

20th Anniversary International Forum

20th Anniversary of KFEZ **Becomes Korea's Innovation Ecosystem City**

October 17 (Tue) ~ 18 (Wed), 2023 09:00~18:00 (KST) Sheraton Grand Incheon Hotel, Grand Ballroom(3F)

Invitation

The KFEZ 20th Anniversary Commemorative Forum (2023 Global Business Frontier Forum) will be held on Tuesday, October 17, 2023, at the Grand Ballroom of the Sheraton Grand Incheon Hotel, both in an online and offline hybrid format, under the theme of "Leap to an Innovative Ecosystem City of Korea."

This year's KFEZ 20th Anniversary Commemorative Forum (2023 Global Business Frontier Forum) is an international forum organized by the Ministry of Trade, Industry and Energy and the Incheon Free Economic Zone Authority to celebrate the 20th anniversary of the establishment of the Korean Free Economic Zones (KFEZ).

The Korean Free Economic Zones (KFEZ) refer to special economic zones aimed at actively attracting foreign investment by improving the business environment and living conditions for foreign-invested enterprises, ensuring the autonomy of economic activities for companies through various regulatory relaxations, and providing incentives. A total of nine KFEZs have been established and operated, starting with Incheon in 2003, and including Busan-Jinhae, Gwangyang Bay Area, Gyeonggi-do, Daegu - Gyeongsangbuk-do, Chungcheongbuk-do, East Coast Area, Gwangju, and Ulsan.

Korean Free Economic Zones (KFEZ), striving to become the global epicenter for business where capital and information from around the world converge, and dedicated to offering the best possible environment for global companies, extend an invitation to all to commemorate KFEZ's 20th anniversary and reflect on our journey towards defining the recipe for business success. Now is the moment for us to collectively ponder as KFEZ evolves from merely attracting companies to becoming a city of open innovation, heralding a new era of progress.

Through this international forum, with the participation of government representatives (including the Ministry of Trade, Industry and Energy and key foreign countries), foreign economic special zone authorities, and experts, we aim to discuss the direction of "Leap to an Innovative Ecosystem City," share the "DNA of Future Cities," and present future development directions, including global collaboration networks and emerging technologies.

We invite you to the international forum commemorating the 20th anniversary of the establishment of the Korean Free Economic Zones, where the future of the new global innovation ecosystem will unfold.



Overview

• Conference Title	KFEZ 20th Anniversary International Forum
• Date / Time	October 17 (Tue) ~ 18 (Wed), 2023 / 09:00~18:00 (KST)
• Venue	Sheraton Grand Incheon Hotel, Grand Ballroom (3F)
Hosted by	Ministry of Trade, Industry and Energy / Incheon Free Economic Zone Authority / The Incheon Institute
• Exhibition Booth	Grand Ballroom and Lobby (3rd Floor) * KFEZ, IFEZ and 8 Economic Free Zone Authorities

10.17(Tue)



Edward L. Glaeser Professor, Department Chair & Fred and Eleanor Glimp Professor of Economics, Harvard University

"Future Direction of Free Economic Zones from the Perspective of Urban Growth" (Cities After Covid)

| Policy Session 1 | Present and Future of Global Free Economic Zones **Cooperation Session 1** Performance and Development Direction of the Free Economic Zone Innovative Ecosystem Creation Project

10.18(Wed)



Jeong-Dong Lee

Professor, Interdisciplinary Graduate School of Engineering Practice, Seoul National University

"Origins & Innovation"

Policy Session 2 20 Years of IFEZ Performance and Direction for the Future **Cooperation Session 2** Global Gateway Economy-Special Zone City Cooperation Network **Industry Session 1** Future of Industrial Innovation and Role of Free Economic Zone Industry Session 2 Technology and Policy: Shaping 'Everyday Al' (The Women Information Technology & Science Association of Korea)

