



# ASEAN-Korea

# Youth Network Workshop

## 5-Year Program Report



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# Message from the Secretary General

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It is my pleasure to share with you this comprehensive report on the ASEAN-Korea Youth Network Workshop, one of the flagship programs of the ASEAN-Korea Centre (AKC). This report covers the developments and milestones of the program for the last five years as well as its future directions.

The ASEAN-Korea Youth Network Workshop is a program initiated by the AKC in 2012 to raise the awareness of the ASEAN and ASEAN-Korea relations and create a venue where the youth can establish networks among one another. The Workshop targets university students, undergraduate and post-graduate included, from ASEAN Member States and Korea. It offers learning and enjoyable activities such as lectures and discussions, team-building activities, site visits, and cultural sharing activities. While participants reflect on their experiences and most pressing issues in ASEAN and the world today, they also share their insights on the way forward in the development of mutual understanding.

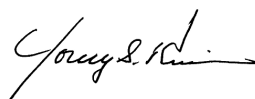
In the past 5 years, the ASEAN-Korea Youth Network Workshop has been held under the broad theme of environment. Among the timely issues surrounding ASEAN and Korea, environmental degradation has been the most pressing and difficult to put solution to. In fact, one of the areas of cooperation highlighted in the ASEAN-ROK Plan of Action to Implement the Joint Declaration on Strategic Partnership for Peace and Prosperity focuses on the environment. Therefore, the lecture topics, team-building activities as well as site visits are directed towards raising awareness of the ASEAN-Korea relations in the context of sustainable environmental protection and conservation.

Beyond its set objectives, the ASEAN-Korea Youth Network Workshop has successfully reached milestones during the last 5 years. ASEAN Engagement is one of its the main achievements. ASEAN Member States were visited, facilitating the introduction of their initiatives for the environment as well

as the culture. There was also an increased number of participants not only during the Workshop but in ad hoc online programs before and after the Workshop as well. The number of the participants, both offline and online, totaled to more than 500,000 in the last 5 years. Furthermore, the Workshop enabled the AKC to network with specialized organizations such as the Global Green Growth Institute (GGGI), National Council on Youth Organizations in Korea (NCYOK), ASEAN-ROK Forest Cooperation (AFoCo), ASEAN Studies Center at Chulalongkorn University, United Nations Economic and Social Commission for Asia and the Pacific: Subregional Office for East and North-East Asia (UNESCAP-ENE), and International Youth Centre, Kuala Lumpur. The Workshop activities have also been thoroughly developed and diversified to offer the participants in-depth knowledge and memorable experience.

Having mentioned these achievements, the question I am sure all of you want an answer to is: "What now?" The AKC shall continue the legacy of the ASEAN-Korea Youth Network Workshop. However, to better tackle other persistent issues in ASEAN and Korea, we are now closing the environment chapter of the Workshop. Beginning 2018, the Workshop will shift its focus to significant topics under the theme of human resources development highlighting youth empowerment to realize their capabilities.

I would like to extend my appreciation to our co-organizers, participants, and to all those who worked with and supported us in successfully carrying out ASEAN-Korea Youth Network Workshop in the last 5 years. I hope that you continue to extend your support for and cooperation in all the endeavors of the ASEAN-Korea Centre.



Kim Young-sun  
Secretary General of ASEAN-Korea Centre







## Background

### I. ASEAN-Korea Youth Network Workshop

The ASEAN-Korea partnership has reached remarkable milestones in various areas since their relations were established in 1989. In the field of socio-culture, enhancement of awareness of ASEAN and ASEAN-Korea relations has proven to be an effective tool in successfully promoting mutual understanding among the people, especially the youth.

As such, the governments of ASEAN and Korea adopted the ASEAN-ROK Plan of Action (POA) to further provide concrete actions and initiatives for realizing their commitments in different key areas, which include the raising of awareness of ASEAN and ASEAN-Korea relations. POA 2011-2015 and POA 2016-2020 both highlight the importance of increasing understanding in terms of culture, environment, education, and many others through awareness enhancement programs.

With a vision to be a key player in building a lasting and genuine partnership between ASEAN & Korea, the ASEAN-Korea Centre has been annually organizing the ASEAN-Korea Youth Network Workshop to raise awareness of ASEAN and ASEAN-Korea relations among the youth of ASEAN and Korea and enable them to create networks among one another.

In the last five years, the participants of the Workshop took part in a variety of educational activities such as lectures, discussions, team-missions, and site visits. Cultural and team-building activities were conducted as well. Through these activities, the Centre embarked on a three-step approach: First, to facilitate exchanges among the youth and enable them to create networks among one another: Second, to promote a deeper understanding among them: Lastly, to enable them to view each other as potential partners in the future.

## II. Theme

As key partners, ASEAN and Korea commit to work together in different areas and issues. To solidify their commitment, they adopted the Plan of Action (POA) to Implement the Joint Declaration on Strategic Partnership for Peace and Prosperity, POA 2016-2020 being the most recent, to deepen and enhance the strategic partnership, friendly relations as well as mutually beneficial and meaningful cooperation between the two regions. Outlined in the document are several areas of cooperation such as trade, investment, and socio-culture. Among the priority topics under these areas, environmental protection and natural resource conservation are one of the top agenda.

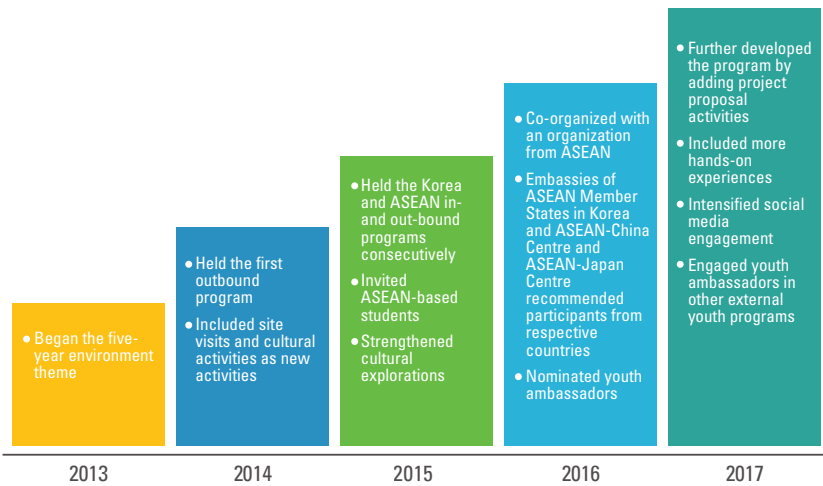
ASEAN and Korea are endowed with environmental resources that are central to the progress of both regions. These resources play a significant role in sustaining a variety of economic as well as socio-cultural activities of the people. In the last decades, however, degradation of the environment has become one of the pressing global issues. In ASEAN and Korea, people saw the drastic deterioration of nature and continue to suffer from the consequences of climate change brought about by the increasing pressures on natural resources.

In this regard, the ASEAN-Korea Centre has held the ASEAN-Korea Youth Network Workshop under the broad theme of environment for the last five years in order to raise the awareness of the importance of protecting the environment and conserving the natural resources. The Centre has concentrated on the following key topics: sustainable development, water resource management, forest conservation, marine protection, and sustainable cities. These key topics were thoroughly selected according to their relevance to ASEAN and Korea.

### III. Program Development

Each year, the ASEAN-Korea Centre operated the ASEAN-Korea Youth Network Workshop with improvement acquired from the previous years. Based on the execution of the program and evaluation from the participants, the Workshop has evolved in the following ways:

- Began with a new five-year environment-related theme
- Diversified the program activities
- Expanded external collaboration by co-hosting the Workshop
- Highlighted the importance of public relations via the program



Beginning in 2013, the Workshop has played a critical role in addressing the issue of protecting the environment, conserving the natural resources, and sustainably developing cities in ASEAN and Korea. Among several major issues that could be dealt among the youth from ASEAN and Korea, the broad theme of environment has always been one of the topics of great interest among young adults.

For participants to fully benefit from the Workshop, the ASEAN-Korea Centre has diversified the program, adding many new features over the past five years. Firstly, the Workshop expanded its venues holding both Korea (inbound) and ASEAN (outbound) programs since 2014. Next, based upon the necessity of participant engagement through various activities, more cultural exchanges, site visits, and hands-on experiences were added year after year. Thirdly, the ASEAN-Korea Centre nominated ASEAN-Korea Youth Ambassadors to lead networking among the participants. Lastly, the ASEAN-Korea Centre recruited youth based in ASEAN, Japan, and China to join the program, which gave participants opportunities to come across and exchange ideas and experiences coming from different, or very surprisingly like-minded, backgrounds.

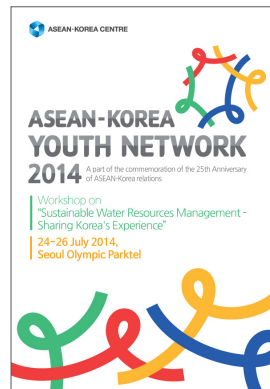
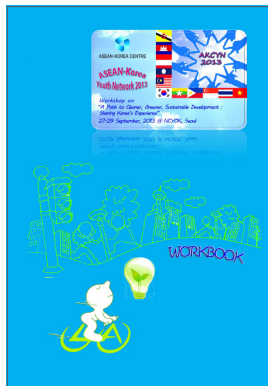
As the Centre believed that the successful operation of a youth exchange program requires the careful cooperation of many partners, the Workshop expanded its external collaboration by including more organizations. The Workshop was co-organized by international organizations and youth organizations in ASEAN and Korea. Moreover, the participant recruitment process was supported by the Embassies of ASEAN countries in Korea, ASEAN-China Centre, and ASEAN-Japan Centre. The Workshop could be fully fledged by closely preparing the Workshop with domestic and overseas related and affiliated partners.

The Workshop has maximized the utilization of various mass and social media channels to promote the event for achieving the goal of raising awareness of ASEAN and Korea and ASEAN-Korea relations. The outcome of group discussions, video-making activities, and a variety of team-building activities were shared via online channels, which advertised the Workshop itself and contributed to the promotion of the ASEAN-Korea partnership to the public.

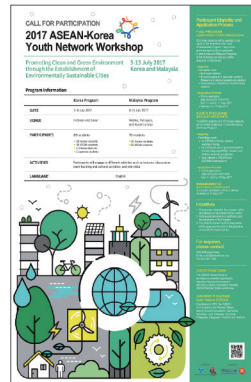
The Workshop will continue to find a room for improvement and looking for better ways to develop this youth exchange program between ASEAN and Korea.

## Key Facts and Figures

	2013	2014
Theme	Environmentally Sustainable Development	Water Management
Outbound Program	-	Vietnam
Dates	27 – 29 September 2013	25-27 July 2014 (Korea)   19-23 August 2014 (Vietnam)
Venues	Seoul, Korea	Seoul, Korea   Danang, Hoi An & Hue, Vietnam
Co-organizers	Global Green Growth Institute and National Council of Youth Organizations in Korea	-




2015	2016	2017
Forest Conservation	Marine Conservation	Environmentally Sustainable Cities
Indonesia	Thailand	Malaysia
10-13 August 2015 (Korea)   13-18 August 2015 (Indonesia)	1-5 August 2016 (Korea)   5-10 August 2016 (Thailand)	3-8 July 2017 (Korea)   8-13 July 2017 (Malaysia)
Gangwon & Seoul, Korea   Jakarta & Yogyakarta, Indonesia	Busan, Suncheon & Seoul, Korea   Amphawa, Chanthaburi & Bangkok, Thailand	Incheon & Seoul, Korea   Melaka, Putrajaya & Kuala Lumpur, Malaysia
ASEAN-ROK Forest Cooperation	ASEAN Studies Center, Chulalongkorn University	UNESCAP and International Youth Centre, Kuala Lumpur








# Achievements

## Countries

	Korean Program	ASEAN Program	Co-organizers
2013	Korea 	-	Global Green Growth Institute & National Council of Youth Organization in Korea
2014	Korea 	Vietnam 	-
2015	Korea 	Indonesia 	ASEAN-ROK Forest Cooperation
2016	Korea 	Thailand 	ASEAN Studies Center, Chulalongkorn University
2017	Korea 	Malaysia 	UNESCAP and International Youth Centre, Kuala Lumpur
<b>Total</b>			<b>5 countries</b>

## Participants

2013		85
2014		70
2015		92
2016		200
2017		100
<b>Total</b>		<b>547</b>

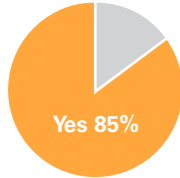
## Topics

- 2013 Environmentally Sustainable Development
- 2014 Water Management
- 2015 Forest Conservation
- 2016 Marine Conservation
- 2017 Environmentally Sustainable Cities

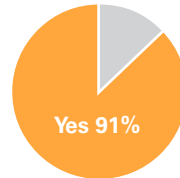


## Evaluation

The Workshop enhanced my awareness of ASEAN, ASEAN-Korea relations, and the theme.

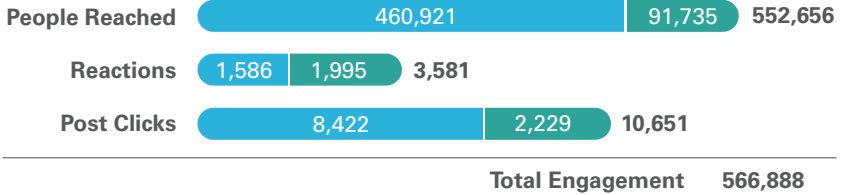


The Workshop enabled me to establish networks and forge friendships with other participants.

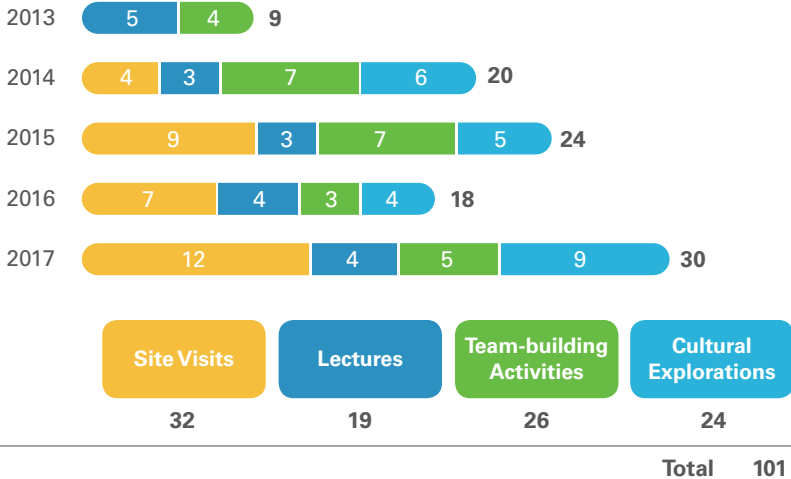


\*Participants were asked to give their feedback upon the completion of the Workshop.

## Social Media



## Activities



- **Team-building Activities:** Video-making activity and competition, ice-breaking activities, and group games
- **Cultural Explorations:** Visits to cultural attractions, city explorations, and talent shows







# Chapter 1



**2013  
ASEAN-KOREA  
YOUTH NETWORK  
WORKSHOP**

**A Path to Cleaner, Greener,  
Sustainable Development  
– Sharing Korea's Experience**

## Outline

### 2013 ASEAN-KOREA YOUTH NETWORK WORKSHOP

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<b>Theme</b>	A Path to Cleaner, Greener, Sustainable Development – Sharing Korea's Experience
<b>Date</b>	27-29 September 2013
<b>Venue</b>	Seoul, Korea
<b>Co-organizers</b>	Global Green Growth Institute & National Council of Youth Organizations in Korea
<b>Participants</b>	85 ASEAN and Korean students

### Schedule

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#### 27 September 2013

10:00-11:00	Registration & Check-in
11:00-12:00	Opening Ceremony Workshop Overview
12:00-13:30	Lunch
13:30-15:30	<b>Lecture</b> Korea's Experience & Green ODA <i>Mr. Han Geun Sik, Director, Climate Change Division, KOICA</i>
15:30-18:30	Ice-breaking Activities
18:30-19:30	Dinner
19:30	End of Day 1

## 28 September 2013

- 08:00-09:00 Breakfast
- 09:00-11:00 **Lecture**  
What is Green Growth?  
Situation in Southeast Asia & Its Green Growth Potential  
*Mr. Lee Joosueb, Senior Program Manager, Green Growth Planning and Implementation (GGI)*
- 11:00-12:00 **Team Mission**  
Video-making Activity
- 12:00-13:00 Lunch
- 13:00-14:00 **Lecture**  
Global Green Technology Cooperation  
*Mr. Shin Hyun Woo, Director, Green Technology Center Korea (GTCK)*
- 14:00-16:30 **Lecture**  
Green Lifestyle - Renewable Energy  
Green Lifestyle - Living Culture  
*Mr. Park Jin Kwan, Sales Specialist, Smart Green Technology Division, LG CNS*
- 16:30-18:00 **Team Mission**  
Poster-making Activity
- 18:00-19:00 Dinner
- 19:00 End of Day 2

## 29 September 2013

- 06:00-06:30 Breakfast
- 06:30-18:30 **Team Mission**  
Souvenir-making Activity
- 18:30-21:00 Closing Ceremony  
Dinner

# Lectures

To enhance the knowledge of the participants on the theme of Sustainable Development, several learning activities were conducted. Among these, the presentations on "What is Green Growth?" and "Situation in Southeast Asia & Its Green Growth Potential" provided the foundation and key concepts relevant to the theme.

