The 7th World Water Forum

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## When and Where

- **When**: April 12~17, 2015
- **Where**: Daegu EXCO and Gyeongju HICO

**Opening Ceremony** : in the afternoon of April 12  
- EXPO opening ceremony and an official dinner will follow the opening ceremony

**Closing Ceremony** : April 17

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Invitations

Heads of States
- Signed by President Park Geun-hye

Ministers
- Signed by the Minister of the MOFA, MOLIT, and ME

Parliamentarians
- Invitations will be sent by October, co-signed by Mr. Jung-moo Lee and Mr. Benedito Braga

Local Authorities
- Invitations will be sent, co-signed by the mayor of Daegu, and the governor of Gyeongbuk

Other VIPs
- The Secretariat will send invitations
## Processes of the 7th World Water Forum

### Political Process

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**Expo & Fair**

- **When**: April 12~17, 2015
- **Where**: Daegu EXCO 1F, 3F Exhibition (18,287m², 900 booths)

**Participation**
- Early Bird: ~ November 30, 2014 (15% discount for Booths)
- Regular Application: ~ February 28, 2015
- How to sign up: Visit our website! ([http://worldwaterforum7.org](http://worldwaterforum7.org))

**Side Events**

- **Diversified Programs**: Presentation, Seminar, Conference, Workshop, Debate etc.

*There is no fixed form of the side events*
Citizen’s Forum & Cultural Events

Citizen’s Forum

WHO
- CSOs (Civil Society Organizations), Non-profit organizations, Research institutes, Civil society’s major groups

HOW
- Proposals will be screened and funded by the World Water Forum

WHY
- To raise awareness about challenges and seek solutions together

Cultural Events

WHAT
- Various cultural events including Korean Wave Concert, regional festivals, photo exhibitions, etc.

WHERE
- Daegu & Gyeongbuk
We are here

Registration

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- Completion of Working Groups (around Sep.)
- Draft of the Forum program (~ Nov.)

EXPO & FAIR

- Early Bird Registration (Jul. ~ Nov.)
- Booth allocation (Dec.~)

Citizen’s Forum

- Call for Proposals (Jul. ~ Sep.)
- Selection of Programs (~ Dec.)

Side Events

- Application (Aug. ~ Nov.)
- Selection of Programs

Next Steps

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Thank you.

See you next year!

7th Forum Secretariat