Venue

Sheraton Grand Incheon Hotel, Grand Ballroom

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Programs

October 17 (Day-1): K-FEZ, Korea Innovation Ecosystem City				
Time Program				
		Registration		
7:00~09:30	30'	VIP Meeting & Exhibition Tour (K-FEZ, IFEZ booth) Performance before the opening ceremony		
09:30~09:50	20'	Opening (welcome remarks, congratulatory remarks) - Welcome Remarks by Jeong-Bok Yoo, Mayor of Incheon & Jinyong Kim, Commissioner of Incheon Free Economic Zone Authority - Congratulatory Remarks by Young-Jin Jang, Vice Minister of Trade, Industry and Energy, Mohammed Al Zarooni, Chairman of World FZO, Ho-Kun Park, Chairman of The Incheon Institute		
09:50~10:50	60'	(Keynote Speech) "Future Direction of Free Economic Zones from the Perspective of Urban Growth" (Cities After Covid) Moderator: Kyung-Hwan Kim, Emeritus Professor of Economics, Sogang University and Chairman of the Korea Real Estate Finance and Investment Forum Edward L. Glaeser, Professor, Department Chair & Fred and Eleanor Glimp Professor of Economics, Harvard University.		
11:00~11:50	50ʻ	Visit Exhibition Booths, Group Photo		
2:00~13:00	60'	Luncheon		
13:00~15:10 130'		(Policy Session 1) Present and Future of Global Free Economic Zones Moderator: Hyung-Gon Jeong, Senior Research Fellow, Korea Institute for International Economic Policy Presentation 1: 20-year Growth Process and Direction for the Future Development of KFEZ		
		Taewan Kim (Director for Planning Office of Free Economic Zone, Policy Planning Division, Ministry of Trade, Industry and Energy)		
		Presentation 2: The Free Zone of the Future Samir Hamrouni (CEO of World Free Zones Organization)		
	130'	Presentation 3: Development Direction of Indonesia Special Economic Zone Budi Santoso (Vice Chairman of the Implementation Team for National Council of Special Economic Zone in Indonesia)		
		Presentation 4: Development Direction of Polish Economic Zones on the Example of the Success Story of the Katowice SEZ Janusz Michałek (President of the Board, Katowice SEZ Co., Poland) Witold Uhma (Director, International relations of the Katowice SEZ Co., Poland)		
		Presentation 5: Current Status and Development Direction of China's Free Trade Pilot Zones Yanhua Mao (Dean of Institute of Regional Openness and Cooperation, Sun Yat-sen University, China)		
		Discussion Taewan Kim (Director for Planning Office of Free Economic Zone, Policy Planning Division, Ministry of Trade, Industry and Energy) Jin-Yong Kim (Commissioner of Incheon Free Economic Zone Authority (IFEZ)) Gyeongjae Maeng (Commissioner of Chungbuk Free Economic Zone Authority (CBFEZ))		
15:10~15:30	20'	Break		
15:30~17:00 90'	- P E Y	(Cooperation Session 1) Performance and Development Direction of the Free Economic Zone Innovative Ecosystem Creation Project Moderator: Cheol Soo Choi, Professor, Gachon University College of Medicine		
		Presentation 1: Achievements and Development of Support Policies for Korean Free Economic Zones Young kyu Ji (Director of Office of Regional Industry Promotion, Division of Regional Industry, Korea Institute for Advancement of Technology (KIAT))		
		Presentation 2: Creating a Bio-healthcare-based Ecosystem in IFEZ and Strengthening Global		
	90'	Business Capabilities of Resident Companies Beom-Seop Rho (Director of Incheon Technopark Bioindustry Center)		
		Presentation 3: Entprises-custmized Program to Support Total Solution in DGFEZ Jae Gyu Park (Team Leader of Green Energy Center, Pohang Technopark Foundation)		
		Discussion - Chong Hwan Chang (President of Beyond Pacific Bio) - Mun Su Park (Assistant professor of Department of Public Policy, Dankook University) - Chiho Choi (Chief Executive Officer of Korea Science & Technology Holdings) - Hakhee Park (Director of Planning Office of Free Economic Zone, Innovation Promotion Division, Ministry of Trade, Industry and Energy)		
18:00~		Welcome Dinner		