## Topics

### Korea's Experience & Green ODA

**Lecturer** Mr. Han Geun Sik  
**Position** Director  
**Affiliation** Climate Change Division, KOICA

**History of Korea's ODA** KOICA

**Recipient : \$12.7billion (‘45~’95)**

- USA and Japan are major donors
- Graduation from the World Bank lending list in 1995
- Exclusion from DAC Recipients list in 2000
- Korea was able to escape from poverty trap by making good use of aid as a catalyst for its economic development, and was praised as a model recipient in terms of aid effectiveness.

**Donor: \$6billion(‘87~’10)**

- Small scale of technical cooperation, grant aid (‘60~’70)
- Establishment of EDCF(‘87) and KOICA(‘91)
- Sharp increase of ODA since 2000
- Establishment of Committee for International Development Cooperation (‘95)
- ODA Law(‘99)
- DAC Membership(‘10)

### What is Green Growth? Situation in Southeast Asia & Its Green Growth Potential

**Lecturer** Mr. Lee Joosueb  
**Position** Senior Program Manager  
**Affiliation** Green Growth Planning and Implementation (GGGI)

**Definition can be different.....**

**Definitions**

**Republic of Korea**

**\*The term "green growth" means growth achieved by saving and using energy and resources efficiently to reduce climate change and damage to the environment, securing new growth engines through research and development of green technology, creating new job opportunities, and achieving harmony between the economy and environment\***

(Source: Framework Act for Low Carbon, Green Growth, Republic of Korea, 2010)

**Vietnam**

**\*A strategy to promote the process of restructuring and improving economic institutions towards more efficient use of natural resources, improved competitiveness of the economy which will be achieved through increased investments in technological innovation, natural capital and economic instruments. This will contribute to respond to climate change, reducing poverty and ensuring sustainable economic development.**

See, \*

(Source: Vietnam National Green Growth Strategy, Socialist Republic of Vietnam, 2012)

**Ethiopia**

**\*Fostering economic development and growth. Ensuring abatement and avoidance of future emissions, i.e. transition to a green economy), and improving resilience to climate change are three major complementary objectives of the strategy. Building a green economy - which is in the focus of this strategy - offers an opportunity to achieve its economic development targets sustainably. It represents the ambition to achieve economic development targets in a resource-efficient way that overcomes the possible conflict between economic growth and fighting climate change.**

(Source: Ethiopia's Climate Resilient Green Economy, Federal Democratic Republic of Ethiopia, 2011)

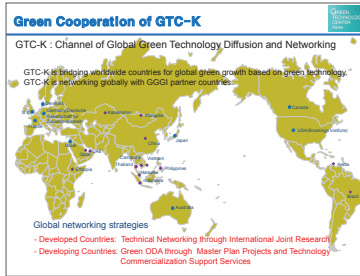


## Global Green Technology Cooperation

**Lecturer** Mr. Shin Hyun Woo

**Position** Director

**Affiliation** Green Technology Center Korea (GTCK)

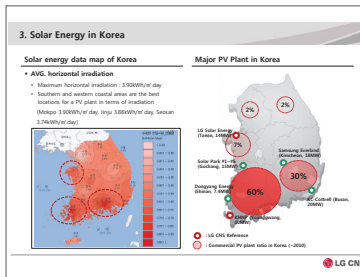


## Green Lifestyle - Renewable Energy

**Lecturer** Mr. Park Jin Kwan

**Position** Sales Specialist

**Affiliation** Smart Green Technology Division, LG CNS



## Green Lifestyle - Living Culture

**Lecturer** Mr. Park Jin Kwan

**Position** Sales Specialist

**Affiliation** Smart Green Technology Division, LG CNS



## Team Mission

Team missions were incorporated in the Workshop to ensure the facilitation of networks among the participants. The participants were divided into groups and tasked to produce a variety of outputs such as posters and videos.

### Activities

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- Ice-breaking Activities
- Video-making Activity and Competition
- Souvenir-making Activity
- Poster-making Activity



1. Participants of the Workshop tried to build the tallest structure using marshmallow and spaghetti sticks.
2. As part of the team-missions, the participants made videos relevant to the theme of Sustainable Development.
3. The participants also made posters reflecting their ideas on the theme.
4. Creating souvenirs using clay was among the missions that the participants truly enjoyed.

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## Group Photos









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# Youth Network 2013

*Sustainable Development : Sharing Korea's Experience''*

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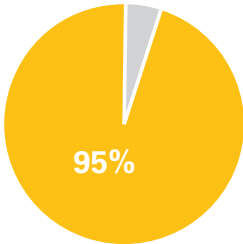
## Evaluation

### Survey

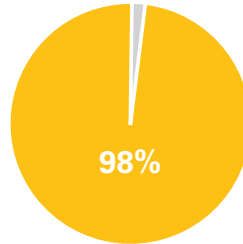
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The Workshop program, which was participated by 85 university students from ASEAN and Korea, was covered extensively by the media, including a two-minute video coverage released by Seoul Shinmun. The ASEAN-Korea Youth Network was viewed as a solid platform for ASEAN and Korean youths in which they could interact, collaborate, and establish networks. According to the survey, 95% of the participants found the lectures valuable and 98% were agreed that the overall workshop was well organized.

The lectures were valuable.



The Workshop was well-organized.





## THE KOREA TIMES

### ASEAN-Korea Youth Network connects hearts

January 6, 2013



▲ Participants of the ASEAN-Korea Youth Network pose for a photo at Shilleuksa Temple in Yeosu, Gyeonggi Province, Thursday. / Courtesy of ASEAN-Korea Center

When they set out early Thursday morning for Yeosu, Gyeonggi Province, not all participants of the ASEAN-Korea Youth Network were enthusiastic.

It was one of the coldest days of the year, they were expected to stay outdoor with a group of 75 strangers.

When they returned to Seoul that evening, the mood had changed to a warm and exhilarating one despite the cold. It turns out that the trip was worth it, after all.

The ASEAN-Korea Center, a non-governmental organization based in Seoul, organized the one-day program for 75 students from Korea and ASEAN member states with the aim of promoting exchanges.

"The underlying theme is to promote people-to-people exchanges. And this is a way to meet with the mandate. It is very important in terms of bringing together youngsters of ASEAN and Korea to meet with each other and to communicate with each other. This will be the beginning of more frequent and larger programs that may come later," said Chung Hae-moon, the secretary

general of the center, during a reception held for participants at a restaurant in Myeongdong, Seoul, Thursday.

Yeoju was chosen for a historical reason — it was where the Empress Myeongseong, the first official wife of King Gojong during the Joseon Kingdom, was born. The town also houses King Sejong's tomb and Silleuksa Temple.

The participants first toured the historic places, and then moved on to make kimchi and try on hanbok, traditional outfits.

Surya Kurniawan Suhairi, 29, from Indonesia, was thrilled about this rare opportunity. Having lived in Korea for five months as a student, he said he could hardly get a chance to travel outside Seoul, even during weekends because of school work. He studies international development cooperation policy at Seoul National University.

"This is a good opportunity to learn about Korean culture and make new friends," Suhairi said.

Most participants are currently in Korea currently.

"We have about 6,000-6,500 ASEAN students living in Korea," the secretary general said, and the center wanted to give them, especially the ones that are living outside metropolitan Seoul, a chance to participate.

The center said it will invite new batches of students for the program later this year, which received huge support from Thai diplomat Kanokporn Kuankid.

"This program is great to enhance cultural exchange among the young generation," she told the KoreaTimes.

Established in 2009, the ASEAN-Korea center is working to establish and strengthen ties between ASEAN and Korea. It has run various programs for different target audiences. For example, an annual painting contest is geared toward the youngsters, while seminars on investment and tourism appeal to an older age group. It will host an investment seminar on Myanmar later this month.

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## ASEAN, Korea foster youth networking

January 6, 2013

ASEAN-Korea Center chairman Chung Hae-moon hosted diplomats and young people representing Southeast Asia in a dinner reception that capped off a day-long cultural program for young people, Thursday.

About 75 young people from Korea and Southeast Asian countries participated in a day full of cultural activities that aimed at boosting people-to-people exchanges in Yeosu, Gyeonggi Province, home to Korea's traditional culture and historical sites.

The day of cultural exchange was organized by ASEAN-Korea Center as part of its "ASEAN-Korea Youth Network Program" to deepen mutual understanding and give young people from Southeast Asia and Korea a firsthand cultural experience.



▲ Some 75 young people from Korea and Southeast Asia gather for a group photo during the day-long ASEAN-Korea Youth Network Program in Yeosu, Gyeonggi Province, Thursday. (ASEAN-Korea Center)

A slew of diplomats from Southeast Asia also participated in the reception, including Amalina Bakar, 2nd secretary at the Bruneian Embassy; Yiv Sokhim, commercial counselor at the Cambodian Embassy; Phanephantavanh Sayachack, 3rd secretary at the Laotian Embassy; Siti Fatma Omar, from the

Malaysian Embassy; Wai Zin Tun, 1st secretary at the Burmese Embassy; Eugene Ng, 1st secretary at the Singaporean Embassy; Dang Quoc Binh, 2nd secretary at the Vietnamese Embassy; and Kanokporn Kuankid, 1st secretary at the Thai Embassy.

The Southeast Asian young people that participated in the program are students studying at universities across Korea, including far flung rural areas in provinces far from Seoul.

They visited historical sites in the Yeosu area, such as the Royal Tomb and Museum of King Sejong; the birth place of Empress Myeongseong and Silleuksa Temple.

They also learned about ginseng, how to make kimchi and traditional crafts like pottery-making.

"The underlying theme of the activities of the ASEAN-Korea Centre is the promotion of people-to-people exchanges. Programs such as this are an important way for the center to meet the mandate set by the government when the center was first established in 2009," Chung said.

"We are giving youngsters an opportunity for meeting each other, communicating and networking. This is the beginning of more frequent and larger programs," he said.

ASEAN has emerged as a major player in East Asia, which itself is becoming a big player on the global stage. Chung said this means people-to-people exchange and networking between future Southeast Asian leaders and Korea is more important than ever.

Organizers at the ASEAN-Korea Centre said they plan to expand programs that will enhance exchanges and networking between the future Korean and Southeast Asian leaders.

Established as an intergovernmental organization in March 2009, the ASEAN-Korea Centre helps increase trade and investment, and boost tourism and cultural exchanges between Korea and Southeast Asia.

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Foreign university  
students know about  
Korea  
January 4, 2013



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"재미있게 만들어었어요. 그리고 방법도 많아서 그거 보고 깜짝 놀랐어요."  
[위라퐁(29)/ 태국]

"처음 김치를 만들어봤어요. 태국에 있을 때도 김치를 정말 좋아했어요. 그래서 지금 매우 흥분됩니다." [사시에너(24)/태국]

이곳은 한국과 베트남·태국·미얀마 등 아세안 10개국, 대학생 70여명이 한 자리에 모인 '한-아세안청년 네트워크'의 현장입니다. 참가자들은 한국의 음식 만들기과 문화 체험, 유적지 답사 등 다양한 활동을 통해 한국을 알아가는 것 자체가 신기하다는 표정입니다. 직접 고른 한복을 입고 친구들과 사진을 찍습니다. 한 여학생은 한복의 매력에 대해 찬사를 아끼지 않습니다.

"색깔이 화려해서 정말 예쁘고 좋은 것 같아요." [이표푸이(26)/미얀마]

"다른 외국인 학생들 같이 모여서 같이 옷 입고 좋았어요." [텔미말레(23)/말레이시아]

이뿐 만이 아닙니다. 조선의 마지막 국모인 명성황후 생가에 둘러 전시된 유품들을 둘러보기도 하고, 세종대왕릉도 찾아 조선의 우수했던 과학기술을 직접 확인합니다. 또한 목적지마다 주어진 팀 임무를 수행하면서 서로의 우정도 키워갑니다.

"This is my first time making kimchi, so I am very excited," said one of the Thai participants.

"I like how brightly colored it is," said one of the participants from Myanmar after wearing Hanbok.

"세종 글자 만들어서 되게 재밌어요." [이이탄(23)/미얀마]

"외국 학생들이데, 적극적으로 해줘서 되게 재밌게 했어요." [최유정(25)/한국]

한-아세안센터 주최로 열린 이번 행사는 아세안의 주역이 될 대학생들에게 한국을 더 잘 알리기 위해 기획됐습니다.

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"It was interesting to learn how Hangeul, Korean alphabet, was created by King Sejong," said one of the participants from Myanmar.

This program had set up a base for future leaders of ASEAN and Korea to exchange and network with one another.

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5	한-아세안센터, '2013 한-아세안 청년 워크숍' 개최 (사진)	27 September 2013	연합뉴스
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## Chapter 2



2014  
ASEAN-KOREA  
YOUTH NETWORK  
WORKSHOP

**Sustainable Water  
Resources Management  
– Sharing Korea's Experience**

## Outline

### 2014 ASEAN-KOREA YOUTH NETWORK WORKSHOP

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<b>Theme</b>	Sustainable Water Resources Management – Sharing Korea's Experience
<b>Date</b>	24-26 July and 19-23 August 2014
<b>Venue</b>	Cheongju & Seoul, Korea and Da Nang, Hoi An & My Son, Vietnam
<b>Participants</b>	70 ASEAN and Korean students

### Schedule

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#### 24-26 July 2014: Cheongju & Seoul, Korea

##### 24 July 2014

13:30-14:00	Hotel Check-in
14:00-15:10	Opening Ceremony
15:10-16:40	Ice-breaking Activities
16:40-18:00	<b>Team Mission</b> Poster-making Activity
18:00-19:00	Dinner
19:00:21:00	<b>Team Mission</b> Video-making Activity
21:00	End of Day 1

##### 25 July 2014

07:30-09:00	Breakfast
09:00-10:00	<b>Lecture</b> Importance of Water Resources Management and the Present State in Korea <i>Dr. Noh Joon Woo, Research Engineer, K-water Institute</i>

10:00-11:00	<b>Lecture</b> Water quality management in Korea: Challenges and Response <i>Prof. Kim Sungpyo, Professor, Korea University</i>
11:00-12:00	<b>Team Mission</b> Video-making Activity
12:00-13:00	Lunch
13:00-14:40	<b>Lecture</b> Vulnerabilities and Countermeasures of Climate Change in Water Resources Management <i>Dr. Kim Yeon Joo, Research Scientist, Korea Environment Institute</i>
14:40-16:00	<b>Activity</b> Essay Writing Activity
16:00-18:00	<b>Team Mission</b> Video-making Activity
18:00-19:00	Dinner
19:00-21:00	<b>Team Mission</b> Video-making Activity
21:00	End of Day 2

### 26 July 2014

13:30-14:00	Registration
14:00-15:10	Opening Ceremony
15:10-16:40	Ice-breaking Activities
16:40-18:00	<b>Team Mission</b> Poster-making Activity
18:00-19:00	Dinner
19:00:21:00	<b>Team Mission</b> Video-making Activity
21:00	End of Day 3

## 19-23 August 2014: Da Nang, Hoi An & My Son, Vietnam

### 19 August 2014

- 18:35-21:15 Airline Check-in  
Departure from Incheon, Korea to Da Nang, Vietnam
- 21:15-22:00 Hotel Check-in
- 22:00 End of Day 4

### 20 August 2014

- 07:00-08:00 Breakfast
- 08:00-11:00 **Site Visit**  
My Son Relics and Temples
- 11:00-12:00 Lunch
- 12:00-16:00 **Cultural Exploration**  
River Cruise  
Visit to Woodcraft Village  
Pottery-making Activity  
Vietnamese Cultural Performance
- 16:00-18:00 **Site Visit**  
Hoi An Ancient Town
- 18:00-19:00 Dinner
- 19:00-21:00 **Cultural Exploration**  
Flying Lantern-making Activity  
Cyclo Riding
- 21:00 End of Day 5

### 21 August 2014

- 08:00-09:00 Breakfast
- 08:00-11:00 **Ice-breaking Activity**  
Interaction with students of Da Nang University of Economics  
Discussion on Youth Network between ASEAN and Korea  
Cuisine Exchange
- 12:00-13:00 Lunch

13:00-16:00 **Team Mission**  
Video-making Activity

16:00-19:00 **Cultural Exploration**  
ASEAN Talent Show  
Team Mission  
Presentation of Videos

19:00 End of Day 6

#### 22 August 2014

08:00-09:00 Breakfast

09:00-22:30 **Site Visit**  
Historical Sites in Hue (Hue Imperial City, Tomb of Khai Dinh,  
Thien Mu Pagoda, and Tomb of Minh Mang)

22:30-05:00 (+1) Hotel Check-out  
Departure from Da Nang, Vietnam to Incheon, Korea  
End of Day 6

#### 23 August 2014

05:00 Arrival in Incheon, Korea  
End of Workshop

## Lectures

Water is a basic necessity for humans. To instill its importance among the participants of the Workshop, experts from the water industry were invited to conduct lectures and presentations. The key lecture topics at the Workshop were "Water Resources Management", "Water Quality Management in Korea: Challenges and Response", and "Climate Change Vulnerabilities and Countermeasures in Water Resources Management".

