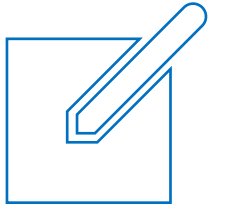


Asia Pacific Next Generation

AP* Retreat Report (September 7, 2020)

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APNG History



- The formation of APNG as the Asia Pacific Networking Group in the 1990s
- The launching of the APNG Camp in Bangkok 2002
- The growth of the APNG Camp over the following ten years
- The 14th APNG Camp in Seoul 2012 as the last camp
- The inactive stage from 2013 to 2018

Past APNG Camps



@ 14th Camp, Seoul, Korea

Camp #	Date & Place	# of Participants (Countries)	# of Fellows (Countries)
1 st Camp	Bangkok, Thailand February 2002	28 (8)	
2 nd Camp	Shanghai, China August 2002	61 (10)	
3 rd Camp	Taipei, Taiwan February 2003	50 (8)	
4 th Camp	Busan, Korea August 2003	30 (4)	
5 th Camp	Cairns, Australia July 2004	40 (16)	15 (10)
6 th Camp	Kyoto, Japan February 2005	60 (20)	25 (16)
7 th Camp	Taipei, Taiwan August 2005	40 (18)	20 (12)
8 th Camp	Singapore July 2006	40 (11)	18 (11)
9 th Camp	Xi'an, China, August 2007	60 (16)	28 (13)
10 th Camp	Bangkok, Thailand 2008	107 (22)	93 (22)
11 th Camp	Kuala Lumpur, Malaysia July 2009	63 (17)	40 (17)
12 th Camp	Hiroshima, Japan July 2010	174 (21)	47 (21)
13 th Camp	Hong Kong Feb 2011	50 (16)	30 (16)
14 th Camp	Seoul, Korea Aug 2012	60 (17)	26 (16)



The APNG Reunion in Chiang Mai 2019



- Collective efforts of the APNG Camp alumni to rebuild the APNG Camp
- Senior mentors' support
- Co-convened with the 48th APNIC conference in Chiang Mai 2019
- 14 participants from 9 nations, 3 start-up talks, and 4 keynotes
- Decided to collaborate further to rebuild APNG

Rebuild APNG: Why?



- Continuing to foster the development of next-generation (Internet) leaders for Asia and the world
- Positively influencing the career paths and worldviews of the next generations
- Inheriting the tradition of collaboration that Asian Internet pioneers have created
- Paying forward what alumni received from APNG to the younger generations

Rebuild APNG: Mission



- Fostering the development of future leaders of digital society
- Building a human network
- Learning from each other
- Enhancing intergenerational mentorship and collaboration
- Supporting UN SDGs through mutual cooperation, knowledge sharing, and promoting activities

Rebuild APNG: Plans



- Creating the APNG Alumni Think Tank to understand the current digital society and future developments
- Hosting the APNG Webinar Series
- Holding the APNG Camp

APNG Webinar Series



- Sumith Gamage "Post-COVID New Normal: Work from Anywhere" (July 4, 2020)
- Benson Wu "Cybersecurity Tips for Post-COVID New Normal: Work from Anywhere" (August 15, 2020)
- Kashif Adeel "Business Automation through RPA" (Saturday, October 3rd)
- Sam Goundar "Application of Blockchain Technologies: Research and Practice" (Saturday, November 14)
- Anwarus Salam "How to Build Your Own Bots" (Saturday, December 5)

Rebuild APNG: The Current Team

Co-chairs



Khan Md. Mahfuzus Salam (Bangladesh, Japan)



yangyang (South Korea, USA)

Core Members



Kashif Adeel (Pakistan, Oman)



Asik Rajbhandari (Nepal, Thailand)



Sumith Gamage (Sri Lanka)



Khan Md. Anwarus Salam (Bangladesh)



Sam Goundar (Fiji, New Zealand)



Timothy Wu (Hong Kong)



Dihan Morawaka (Sri Lanka, Malaysia)



Benson Wu (Taiwan)

Advisor/Mentor



Tommy Matsumoto (Japan)

Rebuild APNG: Organization (Draft)

