

PUBLIC SERVICES INTERNATIONAL

13TH ASIA PACIFIC REGIONAL CONFERENCE (APRECON
2016)



“QUALITY PUBLIC SERVICES KEEP THE COMMUNITY SAFE”

Fukuoka, Japan 9-12 October 2016

Draft Programme

APRECON 2016

Date	Time	Programme
9 October 2016	08h30	AP Youth Event “Organising Young Workers: New Generation of Trade Unionism”
	10h30	Coffee/Tea Break
	12h30	Lunch
	14h00	AP Women Workshop – “QPS for Equality”
	15h30	Coffee/Tea Break
	17h30 18h30	Assembling for Equity March Equity March led by Local JC Women Committee and APWOC and participated by the APRECON delegates at Nishitetsu Fukuoka (Tenjin) station
10 October 2016	08h00	APRECON – Registration commencement
	09h00	Local Government Municipal and Utilities Network Meeting
	10h30	Coffee/Tea Break
	11h00	Health Network Meeting
	12h30	Lunch
	14h00	Subregional Caucus
	16h00	APREC Meeting (Members only)
18h30	PSI Welcome Dinner	
11 October 2016	09h00 - 10h00	APRECON Opening Session <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Ceremonial Welcome, Speeches, Solidarity Greetings

	10h00 - 10h15	Procedural matters - Standing Orders Committee, Credential Committee reports
	10h15	Session 1: Setting the tone for APRECON – Motivating experiences from Japanese PSI affiliates
	11h15	Coffee/Tea Break
	11h30	Session 2: Disaster Risk Reduction and Management – Public Services Perspective <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Disasters in the AP Region and its impacts on community Role of Public Services Workers in keeping the community safe
	12h30	LUNCH
	14h00	Session 3: Financing the development and public services, the current trends and opportunities Presentation of the issue followed by panel discussions and interactions
	15h30	Coffee/Tea break
	16h00	Session 4: Alternatives to Privatization, sharing of experiences and challenging the PPPs <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Overview of the scenario in the regionally/globally Panel discussion on remunicipalisation
	17h30 - 18h30	Session 5: Presentation and Discussions <ul style="list-style-type: none"> 2016-2021 priorities and plan for the region
	19h00	Solidarity dinner hosted by PSI Japan Council (PSI JC)
12 October 2016	09h00	Session 6: Trade Union Rights' continuing challenges to the public services and union responses <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Country experiences in dealing with the TUR issues - sharing the struggles and practices Consolidating solidarity and way forward strategies Interactions
	10h30	Coffee/Tea break
	11h00	Session 7: Organizing Strategies in Health Care Services in the region <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Precarious work in the health services Private health sector organizing Interactions
	12h30	Lunch
	14h00	Session 8: Directions for organizing and growth in the AP region <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Crucial strategies and targets identified for the region Leadership roles and responsibilities of AP structure How projects in the region can be re-oriented Discussions and use of regional solidarity fund
	15h30	Coffee/tea Break
	16h00	Session 9: Closing Adoptions of resolutions and statements Felicitation and vote of thanks