JRRN annual report 2016-2017 (From Apr. 2016 to Mar. 2017)



JRRN: Japan River Restoration Network

Website, Newsletter, News-mail

JRRN operates the website and facebook to enhance information sharing in Japan. JRRN website provides information on topics related to river restoration in Japan and in other countries, examples of restoration projects, events, books, useful resources etc. In addition, JRRN published "JRRN Newsletter" once per month, and distributed "JRRN News-mail" once a week. (vol. 117 Newsletter, No. 723 Newsmail as of Mar. 2017). In addition, JRRN operates website on the collaborative nature restoration along the river since March 2016 to enhance knowledge sharing on this field. This website includes "about collaborative nature restoration along the river", "How to step ahead", "Case examples" and "News & Events" etc.



Website: <u>http://www.a-rr.net/jp/</u> facebook: <u>https://www.facebook.com/JapanRRN</u>



JRRN's events

JRRN jointly held three field training & workshop and one symposium on collaborative nature restoration in Japan.

Those events were supported by the River Fund of The River Foundation , Japan.

Series field training & workshop on collaborative nature restoration

3rd field training & workshop at Kamisaigo River, Fukuoka Pref. (Aug. 2016)



- 4th field training & workshop at Muko River, Hyogo Pref. (Oct. 2016)



- 5th field training & workshop at Kanzaki River, Chiba Pref. (Dec. 2016)



 4th Symposium on collaborative nature restoration (Tokyo Univ., Sep. 2015)





Collaborative Activities

JRRN collaborated and supported regional river restoration activities to raise social interest in river and water, and to activate the activity in the river with public and private sectors.

 Supporting workshop on regional activation from water front in Higashi Sonogi Town



 Supporting regional field workshop on the Muko river restoration (October 2016, Hyogo JAPAN)



 Supporting traveling educational exhibition of river and water environment by Japan Water Exhibition Network "JAWANET"



Technical Exchange

JRRN took part in domestic and international symposium and conference on river restoration for further technical exchange with experts.

 Technical exchange and supporting site visit on river restoration with DSD, Hong Kong Government delegation (23-25 May 2016, Tokyo JAPAN)



 Participation in "13th ARRN's International Forum on Waterfront and Watershed Restoration" (August, 2016, Incheon KOREA)



 Technical exchange with China Institute of Water Resources and Hydropower Research (November 2016, Beijing CHINA)





Research

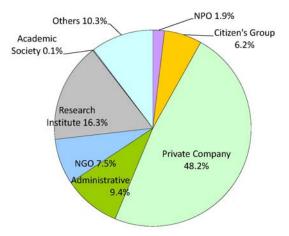
JRRN studied on collaborative nature restoration along river in Japan through partnership approach between river administration and Citizen's group, with experts and JRRN members. (Since 2014)

Publication

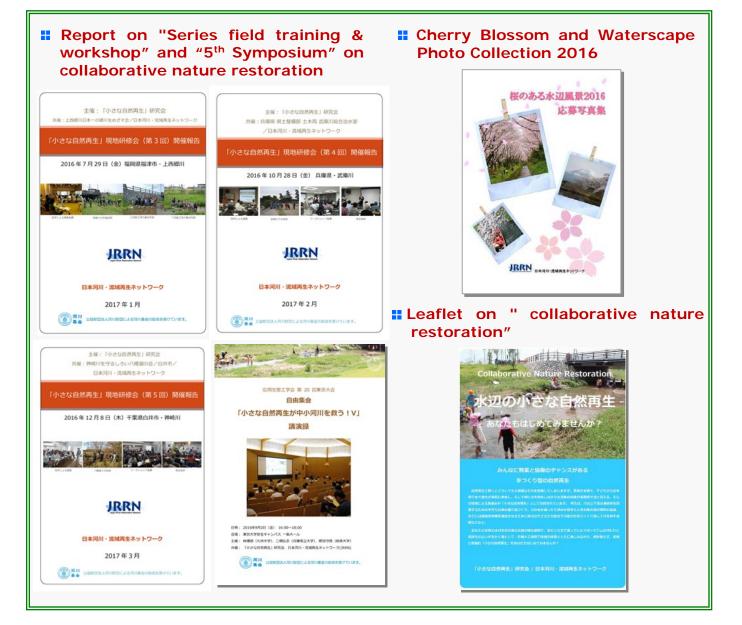
JRRN compiled the results of various activities in 2016-2017 as online publication, and promoted efforts to disseminate them through the JRRN website so that they will be widely utilized.

Membership

JRRN consists of about 754 personal and 60 organization members as of March 2016.



Sector breakdown of JRRN personal member



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