0	October 18 (Day-2): 20-year of IFEZ, Era of Transition				
	Program				
	Registration				
	(Keynote Speech) "Origins & Innovation"				
	Jeong-Dong Lee, Professor of Interdisciplinary Graduate School of Engineering Practice, Seoul National University				
•	(Policy Session 2) 20 Years of IFEZ Performance and Direction for the Future - Moderator: Jong Gook Seo, Professor of Urban Policy and Administration, Incheon National University				
	Presentation1: IFEZ Performance and Development Direction Yunhwan Key (Senior Research Fellow of Urban Planning Research Division, The Incheon Institute)				
	Presentation2: Performance and Improvement Direction for 20 Years of IFEZ Development: An Analysis of the Environment of Human Settlements in the Incheon Free Economic Zone Hyeyeong Yoon (Research Fellow of Urban Planning Research Division, The Incheon Institute)				
	Presentation3: 10 years of the Green Climate Fund (GCF) Headquartered in Songdo Magali Henkel (Chief Administration Officer, Office of Administrative Services, Green Climate Fund)				
	Discussion Mook Han Kim (Senior Research Fellow of Dept. of Strategic Research, The Seoul Institute) SungEun Kim (Programme Officer of Subregional Office for East and North-East Asia, ESCAP) Jee Hyun Nam (Research Fellow of Dept. of Urban Planning & Housing, Gyeonggi Research Institute)				
	Luncheon (VIP)				
	(Cooperation Session 2) Global Gateway Economy-Special Zone City Cooperation Network Moderator: Jung Won Sonn, Professor of Urban and Regional Economic Development at Bartlett School of Planning, University College London				
	Presentation 1: Minato Mirai 21 (MM21) District Town Development Koji Sato (Manager of Minato Mirai / Higashi-Kanagawa Waterfront Promotion Division, Urban Development Bureau, City of Yokohama, Japan)				
	Presentation 2: EEC Your Partnership for Sustainable Growth Arpamart Chanmeka (Director of Business Center and Livable Smart City, EEC)				
	Presentation 3: Moving Forward Iskandar Malaysia – a Collaborative Partnership Mei Leong Gan-Low (Head of Economic & Investments Division, Iskandar Regional Development Authority (IRDA))				
	Presentation 4: Introduction to the Development of Industrial Parks in Hai Phong, Viet Nam Ngoc Hai Bui (Deputy Head of Haiphong Economic Zone Authority (HEZA))				
	Discussion Inchul Mun (Research Fellow of The Seoul Institute) - Hyun-tai Lee (Assistant Professor of Department of Chinese Language & Cultural Studies, Incheon National University) Suk-Jin Yoon (Research Fellow of Development Policy and Management, The Incheon Institute)				
	Break				
	(Industry Session I) Future of Industrial Innovation and Role of Free Economic Zone - Moderator: Sohyun Park, Professor of George Mason University Korea				
	Presentation 1: New Era of Coexistence, AI-Robot Ig-Jae Kim (Director-General of AI & Robotics Institute, Korea Institute of Science and Technology (KIST))				
	Presentation 2: Status and Future of Inspire Entertainment Resort Jung Hyun Heo (Vice President of Legal & General Counsel, Inspire Integrated Resort Co., Ltd.)				
	Presentation 3: SK Telecom, Our Journey to Urban Air Mobility Jeong II Kim (Team Leader of UAM Pilot Business Team, SK Telecom)				
	Presentation 4: Game Changers in Industrial Innovation, Content Industry Byung-min Lee (Professor of Dept. of Digital Culture and Contents, Konkuk University)				
	Discussion - Chang-Kyung Ryoo (President of Institute of Aerospace Industry-Academia Collaboration (IAIAC)) - Tae-Hoon Choi (Executive Managing Directory of Research Institute of Advanced Manufacturing and Materials Technology, Korea Institute of Industrial Technology) - Bongman Seo (Research Fellow of Economy and Environment Division, The Incheon Institute) - Jong-Hwan Kim (Director General of Investment, Incheon Free Economic Zone)				
	Break				
	(Industry Session II) Technology and Policy: Shaping 'Everyday AI' - Moderator: Misook Lim, President of the Women Information Technology & Science Association of Korea				
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	Presentation 2: AMI Security Technology for Smart Meters Jeong Nyeo Kim (Assistant Vice President of Cyber Security Research Division, ETRI)				
	Presentation 3: Industrial Applications of Al Technologies: Application of AloT Digital Safety Technology to Construction Sites Jae-Ho Pyeon (Managing Director of Business Headquarters, Simplatform & Associate Professor, Civil and Environmental Engineering, San Jose State University)				
	Discussion Eun Kyoung Paik (Visiting Scholar Professor of Computer Engineering, Ewha Womans University) Kyung-hwa Do (Professor of Institute of Cyber Security & Privacy, Korea University)				