



# ECCK Energy and Environment Seminar

## Climate Change: Global Leadership and Industry Impact

Tuesday, December 3, 2019, 15:00

Beijing Room (3F), Seoul Square (416 Hangang-daero Jung-gu)

### Event Outline

The European Chamber of Commerce in Korea would like to invite you to attend the ECCK Energy and Environment Seminar – Climate Change: Global Leadership and Industry Impact – scheduled for Tuesday, December 3, 2019 taking place at Seoul Square. At the seminar, Dr. Young Sook Yoo, the Co-President of the Climate Change Center, will share many domestic and international activities related to the issues of climate change that she had been engaged in and responsible for implementing as the Minister of Environment. Also, Dr. Sungwoo Kim will deal with the short-term plan by sector and general long-term plan suggested by National Council on Climate Change and Air Quality (NCCA) as well as the implication to industry.

### Event Details

**Title:** ECCK Energy and Environment Seminar – Climate Change and Fine Dust

**Date:** Tuesday, December 3, 2019

**Time:** 15:00 – 17:00 (Registration starts from 14:45)

**Venue:** Beijing Room (3F), [Seoul Square](#) (416 Hangang-daero Jung-gu)

**Admission Fee:** Free-of-charge

#### Agenda:

14:45 – 15:00 Registration

15:00 – 15:50 Presentation I by Dr. Young Sook Yoo, the Co-President of the Climate Change Center  
'Climate Change and Global Leadership' and Q&A (*Subject to Changeable*)

15:50 – 16:00 Short Break

16:00 – 16:50 Presentation II by Dr. Sungwoo Kim, Head of Environment & Energy Research Institute in KIM&CHANG  
'Air Pollution (Fine Dust) and the Impact on Industry' and Q&A (*Subject to Changeable*)

### Event Notes

- Kindly inform us of your attendance and cancellation by **November 29** through **RSVP Link**.
- Please understand this seminar is limited to the ECCK members only.
- If you have any inquiry for the event, please contact Ms. Taeyang Kim ([taeyang.kim@ecck.eu](mailto:taeyang.kim@ecck.eu) / +82-2-6261-2718)

## Speaker Profile



**Dr. Young Sook Yoo**

Principal Research Scientist,  
Korea Institute of Science  
& Technology (KIST)

Dr. Yoo is Co-President and Heads the policy committee of the Climate Change Center. The Climate Change Center is a Non-Government Organization. The Center was founded 11 years ago by former Prime Minister, Mr. Ko, Geun. The Center has been engaged in policy-oriented activities, not political.

She has joined the Center since 2014, after working at the Environment Ministry of the Republic of Korea. She served as Minister of Environment from May 2011 to March 2013. At the time when she served as a Cabinet Member, the Korean government's national vision was Low Carbon Green Growth. Low Carbon Green Growth policy was set up to respond to two main reasons. That was the energy crisis and climate change.

Her specialties and academic background is life science, Biochemistry. She received her bachelor's and master's degrees in Chemistry at the Ewha Womans University. Then she went to the USA to study abroad. She received her Ph.D. in Biochemistry from Oregon State Univ., and trained as post-doctoral fellow at the Stanford Univ. Medical School. Since returning to Korea in 1990 until now, she has been a Principal Research Scientist at Korea Institute of Science and Technology (KIST) for about 30 years.



**Mr. Sungwoo Kim**

Head of Energy and  
Environment Research  
Institute, KIM & CHANG

Sungwoo Kim has a master in Civil & Environmental Engineering from Duke University in US, and PhD in Business Administration from Seoul School of Integrated Science and Technology(aSSIST) in Korea.

For last 25 years, he developed his career in business development and investment at POSCO(World Top 5 Steel Maker) as an energy investment manager and KPMG as a regional head of Climate Change and Sustainability of KPMG Asia Pacific to lead 12 countries and direct projects of investment/strategy/policy such as regulation framework, compliance strategy, investment advisory, corporate strategy, and social responsibility consulting, and now he leads environment & energy research center at Kim & Chang(the biggest law firm in Korea) as well as an adjunct professor of Korea University in Earth & Environmental Sciences. Also, based on the comprehensive experience from engineering to financing as well as from theory to execution in this field, he was a focal member of advisory board of Asia Clean Energy Fund, a member of external advisory group for World Bank, a member of Private Sector Advisory Committee of GGGI, a vice chairman of Korea · Mongolia Economics & Business Association, an external technical expert for GCF, a member of expert committee for the President of KOICA, and a Board member of International Emission Trading Association(IETA).

Now, he is a Board Member of Yido(O&M Investment Platform) as well as a senior advisor for the Korean Governments and corporates. With frequent publications, media exposure, speech & panel at major global conferences such as B4E(Business for Environment), Carbon Expo(Innovate 4 Climate), Carbon Finance, Asia Clean Energy Forum as a prominent Asian speaker, he teaches in executive MBA in many renowned universities to always reinforce the relationships with the decision makers from private sector.