

● **No.4 "Indices to facilitate sustainable urban development"**

	City/Organization	Title	Name
1	Baguio	City Environment and Parks Management Officer	Ms. Maria Adelaida Coloma Lacsamana
2	Colombo	Municipal Treasurer	Mr. Koralage Don Chithrapala
3	Seberang Perai	Mayor	The Honorable Maimunah Mohd Sharif
4	Makati	Senior Advisor, Office of the Mayor	Ms. Violeta Somera-Seva
5	CITYNET / World Resources Institute	Secretary General / Senior Fellow	Dr. Vijay Jagannathan
6	Institute for Global Environmental Strategies	Area Leader, Principal Policy Researcher	Mr. Kazuhisa Koakutsu
7	Ministry of Economy, Trade and Industry, Japan	Principal Deputy Director	Mr. Hiroaki Machii
8	Ministry of the Environment , Japan	Director, International Cooperation Office	Mr. Nobuhiro Kino
9	UN-Habitat	Human Settlements Officer	Mr. Laxman Perera
10	World Bank	Lead Urban Specialist	Mr. Victor Manuel Vergara
11	Yokohama City University	Senior Project Manager, Global Cooperation Institute for Sustainable Cities	Prof. Hidefumi Imura
12		Professor Emeritus, Seikei University / Special Advisor for Y-PORT Center	Prof. Ryokichi Hirono

4-1_Baguio_Ms. Maria Adelaida Coloma Lacsamana

CURRICULUM VITAE OF Mr. K. D. CHITHRAPALA
(MEMBER OF SRI LANKA ACCOUNTANT'S SERVICE SPECIAL GRADE)

1. Name : K. D. Chithrapala
2. Present Job Title : Member of Sri Lanka Accountant's
Service Special Grade
Colombo Municipal Council
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3. Date of Birth : 02nd July 1959
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8. Educational Qualifications:

- Master of Commerce Degree University of Kelaniya, Sri Lanka
- Post graduate Diploma in Local Government Finance – Post Graduate Institute of Management, University of Sri Jayawardenapura, Gangodawila, Nugegoda, Sri Lanka
- B. Com Special Degree with Second class honours – faculty of Commerce and Management, University of Sri Jayawardenapura, Gangodawila, Nugegoda, Sri Lanka

9. Professional Qualifications:

- Member of Sri Lanka Accountant's Service Special grade
- Fellow member of Institute of Financial Accountants in U.K.
- Fellow member of Institute of Public Finance and Development Accountants Sri Lanka.
- Associate Member of Chartered Institute of Management Accountants (CIMA) in U.K.
- Fellow Member of Institute of Public Accountants in Australia.

10. Foreign Training:

- Certificate in Local Government Finance – University of Birmingham U.K.
- Certificate in Self Local Government System in India NIRD, India
- Certificate in Planning & Management of Poverty Reduction – SDS, India
- Certificate in Integrated urban Planning in Malaysia
- Study Tour on Poverty reduction in Bangkok
- Certificate in Participatory Management in SDS India
- Certificate in Participatory Budgeting and Disaster Management in Philippine & Bangkok
- Certificate on Social Transfer in Thailand
- Exposure visit on waste water Management in China
- Leadership, Land Management and MDG – New Delhi.
- Exposure visit to Vietnam on Local Government Finance.
- Exposure visit to Nepal on Housing.

11. Working Experience :

- From 1986 to 1988 Accountant Kurunagala Municipal Council
- From 1989 to 1995 financial Management Consultant in Local Government Finance, Team Leader for North Western & Sabaragamuwa Provinces of Urban Programme Unit , Ministry of Policy Planning in Sri Lanka (World bank Project)
- From 1995 to 2005 Accountant Finance , and Chief Accountant of Colombo Municipal Council, Colombo 07
- From December 2005 to 2010 Director of Finance , Sri Lanka Samurdhi Authority
- Financial Economist Local Government Infrastructure Management Project ADB funded.
- From 2011 to date Municipal Treasurer Colombo Municipal Council.

