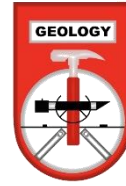


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**Collaborating Partners: MAESA and the University of Yangon, Department of Geology**

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**Arts Assembly Hall, University of Yangon Campus**

## *Agenda*

- 09:00-09:10 Welcoming speech and Workshop Opening by Dr. Pho Kaung, Rector of Yangon University
- 9:10-9:15 Introductory Remarks: Dr. Yin Yin Nwe, MAESA President
- 9:15-9:35 Keynote Address: Professor Sang-Mook Lee “Marine Geosciences in Myanmar: Opportunities and Challenges”
- 09:35-09:45 Teaching of Marine Geosciences in Myanmar Universities:  
Professor Dr. Day Wa Aung, Department of Geology, Yangon University
- 09:45- 10:10 Marine Geosciences Research in Myanmar: Dr. Robert Gatliff & Dr. Moe Kyaw Thu
- 10:10-10:30 *Coffee Break*
- 10:30-11:30 Review of Success Stories and Lessons Learned from Global Experience:  
United Kingdom, Japan, United States, India, Germany, People’s Republic of China,  
Republic of Korea, Indonesia
- 11:30-12:00 Discussion and Identification of Urgent Actions and Long-Term Targets:
- Urgent Actions (Geohazard & Environment studies, Capacity Building & Research Facility Sharing)
  - Long-Term Targets (Offshore Mapping, Geohazard Monitoring, Resources Exploration)
- 12:00-13:00 *Lunch Break*
- 13:00-14:00 Development of Future Education and Research Programs: Education & Offshore Field Training, Projects of Interest and International Cooperation Programs