

Aspiring Arxan National Geopark

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Arxan Geopark is located in Arxan City, Xing'an League, Inner Mongolia Autonomous Region, People's Republic of China, the Asia-Pacific Region. Its geographic coordinate is between 46°39'~47°39'N and 119°28'~121°23'E, covering an area of 7408.7 km² with an average elevation of 1100 m. Arxan Geopark was accredited as a national geopark in 2004 for its unique geoheritage resources and scientific values. On the 2014 CGN Meeting for Global Geopark Candidate Recommendation, Arxan National Geopark successfully became one of two Chinese candidates to apply in 2016 for the membership of Global Geoparks Network. Sustainable development in the past years has laid a solid foundation for the geopark management, protection, tourism, as well as scientific popularization. For a better development of Arxan Geopark based on our current foundation and protection system, we are interesting to promoting its geoheritage to the world by becoming a member of the Global Geoparks Network.

Arxan is located on the middle section of hilly Daxing'anling Ranges, northeast Inner Mongolia, where boasts numerous volcanoes, thermal springs and other various geoheritages and unique geomorphologic landscapes. Arxan Geopark is an ideal place for geological investigation, cultural tour, expedition, and relaxation.