### Topics

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#### Importance of Water Resources Management and the Present State in Korea

**Lecturer** Dr. Noh Joon Woo

**Position** Research Engineer

**Affiliation** K-water Institute



## Water Quality Management in Korea: Challenges and Response

**Lecturer** Dr. Kim Sungpyo  
**Position** Professor  
**Affiliation** Korea University



## Vulnerabilities and Countermeasures of Climate Change in Water Resources Management

**Lecturer** Dr. Kim Yeon Joo  
**Position** Research Scientist  
**Affiliation** Korea Environment Institute



## Site Visit

The participants visited sites relevant to the theme as well as some cultural attractions to enhance their knowledge on water resource management and deepen cultural understanding.

### Sites

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- Korea - K-water, Cheongju City
- My Son Relics and Temples
- Hoi An Ancient Town
- Historical Sites in Hue (Hue Imperial City, Tomb of Khai Dinh, Thien Mu Pagoda, and Tomb of Minh Mang)



1. The participants of the Workshop visited K-Water in Cheongju City, Korea.
2. One of the sites the participants visited in Vietnam was My Son relics and temples.
3. A photo of the participants at Hoi An Ancient Town.





## Team Missions

A variety of activities were conducted to facilitate camaraderie and team-building among the participants.

### Activities

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- Ice-breaking Activities
- Video-making Activity and Competition
- Poster-making Activity
- Interaction with students of Da Nang University of Economics
- Discussion on Youth Network between ASEAN and Korea
- Cuisine Exchange



1. Ice-breaking activities were conducted to facilitate network-building among the participants. Dr. Hadisusanto Pasaribu
2. As part of the team missions, the participants were tasked to do the Marshmallow Challenge.
3. Making a poster relevant to the theme was also one of the missions of the participants.
4. The participants were also able to further expand their networks by interacting with students from Da Nang University of Economics.





## Cultural Explorations

Cultural explorations enabled the participants to know more about the culture of Vietnam. They tried several activities which included pottery-making, viewing of traditional Vietnamese cultural show, and cyclo riding.

### Activity

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- River Cruise
- Visit to Woodcraft Village
- Vietnamese Cultural Performance
- Flying Lantern-making Activity
- Cyclo Riding
- Talent Show

1. The students were amazed by Ca Trù, a traditional Vietnamese performance.
2. A participant riding Vietnamese traditional rickshaw.
3. Traditional Vietnamese pottery-making was one of the activities that enabled the students.





## Group Photos











A part of the commemoration of the 25th Anniversary

# ASEAN-KOREA YOUTH NETWORK

Workshop on "Sustainable Water Resources"

■ 24-26 July 2014, Seoul Olympic Parktel





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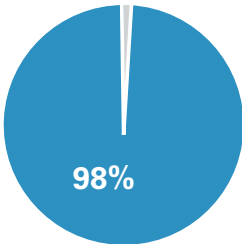


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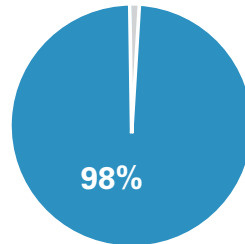
### Survey

The 2014 ASEAN-Korea Youth Network Workshop successfully gathered 70 participants and was covered extensively by the media, including a two-minute video coverage by Vietnam local press. The ASEAN-Korea Youth Network was viewed as a solid platform for ASEAN and Korean youths in which they could interact, collaborate, and establish networks. A great number of participants were satisfied with the lectures and outdoor activities. According to the survey, 98% of the participants agreed that the overall workshop was well organised. The same percentage answered that they would definitely join future program organized by the Centre.

I would definitely join future programs of the ASEAN-Korea Centre.



The Workshop was well-organized.



# The Korea Herald

## **Korea-ASEAN youth exchanges get boost**

**August 24, 2014**

The ASEAN Korea Center promoted people-to-people ties between South Korea and Southeast Asia with a youth workshop here and trip to Vietnam for Korean youths selected from among the participants.

The "ASEAN-Korea Youth Workshop" brought together 80 young people residing here from Southeast Asian and Korean students studying at universities around the country with the aim of fostering mutual understanding and friendship by creating a venue to discuss issues of common concern.

The one-week workshop at Olympic Parktel in Seoul featured lectures, discussions and friendship-building activities.

One area of particular concern was "sustainable water resource management," by virtue of the fact that many of the Southeast Asian students came from predominantly rural communities in their home countries.

"Countermeasures against natural disasters and water resource management have gained importance in the face of climate change," said an official from the ASEAN-Korea Center.

Thirty participants at the workshop were selected to visit Vietnam from Aug. 19-23 in order to better appreciate Vietnamese challenges with water resource management, as well as Vietnamese culture and traditions.

The highlight of the trip was a student exchange program at Da Nang University of Economics, in Danang, one of the country's major port cities off the South China Sea.

ASEAN, the Association of Southeast Asian Nations, has emerged as an important investment and trade partner for South Korea. The group of 10

Southeast Asian member states is now South Korea's second-largest trade partner and third-largest investment destination. Southeast Asian residents here number in the hundreds of thousands and play a crucial part in South Korea's drive to become a multicultural country.

By Philip Iglauer [ephilip2014@heraldcorp.com](mailto:ephilip2014@heraldcorp.com)

Source: <http://nwww.koreaherald.com/view.php?ud=20140824000301>



## '한-아세안 청년네트워크' 방문단, 다낭경제대학생과 문화교류 행사

2014년 08월 21일

[Yonhap News]  
ASEAN and Korean  
youth visit Da  
Nang University of  
Economics for Student  
Exchange Program  
August 21, 2014



(다낭<베트남>=연합뉴스) 인교준 기자 = 한국과 아세안(동남아국가연합) 10개국 청년 30명으로 구성된 '2014 한-아세안 청년네트워크' 방문단이 21일 베트남 다낭경제대학에서 현지대학생들과 '청년 네트워크 강화'를 위한 문화교류 행사를 개최했다.

행사는 한-아세안센터의 활동 프로그램 소개와 예술 공연, 교류 확대를 위한 방문단과 다낭경제대학생들 간 토론으로 진행됐다.

방문단은 한국에서 유학중인 아세안 대학생과 대학원생 18명과 한국 대학생 12명으로 구성됐으며 4박5일 일정으로 베트남을 방문했다.

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Source: <http://news.naver.com/main/read.nhn?mode=LSD&mid=sec&sid1=104&oid=001&aid=0007080196>

30 undergraduate and graduate students from ASEAN and Korea visited Da Nang University of Economics as one of the major activities of the outbound program and share insights on water management.

**'한-아세안 청년네트워크 폐막'...참가자들 소감 한마디**

2014년 08월 22일

(다낭(베트남)=연합뉴스) 인교준 기자 = "한국과 아세안(동남아국가연합)은 가까운 이웃이라는 생각이 들었다. 협력과 공영을 위해선 서로 이해하려는 노력이 필요하다."

한-아세안센터 주관으로 베트남 다낭에서 열린 '2014 한-아세안(동남아국가연합) 청년네트워크'에서 참가학생들은 '프로그램 참가 전후의 한국과 아세안에 대한 인식변화'에 대해 이같이 한 목소리로 이야기했다.

프로그램 참가자인 이태륜(서울대 지리교육과 4년)씨는 "청년 네트워크 행사를 통해 아세안 학생들과 함께 서로의 문화에 대해 이해하고 존중하면서 가까워지는 법을 배웠다"며 "한국과 아세안이 친한 이웃이 될 수 있다고 느꼈다"고 말했다.

김우희(전남대 지구환경과학부 4년)씨는 "먼나라로 느껴졌던 아세안이 가까운 이웃으로 다가왔다"며 "프로그램을 통해 서로 공통점도 알고 다른 점도 이해할 수 있게 됐다"고 소감을 전했다.

브루나이 출신의 모하메드 티카(서울대 경영학과 3년)씨는 "프로그램 참가로 아세안 국가들은 물론 한국과도 많은 유사점이 있다는 걸 알았다"며 "이를 나누는 노력이 필요하다"고 강조했다.

필리핀에서 온 로넬 라란조(고려대 언어학과 석사과정)씨는 "지리적으로도 가깝고 기후도 비슷한 한국과 아세안은 공통점도 많다"며 "서로 이해하려고 노력한다면 두 곳이 경제·문화 분야는 물론 정치·외교적으로도 긴밀한 관계가 될 것"이라고 말했다.

권준영(고려대 경제학과 3년)씨는 "아세안과 한국이 무역 거래량 급증과 한류 등 문화교류로 빠르게 가까워지면서도 서로에 대한 인식은 아직 모자란 것 같다"고 지적했다.

이상만(상명대 영어교육과 4년)씨는 "다양한 국적이 섞여 있었지만 문화교류를 통해 공감대 형성이 가능하다고 느꼈다", 미얀마 출신의 카우 미얏 샘(부경대 IT 석사과정)씨는 "지리적으로 가까운 한국과 아세안이 서로 통한다는 생각이 들었다"고 말했다.

말레이시아 출신의 나즈린 반다란(연세대 정보산업공학과 2년)씨는 "각각 다른 나라에서 온 학생들이 어찌하면 이렇게 가까워지고 친근해질 수 있는지 스스로 놀랐다", 이지원(한국외국어대 태국어과 2년)씨는 "교류를 통해

[Yonhap News]  
Message from the  
participants of the  
ASEAN-Korea Youth  
Network  
August 22, 2014

"I felt that ASEAN and Korea are close neighbors. We need to understand each other to achieve cooperation and co-prosperity."

"I learnt to understand and respect cultures of each other."

"The distance between ASEAN and Korea got closer."

"I got to know similarities and differences between ASEAN and Korea through this program."

"If we strive to know about each other better, ASEAN and Korea will be able to maintain a close relationship in various fields based on geographical proximity and climate proximity."

"I felt that ASEAN and Korean youth could develop a bond of sympathy."



아세안에 대해 긍정적인 이미지를 갖게 됐다"고 소감을 밝혔다.

필리핀 출신의 매리언 알칸타라(상지대 환경공학과 교환학생)씨는 "이번 프로그램을 통해 주변국가들과 좋은 관계를 유지하고 서로 소통하면서 생각을 나누는 것이 무엇보다 중요한 가치라는 걸 깨달았다"고 말했다.

이번 행사에는 한국에 유학 중인 브루나이 · 캄보디아 · 인도네시아 · 라오스 · 말레이시아 · 미얀마 · 필리핀 · 싱가포르 · 태국 · 베트남 등 아세안 회원국 출신 대학생 18명과 한국 대학생 12명이 참가했다.

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"I was surprised at how people from different countries could become friendly and familiar so quickly."

"I have more positive images of ASEAN than before joining this program."

"I realised that the most important value is to communicate and share the thoughts in order to maintain a good relationship."

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2	한국-아세안 대학생 네트워크 만들기 행사 개최	13 June 2017	이투데이
3	한국-아세안 대학생 네트워크 만들기 행사 개최	13 June 2017	연합뉴스
4	한-아세안센터, '한-아세안 청년 워크숍' 개최	22 July 2014	아세안투데이
5	"서로 이해하자"...'韓-아세안 청년 워크숍' 개최	24 July 2014	연합뉴스
6	한-아세안센터, 한-아세안 청년 워크숍 충주댐 견학	24 July 2014	충북일보
7	'2014 한-아세안 청년 워크숍'	24 July 2014	연합뉴스
8	기념촬영하는 참석자들	24 July 2014	뉴시스
9	기념촬영하는 참석자들 - 중앙일보 뉴스	24 July 2014	중앙일보
10	충주시, 한-아세안 청년 워크숍	24 July 2014	불교공뉴스
11	한-아세안센터, 청년 워크숍 개최	24 July 2014	내외경제 TV
12	'2014 한-아세안 청년 워크숍' 개최	25 July 2014	헤럴드경제
13	'한-아세안 청년 워크숍' 폐막식	27 July 2014	뉴시스
14	'韓-아세안 청년 워크숍' 폐막	27 July 2014	연합뉴스
15	Embassy Line	27 July 2014	The Korea Times
16	ASEAN-Korea Center to hold youth workshop	22 July 2014	The Korea Times
17	한-아세안센터, 2014 한-아세안 청년워크숍 개최	28 July 2014	THEAsian
18	[포토] 한-아세안대학생 대표단, 26일 충주 방문	28 July 2014	CCS충북방송
19	"서로 이해하자"... 韓-아세안 청년네트워크 개막	20 August 2014	연합뉴스

20	〈인터뷰〉 韓-아세안 가교... 태국 외교관 파트라난 파티야씨	20 August 2014	연합뉴스
21	태국 외교관 파트라난 파티야씨	20 August 2014	연합뉴스
22	"서로 이해하자" 韓-아세안 청년네트워크 개막	20 August 2014	국방일보
23	한-아세안 청년네트워크 개막	20 August 2014	동양일보
24	"서로 이해하자"... 韓-아세안 청년네트워크 개막	20 August 2014	세계일보
25	"서로 이해하자" 韓-아세안 청년네트워크 개막	20 August 2014	한국대학신문
26	선물 교환하는 다낭경제대 부총장과 한-아세안센터 부장	21 August 2014	연합뉴스
27	한-아세안 청년네트워크 방문단, 다낭경제대학생과 문화교류 행사	21 August 2014	연합뉴스
28	한-아세안센터, 미안마 농산물의 품질관리 역량 증진을 위한 ...	21 August 2014	NGTV
29	데일리한국: 한-아세안 청년네트워크 폐막... 참가자들 소감 ...	22 August 2014	데일리한국
30	청년네트워크 행사로 본 韓-아세안 '공영'의 해법	22 August 2014	연합뉴스
31	한-아세안 청년네트워크 폐막... 참가자들 소감 한마디	22 August 2014	연합뉴스
32	Korea-ASEAN youth exchanges get boost	24 August 2014	The Korea Herald
33	"한국 예능프로서 '베트남 신부 닮았다' 식 농담 ... 상처 받아"	25 August 2014	중앙일보
34	Workshops boosts network of Korean, ASEAN youths	25 August 2014	The Korea Times
35	한-아세안 청년네트워크 워크숍 개최	6 September 2014	YTN



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1	ASEAN-Korea Youth Network	22 August 2014	TuoitreTV
2	Exchange Programme between ASEAN and South Korean Students and Students of the University of Economics, University of Da Nang	27 August 2014	Da Nang Foreign Affairs Department



## Chapter 3



2015  
ASEAN-KOREA  
YOUTH NETWORK  
WORKSHOP

Youth in the Forefront of  
Forest Conservation in  
ASEAN & Korea

## Outline

### 2015 ASEAN-KOREA YOUTH NETWORK WORKSHOP

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<b>Theme</b>	Youth in the Forefront of Forest Conservation in ASEAN & Korea
<b>Date</b>	10-18 August 2015
<b>Venue</b>	Gangwon Province and Seoul, South Korea and Jakarta and Yogyakarta, Indonesia
<b>Co-organizer</b>	ASEAN-ROK Forest Cooperation
<b>Participants</b>	92 ASEAN and Korean students

### Schedule

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#### 10-13 August 2015: Gangwon Province & Seoul, Korea

##### 10 August 2015

09:00-12:00	Departure from Seoul to Gangwon Province, Korea Hotel Check-in
12:00-13:00	Lunch
13:00-14:00	Arrival and Registration
14:00-15:00	Korea Program Opening Ceremony
15:00-18:00	<b>Ice Breaking Activities</b> Physical Exercises Critical-thinking Game
18:00-19:00	Dinner
19:00-22:00	Team Mission Video-making Activity
22:00	End of Day 1

## 11 August 2015

- 08:00-09:00 Breakfast
- 09:00-10:30 **Lecture**  
Forests in ASEAN  
*Dr. Hadisusanto Pasaribu, Executive Director, AFoCO*
- 10:30-12:00 **Team-building Activity**  
Five Senses Forest Experience
- 12:00-13:00 Lunch
- 13:00-16:30 **Team Mission**  
DIY T-shirt making  
Mission Impossible
- 16:30-18:00 **Team Mission**  
Video-making Activity
- 18:00-19:00 Dinner
- 19:00-20:30 **Team Mission**  
Presentation of videos
- 20:30-22:00 **Cultural Experience**  
ASEAN Music Party  
Fashion Show  
Talent Show
- 22:00 End of Day 2

## 12 August 2015

- 05:30-06:00 Hotel Check-out
- 06:00-06:30 Departure from Gangwon Province to Seoul, Korea
- 06:30-11:00 **Site Visit**  
Korea Forest Research Institute  
ASEAN-Korea Centre
- 11:00-12:30 Korea Program Closing Ceremony (ASEAN-Korea Centre)
- 12:30-14:00 Lunch
- 14:00-22:00 **Cultural Exploration**  
Seoul City Tour
- 22:00 End of Day 3

## 13-18 August 2015: Jakarta and Yogyakarta, Indonesia

### 13 August 2015

- 06:00-07:00 Breakfast  
Hotel Check-out
- 07:00-08:00 Departure for Incheon International Airport
- 08:00-15:40 Airline Check-in  
Departure from Incheon, Korea to Jakarta, Indonesia
- 15:40-18:40 Departure from Jakarta International Airport to Hotel  
Hotel Check-in
- 18:40 End of Day 4

### 14 August 2015

- 08:30-09:30 Breakfast  
Hotel Check-out
- 09:30-15:00 **Site Visit**  
ASEAN Secretariat  
Ministry of Environment and Forestry of Indonesia  
Arboretum (World Forest)
- 15:00-22:00 Airline Check-in  
Departure from Jakarta International Airport to Yogyakarta  
International Airport  
Departure from Yogyakarta International Airport to Wanagama  
Forest  
Hotel Check-in
- 22:00 End of Day 5

### 15 August 2015

- 08:00-09:00 Breakfast
- 09:00-10:00 Indonesia Program Opening Ceremony
- 10:00-12:00 **Lecture**  
History and Development of Wanagama Teaching Forest  
*Prof. Dr. Mohammad Nal'iem, Gadjah Mada University*
- 12:00-13:00 Lunch
- 13:00-18:00 **Site Visit**  
Banaran Village
- 18:00-19:00 Dinner
- 19:00-21:00 Cultural Exploration  
Batik-making Activity
- 21:00 End of Day 6

### 16 August 2015

08:00-09:00	Breakfast
09:00-12:00	<b>Lecture</b> Forest Conservation and its Role for Environment and Human Beings <i>Prof. Mr. Wahyudi Wardoyo MSc, Gadjah Mada University</i>
12:00-13:00	Lunch
13:00-18:30	<b>Site Visit</b> Gunung Api (Social Experience) Borobudur Temple
18:30-19:30	Dinner
19:00	End of Day 7

### 17 August 2015

07:00-10:00	Breakfast Hotel Check-out
10:00-11:00	Indonesia Program Closing Ceremony (Gadjah Mada University)
11:00-16:00	<b>Site Visit</b> <b>Prambanan Temple</b>
16:00-17:00	Departure from Prambanan Temple to Yogyakarta International Airport
17:00-18:20	Airline Check-in
18:20-19:40	Departure from Yogyakarta International Airport to Jakarta International Airport
19:40-23:15	Airline Check-in
23:15-08:30 (+1)	Departure from Jakarta, Indonesia to Incheon, Korea End of Day 8

### 18 August 2015

08:30	Arrival in Incheon, Korea End of the Workshop
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## Lectures

The forestry sector in the 21 century has been an area growing in importance yet lacking in the attention it receives from our younger generation. What is alarming is that this trend is observed in countries all over the world. With forests playing a crucial part in the maintenance of a country's environment and its sustainable growth in the long term, it is important to encourage and educate the younger generation on the need for forest studies.

