

# 1st Announcement

## The 9<sup>th</sup> Korea-China-Japan Grassland Conference

Aug. 26 (Wed)-28 (Fri). 2026, ICC Jeju, Jeju, Republic of Korea



**Feb. 23<sup>rd</sup> 2026**

Organized by

***Korean Society of Grassland and Forage Science  
National Institute of Animal Science, RDA***

In collaboration with

***Chinese Grassland Society  
Japanese Society of Grassland Science***

# Invitation

The Earth is currently facing a wide range of challenges due to climate change. Carbon emissions, one of the primary drivers of greenhouse gases, have become a major global concern, and numerous efforts are being made worldwide to reduce them. Grassland-based agriculture not only provides various products such as food, feed, fiber, and fuel, but also delivers important ecosystem services, including climate regulation, carbon sequestration, and biodiversity enhancement. However, grassland agriculture is also confronting multiple challenges. Therefore, to maintain healthy and sustainable grassland systems, close communication and cooperation among scientists from the three countries are more necessary than ever. The 9th Korea–China–Japan Grassland Conference will be held from August 26 (Wed) to 28 (Fri), 2026, at the ICC Jeju in Jeju, Republic of Korea.

This conference aims to identify effective and sustainable strategies for responding to climate change and achieving carbon neutrality through grassland-based agricultural systems. Through these efforts, the conference seeks to contribute to the advancement of grassland science and industry.

The organizing committee sincerely invites you to attend this major event in Jeju, Republic of Korea, renowned for its outstanding natural scenery.



Byung-Hyun Lee, Ph.D.

Chair of Organizing Committee

President of the Korean Society of Grassland and Forage Science

## Organizers

### ● Organizers :

Korean Society of Grassland and Forage Science (KSGFS)  
National Institute of Animal Science, RDA

### ● Collaborating Organization :

Chinese Grassland Society (CGS)  
Japanese Society of Grassland Science (JSGS)

## Organizing Committee

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### ● Chair :

<b>Byung-Hyun Lee</b>	President of the KSGFS and Professor of Gyeongsang National University, Republic of Korea
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## Conference Theme and Sessions

### ● Theme :

**Grassland Agriculture for Climate Changes Adaptation and Mitigation**

### ● Sessions :

1. Genetic Resources & Climate-Resilient Breeding
2. Grassland Ecology & Carbon Neutrality
3. Forage Processing & Animal Nutrition
4. Smart Grassland Management & Technology

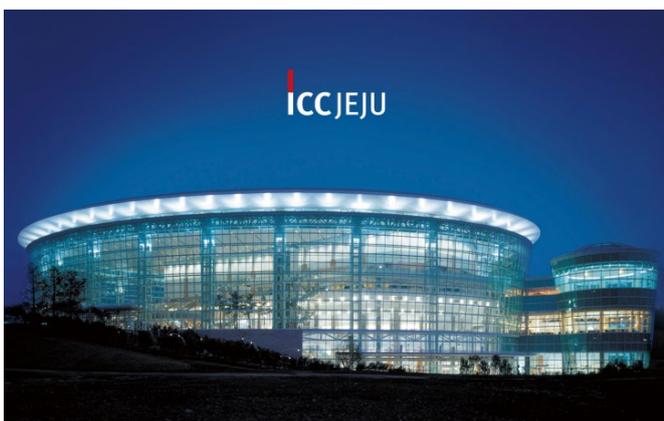
## Working Language

### ● English

## Conference Venue

### ● Venue :

- Name : International Conference Center (ICC), Jeju, Republic of Korea
- Address : 224 Jungmungwangwang-ro, ICC Jeju, Seogwipo-si, Jeju, Republic of Korea
- Telephone : +82-64-735-1000
- Website : [www.iccjeju.co.kr/main/main.php](http://www.iccjeju.co.kr/main/main.php)



## Conference Program Overview

### ● Program Overview :

- Aug. 26 (Wed)**
  - Opening Ceremony
  - Session 1 and 2
  - Welcome Reception
- Aug. 27 (Thu)**
  - Session 3 and 4
  - Closing Ceremony
  - Farewell Dinner
- Aug. 28 (Fri)**
  - Conference Tour

## Host Homepage

### ● Home page :

<https://sites.google.com/gnu.ac.kr/9th-korea-china-japan-grassl/home>

## Registration

- The registration homepage will be linked on the Host homepage and announced in the 2<sup>nd</sup> Announcement.
- **Early Bird Registration : Until June 19, 2026**
- **Regular Registration : June 20 ~ July 24, 2026**
- **On-site registration is not available.**

Category	Early Registration (Until June 19, 2026)		Regular Registration (June 20~July 24, 2026)	
	Korean won (₩)	US dollar (\$)	Korean won (₩)	US dollar (\$)
Standard	480,000	330	520,000	360
Student	260,000	180	300,000	200
Tour	260,000	180	260,000	180

## Abstract Submission

- Abstract for oral and poster presentation will open in Host homepage with 2<sup>nd</sup> Announcement.

## Sponsorship Information

- All related organizations are welcome to take an active part in the event. Contact the Committee for Sponsorship application.

## Contact

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