

SEVENTH REGIONAL 3R FORUM IN ASIA AND THE PACIFIC

Discussion Points of Plenary Session-7

1. What are the key beneficial aspects of the green chemistry in 3Rs – socially, economically and environmentally?
2. To what extent are the current policy and regulatory frameworks at national and local government level supportive to green chemistry in addressing the toxic chemicals and wastes?
3. Is green chemistry a sustainable urban business opportunity? If so, how are Asia-Pacific cities advancing the green chemistry in their policy and development agenda?
4. What are the international opportunities (collaborative research, financing, knowledge and technology transfer, clearing house mechanisms, etc.) available in the areas of green chemistry?
5. What important lessons the Swedish experience offer us in the areas of green chemistry?
6. How should the Regional 3R Forum in Asia-Pacific address these emerging technologies such as green chemistry and nano-technology, etc., in advancing 3R and resource efficiency in the region?