### Topics

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#### Forests in ASEAN

**Lecturer** Dr. Hadisusanto Pasaribu

**Position** Executive Director

**Affiliation** ASEAN-ROK Forest Cooperation





## History and Development of Wanagama Teaching Forest

**Lecturer** Dr. Mohammad Na'iem

**Position** Professor

**Affiliation** Gadjah Mada University



## Forest Conservation and its Role for Environment and Human Beings

**Lecturer** Mr. Wahyudi Wardoyo MSc

**Position** Professor

**Affiliation** Gadjah Mada University



## Site Visit

The participants visited sites relevant to the theme as well as some cultural attractions in Korea and Indonesia to expand their knowledge on forest conservation and deepen cultural awareness.

### Sites

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- Korea Forest Research Institute
- ASEAN-Korea Centre
- Indonesia ASEAN Secretariat
- Ministry of Environment and Forestry of Indonesia
- Arboretum (World Forest)
- Banaran Village
- Gunung Api (Social Experience)
- Borobudur Temple
- Prambanan Temple

1. The participants visited the ASEAN Secretariat where they also met H.E. Secretary General le Luong Minh.
2. A photo of the participants taken at the Ministry of Environment and Forestry of Indonesia.
3. The visit to Korea Forest Research Institute enabled the participants to know more about the efforts of Korea in preserving its forests.
4. The participants toured Arboretum (World Forest) where they learned about different species of trees and animals in Indonesia.







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- 5. A group photo of the participants at Borobudur Temple, the world's largest Buddhist temple.
- 6. The participants also visited Prambanan Temple, the biggest Hindu temple in Indonesia.



## Team Missions

Having aimed at facilitating networks and establishing friendships among the participants, the Workshop offered a wide range of team-building activities.

### Activities

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- Pre-Workshop Online Activity
- Physical Exercises
- Critical-thinking Game
- Video-making Activity and Competition
- Five Senses Forest Experience
- DIY T-shirt making
- Mission Impossible



1. The participants enthusiastically performed the physical exercises prepared for them.
2. As part of the Team Missions, the participants were divided into groups and tasked to use their critical-thinking in developing and discussing concepts related to Forestry.
3. An activity called the Five Senses Forest Experience was prepared for the participants to feel and connect with nature using their five senses.
4. Video-making activity enabled the participants to hone their creative skills by enabling them to produce a video promoting forest conservation.
5. The participants also enjoyed the do-it-yourself shirt-making activity.





## Cultural Explorations

Cultural explorations enabled the participants to learn about the cultures of Korea and Indonesia.

### Activities

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- ASEAN Music Party
- Fashion Show
- Talent Show
- Seoul City Tour
- Batik-making Activity







1. ASEAN Music Festival.
2. A Filipino participant being interviewed after winning the Best Attire Award.
3. Indonesia participants singing an traditional Indonesian song entitled "Menunggu".
4. The participants also had the opportunity to make "Batik", the Indonesian traditional cloth.
5. As part of the Workshop, the students toured Seoul, the capital of Korea, in groups. They visited attractions such as the historic Gyeongbuk Palace as well as Myeong-dong and Gwanghwamun area.



## Special Activities

The participants of the 2015 ASEAN-Korea Youth Network Workshop, together with H.E. Secretary-General Kim Young-sun planted trees in Wanagama Teaching Forest. The trees that they planted symbolized the ASEAN and Korea Youth's commitment in protecting the forests.



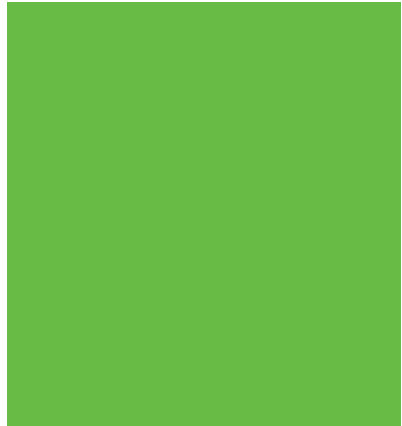


## Group Photos

















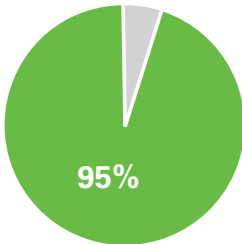
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### Survey

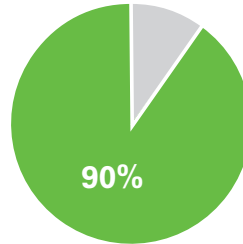
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The 2015 ASEAN-Korea Youth Network Workshop successfully gathered 92 participants and was covered extensively by the media both in Korea and Indonesia. The ASEAN-Korea Youth Network was viewed as a solid platform for ASEAN and Korean youths in which they could interact, collaborate, and establish networks. A great number of participants were satisfied with the lectures and outdoor activities. According to the survey, 95% of the participants agreed that Program provided a venue for them to interact with each other. About 90% gave a positive rating for their visit to cultural sites such as the ASEAN Secretariat as well as Prambanan and Borobudur Temples.

The Workshop provided a venue where I could interact with other participants.



The visits to cultural sites were valuable.



## THE KOREA TIMES

### ASEAN-Korea Center to hold international youth workshop on forest

August 10, 2015



▲ Kim Young-sun, Secretary General of ASEAN-Korea Centre, gives an opening speech during the 2015 ASEAN-Korea Youth Network Workshop, in Gangwon Province, Monday. / Courtesy of ASEAN-Korea Centre

The ASEAN-Korea Centre, with the ASEAN-ROK Forest Cooperation, is holding an international workshop to raise awareness of the importance of forests.

The event began Monday and will continue until Aug. 18 under the theme "Youth in the Forefront of Forest Conservation in ASEAN and Korea."

Some 100 students from Korea and ASEAN member states will participate in programs here for the first four days and in Indonesia for six days.

The annual event began in 2013.

"Turning the post-World War II wreckage into a green landscape, Korea is an unprecedented model example in forest recovery while the ASEAN region possesses 20 percent of global forest and is home to 40 percent of total biological species around the world," a center spokeswoman said.

"Youths from the two regions will gather to gain firsthand experience of the success in Korea's forest environment and also explore diverse educational and cultural activities of the Wanagama Forest, Indonesia's representative case of forest conservation."

The workshop will include team-building activities, lectures from forestry experts and visits to relevant sites such as the Korea Forest Research Institute, the ASEAN Secretariat, Ministry of Environment and Forestry, Borobudur Temple and Prambanan Temple.

The ASEAN-ROK Forest Cooperation Agreement was closed in 2011 to intensify cooperation in green growth between ASEAN and Korea. In 2014, through the Joint Statement of the 2014 ASEAN-ROK Commemorative Summit, capacity-building in forestry was agreed to for the well-being of the people of ASEAN member states and Korea.

The 2015 ASEAN-Korea Youth Network Workshop aims to provide an opportunity for future leaders to exchange views on environmental challenges to further strengthen the partnership among ASEAN and Korean youth.

In the latest event, some 70 students discussed the topic of sustainable water management in Korea and Vietnam.

By Park Jin-hai

Source: [http://www.koreatimes.co.kr/www/news/biz/2015/08/123\\_184558.html](http://www.koreatimes.co.kr/www/news/biz/2015/08/123_184558.html)

## ASEAN, Korean students plant seeds of sustainable forestry August 23, 2015

Students from Southeast Asia and Korea participated in a weeklong workshop in mid-August to build long-lasting connections in forest conservation and sustainable development.

The 2015 ASEAN-Korea Youth Network Workshop, held in Korea and Indonesia from Aug. 10-18, provided opportunities for 100 undergraduate and graduate students to engage and learn from each other, as they are expected to lead environment-conscious development in the next generation.

With ASEAN and Korea becoming progressively intertwined through diplomacy, commerce and culture, cooperation in green growth and responsible forestry is likely to present new challenges and opportunities on both sides.



▲ ASEAN-Korea Center Secretary-General Kim Young-sun (third from left) smiles with students of the 2015 ASEAN-Korea Youth Network Workshop during a tree-planting ceremony in Indonesia. ASEAN-Korea Center

"The venue will allow you future leaders to learn about your different cultures, experiences and thinking regarding forests," said the ASEAN-ROK Forest Cooperation executive director Hadisusanto Pasaribu in a speech at Soopchewon training center in Gangwon Province on Aug. 10.

The organization was launched in November 2011 to facilitate cooperation between ASEAN member states and Korea in the rehabilitation of deforested areas, climate adaptation, biodiversity conservation, institutional capacity building and technology transfer.

Pasaribu added, "Protecting forests requires actions beyond borders, but the regional and global cooperation should also reflect the realities and needs of local communities."

The workshop was launched in 2012 by the ASEAN-Korea Center to promote two-way exchange of communication and education.

Part of the program included a visit to the ASEAN Secretariat in Jakarta on Aug. 14, where ASEAN Secretariat Secretary-General Le Luong Minh and ASEAN-Korea Center Secretary-General Kim Young-sun spoke on the importance of bilateral cooperation.



▲ Students pose at the Borobudur Temple in Yogyakarta in Indonesia. (ASEAN-Korea Center)

The ASEAN region has 20 percent of the world's forest and 40 percent of its biological species, from which many low-income people obtain food, water, medicine and energy for basic living.

Although the region is growing rapidly as the world's seventh-largest economy, with a GDP of \$3.6 trillion, its development model is unsustainable, as it relies on exploiting natural resources at great environmental and social cost.

Southeast Asia has lately lost more than 1 million hectares of forest annually through mining, illegal logging, farmland clearances and oil palm expansion.

ASEAN has looked for new solutions to deliver growth with reduced carbon emissions and poverty and improved energy efficiency.

Korea, whose mountains and landscapes were stripped bare during the 20th century, is currently modeled after for ASEAN's green growth initiatives.

Korea's "Saemaul Undong" rural development model, which had diligence, self-help and cooperation as its main mantras, contributed significantly to the country's green transformation. As a broad-based social movement, the Saemaul Undong demonstrated the need to incorporate the public in a nationwide program - an experience ASEAN is keen to replicate back home.



▲ ASEAN Secretariat Secretary-General Le Luong Minh, ASEAN-Korea Center Secretary-General Kim Young-sun and students pose at the ASEAN Secretariat in Jakarta on Aug. 14 (ASEAN-Korea Center)

According to the ASEAN-ROK Forest Cooperation, strengthening "natural capital" - which is critical to long-term economic viability - requires a holistic partnership between government, business and society, employing policies, regulations, investment and civic participation.

Pasaribu, in a lecture on Aug. 11 in Korea, noted the historic resolution targeting sustainable forest management adopted at the 11th United Nations Forum on Forests in May, which was attended by 125 member states, including

30 forest ministers and vice ministers.

A ministerial declaration from the forum recognized the need to include forest issues in international meetings, such as the Addis Ababa Conference on Financing for Development, the U.N. summit for the post-2015 development agenda and the Paris Climate Change Conference.

By Joel Lee [joel@heraldcorp.com](mailto:joel@heraldcorp.com)

Source: <http://www.koreaherald.com/view.php?ud=20150823000341>



## '2015 한-아세안 청년 네트워크 워크숍' 8월10일 개최...아시아 산림보존 논의

2015년 08월 03일

### 청년참가자 100명 한-아세안 교육·문화 체험

[아시아엔=최정아 기자] 한국과 아세안(ASEAN·동남아시아국가연합) 청년들이 모여 국제 산림보전에 대해 논의한다.

한-아세안센터(ASEAN-Korea Centre, 사무총장 김영선)와 아시아산림협력기구사무국(AFoCo Secretariat, 사무총장 하디수산토 파사리부) 이 제3회 '2015 한-아세안 청년 네트워크 워크숍'을 한국과 인도네시아 양국에서 오는 10~18일 9일간 열린다. 한국과 아세안 청년들의 교류 활성화를 위해 열리는 이번 워크숍에선 한국청년들이 한국과 인도네시아의 산림현장을 둘러보는 시간을 가질 예정이다.

'청년과 산림: 한국과 아세안의 산림보전에 앞장선 미래세대(Youth in the Forefront of Forest Conservation in ASEAN & Korea)'를 주제로 열리는 이번 워크숍은 국내와 해외프로그램으로 나누어 서울과 강원도 횡성 '숲체험'(8.10~13) 및 인도네시아의 자카르타와 요그자카르타 '와나가마 교육 숲'(8.13~18)에서 8박9일 일정으로 진행된다.

청년 참가자 100명은 국립산림과학원, 인도네시아 환경산림부, 아세안 사무국 등 주요 기관을 방문하고, 세계문화유산 보로부두르 사원, 프람바난 사원 등 역사 유적지도 탐방하는 등 다양한 교육·문화 체험을 할 예정이다.

한편 한국과 아세안은 2011년 '한-아세안 산림협정'을 체결해 한국과 아세안 간 녹색성장 분야에서 협력을 심화하는데 합의했으며, 2014년 '한-아세안 특별 정상회의' 공동성명을 통해 산림 분야에서의 역량강화를 위한 경제협력을 증진하기로 했다.

최정아 기자

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[The ASIA N]  
Discuss forest  
conservation in Asia  
August 4, 2015

Under the theme of Youth in the Forefront of Forest Conservation in ASEAN and Korea, ASEAN and Korean undergraduate and graduate students attended the Workshop to discuss the global issues related to forest conservation and ways to overcome various challenges in forestry.

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3	인도네시아 개최	19 August 2015	한인 포스트

## Articles by Participants

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**Lee Seungbeom**

**Korea**

ASEAN Korea Youth Network Workshop

"Wonderful sceneries, wonderful lessons, wonderful events and foremost, wonderful people."

That is how I would like to characterize what ASEAN Korea Youth Network Workshop has been for me. Held from 10th to 18th of August 2015, ASEAN Korea Youth Network Workshop was a workshop for 100 undergraduate and graduate students from various ASEAN countries and Korea. The students from various countries and academic backgrounds have gathered to represent their countries and share their insights on forest conservation and sustainable development. Co-hosted by the ASEAN-Korea Center and ASEAN-ROK Forest Cooperation, it also aimed to foster friendship among students from ASEAN countries and Korea; bridging their cultures at the same time.

Personally, to reminisce back at how it all began in the first place for me, it was just a coincidence. While waiting to attend the next class at school, I happened to stumble upon the poster for the workshop on the information board. A workshop to be held in 2 different countries alongside foreigners has definitely caught my eyes. From then on, I started to work on the application form and after spending a lot of effort on it, I was able to receive an acceptance e-mail a few weeks after. It is somewhat funny that that specific moment when I happened to stop by at the poster has led me all the way to a trip to Indonesia and meet all the wonderful and insightful people from various countries.

