

# Needs for Regional Collaborations: How to Establish an Asia League

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#### **Low-carbon society scenario research:** Roadmaps toward a sustainable low-carbon society Most Roadmap for developed countries Development dependent on traditional energy sources Developed countries need to Continued dependence on traditional energy sources make rapid progress on reducing is likely to lead not just to environmental destruction greenhouse-gas emissions but also to moving along the route toward economic decline due to depletion of energy resources of Asian Greenhouse-gas emissions per capita nvironmental country Leapfrogging development Low-carbon society

#### Roadmap for developing countries

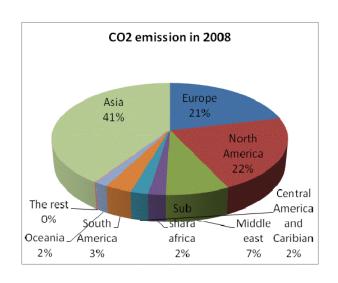
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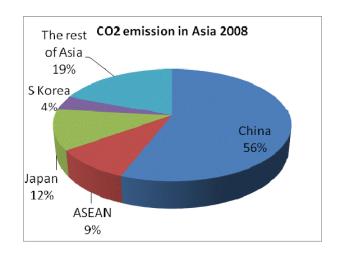
At this point in time, developing countries can avoid the rapid increases in emissions experienced by developed countries by developing roadmaps based on direct use of low-carbon technologies and social infrastructure development suited to such use, instead of adopting traditional technologies

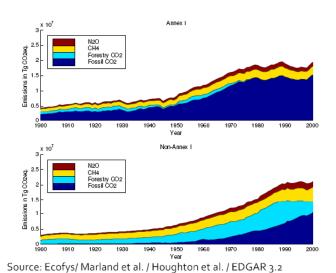
Fig. 2 Source: National Institute for Environmental Studies, Low-carbon society scenarios in Asia

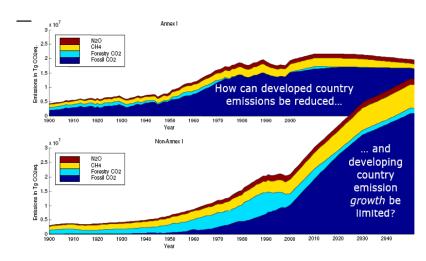
#### **Understanding Asia**

#### Importance of Asian emission and reduction

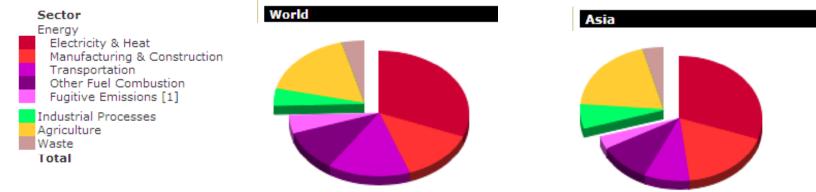






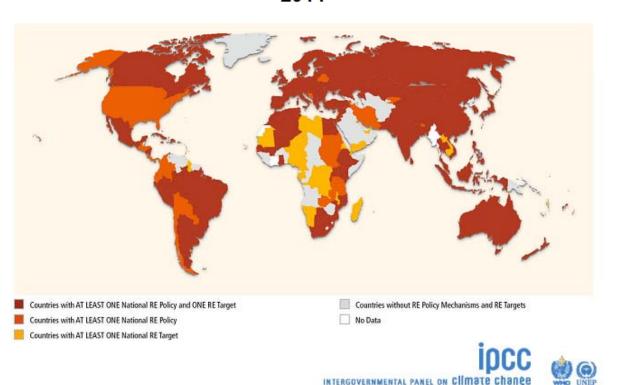


Source: Ecofys/ IPCC SRES A1B scenario



WRI 2007

### RE-specific policies and RE targets 2011

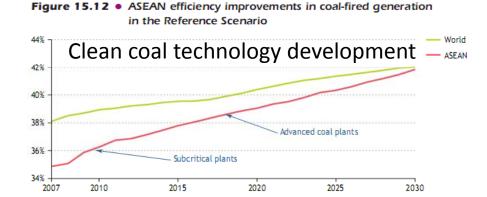


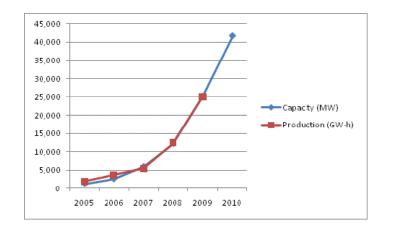
## Understanding Asia: Mitigation capacity in 2030 and beyond