12. Special Experience :

- From 1983 to 1988 Visiting Lecturer in Sri Lanka Technical College, Maradana & Rathnapura
- From 2004 to date Guest lecturer for University of Sri Lanka Jayawardenapura (English Medium Degree Programme)
- From 2003 to date visiting Lecturer on Local Government Finance for Centre for Urban and Rural Planning
- From 1990 – 1994 Lecturer on Local Government Finance for AAT Institute
- Visiting Lecturer , Town and Country Planning Dept. University of Moratuwa on the subject of Urban & Rural Finance.

13. Special Project Experience :

- Served as a working Group Member for the Project on Poverty Reduction through people's empowerment sponsored by UNDP. The objective of the project is to reduce the Urban Poverty people's empowerment of Underserved settlement (USS) in Colombo
- Served as a Core Group Member for Partnership Promotion Programme (PPP) in Colombo Municipal Council. This Project is to serve the amenity facility and utility services to people in Colombo through four dimensions partnership with a contribution of CMC, NGO community and other donors.
- Served as a key person on participatory Budgeting for Colombo Municipal Council. The aim of this project is to prioritize the needs of the people through people's participation in the preparation and monitoring of the Municipal Budget which is the main financial plan of the CMC
- Served as a Resource Person on participatory budgeting for the UNDP – sustainable cities programme of Sri Lanka
- Served as financial Economist in Local Government Infrastructure Improvement Project funded By the Asian Development Bank (ADB)

14. Research Experience :

“ The impact of Skills in working Capital Management and the financial stability in Municipal Councils of Sri Lanka , as a part of the Master of Commerce Degree Programme in University of Kelaniya’

I certify above particulars are true and correct.

K. D. Chithrapala



Dato' Maimunah Mohd Sharif
Municipal President
Municipal Council Of Seberang Perai, Penang, Malaysia

Dato' Maimunah Mohd Sharif is the Municipal President of Municipal Council of Seberang Perai (MPSP). She holds a Master of Science in planning studies from University Science Malaysia, Penang and also a degree in Town Planning Studies from University of Wales Institute of Science and Technology, United Kingdom. Her career begins from 1985 to 2003 as Town Planning Officer at Municipal Council Of Penang Island. In 2003 she was promoted as a Director, Department of Planning and Development till November 2009. As a head of Planning and Development Department, she was responsible in preparation of structure plan, local plan, development controls, projects and landscapes. She also headed a team for the planning and implementation of urban renewal projects for Little India and implementation of Penang Gold Bazaar project.

In November 2009, she was entrusted to establish George Town World Heritage Incorporated. As General Manager and a founder of George Town World Heritage Incorporated, a state arm company. She has the responsibility to manage the George Town World Heritage Site which was inscribed by UNESCO in July 2008. She was the precursor for the George Town Festival in 2010 and now established as yearly event by the Penang State. With her knowledge and involvement in heritage, she was chosen by the government as one of the expert to represent Malaysia in UNESCO World Heritage Committee Meeting at St. Petersburg, Rusia in June-July 2012.

In 16 March 2011, she was appointed as the first female Municipal President of Municipal Council Of Seberang Perai. As a mayor of a local authority, she has to lead and steers MPSP to attain its vision "To make Seberang Perai cleaner, beautiful, comfortable place to stay, work, investment and tourist attraction by 2018" and in line with the state of Penang's vision which is "Cleaner, Greener, Safer and Healthier Penang". She inspired MPSP to produce the first Seberang Perai Tourist Map, Heritage Trail and Coffee Table Book of Seberang Perai. It was a successful project done by in-house team under her guidance.

By promoting Gender Responsive Participatory Budgeting (GRPB), she has developed a gender Committee headed by her as her long term goal to integrate gender perspectives into governance process and GRPB as a tool for mainstreaming gender into budgetary and development policy and planning. She has carried out dialogue budget in 2012 and it was the first MPSP budget tabled by a female President and GRPB program becoming as the yearly program for MPSP.