The workshop was composed of 2 parts. Part 1 was held in Soopchewon, Gangwon province and Seoul; both of which are located in Korea. For the part 2, it was held in Jakarta and Jogjakarta of Indonesia. During part 1, we were categorized into 8 students per group. It was a great opportunity for

us to meet people from other countries and familiarize ourselves with other cultures. In Soopchewon, we had activities such as forest trekking, UCC making contest, traditional costume contest among others. Meeting people from various countries seemed to be a little unusual and uneasy at first. But as we shared our insights and knowledge about the forest conservation, we were able to realize that we have all gathered together to meet a common goal; and that we all do share a common vision.

After spending two nights in Soopchewon, we headed to Seoul for the research trip. We grouped ourselves into 5 participants per group with a blend of Koreans and ASEAN students. We, as Korean students helped ASEAN students tour around Seoul and visited various tourist spots within Seoul. For my group, we were composed of 3 Koreans and 2 ASEAN students. After some heated debate amongst Koreans on where we could find and visit genuine Korea within a limited period of time, we have decided to visit the Bukchon Hanok Village to take a look at the traditional Korean housings. After visiting the place, we went to Samcheongdong to have some traditional Korean desserts (bingsoo) and as gwanghwamun was nearby, we also took some pictures by the statue of King Sejong. Lastly, we had some traditional Korean food (Jjimddak) for our dinner before getting ourselves ready for the trip to Indonesia.

After spending 3 days of fun in Korea, we headed to Indonesia the next morning. As we arrived in Indonesia late in the afternoon, we had some rest that day and continued to move on to our schedule the very next day. In Jakarta, we visited the ASEAN headquarters and the Ministry of Environment and Forestry of Indonesia. From the lectures and talks held at those locations, we were able to learn more about ASEAN and what the member states are doing to preserve the forest. We were even able to ask some questions about the topic and received great feedbacks from the experts of the matter.

After spending some time in Jakarta, we all headed to Jogjakarta which was the main venue for the 2nd part of the program. In Jogjakarta, we were invited to talks with the professors from the faculty of forestry in Gadjah Mada University and had various cultural activities such as Batik making and

forest tour. From the talks by the professors of Gadjah Mada University, we were able to learn what Gadjah Mada University is doing to help preserve the nature and what are the things we can do to help preserve the nature. Additionally, from the cultural activities such as the Batik making, we were able to learn more about the traditional culture of Indonesia.

Aside from the educational talks and cultural activities, we concluded our trip by spending a day visiting the Prambanan temple and Borubudur temple in Jogjakarta which are UNESCO's world heritage. Prambanan temple's extraordinary structural design was stunning and Borubudur temple's enormous size and delicacy was definitely one of its kind. Both of the tourist sites were marvelous and they definitely made us stand in awe of its extravagance.

The entire trip was quite hectic and schedule was fully packed at some points. However, spending such time with great lectures and sharing ideas with such great minds from various countries have definitely made me lose the track of time and it still feels like it has only lasted for a day or two. Around 2 weeks have passed since we have bid our farewells. However, the friendship we have shared beyond our cultures still remain deep in our hearts. Even though the workshop has lasted for just a little more than a week, the ideas and memories we have shared together would always be remembered.

I would also like to use this opportunity to give thanks to his Excellency Kim Young-sun, the Secretary-General for ASEAN-Korea Center and his Excellency Dr. Hadisusanto Pasaribu who is the executive director for ASEAN-ROK Forest Cooperation. I would also like to give thanks to all of the friends I have met during the workshop as well as the facilitators and staffs who have worked so hard to make this event possible. It was definitely a workshop like no other.

Kamsahamnida, Terima Kasih!

**Sarah Chua**  
**Singapore**

A buzzing sound interrupted the humdrum silence of my evening. It was a text. From a friend I hadn't heard from in a while. The text relayed news of a workshop by the ASEAN-Korea Centre, which offered students a chance to learn about forests in an all-expenses paid trip to Soopchewon in Korea, and Jakarta and Yogyakarta in Indonesia. However, lying between us students whose ears perked at this opportunity, was an application form that required us to write two essays, a herculean task for us who were enjoying the feeling of doing absolutely nothing productive that entire summer of 2015. Something inside me summoned the determination to write the essays, which I miraculously finished in 2 days, aided by several cups of coffee (black, with plenty of sugar).

I considered it a small miracle, and an act of generosity that my application was accepted by the AKC, and that I got to not only take part in the in-bound program in Korea, but the out-bound part that took place in Indonesia as well. After attending their orientation, all I had to do was wait (and pack) until the awaited day came. Here I'll note that so many events happened in the short span of 8 days, that it would be impossible to detail all of them. Instead, I'll list the events most memorable to myself.

The first day of the workshop saw us all seated at the large auditorium at Soopchewon, waiting for the speeches Professor Hadi Pasaribu, the executive director of AFoCo, and Amb. Kim Young-sun, the Secretary General of ASEAN-Korea Centre had prepared for us. We were all making awkward small talk with our neighbors, which was the first step to the great friendships that would develop in the days to follow. An echoing tap resounded through the hall. It was the sound of the microphone being tested, and the opening ceremony began. It went as most opening ceremonies went, with a rare gravitas descending into the crowd of young adults who, as the speeches continued, were starting to realize how important an event they were taking part in. And as the speeches closed, the workshop began.



At the end of that first day, we were starting to find groups of friends that we were comfortable with, but, as with all things that go well, something inevitably comes along like a wrecking ball, bringing everything to the ground and me, socially, back to square one. We were sorted into groups. The biggest test that our group had to face was a UCC making competition that pitted us against the other groups. I was pleased that my group consisted of a diverse group. During the Korea part of the workshop, this group became the people we banded with for all our activities, and while our personalities did not always suit each other, we learned to work together well and we enjoyed the fruits of our labor, which was winning 'Most Informative' in the UCC making competition. That, I believe, was the highlight of the Korea part of the workshop for me.

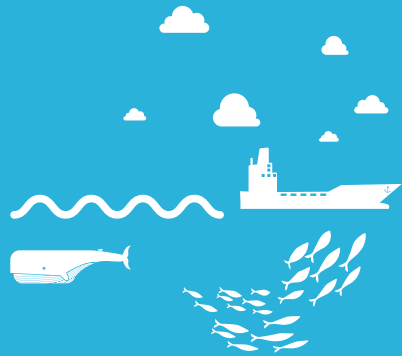
We first set foot in Indonesia in the bustling metropolis that was Jakarta. As a diplomat's daughter who constantly moved from place to place, I was born but not quite raised in Jakarta, and I was just as new to our surroundings as the rest of the workshop, and I was a poor tour guide and translator for them. Apologies. The next day's schedule was packed, as we had 2 places to visit: the ASEAN Secretariat, and the Ministry of Environment and Forestry, where we had the chance to meet and obtain knowledge on forests from the leaders of ASEAN and the Ministry of Environment and Forestry, and it was then that we had to hurry back to the airport to catch the plane to Yogyakarta.

Yogyakarta was very different from Jakarta. While Jakarta held a certain similarity to other bustling metropolises such as New York, Tokyo, and Seoul, Yogyakarta seemed like a city with a quiet dignity, as it was part of the ancient and advanced Mataram Kingdom in the past. Its historical background also showed with its close proximity to the Prambanan and Borobudur temples. They were claimed to be the largest temples in Indonesia, and they did not disappoint. Their magnificence left most of us awestruck in silence. Except for the occasional camera click of someone taking a selfie with the temple as the background. While the closing of the workshop officially took place at Gajah Mada University the next day, I'm sure most of us felt that the workshop closed as we collectively watched the sun set on the Borobudur Temple that day.

Everyone made unforgettable memories that day, but sometimes I think back to our last day and our tearful farewells and promises to one day meet again at the airport, and how I forgot to thank the true unsung heroes of the entire operation: the ASEAN-Korea Centre and AFoCo teams that accompanied us throughout those 8 days. Watching over all of us couldn't have been easy, and you deserve thanks for making sure we had comfortable hotels and keeping all of us together.



## Chapter 4



2016  
ASEAN-KOREA  
YOUTH NETWORK  
WORKSHOP

**Marine Conservation –  
Promoting the Sustainable Use  
of Coastal and Marine Resources**

## Outline

### 2016 ASEAN-KOREA YOUTH NETWORK WORKSHOP

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<b>Theme</b>	Marine Conservation – Promoting the Sustainable Use of Coastal and Marine Resources
<b>Date</b>	1-10 August 2016
<b>Venue</b>	Busan, Suncheon & Seoul, South Korea and Amphawa, Chanthaburi & Bangkok, Thailand
<b>Co-organizer</b>	ASEAN Studies Center, Chulalongkorn University
<b>Participants</b>	200 ASEAN and Korean students

### Schedule

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#### 1-5 August 2016: Busan, Suncheon & Seoul, Korea

##### 1 August 2016

07:00-13:30	Departure from Seoul to Busan, Korea Arrival and registration
13:30-14:30	Lunch
14:30-15:00	Korea Program Opening Ceremony
15:00-18:00	<b>Lectures</b> ASEAN-Korea Relations <i>Dr. Kim Hyung-jong, Professor Yonsei University</i> Marine Conservation: Focusing on the case of Korea National Park Service <i>Dr. Choi In-young, Researcher, Korea National Park Service</i>
18:00-19:00	Dinner
19:00-22:00	<b>Ice-breaking Activities</b> <b>Team Mission</b> Video-making Class
22:00	End of Day 1

## 2 August 2016

- 06:30-10:00 Breakfast
- 10:00-13:00 **Site Visit**  
Suncheon bay Wetland Reserve
- 13:00-14:00 **Lunch**
- 14:00-17:00 Depart for Busan
- 17:00-20:00 **Cultural Exploration**  
Research trip in Busan  
Dinner
- 20:00-22:00 Team Mission  
Video-making Activity
- 22:00 End of Day 2

## 3 August 2016

- 07:00-08:00 Breakfast
- 08:00-12:00 **Site Visit**  
Korea National Maritime Museum  
KOEM Marine Environment Research and Training Institute
- 12:00-13:00 Lunch
- 13:00-17:00 **Site Visit**  
KIOST South Sea Research Institute  
**Lecture**  
Marine Conservation: Focusing on cases in the ASEAN region  
*Dr. Hong Sanghee, KIOST South Sea Research Institute*
- 17:00-19:30 Dinner
- 19:30-20:30 Presentation of videos  
**Cultural Exploration**  
ASEAN Talent Show
- 20:30 End of Day 3



## 5-10 August 2017: Amphawa, Chanthaburi & Bangkok, Thailand

### 5 August 2016

- 05:30-06:00 Hotel Check-out  
Depart for Incheon International Airport
- 06:00-12:40 Airline Check-in  
Departure from Incheon, Korea to Bangkok, Thailand
- 12:40-17:30 Departure from Bangkok International Airport to Hotel
- 17:30-18:00 Hotel Check-in
- 18:00-19:00 Thailand Program Opening Ceremony
- 19:00-20:00 **Team Mission**  
Group Presentation Preparation: Symposium on the Role of the ASEAN Youth in Lingering the Enhancement of ASEAN Community  
  
End of Day 5

### 6 August 2016

- 08:00-09:00 Breakfast
- 09:00-12:00 **Lecture**  
Special Lecture on ASEAN  
*Mr. Kavi Chongkittavorn, Senior Fellow, Institute of Strategic and International Studies*
- 12:00-13:00 Lunch
- 13:00-17:30 **Site Visit**  
Wat Phra Kaew in the Grand Palace
- 17:30-19:30 Dinner
- 19:30 End of Day 6

### 7 August 2016

- 06:00-08:00 Breakfast
- 08:00-10:00 Depart for Amphawa, Thailand
- 10:00-15:00 Site Visit  
Klong Klone Mangrove Forest Conservation Centre
- 15:00-17:00 Depart for Bangkok, Thailand
- 17:00-19:30 Dinner
- 19:30 End of Day 7

### 8 August 2016

- 06:00-09:00 Breakfast  
Depart for Chanthaburi, Thailand
- 09:00-15:00 **Site Visit**  
Kung Krabaen Bay Royal Development Study Center
- 15:00-18:00 Depart for Bangkok, Thailand
- 18:00-19:00 Dinner
- 19:00 End of Day 8

### 9 August 2016

- 07:00-09:00 Breakfast  
Hotel Check-out
- 09:00-12:00 Symposium on the Role of the ASEAN Youth in Lingering the  
Enhancement of ASEAN Community  
Thailand Program Closing Ceremony
- 12:00-13:00 Lunch
- 13:00-17:00 **City Exploration**  
Bangkok City Tour
- 17:00-18:00 Dinner
- 18:00-19:40 Departure from Bangkok City to Bangkok International Airport
- 19:40-22:40 Airline Check-in
- 22:40-06:10 Depart from Bangkok, Thailand to Incheon, Korea  
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### 10 August 2016

- 06:10 Arrival in Incheon, Korea  
End of the Workshop

## Lectures

With a coastline of 173,000 km, ASEAN has arguably the most abundant and diverse natural marine resources in the world. The region houses 35% of the world's mangrove forests and about 30% of the coral reefs while producing 14% of the world's marine fish products. However, the non-sustainable utilization and exploitation of marine resources in ASEAN have led to grave environmental degradation. In order to achieve a sustainable marine environment against the backdrop of social changes and economic development as well as foster greater mutual understanding, it is important to enhance the understanding of ASEAN and Korea on marine conservation.

### Topics

#### ASEAN-Korea Relations

**Lecturer** Dr. Kim Hyung-jong

**Position** Professor

**Affiliation** Yonsei University



### Marine Conservation: Focusing on the case of Korea National Park Service

**Lecturer** Dr. Choi In-young

**Position** Researcher

**Affiliation** Korea National Park Service



### Marine Conservation: Focusing on cases in the ASEAN region

**Lecturer** Dr. Hong Sanghee

**Position** Researcher

**Affiliation** KIOST South Sea Research Institute



### Special Lecture on ASEAN

**Lecturer** Mr. Kavi Chongkittavorn

**Position** Senior Fellow

**Affiliation** Institute of Strategic and International Studies



## Site Visits

Visits to different sites were scheduled in order to enhance the participants' understanding of the theme as well as of Korea and Thailand.

### Sites

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- Suncheon bay Wetland Reserve
- Korea National Maritime Museum
- KOEM Marine Environment Research and Training Institute
- KIOST South Sea Research Institute
- Klong Klone Mangrove Forest Conservation Centre
- Kung Krabaen Bay Royal Development Study Center



1. The 2016 ASEAN-Korea Youth Network Workshop participants travelled to Suncheon to see Suncheon Bay Wetland Reserve.
2. The participants learning how to remove oil from sand at KOEM Marine Environment Research and Training Institute.
3. A photo of participants exploring sea creatures at Korea National Maritime Museum.









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- 4. The participants were very enthusiastic in learning apparatus used at KIOST South Sea Research Institute.
- 5. The last stop of the participants for their site visit was the Kung Krabaen Bay Royal Development Study Center.
- 6. Workshop participants at Klong Klone Mangrove Forest Conservation Centre.





## Team Missions

Having aimed at facilitating networks and establishing friendships among the participants, the Workshop offered a wide range of team-building activities.

### Activities

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- Ice-breaking Activities
- Video-making Activity and Competition
- Symposium on the Role of the ASEAN Youth in Lingering the Enhancement of ASEAN Community

1. Ice-breaking activities were prepared to allow the participants to get to know each other and be comfortable in working with other participants during the Workshop.
2. The participants prepared videos under the theme of marine conservation.



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## Cultural Explorations

Cultural explorations enabled the participants to learn about the cultures of Korea and Thailand.

### Activities

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- Research trip in Busan
- ASEAN Talent Show
- Seoul City Exploration
- Bangkok City Exploration



1. A photo of the participants exploring Jagalchi Market in Busan.
2. Participants from Thailand performed a traditional Thai dance.
3. As part of the Workshop, the participants were able to visit the Grand Palace in Bangkok where they saw magnificent Thai temples.





## Group Photos





















## Student Speeches

**Nguyen Hoang**

**Vietnam**

**Speech delivered at the Closing Ceremony of Korea Program of the Workshop**



My name is Nguyễn Hoàng An - a 23 year old delegate from Vietnam and also a proud ASEAN youth citizen. On the behalf of ASEAN participants, it is such a huge honor for me to stand on this stage to express our appreciations for ASEAN - KOREA Network Workshop 2016.

Firstly, we would like to send our sincere thanks to ASEAN - Korea Centre for extending warm welcome to all of 80 participants from ASEAN, Korea, Japan and China. Thanks to your hard work and diligent sacrifice, delegates from different nations had a fantastic opportunity to deepen their understanding on each other and live together. In this beautiful country, we became a big real family.

ASEAN - Korea Network Workshop 2016 is a sensational and marvelous journey. With four days, we have gotten our feet in Busan - the largest sea city in Korea, Suncheon bay, Geoje and the prosperous capital Seoul. Each

destination was not only for travelling purpose; it also gave us valuable lessons, especially on coastal and marine resources. Throughout the program, we have been taught about marine conservation in Busan University of Foreign Studies, Korea National Maritime Museum, KOEM Marine Environment Research & Training Institute and KIOST South Sea Research Institute. We would not have been able to acquire this knowledge if it were not for the venerable speakers - Dr. CHOI Inyoung and Dr. HONG Sanghee. Thank you so much for taking time on your busy schedules to be a part of us.

