*Reviewer 1*

**Comment:** The text should be carefully checked and correction must be made accordingly. Lot of space is missing in between two words.

**Response:** The text has been carefully checked and the corrections have been done accordingly and highlighted. In the revised paper, there is no space missing in between two words.

**Comment:** The article should include the objectives, scope and methods for each cluster of rehabilitation work.

**Response:** Objectives, scope and methods for each cluster of rehabilitation work have been added in Table 1.

**Comment:** On the basis of experience, elaborate guideline should be provided for the future river rehabilitation work.

**Response:** Guideline for future rehabilitation work has been provided in Figure 3 along with its discussion based on experiences in different regions.

*Reviewer 2*

**Comment:** Please add statistical analysis based on different experience

**Response:** Statistical analyses have been presented by Figure 1, 2, 3 and Table 4 based on different experiences.

**Comment:** In a table show the similarities and differences for different experiences.

**Response:** The similarities and differences for different experiences have been shown in Table 3.

**Comment:** Please explain why those experiences have been selected justify your answer.

**Response:** The reasons of selecting the rehabilitation experiences have been discussed just before Table 3.

**Comment:** Please state clearly what is paper contribution.

**Response:** Paper contribution has been stated in the ‘Conclusion’ section

**Comment:** Explain the importance of the paper in the conclusion section.

**Response:** The ‘Conclusion’ section has been rewritten totally, which also contains the explanation of importance of the paper.