She has presented many papers in seminar, forums and conferences both locally and internationally. For her remarkable contribution to Penang and Seberang Perai, she has been awarded several recognitions by the Penang State Government, Malaysian Government and International Organization such as “Best City Manager” and “Best City” by Europe Business Assembly, Stresa, Italy and “Planner of The Year 2014” by Malaysian Institute Of Planners. In September 2014, she was conferred the award Darjah Setia Pangkuan Negeri (D.S.P.N.) which carry the title of Dato’. With her effort, MPSP has been recognized internationally and being a member in international organization such as CITYNET, WeGO (World e-Government Organization), ICLEI (International Council For Local Environmental Initiatives) and IOPD (International Observatory For Participatory Democracy). As an international recognition, she is voted as in a Regional Executive Committee (REXCOM) of ICLEI in Southeast Asia. She is also voted in to represent Southeast Asia Region in the Global Executive Committee (GEXCOM) of ICLEI.

Dato’ Maimunah Mohd Sharif

Municipal President

Municipal Council Of Seberang Perai, Penang, Malaysia

4-4_Makati_Ms. Violeta Somera-Seva

N. Vijay Jagannathan – Senior Fellow, World Resources Institute and Secretary General, CITYNET. Dr. Jagannathan is leading a number of initiatives on promoting sustainable urbanization in the region, both in his capacity as a senior advisor of a leading think tank on sustainable development and as the head of a network of cities and partner institutions in the Asia Pacific region.



Prior to these assignments he worked in the World Bank, Washington DC where his last assignment was as Sector Manager for infrastructure in the East Asia and Pacific region. He was responsible for an annual lending program of about \$5 billion in the urban, water, transport and energy sectors. He has been also associated with the APEC-led green growth and green finance initiatives. He has worked in the infrastructure, environment and urban development sectors in his twenty four years in the Bank in over 50 countries around the world. Prior to joining the Bank he was Secretary of the Calcutta Metropolitan Development Authority, and held several other positions in Indian Administrative Service. Vijay is an economist by training, with a PhD from Boston University. His dissertation on the informal markets for the poor was published by Oxford University Press in 1987 and recognized as one of the “Outstanding Academic Books of the Year” by the American Library Association. He has published extensively on water, urban development, agricultural development and environmental issues.

Kazuhisa KOAKUTSU



He has been engaging in the research activity on international climate policy related to market mechanisms such as the clean development mechanism (CDM), emission trading scheme (ETS) and Joint Crediting Mechanism. He has been implementing the capacity building activities in Asia on CDM and new market mechanism for the last 10 years. He is the author of several text books and research reports on the CDM and new market mechanisms, and has been specialized on the international rules and methodologies on the CDM. Currently, he is involving the capacity building of MRV (monitoring, reporting, and verification) for the new market mechanism and the attending the international negotiations under the UNFCCC.

小塚 一久

気候政策における市場メカニズム、特にクリーン開発メカニズム（CDM）や二国間オフセット・クレジット制度（JCM）等に関する政策研究を行うと共に、アジア各国における能力構築事業に携わる。CDM や新たな市場メカニズムに関するテキストブックの著者として市場メカニズムの国際ルールや方法論を担当。現在は、JCM を含む新たな市場メカニズムと温室効果ガスの測定・報告・検証（MRV）に関する能力構築や国連気候変動枠組条約（UNFCCC）における国際交渉に携わっている。

4-7_Ministry of Economy, Trade and Industry, Japan_Mr. Hiroaki Machii

Nobuhiro KINO (Mr.)

