



PROJECT NOTIFICATION

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Project Code	25-CP-22-GE-CON-A
Title	Conference on Role of Green Productivity in Transition to Cleaner Energy
Timing	15 December 2025
Hosting Country(ies)	Philippines
Venue City(ies)	Not Applicable
Modality	Online
Implementing Organization(s)	Development Academy of the Philippines and APO Secretariat
Participating Country(ies)	All Member Countries
Overseas Participants	100
Local Participants	30
Closing Date	20 November 2025
Remarks	Not Applicable

Objectives	Underscore the contribution of Green Productivity (GP) principles to clean energy strategies, share innovative technologies and policies in promoting energy efficiency and renewable energy, and build capacity among stakeholders in adopting green practices across energy-intensive sectors.
Rationale	As the global economy confronts the dual challenges of climate change and energy security, the integration of environmentally sound practices into productivity and industrial development is more critical than ever. This is aligned with the newly developed GP 2.0 ecosystem to support member economies' transition toward resource-efficient, low-carbon systems.
Background	The World Meteorological Organizations' State of the Global Climate report confirmed that 2024 was likely the first year with global temperatures over 1.5°C above preindustrial levels. This highlights the urgent need to combat climate change through cleaner, more sustainable energy systems. Countries are working to diversify energy sources, boost efficiency, and reduce fossil fuel dependence. However, this transition requires a holistic approach that integrates productivity, environmental sustainability, and socioeconomic development. The GP concept, introduced by the APO in 1992, supports this by promoting actionable strategies like green purchasing, design changes, and the 3Rs that enhance both environmental and productivity outcomes. In 2024, the new GP 2.0 roadmap included the promotion of cleaner energy by encouraging the adoption of low-carbon technologies, sector-specific green innovations, and circular economy practices to decouple economic growth from environmental degradation.
Topics	Emerging cleaner energy sources, storage, and utilization trends in APO members; Technological interventions for cleaner energy transitions; Case studies and best practices such as EV; Interlinkages in Asia; and The role of the APO and transnational partnerships for climate governance.
Outcome	Adoption of technologies and approaches supporting the transition to clean energy, better preparedness to tackle emerging regional challenges related to energy security, and enhanced awareness of GP concepts across APO members.
Qualifications	Government officials, policymakers, representatives of industrial associations and SMEs, and consultants working on climate change mitigation, renewable energy, green growth, and sustainable development.

Please refer to the implementation procedures circulated with this document for further details.



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