- Renewable energy
  - Solar
  - Wind
  - Biomass
  - Biofuel
- Energy Efficiency
  - Building and residential



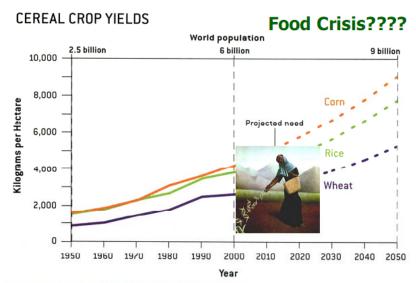
Promotion of Wind Energy in China





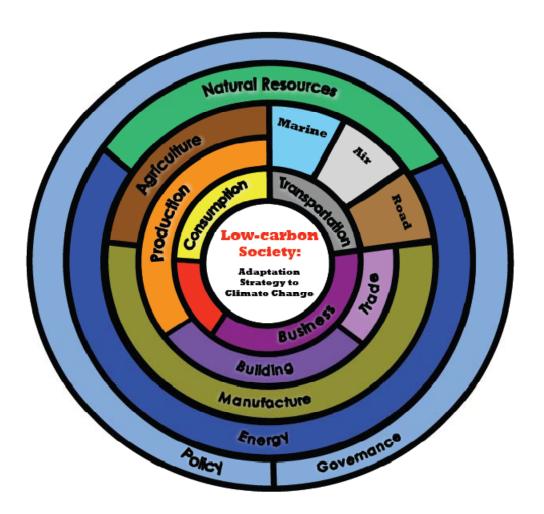
## **Understanding Asia**

- Importance of Asia to the world
  - Energy sources
  - Food security
  - Population constraint
  - GDP growth



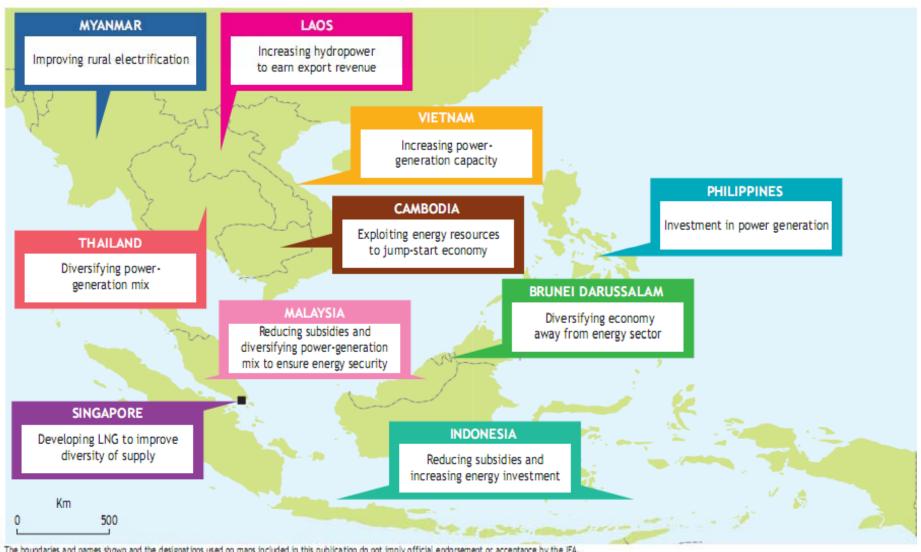
Source: Stephen A. Goff and John M. Salmeron, 2004.

### Low carbon society wheel



Different circumstances, different size and components of wheel

#### Key Energy Challenges in ASEAN

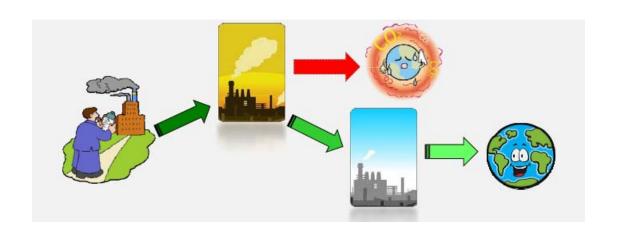


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Source: WEO 2009

## LCS: ASIA league

- Look at uniqueness: Technology and Society
- Share experiences
- Learn from each other
- Linkage from the bottom
  - Practice level
  - Local level
  - National level
  - Region level