With the theme "Coastal and marine resources", all participants had the opportunity to discuss and work together. It is truly precious because the participants, who are the present and future of the world, were able to share straightly current situations of coastal - marine resources in their countries and trace out the effective solutions for the mutual conservation & development.

Apparently, we have not only learned about coastal and marine resources but also about the culture, how to harmonize the differences to build up the solidarity and amity among international relationships. At this point, we would like to send our gratitude to Professor KIM Hyungjong for conveying clearly about ASEAN - Korea relations on the very first day that we arrived in Busan.

Nowadays, there is a fight existing all over the world between marine and human. The marine environment is the one paying for the damages that we, humans, have done to them. Therefore, protecting environment and building up the sustainable development are the actions that every nations have to accord before anything else.

The motto "One vision, one identity, one community" is not only for ASEAN but for all of global citizens. With all the knowledge, friendship and love that we have raised in ASEAN - Korea Network Workshop 2016, I hope that we will take all of them back to our hometown and forward it to others. From the bottom of my heart, I would like to extend my congratulations to all of us for the success of our program. I wish all the best for the second segment of ASEAN -Korea Network Workshop in Thailand.

Thank you so much - 감사합니다!

**Jung Subin**

**Korea**

**Speech delivered at the Closing Ceremony of Korea Program of the Workshop**



First, on behalf of all the participants of the program, I would like to thank ASEAN-Korea Center, for kindly giving us the wonderful opportunity to exchange with students from 13 different countries. I would also like to thank all the cooperating organizations and the officials for kindly supporting the program, as they have made every arrangement possible.

In addition, I would like to express my sincere gratitude to the diplomatic corps here with us today, for kindly donating their time, and to share their valuable experience. I can't express how grateful I am to have all of you here with us.

Today, I speak on behalf of the participants of the ASEAN-Korea Youth Network Workshop. The ASEAN-Korea Youth Network Workshop was initiated in 2012, for the purpose of raising awareness of ASEAN and ASEAN-Korea relations among the youth of ASEAN and Korea and forging forge long-lasting friendships among them. Since 2012, the ASEAN-Korea Center have organized a number of workshops annually and covered various topics to achieve the aforementioned goals.

For the past four days, the youths from ASEAN, Korea, Japan and China gathered together, under two main objectives. First, to further promote awareness on ASEAN and ASEAN-Korea partnership among the youth, and second, to enhance active networks and genuine friendship among the ASEAN and Korean youth. Recognizing the fact, it was a great pleasure for me to be a part in this meaningful process.

During the time being, we have taken several lectures, site-visits and team activities. Through the events, we have fully understood the importance of the marine environment and its conservation. Then, we all have made our own UCCs to promote marine conservation, and raise awareness of our attention to the marine ecosystem.

Not only have we successfully achieved our goals of the workshop, but we also had a chance to elaborate our plans for the establishment of the network for the future generations. Therefore, I believe that we have achieved quite the result, considering the short amount of time.

Our work is far from over, but what we have accomplished together has made a difference in hundreds of people's lives. If we have made this much progress in just one year, think what we can do in a decade. So I suggest that we all roll up our sleeves and continue this journey with more dedication than ever.

Again, I would like to express my sincere appreciation to all the audiences here and thank you for taking precious time out of your busy schedule.

I hope that you find this event worthwhile. Thank you.

**Baek Sobit**

**Korea**

**Speech delivered at the Closing Ceremony of Thailand Program of the Workshop**



Ambassador Kim Young-sun, Secretary-General of the ASEAN-Korea Centre, Dr. Suthipand Chirathivat, Executive Director of ASEAN Studies Center of Chulalongkorn University, Distinguish guests, families and friends; 안녕하세요. I am Baek Sobit, from Korea. This morning, I would like to tell you about the journey of THANK and YOU.

Last August 5 2016, thank was in my mind but suddenly jailed and locked by my mouth inside of my heart for unknown reasons. Thank wanted to get out but it didn't know how, when and for whom should it be free for.

When thank was feeling frustrated and hopeless, it remembered YOU the creator. It mingled with YOU the participants. It learned from YOU, the lecturers. It felt home in YOU, Chulalongkorn University. It was amazed by YOU, the friendly people of Thailand. It felt YOU, Thailand. It smiled to YOU, the staff members. It recognized YOU, the organizers. And it was moved by YOU, ASEAN-Korea Centre and ASEAN Studies Center of Chulalongkorn University.



There and then, thank developed its feelings for YOU for the past 4 days through the workshops, symposiums, sessions, exploring the Klong Klone Mangrove Forest Conservation Center and learning at Kung Krabaen Bay Royal Development Study Center.

So now, my mouth will free Thank from being jailed and prisoned in my heart to be together with YOU; so now I can say, on behalf of all the participants,

Thank you, Creator, for everything that you created for us to protect.

Thank you, participants, for being my family.

Thank you, lecturers, for enlightening us.

Thank you, Thailand, for being our home away from home.

Thank you to the ASEAN-Korea Centre and ASEAN Studies Centre of Chulalongkorn for organizing the 2016 ASEAN- Korea Youth Network Workshop to give us a memorable opportunity to meet friends from different countries.

Looking at you now makes me realize how lucky I am to be here and have you as friends. I hope that all of we will all cross paths again in the future.

## Evaluation

### Survey

The 2016 ASEAN-Korea Youth Network Workshop successfully gathered 200 participants and was covered extensively by the media both in Korea and Thailand. It was viewed by the participants as a good opportunity to enhance their knowledge and understanding on ASEAN, ASEAN-Korea relations, and marine conservation as well as to forge networks among other participants. A survey was conducted to get the feedback from the Workshop participants. According to the survey, 100% and 97% of the participants agreed that they were satisfied with how the Workshop enabled them to raise their awareness of the ASEAN and ASEAN-Korea relations as well as marine conservation, respectively. 95% of the participants affirmed that they were able to establish new friendships through the Workshop.

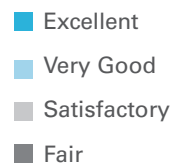
The Workshop enabled me to enhance my awareness on ASEAN and ASEAN-Korea relations.



The Workshop enabled me to deepen my understanding on marine conservation.



The Workshop enabled me to establish friendship with other participants.



## THE KOREA TIMES

### ASEAN students plant mangrove of co-prosperity

August 12, 2016



▲ Participants in the ASEAN-Korea Youth Network Workshop gather after planting mangrove seedlings at a shore of the Klong Klone Mangrove Forest near Khlong Khon, Samut Songkhram Province, Thailand, on Aug. 7. / Courtesy of ASEAN-Korea Center

### ASEAN-Korea Center's workshop builds bridges between students from 11 nations

KHLONG KHON, Thailand - Among environmentalists, mangrove conservation has been a longtime lingering agenda to protect vulnerable shores in low-lying South East Asian countries. The benefits of vegetation persuaded many of those indifferent to the issue to become propagators.

However, planting mangroves is easier said than done - a deeply felt lesson for not only this reporter but also for some 120 students from 10 ASEAN member countries and Korea who took part in the ASEAN-Korea Center's project to plant mangrove seedlings in the Klong Klone Mangrove Forest in Thailand.

### Opaque water, poking mud

Lying on the northwestern tip of the Bay of Bangkok, the Klong Klone Forest covers an area of approximately 7.2 square kilometers or 4,500 rai - a Thai unit

of area equal to 1,600 square meters - near Khlong Khon, Samut Songkhram Province, a two-hour drive southwest to Bangkok.

The area is forested with mangroves, small subtropical trees occurring on the edges of sea and land, which oftentimes are in saline and waterlogged mud. The plant's existence is very important because it is a food resource for shellfish and monkeys, provides hiding places for fishes, nests for birds and serves as natural breakwaters.

For residents near the area, the mangroves and the mud flats on which they grow have long been providers of wood to build floating huts called "Kra-Teng," fish and seafood to eat and sell, and a barrier to prevent land from being lost to storms.

But excessive logging and trash adversely threaten not only human beings but also animal habitation there. The damaged environment harms the marine ecosystem, forcing the villagers - about 70 percent of them are dependent on fishing for living - to face setbacks in their livelihood.

However, efforts were barely made until some two decades ago, when the Thai government and residents there recognized the serious condition of the forest and started to restore the area by picking up trash and planting mangroves.

Planting a mangrove is not as easy as it sounds, especially for those outside the local community.

To access the forest, the students on Aug. 7 visited a rural town in Khlong Khon, which local residents call "Village No. 2 in Klong Klone." The village stretches along the downstream of a narrow river linked to a small northwestern mouth of the Bangkok Bay, named Khon. There, the participants split into a number of 12-seater long tail motorboats and had 30 to 40 minutes of sailing on half-mud-half-water flats to approach the area where they were going to plant the seedlings.

Since the boats could not proceed on the mud flats, the participants had to move some 30 to 40 meters toward the forest. Despite being a short distance away, this was the most challenging part of getting there. Before planting the

mangroves, the participants found themselves stuck to their waists because the mud swamp was too soft to make secure footings, restricting them in the movements of their legs. They had to be cautious in making every step because a false step and they would sink into the muck and get stuck with many sharp edges - assumed to be mangrove roots or plastic from the trash - poking their legs inside the opaque dark gray water and the sticky mud.

As they managed to get to the planting area after some 30 minutes of the struggles of walking, crawling, sledging or using whatever method they could, they started to plant "the babies." Fortunately, planting was very easy. As instructed, they dug shallow holes with their hands, placed the seedlings in the holes and covered the roots with mud. Since the mangroves are tolerant of saline water, waves and other harsh conditions, such a simple planting will do enough for the young trees, according to local residents.

"It was different from what you would think. Going through the mud was the most difficult part," said Tung Nguyen, a participant from Vietnam. "You could find a lot of sharp things and plastic debris buried in the mud. Planting the trees was really a small thing but it was an extraordinary experience to do something for nature," he said.

"It was really fun and meaningful, and I was surprised that the mud was so deep," said Cynthia Foo, 23, from Brunei. "Brunei has some mangrove forests, but I never had such an experience in my country."

The project was not only a rare experience for these urban students, who were busy chattering about which Pokemon they caught last night in "Pokemon Go," but also helped to restore the forest and earn some extra revenue for the villagers, who mostly earn their livings catching fish or digging for clams on a mud sleigh.

In 1991, the Thai government gave control of the forest to the villagers so that they could restore and use it as a revenue source. About 14 years ago, the villagers started to run a sightseeing program, comprised of tours to the forest where swimming monkeys come to the boats to beg for potatoes, serve the tourists a meal on Kar-Tengs and give them an opportunity to plant mangrove



seedlings if the visitors want to.

For some 800 residents of this village, the program became a "consistent source of revenue." The head of the village, Theera Dokmaijeen, 37, did not disclose the amount the villagers earned, but said that about 2,000 people visit the village in a week for the tour and the mangrove planting. Most of them are Tha (90 percent), but there are some foreigners from Japan and "Westerners" even from Israel.

"For the 14 years of this program, the income from tourism has been consistent," he said through an interpreter. "Though most of the mangrove seedlings were planted by the villagers, income from the visitors also helps preserve the mangrove forest. I hope more Western visitors will help with the planting of mangrove seedlings instead of just watching from the boat."

### **'Sustainable youth development'**

From Aug. 1 to 10, the ASEAN-Korea Center's workshop has toured Korea and Bangkok and provided various on-site activities and lectures for participants from ASEAN and Korea under the theme of marine conservation.

On the second leg of the workshop in Thailand, they also attended a lecture by Kavi Chongkittavorn, a senior fellow at the Institute of Strategic and International Studies in Chulalongkorn University, and visited Kung Krabaen Bay Royal Development Study Center in Chanthaburi Province.

The programs were participated in by students from various backgrounds, such as Chin How Zet from Malaysia, who is a 20-year-old college student and a personal assistant to Cheah Kah Peng, the Penang State Legislative Assemblyman. Since last year, Chin has participated into six ASEAN-related programs, including the ASEAN Entrepreneurship Summit 2015.

"Having a chance to experience various social fields starting from the NGO, the Penang State Government and now in ASEAN has helped me to develop myself and empowered me to further develop the members of my local community in promoting sustainable youth development," he said.

His view was echoed by Jung Su-bin, 24, a Korean participant. "Through the five-day program, the students of ASEAN and Korea cooperated and interacted to build networks, which was very impressive for me," Jung said. "We felt close to each other because there was something we share with each other as a citizen of Asia. And I believe these kind of programs should be continued."

The ASEAN-Korea Center was established in 2009 to promote multilateral ties between ASEAN member nations and Korea. Since 2012, the center has been holding youth network workshops annually to help more than 300 students to build networks with each other.

"It is truly meaningful that the future leaders of ASEAN and Korea share the same recognition on practical issues and suggest various solutions to that," said the center's Secretary General Kim Young-sun. "I hope that this program has served as a platform for students to have a global perspective," Kim said.

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## Students of Asia envisage integrated future at workshop August 7, 2016

For Bruneian student Noorlela M.D. Yassin, her trip to Korea in early August was an intellectually rocking exercise. An undergraduate at the University of Brunei Darussalam majoring in marine biology, she had long coveted researching microplastic pollution in waters off the coast of her home.

Her aspiration found a dose of inspiration when she participated in the 2016 ASEAN-Korea Youth Network Workshop in Korea last week, an annual program that gathered some 80 university students from 13 countries of the Association of Southeast Asian Nations, China, Korea and Japan for ten days of interactive learning and chumming.



▲ Students, staff and diplomats from the Association of Southeast Asian Nations, China, Korea and Japan pose at a ceremony for the 2016 ASEAN-Korea Youth Network Workshop at the ASEAN-Korea Center in Seoul on Thursday, which focused on marine conservation. (Joel Lee/The Korea Herald)

Under the theme of "marine conservation: promoting the sustainable use of coastal and marine resources," students visited wetlands, coastal areas and maritime institutes and museums, received lectures by experts and even produced awareness-raising videos.

"This workshop has been full of activities, lectures and site visits, which were very informative, interesting and inspiring," Noorlela told The Korea Herald in an interview last week. "I learned a lot and really admire Korea for what it has achieved in marine biology and conservation. A lecture on protecting marine national parks and restoring indigenous animals here was highly valuable. At the Korean Institute of Ocean Science and Technology South Sea Research Center, we learned about marine debris and microplastic pollution in animals -- my future research passion."

The way the Korea National Maritime Museum has curated the history of seafaring and over 12,000 maritime relics was laudable, the 25-year-old highlighted, adding that Brunei does not have an equivalent institute.

Brunei, a small sovereign state located on the north coast of the island of Borneo in South China Sea, is surrounded by the Malay state of Sarawak.

"We are bigger than Singapore in terms of land mass, but smaller in population with only 420,000 people," she noted. "Our most pressing environmental issue is the acidification of estuaries and coastal areas. Due to increasing carbon dioxide from global warming, our waters have become more acidic, and so has our soil. Surface runoff and land erosion bring acidic dirt into streams and rivers, which flow into the sea."



▲ (From left) Ririka Takahashi, a student majoring in Japanese and Asian studies at the University of Tokyo; Kim Min-gyu, a Korean student studying kinesiology at the University of Michigan; and Bruneian student Noorlela M.D. Yassin studying marine biology at the University of Brunei Darussalam (Joel Lee / The Korea Herald)

The consequence for the marine life -- particularly "filter feeders" such as clams, mussels, krill and many fish -- is that their lives are being endangered with human implications, Noorlela explained.

"As they have to spend most of their energy fixing their shells, they cannot eat properly and grow," the student stressed. "The microplastics that swarm in estuaries are filtered by these species and end up in their bodies, which are then consumed by humans."

Furthermore, in Brunei flooding has become more frequent, with previously safe areas experiencing heavy inundation, she warned. Mangrove forests have been uprooted for infrastructure and residential development.

"We need to protect our forests, but at the same time want to develop our country. It is a dilemma and delicate balancing act."

Kim Min-gyu, a Korean student studying kinesiology at the University of Michigan, said participating in the program and mingling with friends from diverse cultures was eye-opening.



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"Our team made up of students from the Philippines, Singapore, Laos and Korea had to produce a promotional video. Their different perspectives and attitudes reflected circumstances facing their countries, and we ended up

with something that would have been impossible by Korean students only," the 24-year-old said. "The ASEAN students were very open in their minds and ready to blend ideas with others. They also spoke very good English. If Korean students turned their eyes more toward Southeast Asia, I felt much synergy could be gained."

Ririka Takahashi, a student majoring in Japanese and Asian studies at the University of Tokyo, said she developed curiosity for Southeast Asia through living in Thailand for over 10 years.

"My family followed my father to Thailand who worked in a car-related industry. I became interested in how Southeast Asia is an emerging market with so many opportunities," she said.

"Thailand was so different from Japan. I could see a lot of growth potentials. At the same time, I took interest in the more developed countries -- Japan, Korea and China. Although our economies have matured more, we are now at a stage where we have to work so hard for our long-term prosperity. So I thought the three countries, especially Korea and Japan, should develop strong relationships with ASEAN, so that we can all prosper together."



▲ Thai Ambassador to Korea Sarun Charoensuwan (Joel Lee / The Korea Herald)

Similar to the European Union, Takahashi argued, Asia as a whole can integrate and leap forward in its diverse cultures and economies.



