

CLIVAR Open Science Conference
“Charting the course for climate and ocean research”

18-25 September 2016
 Qingdao, China



REGISTRATION OPEN !



Early Bird deadline: 15 June

On behalf of the Scientific Organising Committee of the **CLIVAR Open Science Conference “Charting the course for climate and ocean research”** we would like to encourage all ocean and climate researchers to attend the OSC and to register before the Early Bird deadline of June 15.

We have a very exciting programme with community leaders and promising young scientists speaking in the morning plenary sessions and 12 parallel sessions each afternoon covering diverse aspects of CLIVAR science. There is ample time for poster viewing in the mornings and afternoons before the closing keynote speech. See www.clivar2016.org for the detailed programme. In the evenings there will be a series of town hall meetings to discuss new directions for ocean and climate research, observational and modelling opportunities.

The first day of the conference will take us to the brand new Qingdao National Laboratory for Marine Science and Technology (QNLN), future home to hundreds of scientists and engineers from China and elsewhere. Subsequent days will be at the 5-star Qingdao Hyatt Regency located on the famous Shilaoren beach –one of the longest and most beautiful on the China coast. The weather in September is usually warm and sunny and the sea inviting for a swim.

Getting to and from Qingdao is easy – there are many connecting flights from Beijing, Shanghai and Seoul and 2 direct flights from Germany each week.

So do not hesitate! Visit the www.clivar2016.org and the <http://www.conftool.pro/clivar2016> websites. If you have questions or comments, please contact the conference organisers via info@clivar2016.org.

The CLIVAR OSC Scientific Organising Committee looks forward to seeing you in Qingdao in September at what is expected to be a very important event for the future of climate and ocean



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