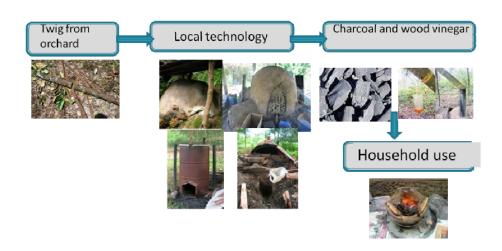


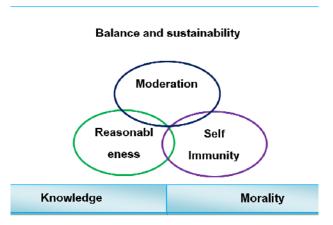
## Look at uniqueness: Technologies

- Wind farm in China
- Solar park and biogas in India
- Green building in Singapore
- Biodiesel in Malaysia
- Bioethanol in Thailand
- Peatland conservation in Indonesia
- Integrated farmland in Philippines

## Look at uniqueness: Society

- Local wisdom to paradigm shift
  - Sufficiency carbon economy
  - Coexistence with nature



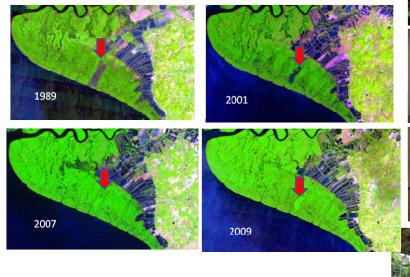




