

Session Title: **GEOPARK and GEOPARK EDUCATION**

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Description of Session: A Geopark is a natural area where geological and geomorphological heritage is gathered together, creating a rare, aesthetic, scientific and economic value in a geographical area that includes natural and cultural conservation. Geoparks are seen as the new trend of the 21st century as a new source of value in the development of nature conservation and environmental awareness and sustainable development. Geopark, geotourism and geopark education take an important place in world conservation literature. In this session, the relations between geography and other disciplines in geopark and geotourism projects and education, the situation and future of today's geoparks, what should be in planning and how to take place in geography curriculum will be covered. The results of this session will be reported and shared with the relevant institutions and organizations.

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