



Geological Value for Geopark in the Byeonsanbando National Park, Korea

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abstract: The purpose of this study is to explore geosites in the Byeonsanbando National Park and to investigate geological values. In this study, the geosites within the Byeonsanbando National Park are explored through literature search and fieldwork. The results suggest seventeen geosites in the Byeonsanbando National Park such as Gunghang, Mohang, Solseom Island, Jikso Falls, Ulgumbawi, Gulbawi, and Seongye Falls. In addition, there are other areas that have values in terms of geological and educational aspect, including Jokbyukgang, Chasukgang, and Bongwhabong. The results of study is considered to have practical uses such as geological fieldwork for students and geotourism for the public.

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