#### From practices to low carbon society Reforestation Energy Efficiency and Zero Waste Demonstration

#### Chumporn Carbana resort

#### Ban Pred Nai village











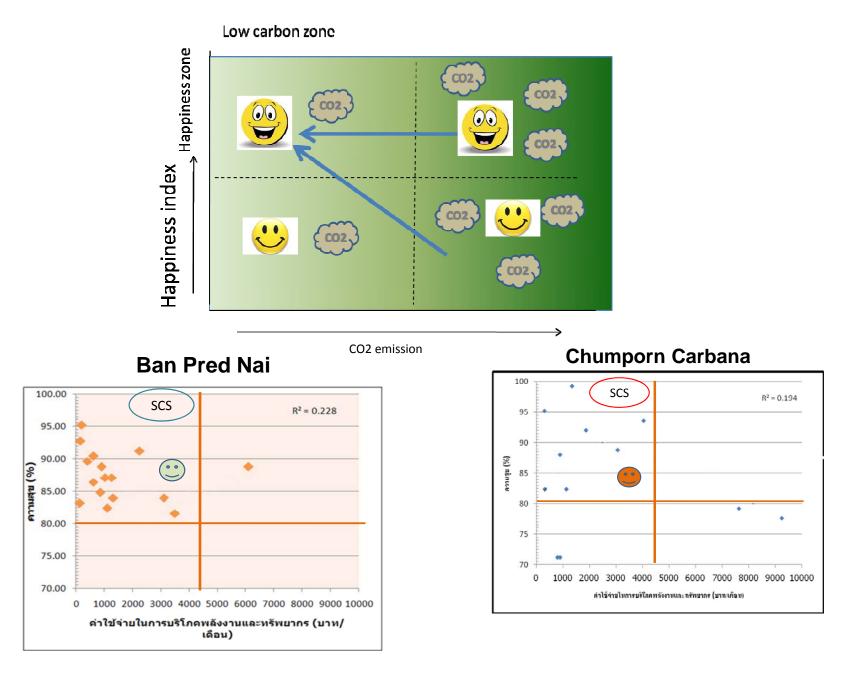
Waste water treatment





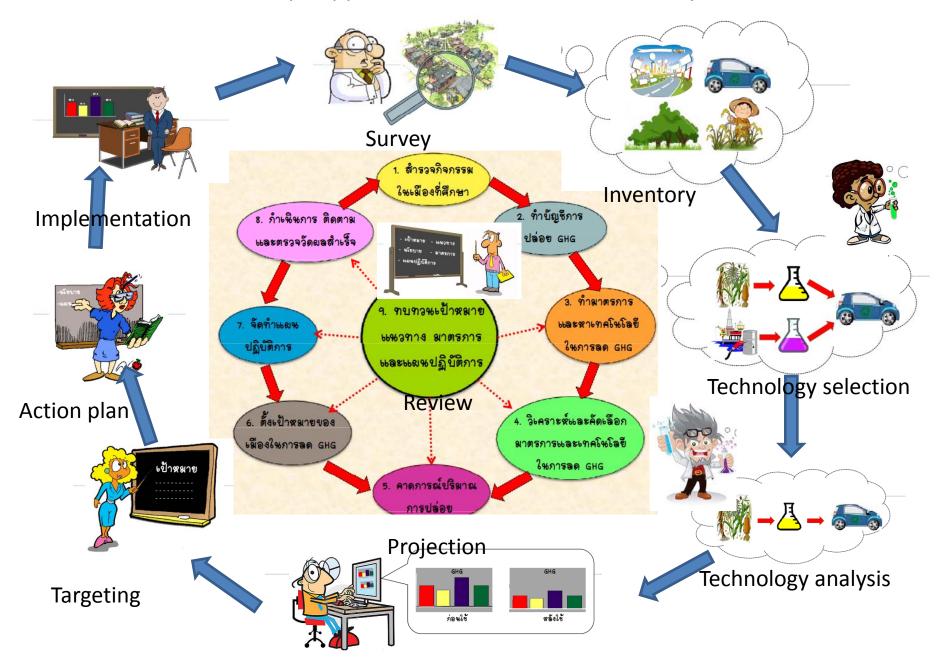
**Energy Recovery** 

**Employee production** 

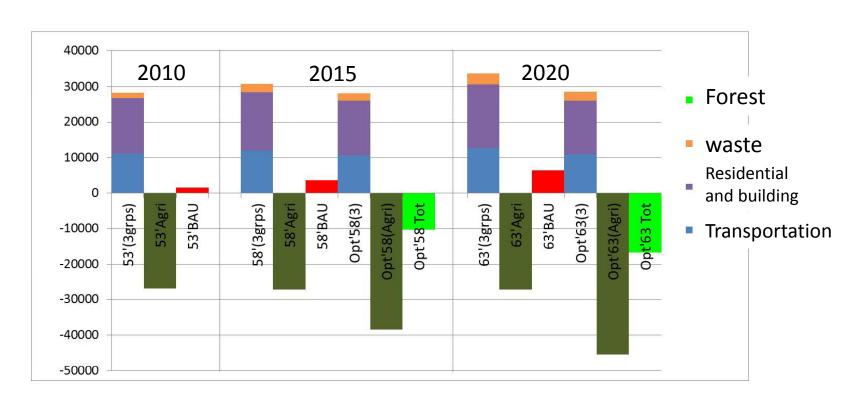


Sufficiency Carbon Society: SCS

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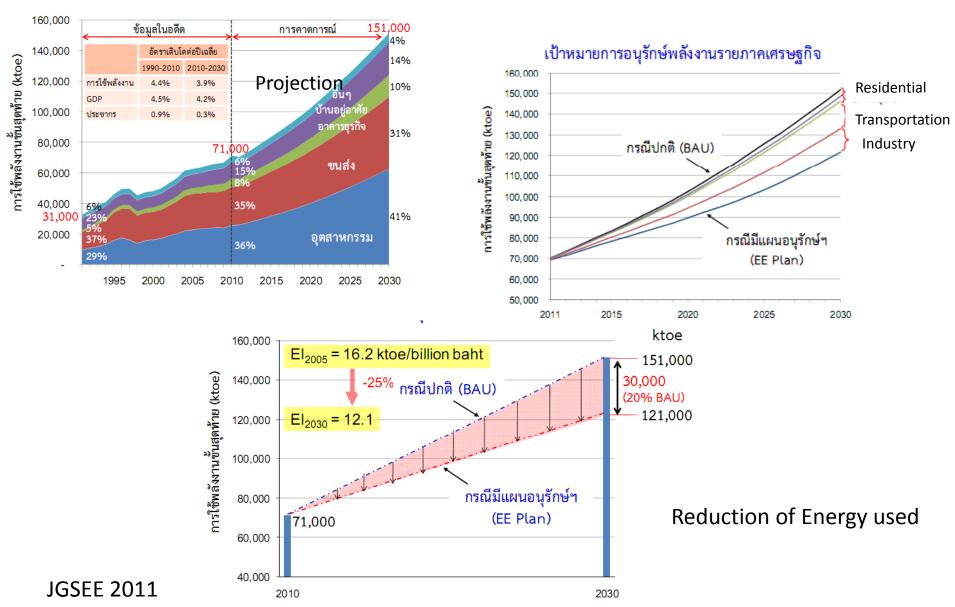


