

## Invitation to '2018 Asia Urban Lighting Workshop' in Seoul

- The Role of Urban Lighting for Sustainable Development -

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Dear Madam/Sir,

What are the roles of urban lighting in a city?

Light not only presents a unique opportunity to fundamentally improve the safety of a city, it can also turn a city into a more attractive and vibrant place to be. In the near future, lighting will present more opportunities to connect with people through a variety of technologies.

Last year, the '2017 Asian Urban Lighting Workshop' concluded successfully with the active participation of 16 cities in Asia. It gave a strong sense of the varied range of issues in which Asian cities need to engage in order to carry out strategic urban lighting. It was a valuable opportunity for Asian cities to break down interurban boundaries and research together.

We are very pleased to invite you to the '2018 Asia Urban Lighting Workshop' in Seoul, Korea June 27-29, 2018 organized by Seoul Metropolitan Government and LUCI (Lighting Urban Community International) with the support of CityNet and WeGo. Under the theme of 'The Role of Urban Lighting for Sustainable Development' in Asian cities, this workshop is classified into "People & Safety", "Culture & Economy", and "Environment & Future".

You will be welcomed with excellent speeches on urban lighting from the different city representatives. We will also provide time for discussions and inter-city exchanges to help your city as it moves forward with its lighting projects. Moreover, different experts will share their opinions and perspectives on the next steps of urban lighting.

Together, let us take this opportunity to learn about sustainable urban lighting development models for Asian cities by sharing information and engaging in meaningful discussions and site visits.

Should you have any inquiries or topics that you would like to bring up at the workshop, do not hesitate to contact Ms So-jin PARK at sjpark1217@seoul.go.kr (Seoul Metropolitan Government) or lroa.tc@seoul.go.kr (LUCI Regional Office for Asia). You can register by sending the attached application form to the emails above by **April 27, 2018**.

We look forward to seeing you in Seoul for this workshop in June.

Sincerely yours,



Park Won-Soon  
Mayor of Seoul Metropolitan  
Government



Mary-Ann Schreurs  
Vice-Mayor of Eindhoven  
President of LUCI

Seoul is a dynamic and attractive mega-city with a population of 10 million people that has a history of over 600 years as a capital city, cutting-edge information technology and a wonderful natural environment.

Founded in Lyon -France 15 years ago, the LUCI network has been evolving as an international platform of inter-city exchange aiming to reinforce cities' capacities for action and progressing together on the challenges of urban lighting. [www.luciassociation.org](http://www.luciassociation.org)