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Personal Information

1971 Born in Aichi Prefecture, Japan

Education

2002 Master of International Development Studies, National Graduate Institute
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1996 Master of Engineering, the University of Tokyo

1994 Bachelor of Engineering, the University of Tokyo

Work Experience

July, 2014 – Present:

April, 2012 – July, 2014:

Deputy Director, International Cooperation and Public Relations Office for
Decontamination of Radioactive Materials, Environment Management Bureau,
Ministry of the Environment, Tokyo, Japan

April, 2010 – March, 2012:

Director, Recycling and Waste Management Division, Chubu Regional
Environment Office, Ministry of the Environment, Nagoya, Japan

July, 2009 – March, 2010:

Deputy Director, Environmental Management Division, Global Environment Bureau,
Ministry of the Environment, Tokyo, Japan

July, 2007 – June, 2009:

Deputy Director, Chemicals Evaluation Office, Environmental Health Department,
Environmental Policy Bureau, Ministry of the Environment, Tokyo, Japan

July, 2004 – June, 2007:

Research Coordinator, Planning Department and Center for Material Cycles and
Waste Management Research, National Institute for Environmental Studies,
Tsukuba, Japan

April, 2003 – June, 2004:

Deputy Director, Environmental Research and Technology Office, Environmental
Policy Bureau, Ministry of the Environment, Tokyo, Japan

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Laxman Perera – UN- Habitat

Laxman Perera is a Human Settlement Officer of the United Nations Human Settlement Programme – UN-Habitat Regional Office for Asia and the Pacific covering UN-Habitat operations in Bangladesh, Cambodia, Pakistan and Vietnam.

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Graduated from the University of Chicago in 1959, Prof. Ryokichi HIRONO, Professor Emeritus, Seikei University, Tokyo, has taught at a number of well-known universities overseas at graduate level, including Australia, Canada, France, India, Indonesia, Malaysia, Philippines, Singapore, South Africa, Thailand, U.K. and U.S.A. Currently, he is sitting on the board of directors at various foundations, research institutes, academic bodies, and civil society organizations in Japan and overseas. At home Prof. Hirono was involved deeply ever since 1960s in mainstreaming Asian perspectives into Japanese foreign policies and reformulating Japan's ODA and international cooperation policy in various capacities in the Ministries of Agriculture, Environment, Foreign Affairs, Labour and in the Office of the Prime Minister, and since 1970s in integrating environmental dimensions into economic policy formulation. In the 1990s he took initiatives in establishing Japan Society for International Development as its founding vice president and later as president and installing Foundation for Advanced Studies in International Development and a number of graduate schools on international development and cooperation. He also paved a road for establishing Japan Fund for Global Environment to assist nascent and emerging NGO activities in Japan and overseas. In the 2000s he initiated in setting up Institute for Global Environmental Strategies (IGES) to reinforce research in Japan on global environmental policies and Japan Evaluation Society to install programme and policy evaluation throughout the Government of Japan. As adviser to the Office of the Prime Minister, Prof. Hirono helped in formulating Education for Sustainable Development (ESD) proposals together with NGOs which Prime Minister Koizumi presented as a joint proposal in 2002 at the World Summit on Sustainable Development in Johannesburg, South Africa, later adopted by UNGA as UN Decade on ESD 2005-14. Also, working with international organizations in the senior management positions during the 1970s-80s and serving as chair of the Committee for Development Policy of the United Nations ECOSOC in the 1990s, Prof. Hirono had a lot to do in initiating development and ODA evaluation, mainstreaming environmental concerns, civil society and gender perspectives in formulating development policies and programmes at OECD/DAC, UNESCAP, AsDB, UNDP and International Development Evaluation Association (IDEAS). Since its inception in 2012, he has been president of Asia-Pacific Evaluation Association (APEA) based in Malaysia. Over 600 books, reports and journal articles have been published at home and overseas. Awardee of a number of the certificates of distinction by Japanese and foreign governments, including an Imperial Award of Honours. As hobby, he loves to walk, take photographs and produce/act on musical stage performance, e.g. Our Blue Planet: Dawn over the Amazon, to encourage people especially youth to fight for social causes such as poverty reduction, human rights protection, environmental conservation and world peace without nuclear. 15082015