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■ Attending 2018 INWES APNN Meeting and INWES Board Meeting

The 8th International Network of Women Engineers and Scientists Asia Pacific Nation Network (INWES APNN) Meeting was held from October 18 to 20. The 2018 INWES APNN Meeting held in Hanoi, Vietnam was hosted by VWU (The Viet Nam Women's Union) and VAFIW (The Viet Nam Association for Intellectual Women) and attended by more than 250 women engineers and scientists from about 16 countries to share the programs to support women engineers and scientists in each country. Six people from Korea including KWSE President Hye-On Yoon attended the meeting.

On the first day, Dr. Hye-On Yoon presented the Country Report to share the KWSE projects for building the global network and improving the status of women engineers and scientists and spreading the science and technology culture for the past year. The panel discussion and INWES board meeting were held on the second day. Dr. Myung Hee Jung (founding INWES board director) attended the panel discussion as the Co-Chairperson of "Nutrition and Food Safety." The followed INWES board meeting was attended by Prof. Kong Joo Lee (3rd and 4th President of INWES), Dr. Haryoung Poo (Chair of INWES Fund Development Committee), and Dr. Jung Sun Kim (Deputy President of INWES) to gather the latest information on activities and policies of INWES member organizations and countries and build networking with the organizations in other countries.

The followed annual INWES APNN Meeting elected WSTEM (Women in Science, Technology, Engineering and Mathematics) in Mongolia as the 4th Chair Organization and decided for WISE Nepal (Women In Science and Engineering) to host the 9th INWES APNN Meeting to be held in Kathmandu, Nepal in 2019.



▲ 2018 INWES APNN Meeting



▲ KWSE Country Report Presentation by Dr. Hye-On Yoon



▲ 2018 INWES Board Meeting