Klang Municipality Rayong Province

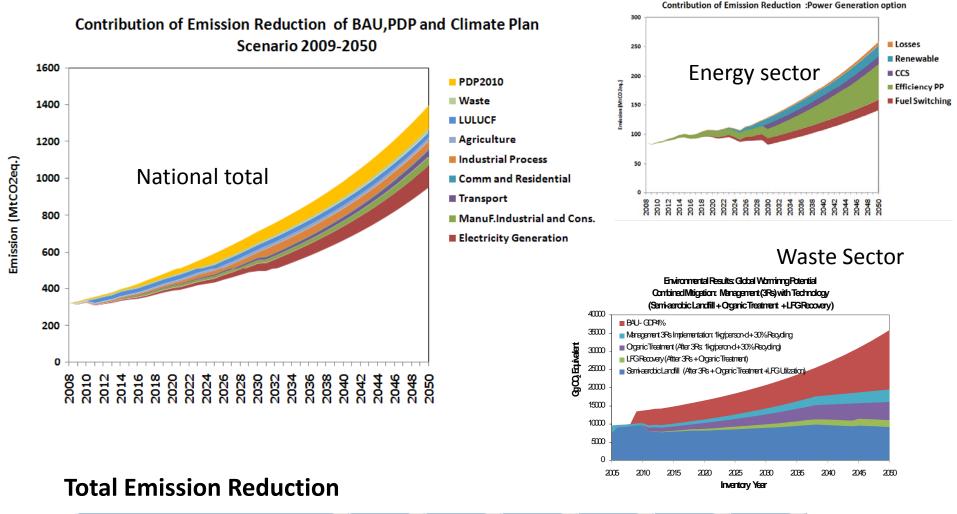
#### **Target**

Reduce CO2 5% in the next 5 years and 10 % in the next 10 year Become zero emission (net sink) in the next 5 year

## From research to national policy 20 years energy efficiency national plan



#### From research to policy: Mitigation scenario

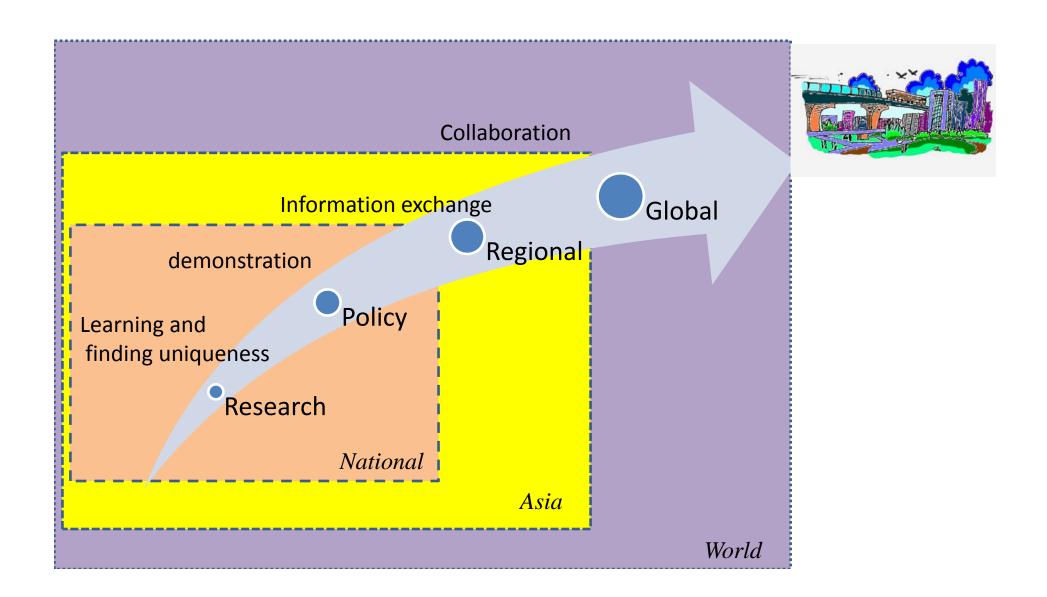


	2008	2010	2020	2030	2040	2050
Emission Reduction (MtCO2)	0.0	18.6	107.3	218.1	316.5	442.9
Emission Reduction (%)	0.0	5.4	21.5	30.5	32.1	31.7

