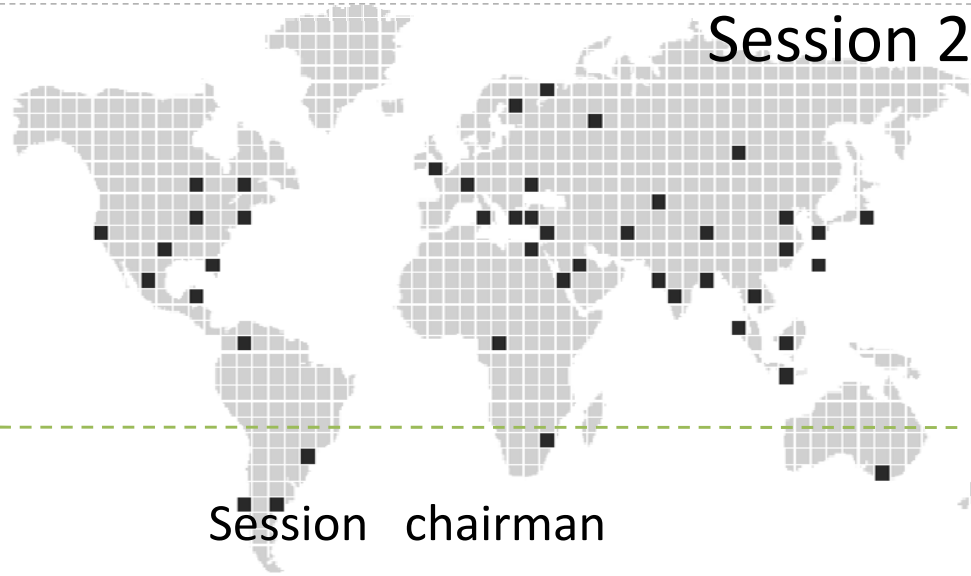


# First Annual Meeting of LoCARNet

Session 2-1 on 16 October, 2012 at Bangkok.

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## Low carbon city



Session chairman

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### Speakers

1. Prof Mahmohan Kapshe (Head of Department School of Planning Bhopal, India)
2. Mr Masanori Shoji (Director of Futurecity promotion, Yokohama City Government)
3. Prof Ranjith Perera ( Sultan Qaboos University, Oman/ AIT Thailand)
4. Mr Kotaro Kawamata ( Director, International Cooperation Office, MOEJ Japan)

# Discussion Points

- 1. Session theme:
  - **Importance** to realize low-carbon city development in Asia ( WHY)
  - **Implications** towards low-carbon development policy in Asia ( WHAT)
  - **Common theme** is throughout the region
- 2. Major findings:
  - **State-of-the arts** in this research field (WHAT)
  - **Methodologies** for promoting research/ policy ( HOW)
  - **Major barriers** in research /applying research to policy
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- 3. Research challenge:
  - **Frontiers that research community** should tackle now to thrust policy
  - **Key data/research** to apply research to real low-carbon policy
  - **How can research community** can collaborate to take further steps?
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- 4. Collaboration:
  - What **kinds of collaboration** are needed to “make it happen”?