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**8 Global Conference on
Gender in Aquaculture & Fisheries
SHAPING THE FUTURE**

Gender Justice for Sustainable Aquaculture and Fisheries
21-23 November 2022

GAF8
Kochi, India



IMA House

Behind Jawaharlal Nehru
International Stadium,
Kathrikadavu, Palarivattom, Kochi,
Kerala 682025

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Aquaculture & Fisheries Section of the
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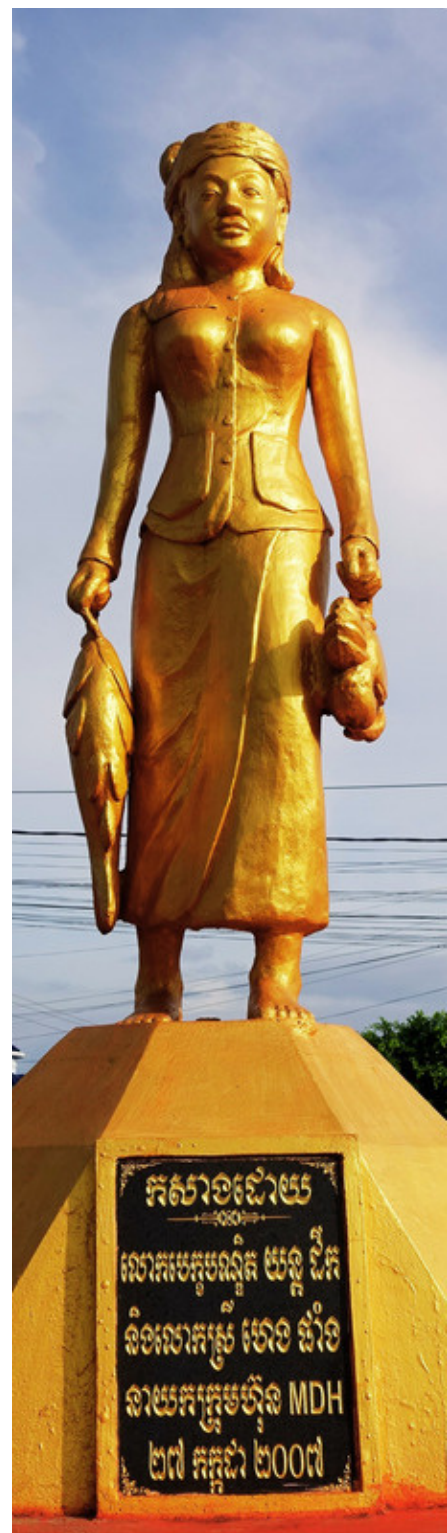
The journey to the Gender in Aquaculture & Fisheries Section of the Asian Fisheries Society has been a slow and steady one spanning two and a half decades. We have highlighted gender issues in the sector by organising global conferences and until GAF6, we partnered with the Asian Fisheries Society's Triennial Forum as a side event. GAF7 was our first independent conference, organised at Thailand. GAF8 is our second independent event, the 8th in the formal series of Conferences.

Through this long journey we have been able to bring to the fore issues and discuss potential solutions, gained new insights and built networks of like-minded people from various parts of the globe working on similar lines and sharing common concerns.

While problems still persist, there has also been some light, with increased awareness on why we should be looking at aquaculture and fisheries through the gendered lens. We have also facilitated information and knowledge sharing through our conferences, publications, website* and social media. The path to gender equality and justice stretches as we continue to address issues, share success stories and experiences through the triennial GAF Conferences. The eight in the series, GAF8, will be held at Kochi, Kerala, India with the theme *Shaping the Future: Gender Justice for Sustainable Aquaculture & Fisheries*.

GAF8 participants will be able to share experiences, exchange ideas, engage and learn.

* Read more on Genderaquafish.org



Session Themes

- Women's voice and agency: Individual collectives, associations, platforms, institutions
- Women's work in aquaculture and fisheries: Human rights, labour rights, occupational safety and health, exploitation, conflict
- Pandemics, disasters and shocks: Impacts on livelihood, occupations, habitat, resources, life
- Gender justice & institutional roles: Policy regime, roles of civil society, academia and other formal and informal institutions at local, national and global levels
- Understanding women's rights: Tenure, resources, institutions, inputs, foods, nutrition
- Women achievers: Success stories of women entrepreneurs in aquaculture and fisheries

There will also be a number of Special Sessions also by partnering organizations/projects



Two Special Events are being hosted along with GAF8

Delegates have to register separately for these 2 Special Events

- ➔ Interventions for Control of AMR: Harnessing One Health Knowledge
- ➔ Small-scale Fisheries: Its Global and Regional Significance

Registration

The organisers have made every effort to keep participant costs reasonable and fair

| | Registration before 15 October 2022 | Registration after 15 October 2022 |
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| Indian Delegates (GAFS Members) | 6000 INR | 8000 INR |
| Indian Delegates (Non-members) | 8000 INR | 10000 INR |
| Students (India) | 4000 INR | 5000 INR |
| Observer/ Spouse (India) | 4000 INR | 4000 INR |
| International Delegates (GAFS Members) | USD 200 (16000 INR) | USD 250 (20000 INR) |
| International Delegates (Non-members) | USD 300 (24000 INR) | USD 350 (28000 INR) |
| Students (International) | USD 150 (12000 INR) | USD 200 (16000 INR) |
| Virtual Participation (International only) | USD 100 (8000 INR) | USD 100 (8000 INR) |
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