



# GLOBAL GEOPARKS NETWORK

International Association on Geoparks

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## ***19th Executive Board Meeting***

**Wednesday, 20th July 2016, at 7.00 GMT (10.00 Paris, Oslo, 16.00 Beijing, KL)**

### **Members:**

- **Asia-Pacific Geoparks Network** (Ibrahim KOMOO, Changxing LONG)
- **European Geoparks Network** (Nickolas ZOUROS, Kristin RANGNES)
- **Experts** (Europe, Asia) (Marie-Luise FREY; Guy MARTINI, JIN Xiaochi)

### **Observers**

- **UNESCO - IGGP Secretariat** (Patrick MCKEEVER, M. Patzak)

## **Agenda**

1. Welcome and adoption of the agenda
2. Minutes of the 18th GGN Association ExB Meeting
3. GGN Association - Operation and Networking
  - 3.1. Preparation of the 1st General Assembly
    - GGN Code of Ethics
    - Rules for the International Committees
  - 3.2. Individual Members Inscription
    - Prof. Jianping Zhang - China
    - Andreas Shueller - Germany
    - Yuanyuan ZHENG - China
  - 3.3. Regional Networks - Annual reports
    - APGN
    - EGN

- Regions without Regional Geopark Networks
  1. Africa
  2. Latin America and Caribbean
  3. North America
  4. Australia

4. UNESCO Global Geoparks

- Geopark Evaluation and Revalidation Missions 2016

5. GGN Best Practice AWARDS

6. GGN Capacity Building Activities

- 6.1. Intensive Course on Geoparks - Lesvos June 20-30 2016
- 6.2. Course on Geoparks Management - Beijing November 2016
- 6.3. Course in Latin America

7. Global Geopark Conferences and Promotional Activities

- 7th Geoparks International Conference 2016
- Bid for the 8th Geoparks International Conference 2018
- GGN Participation in ITB Berlin
- GGN Promotional activities - Proposals

8. Next GGN ExB meeting

9. Any other issue