

FOSS4G SEOUL 2015

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'THE' **First** FOSS4G International event in **Asia** will be in **Seoul!**





Letter from the Conference Chair

FOSS4G is the global conference focused on Free and Open Source Software for Geospatial, organized by OSGeo. In 2015, FOSS4G will be held in Seoul, Republic of Korea, after being held in Portland, Nottingham, Denver, Barcelona, Sydney, and Cape Town in past years. FOSS4G 2015 will be the first time event outside of Roman alphabet world. You may meet different language, culture, character and foods. These differences will inspire your imagination and creativity. Cultural diversities in OSGeo will eventually enrich the OSGeo structure and pipe the new fresh energy to OSGeo.

FOSS4G gathers developers and users of Open Source geospatial software as well as managers and decision-makers from around the world to discuss new directions, exciting implementations, and growing business opportunities in this space. Recent years have seen substantial changes in the geospatial industry. One of those changes has been the growth in maturity and adoption of

Free and Open Source solutions. In many cases organizations are using a mixture of open and closed source solutions.

Seoul is "THE" right place for international event in terms of accessibility, convenience, and attractions. Seoul with the nickname of 'Soul of Asia' is over six hundred years old and one of the most advanced cities in the world, meaning that the city has both past and present. The city has old palaces and temples and also has cutting-edge skyscrapers with those historical monuments. Seoul has over 10 million people and most headquarters of famous Korean companies including Samsung and Hyundai, meaning that there might be more opportunities to broadly promote open-source GIS at once and attract many GIS relevant people from various kinds of industries in South Korea. We anticipate not only many Korean attendance and also the largest attendance from Asian countries. As a sponsor of FOSS4G, you will be associated with what I believe will be on

e of the outstanding geospatial event of 2015.

The title of FOSS4G SEOUL 2015 is "Toward Diversity!"

FOSS4G Big Bang from Seoul!"

You can see many business opportunities there in Asia. Asia will be the next big market to open source GIS professionals, users, and companies. The market size of Asian economies already exceeded that of E.U. and U.S.A. and we've watched many emerging and vibrant FOSS4G activities in Asia. However, this market is still untapped in terms of open source GIS. For this, we have a plan to organize 'FOSS4G Asia Special Session'. We anticipate that open-source GIS big bang can be ignited from Seoul throughout FOSS4G 2015.

FOSS4G SEOUL 2015 CO-CHAIR

HONG, Sanggi Chairman of KSIS(Korea Spatial Information Society), SHIN, Sanghee Representative of OSGeo Korean Chapter

FOSS4G Conference

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Free & Open Source SW for GeoSpatial

- World biggest Open Source GIS annual conference hosted by OSGeo
- Annual International Gathering of Open Source GIS developers, users, decision-makers, policy-makers, etc.
- Nottingham UK in 2013, Portland USA in 2014 and **Seoul Korea in 2015**
- Homepage: <http://2015.foss4g.org>

	2014	2013	2012	2011	2010	2009	2008	2007	2006
Country	USA	UK	China	USA	Spain	Australia	South Africa	Canada	Switzerland
City	Portland	Nottingham	Beijing	Denver	Barcelona	Sydney	Cape Town	Victoria	Lausanne
Officially Registered Attend	870	880	Cancelled	950	869	436	550	721	560

OSGeo Foundation

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- Established in Chicago, USA on 4th February, 2006.
- To Support the collaborative development of open source geospatial software, and promote its widespread use
- To Promote free and open geospatial data, Create and maintain a quality brand, Create and promote free curriculum , and Promote and contribute to standards
- To actively collaborate with OGC, INSPIRE, ICA, ISPRS
- OSGeo is a NPO that is functioning as community of communities.
- Homepage: <http://www.osgeo.org>

FOSS4G 2015 SEOUL

First in Asia – Seoul, Korea has FOSS4G!

- An event to show the passion for Open Source GIS in Korea to the world and share the advanced status of Open Source GIS in Korea
- An event to encourage the development and the interest toward GIS industry by introducing new GIS technology using Open Source GIS with world wide Open Source GIS core developers

Conference Details

Web	2015.foss4g.org
Anticipated Participants	600 ~ 750
Dates	14 th Sep. 2015 ~ 19 th Sep. 2015
Venue	The K-Hotel

Target Audience

- GIS software and system developers
- Project Managers in Geospatial field
- Opinion Leaders in Geospatial field
- Companies who are interested in Open Source GIS
- Students who want to learn or use Open Source GIS

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Dates

14 th	15 th	16 th	17 th	18 th	19 th
Workshop (Paid)	Workshop (Paid)	Conference	Conference	Conference	Code Sprint

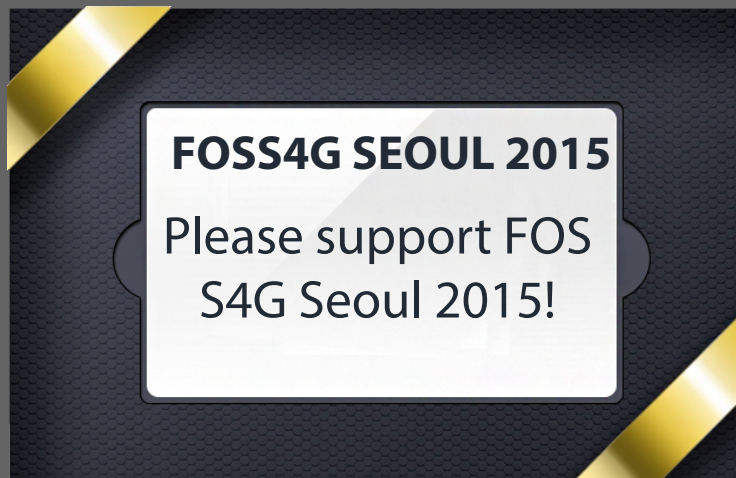
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SHIN, Sanghee	Co-Chair, CEO of Gaia3D, Representative of OSGeo Korean Chapter
HONG, Sanggi	Co-Chair, Chairman of KSIS, Professor at Anyang University

KANG, Youngok	Professor at Ewha Woman's University
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Larger Spaces	9 X 3	9 X 3	6 X 3	3 X 3	Table	
Priority Positions	1 st	2 nd	3 rd	4 th	5 th	
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Logo on Venue	O	O	O	O	O	O
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Logo on main web page	O	O	O	O		
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