Noting Japan has few natural resources and energy sources, she said her country has to uncover them from the ocean, for which diplomatic and maritime cooperation is imperative.

"But as you know, international cooperation in the sea is not going so well," underlined the 20-year-old, referring to Japan's territorial tug-of-war with China in the Senkaku or Diaoyudao Islands in East China Sea and the ongoing sovereignty clash between China and ASEAN in the South China Sea.

"The science of ocean knows no national boundaries. I learned through the workshop that teamwork is important for not only protecting the environment, but also building peace among countries. We shouldn't think narrowly about our national interests, but more broadly listen to neighboring narratives."



▲ Participants at a ceremony for the 2016 ASEAN-Korea Youth Network Workshop at the ASEAN-Korea Center in Seoul on Thursday, which focused on marine conservation. (Joel Lee/The Korea Herald)

Takahashi pointed out that Southeast Asia has upgraded its human capital and skills toward a knowledge-based economy. Many Japanese firms have made a firm presence in Thailand for automobile, textile and food production, using cheap, unskilled labor, but there are more and more talented and well-educated workers with value-added skills, she added.

"I think we should cooperate with the new generation of engineers, scientists and doctors," the student suggested. "Japan and Korea have declining populations, our economies are shrinking fast. Therefore cooperating with

ASEAN and accepting their skilled labor and immigrants will be necessary. This will strengthen our bonds and develop all our economies."

Conceding the Japanese society is "insular" and "conservative," she acknowledged that many people oppose immigration out of fear of forfeiting jobs and havening criminals, calling it a "terrible stereotype."

"We don't have enough nurses or staff to take care of the elderly, or information technology experts," she said. "I consider myself to be in a privileged position, having lived abroad and going to a good university in Japan. Among my friends in the Asian studies major, we are very open to the idea of immigration to combat the many problems Japan is facing.

"Yeah, we have to start changing the minds of the people, I think," Takahashi added.



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## "해양 보전 우리 손으로" 아시아 청년들 한목소리

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[Yonhap News]  
ASEAN-Korean  
youth speaking with  
one voice: "Marine  
conservation with our  
own hands"  
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▲ '해양 보전 우리 손으로'(서울=연합뉴스) 서명근 기자 = 4일 오후 서울 중구 한-아세안 센터에서 열린 '2016 한-아세안 청년 네트워크 워크숍' 발표회에서 각국 의상을 입은 청년들이 손을 흔들고 있다. 한-아세안센터는 한국과 아세안 간 경제·사회·문화 협력을 증진하고자 2009년 출범한 국제기구로, 2013년부터는 '한-아세안 청년 네트워크 워크숍'을 열어 지금까지 청년 300여 명의 교류를 추진해왔다.

### '2016 한-아세안 청년 네트워크 워크숍' 발표회

(서울=연합뉴스) 신유리 기자 = 아시아 13개국 청년들이 한자리에 모여 해양 생태계 보호를 위해 국경을 넘어서 협력하는 '바다 지킴이'가 될 것을 다짐했다.

4일 오후 서울 한-아세안센터에서 열린 '2016 한-아세안 청년 네트워크 워크숍' 발표회에서는 한국, 중국, 일본, 아세안(동남아시아국가연합) 10개국의 청년 80여 명이 참가해 지난 나흘 동안 부산, 거제, 순천 등 국내 각지를 탐방한 소감을 공개했다.

베트남에서 온 웬 황엔(22)씨는 "여러 나라 친구들과 한국의 아름다운 바다를 살펴보면서 해양 생태계의 소중함을 깨닫게 됐다"면서 "각국 청년 세대가 국경을 넘어선 교류와 협력을 통해 바다를 지키는 방안을 모색해야 한다고 생각한다"고 말했다.

이날 발표회에는 아세안 10개국의 주한 대사관 관계자도 참가해 청년들의 격려했다.

싸란 짜른쑤완 주한 태국 대사는 "이번 워크숍을 통해 13개국 청년들이 경험과 아이디어를 공유하며 해양 보전을 위해 노력했다"면서 "이들 청년이

"I become conscious of the preciousness of the marine ecosystem while observing beautiful Korean sea with friends from ASEAN, Korea, China and Japan," said one of the Vietnamese participants.

"Creative ideas exchanged on marine conservation and friendship participants from 13 countries shared will become an asset to broaden interchange among Asian nations," said H.E. Mr. Sarun Charoensuwan, Ambassador of Thailand to the Republic of Korea.

쌓은 우정이 아시아 국가의 교류를 넓히는 자산이 될 것으로 확신한다"고 말했다.

한국해양과학 체험하는 아세안 학생들(서울=연합뉴스) 한-아세안센터(사무총장 김영선)가 부산 및 거제 일대에서 "청년과 해양 - 해양 및 연안 해안보전과 지속가능한 이용"을 주제로 개최하는 '2016 한-아세안 청년 네트워크 워크숍'에 참여하는 아세안 10개국과 한중일 청년 100여명이 3일 거제도에 위치한 한국해양과학기술원 남해연구소(KIOST)를 방문했다. 사진은 학생들이 이날 연구선 온누리호에 탑승한 모습.



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국제기구인 한-아세안센터는 한국과 아세안 청년들이 해양 보전의 필요성을 체감하고 국제적 인맥을 쌓도록 해 지속가능한 지구촌 개발을 주도할 미래 인재로 키우려는 취지에서 이번 워크숍을 개최했다.

워크숍에 참가한 청년들은 '청년과 해양-해양 및 연안 환경 보전과 지속가능한 이용'이라는 주제 아래 전남 순천만 습지를 탐방하고, 한국해양과학기술원 남해연구소·국립해양박물관 등을 견학했다.

이들은 심포지엄, 전문가 특강 등도 열어 무분별한 개발로 몸살을 앓는 해양 생태계를 보전하는 방안을 모색했다. 참가자 중 20여 명은 오는 5일 태국으로 건너가 현지 청년 100여 명과 함께 오는 10일까지 맹그로브 숲 나무 심기 등 지구 살리기 운동에 동참한다.

한-아세안센터는 한국과 아세안 간 경제·사회·문화 협력을 증진하고자 2009년 출범한 국제기구로, 2013년부터는 '한-아세안 청년 네트워크 워크숍'을 열어 지금까지 청년 300여 명의 교류를 추진해왔다.

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100 participants visited Korea Institute of Ocean Science and Technology (KIOST) in Geje Island and boarded on the research vessel Onnuri to navigate marine ecosystem in the South Sea of Korea.

# 서울경제

"아시아 바다 함께 지켜요"

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'2016 한·아세안 청년 네트워크 워크숍'에 참가 중인 한국, 중국, 일본, 동남아시아국가연합(ASEAN·아세안) 청년들이 3일 부산 해양환경관리공단 해양환경교육원에서 해양 방제 체험을 하고 있다. 13개국 80여명의 학생들이 참여한 한·아세안 청년 네트워크 워크숍은 지난 1일 개막돼 이날까지 부산과 남해안 등에서 해양보전을 위한 다양한 체험활동을 벌였다.

Participants had an opportunity to take part in the oil spill training courses and marine environment education from the Marine Environment Research and Training Institute.

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### Foreign Press

	Title	Date	News Agency
1	Asean-Korea Centre to hold youth network workshop	29/7/2016	Borneo Bulletin
2	Documentary News	14/8/2016	Nation TV
3	Visions of ASEAN	24/8/2016	Visions of ASEAN TV

## Articles by Participants

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**Akmal Fauzan**  
**Brunei**

### **Awakening an Amazing ASEAN! (A Bruneian Delegate Perspective)**

"Assalamualaikum dan salam sejahtera" (Peace be upon you and pleased to meet you).

#### **Introduction**

The ASEAN-Korea Centre had organized the annual ASEAN-Korea Youth Network Workshop that was held in August 2016. The Korea Program was held on 1-4 August 2016 primarily in Busan and Seoul with the theme; Marine Conservation - Promoting the Sustainable Use of Coastal and Marine Resources.

#### **Arrival in Busan**

We, the Brunei delegates, were the first ones to arrive at Gimhae International Airport and welcomed warmly by Miss. Monica Dulos. Later on, delegates from other ASEAN countries arrived one by one and we had the time to introduce ourselves and established precious network.

"I was blessed with the opportunity to meet fellow youths from Cambodia, Laos PDR, Myanmar and Vietnam for the first time in my life through this workshop and able to create such genuine friendship with all fellow ASEAN delegates"

#### **Busan University of Foreign Studies**

The delegates were moved to Busan University of Foreign Studies by bus and later told to check in into the university dormitory. Here is the interesting part, delegates were given each a Korean roommate for the next three days. This is a good way for the delegates to culturally exchange information between their respective countries with South Korea.

"Since I don't know (yet) the participants that are joining the workshop and since it is a foreign environment for me, my roommate helped me easier to adapt. Further along the workshop, I get to know a lot of amazing Koreans and ASEAN youth. Since then, I was in for an exciting thrill ride."

### **Site Visit Review**

On 2nd August 2016, the delegates visited Suncheon Bay Wetland Reserve. The delegates undergo a trail through beautiful scenery of wetland and blazing summer heat. On other note, though it was a tiring hike to the observatory (about 90m hike), it was worth it to see the beautiful view of wetland from a higher level. On 3rd August 2016, the delegates visited Korea National Maritime Museum, KOEM Marine Environment & KIOST South Sea Research Institute. The delegates learned a lot on how South Korea implemented processes and sophisticated methodology in order to conserve the marine ecosystem.

### **Asean Talent Show**

The show was held to showcase the variety of culture residing the region of ASEAN. They showcased their respective culture through means of singing, dancing and storytelling.

"I was quite surprised that our humble performance received a huge applause from such multicultural audiences. It made me proud that people were celebrating my own country's culture alongside with me. It was also nice to see other cultural performance from other ASEAN countries. Everyone look so beautiful in their own national costume and look so cute when doing their performances."

### **Ice-breaking & UCC Making Activities**

In this session, the participants were divided into 12 groups with 5-7 members each groups. For the ice breaking, we were asked to create group name and carried out games to break the wall between the participants. The participants were also asked to make a video with a maximum duration of 2 minutes on the theme of "Marine Conservation".

### **Closing Ceremony**

On 4th August 2016, closing ceremony was held in ASEAN-Korea Centre in Seoul. The closing ceremony consisted of showing the UCC/Video that was made, speeches were given from student representative from both South Korea and ASEAN, award giving ceremony to best performance and top 3 UCC video. Altogether, it was an exciting and overwhelming experience in joining this workshop and were grateful for the opportunity to able establish network with amazing ASEAN+3 Youths.

"I am blessed to live with my fellow friends that I had known recently in the workshop under the same sky called ASEAN!"

**Jung Subin**

**Korea**

**Speech delivered at the Closing Ceremony of Korea Program of the Workshop**

For the past few years, I had participated in multiple ASEAN-related international events held in Korea, and also had an experience of going abroad for variety of exchange programs, but this was my first time participating in an exchange program for ASEAN related matters.

In addition, while there were certain numbers of students from each country, Korea also had over dozens of participants. I was proud of myself for being one of the Korean participants, but at the same time, felt some responsibility because it meant that we were the ones who represent our country.

For the past ten days, the workshop has toured cities along the Southern coast of Korea and several locations in Thailand for participants from ASEAN and Korea. Under the theme of “Marine conservation: promoting the sustainable use of coastal and marine resources,” we visited wetlands, mangrove forest, coastal areas and maritime institutes and museums. Moreover, we took part in various on-site activities, received lectures by foremost experts in the field.

Although the program was a bit tough because of the closely-packed schedule within a short amount of time, I tried to get the most out of the program with given circumstances. I had intently listened to the lectures, enthusiastically participated in on-site activities. We even had to make our own UCC to promote marine conservation. However, we did our best. We skipped our meals to take the video, and some of us even stayed up all night to make impossible things possible. Thankfully, the result really paid off. Our group had won two awards out of the three categories for the ‘2016 AKYNW UCC contest’, and also, preparing the speech in my spare time, I even had an opportunity to deliver my speech in front of huge audience including the diplomatic corps of the ASEAN member states.

Getting to meet with nice people was another grateful thing. Thai friends introduced us the country Thailand, by introducing their culture. In addition, exchanging with ASEAN participants was also meaningful. I began to think that ASEAN countries are all very close to us, observing all the similarities we had. With the hospitality of Thai friends and with the cooperation of other ASEAN participants, we could have a strong network, and our exchange was very impressive.

To sum up, not only have we successfully achieved our goals of the workshop, but we also had a chance to elaborate our plans for the sustainability of the network, for future generations. Therefore, I am confident that we have achieved quite the result, considering the time we had.

Through the whole duration of the program, we were accompanied by a number of presses, for the coverage of our stories. Several participants were personally interviewed and I was among them. At the interview, I was asked, 'What comes up to your mind after having completed the program?' I answered, "Through the ten-day program, the students of ASEAN and Korea cooperated and interacted to build networks, which was very impressive for me. We felt close to each other because there was something we share with each other as a citizen of Asia. And I believe these kinds of programs should be continued."

And yes, this actually was the main reason why I applied to participate in this program. From the beginning, I have been wanting to be involved in this process of forging a long-lasting relationship between ASEAN and Korean youth. Besides, this was also the whole point of the workshop. Without the program, we would never have had a chance to be aware of ASEAN and ASEAN-Korea partnership, not to mention the establishment of the friendship and enhancement of active networks among the participants. Fortunately, I believe that this workshop has provided the substantial platform to give shape to our long-cherished vision.



The experience in both Korea and Thailand was an opportunity for me to look back on myself and to broaden my sight on looking at the world. The ten days I spent for this program and the recollection would be unforgettable.



1. Group 6 at Certificate Delivery Ceremony (Thailand)
2. Group 6 at Opening Ceremony Dinner (Thailand)
3. Group 1 at the Closing Ceremony (Korea)
4. Group 6 mud-skiing at Amphawa (Thailand)
5. Myself at Klong Klone mangrove forest (Thailand)





## Chapter 5



**2017  
ASEAN-KOREA  
YOUTH NETWORK WORKSHOP**

**Promoting Clean and  
Green Environment through the  
Establishment of Environmentally  
Sustainable Cities**

## Outline

### 2017 ASEAN-KOREA YOUTH NETWORK WORKSHOP

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<b>Theme</b>	Promoting Clean and Green Environment through the Establishment of Environmentally Sustainable Cities
<b>Date</b>	3-13 July 2017
<b>Venue</b>	Incheon & Seoul, South Korea and Melaka, Putrajaya & Kuala Lumpur, Malaysia
<b>Co-organizer</b>	UNESCAP & International Youth Centre, Kuala Lumpur
<b>Participants</b>	100 ASEAN and Korean students

### Schedule

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#### 3-7 July 2017: Incheon & Seoul, South Korea

##### 3 July 2017

07:00-13:00	Departure from Seoul to Busan, Korea Accommodation Check-in
13:00-14:00	Lunch
14:00-14:30	Korea Program Opening Ceremony
14:30-16:30	<b>Lectures</b> ASEAN-Korea Relations <i>Dr. Lee Jae-hyon, Fellow, Asan Institute for Policy Studies</i> Environmentally Sustainable Cities: History and Trend <i>Dr. Donovan Storey, Director on Green Cities, Global Green Growth Institute</i>
16:30-18:00	<b>Ice-breaking Activities</b> <b>Team Mission</b> Video-making Class
18:00-19:00	Dinner
19:00-20:00	<b>Site Visit</b> Exhibit of the Incheon Songdo International City Planning
20:00	End of Day 1

#### 4 July 2017

- 07:30-09:00 Breakfast
- 09:00-11:30 **Lecture**  
Towards Achieving 2030 Agenda and SDGs: From a Sustainability Perspective  
*Dr. Nam Sangmin, Deputy Head, UNESCAP, East and North-East Asia Office*
- Team Mission**  
Group discussion and presentation
- 11:30-13:00 Lunch
- 13:00-16:00 **Site Visit**  
Cheong-la Environmental Corporation of Incheon (Waste Disposal Facility Exhibition and Guided Tour)  
Nam-hang Environmental Corporation of Incheon (Sewage Treatment Facility Exhibition and Guided Tour)
- 16:00-18:00 **Cultural Exploration**  
Korean crafts-making
- 18:00-19:30 Dinner
- 19:30-21:00 **Team Mission**  
Video-making Activity
- 21:00 End of Day 2

#### 5 July 2017

- 07:30-08:30 Breakfast
- 08:30-10:00 **Site Visit**  
Guided exhibit of Compact-Smart City (Incheon Metropolitan City Museum)
- 10:00-12:00 **Cultural Exploration**  
Songdo City Tour (Hanok Village, Central Park, Sunrise Park, Tribowl)
- 12:00-13:00 Lunch
- 13:00-17:00 **Site Visit**  
Sihwaho Tidal Power Plant (Exhibition, Group Viewing, Park Sites, and Skywalk at the Moon Observatory Tower)
- 17:00-19:00 Dinner
- 19:00-21:00 **Team Mission**  
Video-making Activity
- 21:00 End of Day 3



