority people?
4. What financial and methodological changes, if any, might improve BSDD outcomes for those resettled?
5. In the private sector, how do BSSD resettlement arrangements differ from a company's social responsibility actions?
6. What criteria should be considered in evaluating BSSD arrangements?
7. What control should those resettled have in managing BSSD programs? How transparent should accounting be?
8. What BSSD financial, administrative and on-the-ground arrangements strengthen the rights of resettled people? Threaten them?
9. What type of arrangements best facilitate sustainable development of post resettlement livelihoods and lives?
10. What arrangements will improve psychological well-being and meaningful socio-cultural sustainability among the resettled?
11. What are effective ways to share benefits in disaster prevention resettlement and post-disaster rehabilitation? In environmental migration? In biodiversity conservation and ecological migration? Climate migration? Community development? Urban renewal? In the countries along the "Belt and Road"? Land acquisition compensation, resettlement and protection of property rights? How are rights established among displaced and resettled persons? To what extent should BSSD be used for wealth redistribution? Poverty alleviation?

REGISTRATION AND PAPER SUBMISSION

Deadlines

Conference session:

May 20, 2019 600 words (max) proposal

Abstract for a Conference Paper:

June 10, 2019 150 words (max) abstract

Full Text of a Conference Paper

July 10, 2019

Registration fees

Conference registration only (August 31-September 3)

Early birds (before June 30,2019) 400 USD (regular), 200 USD (for student)

Registration after July 1, 2019 600 USD (regular), 300 USD (for student) _____ USD

Pre-Conference Study Tours. Costs in addition to Registration

No. 1 Three Gorges Project study tour ¹ 2000 USD

No. 2 Nanjing city tour in August ² 80 USD

Total _____ USD

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¹ Cost Study Tour 1. 2,000 USD inclusive. Covers all expenditures including flight ticket (Nanjing-Chongqing), cruise ticket, train ticket (Yichang-Nanjing), food, hotel, accommodations, local transportation, visit tickets, tourist guide, local support etc

² Cost Study Tour 2. 80 USD include transportation, lunch, tickets, tourist guide etc.

PRE-CONFERENCE STUDY TOURS

STUDY TOUR No.1- A Five-Day Three Gorges Project Study/Pleasure Cruise

Tour

(August 25-29,2019)

The Three Gorges Project (TGP) is one of the biggest hydropower-complex projects in the world. The dam is located in one of the three gorges of the Yangtze River, which controls a drainage area of 1 million km², and an average annual runoff of 451 billion m³. With a total installed capacity of 22,200 MW, the Three Gorges Hydropower Station can generate more than 84.7 billion KWH a year, one-ninth of the total generated power in China. The length of reservoir is more than 600 kilometers. The project was started in 1993 and completed in 2009. The total cost of the project is about 248.4 billion Yuan RMB; 126.3 million for dam construction, 36.5 million for transmission lines and 85.6 million for resettlement.

The Three Gorges reservoir inundated 632 km² of land, including 24,500 ha of farmland and displaced and resettled about 1.3 million affected people. It has flooded, relocated and rehabilitated about 13 cities, 140 towns, 1350 villages, 1632 enterprises and other infrastructures in the reservoir's areas. The Chinese government initiated many long-term compensation, benefit-sharing, post-support policy and implementation measures for the affected people. It established the institutional system to manage the planning, design and implementation activities of resettlement, social, environmental and culture heritage protection activities from central to local levels. The Study would provide a comprehensive of understanding the challenges and good practices in China.

The Five-Day Three Gorges Study/Pleasure Cruise Tour will departure from Nanjing to Chongqing City by flight, all mission will pass through whole Three Gorges reservoir areas by the 5 Star Cruise from Chongqing city to Yichang in 3 days and nights. A few stops will be arranged to visit the reconstructed towns, urban resettlement areas and historic culture property in Fengdou, Zhongxian, Fengjie, Zigui counties etc. There are 2 days visit in Three Gorges dam areas and resettlement areas in Zigui District. It will have the visit of TGP dam, hydropower plant, five-step navigation lock and TGP Museum etc. The visiting of rural and urban resettlement sites will be arranged. The introduction of MLARR of TGP will be presented during the tour.

STUDY TOUR No.2 - Nanjing City study tour in August 30, 2019

The study tour might includes:

- (1) Nanjing Museum is one of the three major museums in China. It is the first large-scale comprehensive museum invested by the state. Nanjing Museum is a large and comprehensive national museum and national comprehensive museum of history and art. It is now the first national museum, the first National Museum jointly constructed by central and local

governments, the national AAAA tourist attractions and the national key cultural relics protection units.

- (2) The Mausoleum of Sun Yat-sen, the great revolutionary forerunner: Boai Fang, Tomb Road, Mausoleum Gate, Stele Pavilion, Temple, Mausoleum, etc. The mausoleum has a grand momentum and profound implication.
- (3) Zhonghua Gate Castle in Ming Dynasty Wall. Touring the Qinhuai Scenic Belt-Fuzimiao Commercial Street is the most prosperous area in the south of Nanjing. It combines the Six Dynasties with the Ming and Qing Dynasties and Jinling Folk Culture Grand View Garden. It has pavilions, paddles and lanterns, Wuyi Lane, Wendeqiao, Weixing Gate, Tianwen Shufang, Dongshi, Xishi and other small commodity streets. It is free to move and taste the charm of Qinhuai in Nanjing. Enjoy the special snacks of Jinling and enjoy the folk customs of old Nanjing.
- (4) The visiting places might be updated due to the interests of participants.

Conference details update on websites: www.displacement.net, www.hhu.edu.cn, nrcr.hhu.edu.cn



Registration Form of 2019 INDR Annual Meeting

August 31-September 3, 2019 Hohai University, Nanjing, CHINA

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Passport information	Passport number: Place of Birth: Place of issue: Date of Issue: Date of Expiry:			
Invitation	Yes No			
Arrive and departure	Date of Arrive in Nanjing:		Flight number:	
	Date of Departure from Nanjing:		Flight/Train number:	
Hotel in Nanjing	<input type="checkbox"/> Conference Hotel booked by NRCC <input type="checkbox"/> Other hotel (self-booking)			
Conference package	<input type="checkbox"/> 2019 INDR Annual Meeting (August 31-September 3) <input type="checkbox"/> Global Dialogue on Dam induced Displacement and Resettlement <input type="checkbox"/> 2 nd International Conference on Resettlement and Social Development			
Study Tours	Join study tour No.1 TGP study tour <input type="checkbox"/> YES <input type="checkbox"/> NO Join study tour No.2 Nanjing study tour <input type="checkbox"/> YES <input type="checkbox"/> NO			

Chose Cost package	<p style="text-align: right;">Standard/Student</p> <input type="checkbox"/> INDR meeting (August 31-September 3) only 400/200 USD <input type="checkbox"/> INDR meeting and N0.2 Nanjing city tour 480/280 USD <input type="checkbox"/> INDR meeting and No.1 TGP study tour 2400/2200 USD <input type="checkbox"/> INDR meeting, No.1 TGP study tour and No.2 Nanjing city tour 2480/2280 USD
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