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## Annual Report 2012

By the Headquarters of EASE (National Changhua University of Education, Taiwan)

May 2013

### 1. EASE Executive Board Members

#### ➤ Officers

Position	Name	Affiliation
President	Chi-Jui Lien	National Taipei University of Education
Vice-President	May Hung May Cheng	Hong Kong Institute of Education
Vice President	Youngmin Kim	Pusan National University
Secretary	Bang-ping Ding	Capital Normal University
Treasurer	Manabu Sumida	Ehime University

#### ➤ Executive members

Region	Name	Affiliation
China Mainland	Enshan LIU	Beijing Normal University
	Bang-ping DING	Capital Normal University
	Lei WANG	Beijing Normal University
	Weiping HU	Shaanxi Normal University
Hong Kong	May Hung May CHENG	Hong Kong Institute of Education
	Alice Siu Ling WONG	The University of Hong Kong
	Winnie Wing Mui So	Hong Kong Institute of Education
	Yau Yuen YEUNG	Hong Kong Institute of Education
Japan	Hisashi OTSUJI	Ibaraki University
	Manabu SUMIDA	Ehime University
	Hiroki FUJII	Okayama University
Korea	Heui Baek KIM	Seoul National University
	Youngmin KIM	Pusan National University
	Chan-Jong KIM	Seoul National University
	Shinho JANG	Seoul National University of Education
Taiwan	Chen-Yung LIN	National Taiwan Normal University

	Chi-Jui LIEN	National Taipei University of Education
	Hsiao-Lin TUAN	National Changhua University of Education
	Sheau-Wen LIN	National Pingtung University of Education

- Headquarters: @ National Changhua University of Education, Taiwan
- Members:

Position	Name	Affiliation
Executive Director	Meichun Lydia Wen	National Changhua University of Education
Chief Editor of E-Newsletter	Sung-Tao Lee	National Taichung University of Education
Executive Secretary	Silvia Wen-Yu Lee	National Changhua University of Education
Executive Secretary	Shu-Fen Lin	National Changhua University of Education

## 2. Membership (2012)

- 60 new membership paid during this period
- Total 445 members

Australia	11	Thailand	42	Singapore	17
China Mainland	30	Malaysia	12	Taiwan	77
Hong Kong	29	Philippines	19	UK	6
Japan	67	Korea	98	USA	37
Indonesia, Netherland, Greece, Iran, Laos, Sweden					10

## 3. Finance

- In Feb 2012, the headquarters was transferred from Korea region to Taiwan region including 347,337 NTD (ca. 11,645 USD, New Taiwan Dollar: the exchange rates are 29.9 NTD/US\$ (Dec. 2011), 29.4 (Feb 2012), and is 30.1, June 26, 2013)

Income	Transferred from Korea headquarters	347,337 NTD
	NARIKA banner advertisement	29,755 NTD
	Gastec banner advertisement	29,495 NTD
	Membership	9,535 NTD
	Donation	30,000 NTD
Payment	Webhosting	3,871 NTD
	Website maintenance	11,766 NTD
	Postage	260 NTD
	Printing of flyers and posters	1,600 NTD

Year 2012 NET: 428,625 NTD (14,200 USD)

#### 4. EASE Summer School ( Aug 19- 25, 2012)

5. The 2nd EASE summer workshop was organized and held in Beijing Normal University, China.
6. The EASE President Chi-jui Lien and Vice President Youngmin Kim attended serial activities.
7. There were 26 Ph.D. students, 5 coaches and 10 professors from five east-Asian regions participating in this activity, with the purpose of sharing researches of science education and strengthening the collaboration in various fields of science education across these five regions.
8. Activities included lectures, group discussion (from each dissertation presentation and collaborative proposal in a group), and proposal presentations.
9. You can find more information here; <http://new.theease.org/workshop.php>

#### Participants

School Dean: Enshan Liu (China Mainland)

Program Director: Lie Wang (China Mainland)

Program Coordinator: Jian Wang (China Mainland)

