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■ #WorldLakeDay & #WLC20 Instagram Hashtag Campaign -Share Your Post for a chance to Be Featured at the 20th World Lake Conference in Australia!

This campaign is aimed at young people interested in lake conservation and water environment issues, with the goals of raising awareness about the establishment of World Lake Day and encouraging participation in the 20th World Lake Conference (WLC20). Through social media, the project seeks to increase awareness of lake conservation efforts and inspire more young people to get involved.

The details of this campaign are available on the ILEC website: https://www.ilec.or.jp/en/news/15897

Special Edition Newsletter on SLM Week is now available!

We are pleased to announce the publication of a special edition of our newsletter titled "SLM Week -Promoting SLM: Co-Creating a Better Future," held from September 25 to 28, 2024. The newsletter is now available on our official website: https://www.ilec.or.jp/wp-content/uploads/E-Special-Issue-SLM-Week.pdf

This issue highlights workshops, field trips, and the live-streamed forum for youth from Japan, Mexico, Australia, the Philippines, Hungary, and Uganda. It also features action plans for youth activities and a

hashtag campaign leading up to the 20th World Lake Conference (WLC20) to be held in Brisbane, Australia, in July 2025. We invite you to take a look!

■ JICA Training Program in FY2024: Participants from 4 Countries Visit Japan

ILEC conducts an annual training course on "Integrated Lake, River, and Coastal Basin Management for Sustainable Use and Preservation of Water Resources." commissioned by the Japan International Cooperation Agency (JICA). This fiscal year, four participants from four countries involved in river, lake, and coastal watershed management will visit Japan. Before their visit, the participants will undergo a three-week online training (Stage 1) to prepare for the onsite program (Stage 2). During the five-week onsite training, participants will be lectured by specialists invited from various universities and companies at ILEC's office in Kusatsu, and will also visit relevant facilities.

The details of the program are available on the ILEC website: https://www.ilec.or.jp/en/activities/resource/15728

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We are currently running a special support campaign to help young people and those from developing countries participate in the 20th World Lake Conference. Your support will provide opportunities for many individuals to participate and contribute to the future of lakes. We sincerely appreciate your support.

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