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# WFTO ASIA NEWSLETTER

**JULY 2014**



## WFTO-Asia Biennial Conference



**Dates Confirmed**  
16th-19th October  
(not 15th-18th)

**Conference Venue**  
Seoul City Hall

Mayor Park WonSoon (pictured right) credit:

<http://bit.ly/1plrZ0o>

### Guest Speaker:

Mayor Park WonSoon

### The Conference Fee

- non-WFTO members - \$200 (USD)
- WFTO members - \$100 (USD)

## October 16th-19th

- 16th October - Registration, Reception and Welcome dinner
- 17th - 18th October - Biennial Conference of WFTO-Asia
- 19th October - Annual General Meeting

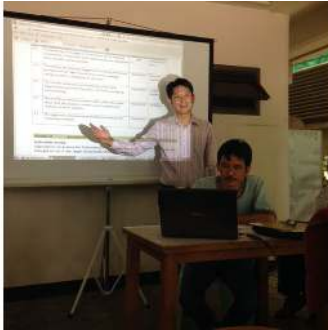
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## Accommodation

- 3 nights/4 days stay at Ibis Ambassador Insadong
- Check-in on the 16th  
Check-out on the 19th
- Twin sharing is \$145USD per person / 3 nights
- Single room is \$289USD per person / 3 nights
- Breakfast is optional extra \$13USD per person / per day

## Thailand WFTO-Asia Workshop



Vitoon Pnyakul of Earth Net Foundation, guided the Thai WFTO members and two new applicants through the WFTO guarantee System. The two-day workshop went through the WFTO principles, internal monitoring system and auditing process. It also included a visit to a group working with Thai Tribal Craft for practical experience. It was held at the WEAVE/WFTO-Asia Office.

## Volunteer Internship Program (VIP)



**VIP program welcomes Students from Taiwan**  
Nine Students from the National Pingtung University, will be working with Fair Trade Groups in Nepal, for more information on the program. [click here](#)

## Online - Consultation & Competition

### Online Web Design Consultation

One hour of free on line design consultation from Lauren Lancy, with the guidance of WFTO-Asia. If you would like to use this offer please email [communications@wfto-asia.com](mailto:communications@wfto-asia.com) with information on what sort of advice you would like and why.

For information on Lauren please see her website [here](#)  
WFTO members only.

### Design Competition

Would you like to work with a young Italian Designer?  
WFTO-Asia will be working with young graduate Italian designers to develop clothing for the WFTO fashion show in Milan May 2015. If you are interested to participate please send three good images of the textile skills that you would like to focus on and short description of your working techniques to [communications@wfto-asia.com](mailto:communications@wfto-asia.com)

## Contact Us



This month we welcome Elise Hawley, the new sustainability coordinator, to our office.

"I can't wait to learn about all the Asia members", says Elise



says Elise.

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Harry Mcilroy - WFTO-Asia Communications:  
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Elise Hawley - Sustainability co-ordinator  
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## New Members



Prokitree



Saidpur Enterprises

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