**Senior speakers:** Tao Xin(China Mainland), Alice Wong (Hong Kong), Kinya Shimizu (Japan), Hae-Ae Seo (Korea), Hsiao-Lin Tuan, Chi-Chin Chin, Chi-jui Lien and Yu-ling Lu (Taiwan)

**Coaches:** Jian Wang (China Mainland), Maurice Cheng (Hong Kong), Shinichiro Takamatsu (Japan), Hunkoog Jho (Korea), Sungtao Lee (Taiwan)

#### Students:

**China Mainland:** Hong Yang, Mingchun Huang, Wenyuan Yang, Xin Wei, Yaqong He

**Hong Kong:** Yu Chen, Qun Xie, Yuen Wah Vivian Man, Kam Ho Kennedy Chan, Guanzhong Ma

**Japan:** April Daphne Hiwatig, Gerald Tembrevilla, Kazumasa Takahashi, Taro Kawahara, Miku Yoshida

**Korea:** Eun Ji Park, Jaesook Lee, Hyunok Lee, Heejung Min, Jisun Park, Jiae Lee, Yoonsook Chung,

**Taiwan:** Yueh-Yun Chen, Yun-Ping Ge, An-Chi Yeh, Chung-Chieh Yu

#### 10.EASE website (<http://theease.org>) maintenance and banner advertisement

- In the year of 2012, the headquaters has frequently updated information on the EASE website. For example, we updated information about the EASE officers and executive board members in the “People and Group” to reflect the change-over of the headquaters. We also provided the details of the latest EASE conference and summer workshop information on the EASE website. Previous conferences and workshops information are archived and also available through website links. In 2012, the headquaters released four newsletters and they accumulated a total of

2700 hits. Our headquarters announcements and regional announcements in 2012 were also reviewed 17, 000 times by website audience.

- 11,766 NTD (New Taiwan Dollar) was paid for Churow Park for maintenance of EASE website in 2012/10/12
- 3,871 NTD (New Taiwan Dollar) was paid for Yahoo webhosting service in 2012/12/26
- We received 1,000 USD for banner advertisement from GASTEC and 1000 USD from NARIKA for the period of 2011/5/1-2012/4/30
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## 11. E-newsletter in 2012

- Sung-Tao Lee is the chief editor of editing E-newsletter for publication
- In April 2012, we applied for ISSN 2227-751X for the E-newsletter; key title: The Newsletter of the East-Asian Association for Science Education; abbreviated key title: Newsl. East-Asian Assoc. Sci. Educ.
- Four issues of E-newsletter were published in 2011 and 4 issues in 2012
- Each issue of 2012 was published in each region as special version
- Regional chief editor of E-newsletter:

Issue	Regional chief editor	Regions
March 2012	Prof. Shiho Miyake	Japan
June 2012	Prof. Sungtao Lee	Taiwan
September 2012	Prof. Wing Mui Winnie So	Hong Kong
December 2012	Prof. Wang Jang	China Mainland

## 12. Others

- **EASE collaboration** with other associations: Link to ASET and ESERA for collaboration
  - “Guideline for strengthening the cooperation between science education societies of all regions and EASE to co-organize academic activities” was approved by Executive Members in 2012/9/26
  - The “2013 ASET Annual International Conference” is recognized by EASE.
  - The ESERA 2013 Organizing Committee invites the EASE to have an EASE Symposium in the ESERA 2013 Conference.
- **Banner advertisement** for fund raising of EASE (GASTEC-Japan, Narika Corporation-Japan)
- **Venue of the EASE 2013 conference:** Hong Kong (Date: 4-6 July, 2013) <http://ses.web.ied.edu.hk/ease2013/index.html>
- **Venue of the EASE 2015 conference:** Beijing, China Mainland (Approved by the Executive Members, May 16, 2013. Date of the EASE 2015 to be announced later.)
- **Venue of the next EASE Winter School:** Ewha Women’s University, Korea, Jan 13-18, 2014