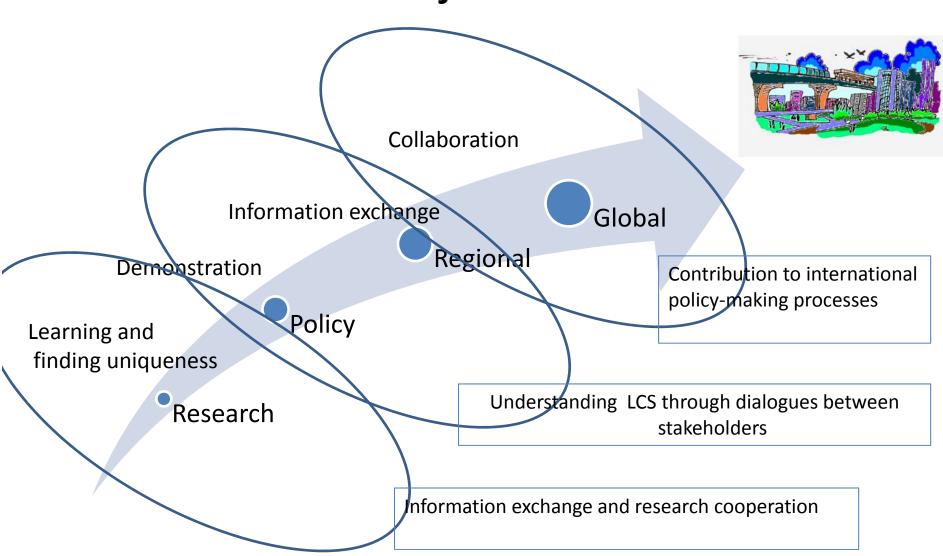
## Objectives of LCS-RNet

- Promotion of information exchange and research cooperation that cover various issues relating to lowcarbon societies,
- Promotion of understanding about LCS through dialogues between researchers and various stakeholders including policy-makers, businesses, citizens and others to share national and sub-national visions on low-carbon societies, and
- Contribution to international policy-making processes on climate change including G8 process by providing research outcomes and recommendations.

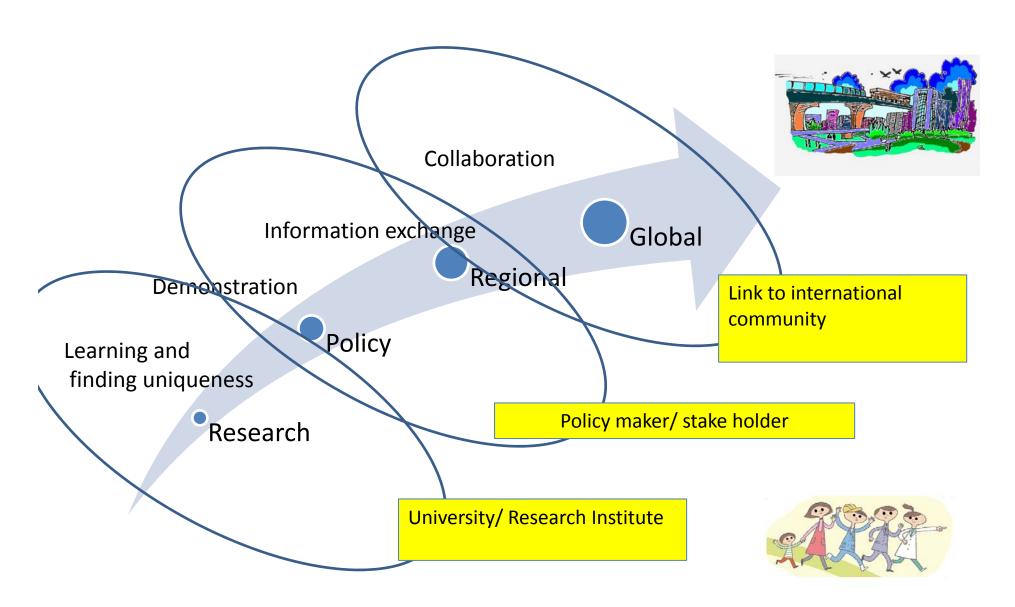
## LCS: Asia League



# Asia league Answer to the LCS rnet objective

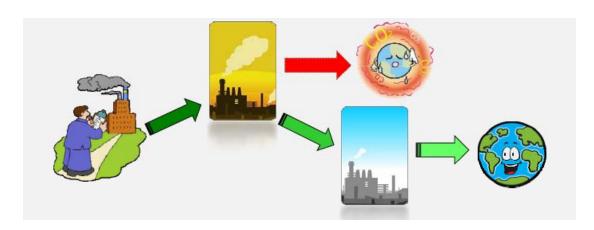


## Asia league: Network forming



## **ASIA** League

- Low carbon
- Exchange information
- Alliance
- Good practice
- Uniqueness
- Experience sharing







- Thank you very much
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