## 6 July 2017

- 07:00-08:30 Breakfast  
Accommodation Check-out
- 08:30-12:00 **Site Visit**  
Seoul Energy Dream Center (Renewable Energy Center  
Exhibition, Group Viewing, and Guided Tour)
- 12:00-13:00 Lunch
- 13:00-17:00 **Site Visit**  
Seoul Energy Corporation (District Heating-Gas Turbine Co-  
Generation Plant  
Transportation Information Center, Seoul City Hall)
- 17:00-18:30 **Lecture**  
Environmentally Sustainable Seoul: Vision and Policies and a  
Benchmark for ASEAN  
*Dr. Lee Taehwa, Professor, University of Seoul*
- 18:30-19:30 Dinner
- 19:30-21:00 **Team Mission**  
Video Presentation  
**Cultural Exploration**  
Country Performances
- 21:00-21:30 Hotel Check-in
- 21:30 End of Day 4

## 7 July 2017

- 07:00-09:00 Breakfast
- 09:00-15:30 **Cultural Exploration**  
Seoul City Tour (Korean Traditional Attire Experience, Visit to  
Gyeongbok Palace/Namsan Tower, etc.)
- 15:30-16:30 Korea Program Closing Ceremony
- 16:30-18:00 Dinner
- 18:00 End of Day 5

## 7-13 July 2017: Melaka, Putrajaya & Kuala Lumpur, Malaysia

### 8 July 2017

04:30-05:00	Hotel Check-out
05:00-06:00	Move to Incheon Airport
06:00-11:00	Airline Check-in
11:00-16:35	Depart from Incheon, Korea to Kuala Lumpur, Malaysia
16:35-19:30	Depart from Kuala Lumpur to Melaka, Malaya
19:30-20:30	Hotel Check-in
20:30-22:30	Malaysia Program Opening Ceremony
19:30	End of Day 6

### 9 July 2017

07:00-08:00	Breakfast
08:00-09:30	<b>Ice-breaking Activities</b> <b>Team Mission</b> Sustainable Cities Project (Proposal)
09:30-12:00	<b>Site Visit</b> Ramada Hotel (Waste Management Practices)
12:00-13:00	Lunch
13:00-16:00	<b>Special Activity</b> River Cleanup and Tree-planting Activity
16:00-19:00	<b>Cultural Exploration</b> Visit to Melakan Traditional Village Malaysian Traditional Hat-making
19:00-21:30	Dinner
21:30-22:30	<b>Team Mission</b> Sustainable Cities Project (Proposal)
22:30	End of Day 7

## 10 July 2016

- 07:00-08:00 Breakfast  
Accommodation Check-out
- 08:00-12:00 **Site Visit**  
Seoul Energy Dream Center (Renewable Energy Center  
Exhibition, Group Viewing, and Guided Tour)
- 12:00-13:00 Lunch
- 13:00-16:00 **Cultural Exploration**  
Melaka City Tour
- 16:00-19:00 Depart from Melaka to Kuala Lumpur, Malaysia
- 19:00-21:00 Dinner  
Hotel Check-in
- 21:00-22:00 **Team Mission**  
Sustainable Cities Project (Proposal)
- 22:00 End of Day 8

## 11 July 2016

- 06:30-07:30 Breakfast
- 07:30-12:00 **Team-building Activity**  
Group games at Warisan Park
- 12:00-13:00 Lunch
- 13:00-16:00 **Site Visit**  
Putrajaya Cooperation and Wetland Park
- 16:00-19:00 **Cultural Exploration**  
Putrajaya City Tour
- 19:00-21:00 Dinner
- 21:00-22:00 **Team Mission**  
Sustainable Cities Project (Proposal)
- 22:00 End of Day 8

## 12 July 2016

- 08:00-09:00 Breakfast
- 09:00-11:00 **Team Mission**  
Presentation of Sustainable Cities Project Proposals
- 11:00-12:00 Malaysia Program Closing Ceremony
- 12:00-13:00 Farewell Luncheon
- 13:00-15:00 **Site Visit**  
Korean Embassy in Malaysia
- 15:00-19:00 **Cultural Exploration**  
Kuala Lumpur City Tour
- 19:00-21:00 Dinner
- 21:00-22:00 Depart from Kuala Lumpur to Kuala Lumpur International Airport
- 22:00-23:55 Airline Check-in
- 23:55-06:50 (+1) Depart from Kuala Lumpur, Malaysia to Incheon, Korea  
End of Day 9

## 13 July 2016

- 06:50 Arrival in Incheon, Korea  
End of the Workshop

## Lectures

Cities have always been dubbed as drivers of economic development. With the increase of opportunities offered in cities such as jobs and infrastructural progress in the recent decades, massive urbanization has been on the rise and urban areas all over the world have been expanding. While the growth of urban areas brings economic benefits to people, several challenges such as problems of sustainability related to segregation and growing social tension, congestion, air pollution, waste, and the large and often inefficient consumption of energy come along the way. Vulnerability also rises because life and asset losses are much larger than in the countryside when a disaster strikes.

Acknowledging the importance sustainable urban living, the key lectures during the Workshop focused on the concept and promotion of sustainable cities. A lecture on ASEAN-Korea relations was conducted as well to raise the awareness of the ASEAN-Korea relations.

## Topics

### ASEAN-Korea Relations

**Lecturer** Dr. Lee Jae-hyon

**Position** Fellow

**Affiliation** Asan Institute for Policy Studies



## Environmentally Sustainable Cities: History and Trend

**Lecturer** Dr. Donovan Storey

**Position** Deputy Director and Urban Lead – Green Cities

**Affiliation** Director on Green Cities, GGGI



## Towards Achieving 2030 Agenda and SDGs: From a Sustainability Perspective

**Lecturer** Dr. Nam Sangmin

**Position** Deputy Head

**Affiliation** UNESCAP, East and North-East Asia Office



## Environmentally Sustainable Seoul: Vision and Policies and a Benchmark for ASEAN

**Lecturer** Dr. Lee Taehwa

**Position** Professor

**Affiliation** University of Seoul





## Site Visits

In 2017, visits to different sites were scheduled in order to enhance the participants' understanding of the theme as well as of Korea and Malaysia.

### Sites

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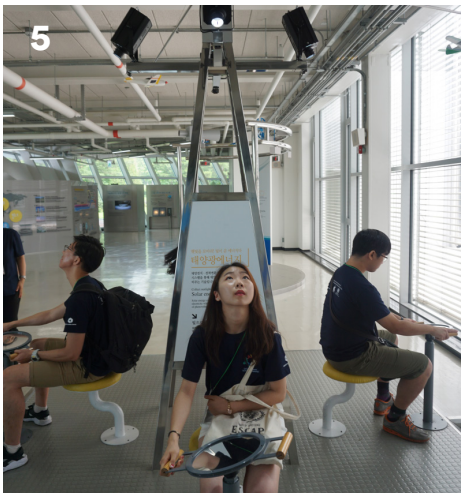
- Exhibit of the Incheon Songdo International City Planning
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- Seoul Energy Corporation (District Heating-Gas Turbine Co-Generation Plant)
- Transportation Information Center, Seoul City Hall
- Ramada Hotel (Waste Management Practices)
- Melaka Green Technology Cooperation (PTHM), Melaka World Solar Valley (MWSV), and AUO Sun Power Sdn. Bhd.
- Putrajaya Cooperation and Wetland Park
- Korean Embassy in Malaysia

1. The participants had a first-hand experience in managing waste disposal at Cheong-la Environmental Corporation of Incheon.
2. A group photo of the participants at Nam-hang Environmental Corporation of Incheon.
3. The students visited Compact Smart City in Incheon.





4. The Seoul Transportation Office warmly accommodated the 2017 ASEAN-Korea Youth Network Workshop participants.
5. The participants further learned about renewable energy at Seoul Energy Dream Center.
6. The students conducted a site visit to Ramada Hotel and learned about the hotel's green policies.
7. Energy distribution was the key topic that the students learned at Seoul Energy Corporation .







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8. The students also visited the Korean Embassy to Malaysia where they met H.E.Ambassador Yu Hyun-seok and had the opportunity to ask him questions regarding ASEAN-Korea relations.
9. The students' visit to Melaka Green Technology Cooperation was very productive as they were able to enhance their knowledge on utilizing solar power.
10. A group photo of the students at Putrajaya Cooperation and Wetland Park.







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Harnessing energy from oceanic tides was introduced to the participants at Sihwaho Tidal Power Plant.



## Team Missions

Having aimed at facilitating networks and establishing friendships among the participants, the Workshop offered a wide range of team-building activities.

### Activities

- Ice-breaking Activities
- Video-making Activity and Competition
- Group Discussion and Presentation
- Nature Experience Activity
- Sustainable Cities Project (Proposal and Presentation)



1. The participants were tasked to discuss and make a presentation on topics under sustainable cities.
2. The participants were engaged in ice-breaking activities to facilitate networking-building among them.







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3. The participants were also involved in the Sustainable Cities Project wherein they came up with proposals on how to make cities in ASEAN and Korea more sustainable.
4. The participants were able to experience nature first-hand through the Nature Experience Activity at Warisan Park.
5. The participants' creativity were tested as they made a video about Sustainable Cities.

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## Cultural Explorations

Cultural explorations enabled the participants to learn about the cultures of Korea and Malaysia

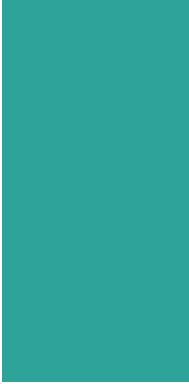
### Activities

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- Korean Crafts-making Activity
- Songdo City Tour
- Country Performances
- Seoul City Tour
- Visit to Melakan Traditional Village
- Traditional Malaysian Hat-making
- Melaka City Tour
- Putrajaya City Tour
- Kuala Lumpur City Tour



1. The participants of the Workshop after the ASEAN talent show.
2. A group of participants wearing Hanbok, the Korean traditional attire, while exploring Gyeongbuk Palace.
3. Thai participants showed a slow yet graceful dance performance from their country.
4. The participants danced together with Malaysian traditional dancers.
5. The participants made a Malaysian headgear known as Tengkolok.









6. The Workshop included an activity where the participants were able to make Korean traditional handicrafts.
7. As part of the Workshop, the participants visited the historical city of Melaka.
8. A group photo of participants in Putrajaya, Malaysia's federal and administrative center.









## Special Activities



1. Fashion Show
2. Batik-making Activity
3. Talent Show
4. ASEAN Music Party
5. ASEAN Music Party





## Group Photos



















## Student Speeches

**Christian Cabatay**

**Philippines**

**Speech delivered at the Closing Ceremony of Korea Program of the Workshop**



Good evening ASEAN Youth! First of all, I'd like to thank all of the Staff of ASEAN-Korea Centre, especially to Ms. Monica, Ms. Jihyeon and Ms. Kim for inviting us in this once in a lifetime opportunity to come here and help us learn more about what ASEAN-Korea is really all about. As you may know, it's been 5 days since we got here, and in just a few days we were equipped with newfound knowledge, a long-lasting network of friends and memories to treasure forever. Tonight's officially the last night of the program and tonight I want to impart something important with you guys, something that you would not recognize in an instant, something intangible and it is also something that requires a huge amount of courage to do, that my friends is change. Tonight, let me impart with you 3 important points that I learned about change.



First, change is inevitable. The theme of our workshop is "Promoting Clean and Green Environment through the Establishment of Environmentally Sustainable Cities", the theme itself reminded me that I should be aware of the changes made around me, changes that we cannot control and changes that we should know. When we were in the Seoul Energy Dream Center, I was astonished to find out that a zero carbon emitting building actually exist, this gave me hope that maybe someday, the whole ASEAN community may be able to emulate how Korea took on the challenge of Climate Change seriously. If we have the determination and will to do so, I believe that it is possible to reduce our energy consumption, and rely more on renewable energy.

Second, change opens up new opportunities. I attended this workshop because I saw this as an opportunity for me to grow and learn. I chose to be open to other people so that I would be able to understand other cultures, I chose to hear out new ideas so that I would be able to integrate my ideas and formulate them into a better one. This immersion to new cultures reminded me of how open should I be to other people because we are the ASEAN youth, we need to collaborate our ideas in order for us to get further and open up more opportunities.

Last but not the least, change is never too late. Changing takes time, it takes a lot of effort and consistency to see the change that we want to see. Personally, I felt very emotional when I realized how far the gap of technology here in Korea and the Philippines. But that did not stop me from believing that we too can do what Korea did, I strongly believe that we can do it one step at a time, one plan after the other, we just have to change ourselves first and do it for a higher sense of purpose. Everyone can start to change in their own ways, you just have to be more patient in doing so, genuine change can give you genuine results.

As an ASEAN Youth, I believe that there is this sense of urgency for all of us to help the ASEAN community collaborate, so I challenge everyone here to promote the establishment of environmentally sustainable cities through our own ways, let's start within our families, our friends, own countries and I can guarantee you that soon enough we can make a huge difference in this

world. Global warming, climate change and high carbon emissions are real. We have to wake up and accept this reality, this reality of ours is not easy, but with the ASEAN Integration, it is possible to create a big difference in the lives of other people. The world is changing faster than what we can imagine, but it's never too late to change our ways, together let's lead the ASEAN Youth together in search for new horizons, for new possibilities and for the new generations to come, because I believe that the backbone of leadership is neither one's position nor power, it is your sensitivity to lead and be part of a collaborative movement towards one ASEAN. As our regional motto says, ONE VISION, ONE IDENTITY, ONE COMMUNITY.

We are the ASEAN youth.

We are the next generation of leaders.

Now's the time for change.

**Yu Ahran**

**Korea**

**Speech delivered at the Closing Ceremony of Korea Program of the Workshop**



On behalf of the Korean participants of this workshop, it is indeed my pleasure to make a few closing remarks and express my gratitude to everyone who made this event successful.

Through the 2017 Asean Youth Network Workshop program, this is one of the huge steps to integrate Asia into one. Participants from Asean, Korea, including Japan and China were all gathered in this program have given us better chance to learn about each other's cultures. Not only we were able to build our friendship together, it also helps us to deepen our knowledge and understanding about each other's countries. Now that we are living in a globalized world, I believe this experience is very much essential in shapening up our skills which are beneficial for all of us in the future. In achieveing a harmonious shared future, this program is just one of the few steps to enhance the integration between Asian countries.

During the whole week of our workshop program, we were given the opportunity to listen to lectures conducted by experts and visited informative and meaningful sites. We learned that cities cannot be sustained without our effort. All the social, economic and, environmental problems related to urbanization are becoming more prevailing in the progress of world development. Moreover, since all the problems are closely related, we should take action to prevent such problems from occuring. We can see how Korea is dedicating to making sustainable development especially related to environment. This was reallly an eye opener for us to learn how important the progression of sustainable development is to our generation and the coming future generations.

All in all, the program has certainly raised our awareness of environment we're currently living in. Not only that, we think it could also help the other countries to be inspired by Korea's effort in dealing with environmental issues. As a youth myself, I hope our generation could play a prominent role in improving our world to become better place to live in.

Thank you.

**Nur Fazliana**

**Malaysia**

**Speech delivered at the Closing Ceremony of Malaysia Program of the Workshop**



Assalamualaikum and good afternoon to all distinguished guests from the ASEAN-Korea Centre, International Youth Centre, and all fellow participants.

It has been 10 days since the 2017 ASEAN-Korea Youth Network Workshop started, having the first 5 days in Korea and continuing the remaining days in Malaysia. These 10 days have been, I must say, one of my most productive, meaningful, and memorable days so far.

The insightful lectures and vibrant discussions we had enabled us, the participants, to know how important it is to preserve our environment and cities. Our visits to relevant sites encouraged us to be creative in finding ways to achieve a lifestyle that is sustainable, safe, and resilient.

But what I appreciate the most is the friends and networks that I gained. Through this Workshop, I was able to forge networks with students from ASEAN, Korea, China, and Japan. Furthermore, I was able to learn about their culture and share mine in return.

I would like to send big thank you to the organizers of 2017 ASEAN-Youth Network Workshop, the ASEAN-Korea Centre and International Youth Centre, for giving us an opportunity to gain new experience through this program. The Workshop has been instrumental in shaping us, the youth, to become not only the leaders of tomorrow but the leaders of today as well. It also sparked hope in us that through cooperation, we could still mitigate and even reverse the current state of our environment.

Before I end, allow me to share with you all a quote. "People might not remember day, but they will remember moment." May this moment be one of the most memorable moment to all of us.

Thank you very much. I hope you all have a wonderful day!

**Kang Hyeonhan**

**Korea**

**Speech delivered at the Closing Ceremony of Malaysia Program of the Workshop**



Good morning everyone!

I am Hyeon Han Kang from Korea. I am honored to be here today to deliver this 'Thank You Speech' at the closing ceremony of the 2017 ASEAN-Korea Youth Network Workshop.



On behalf of the youth from ASEAN and Korea, I would like to extend our sincere appreciation to the ASEAN-Korea Centre and the International Youth Centre for giving us this great opportunity to let us all gather in Malaysia. We know both ASEAN and Korea place the utmost importance on enhancing people-to-people exchanges as a means to promote better understanding between each other. Our constant exertions have made a return to this honorable opportunity.

Over the past 5 days, we have learnt a great deal about Environmentally Sustainable Cities and a variety of best practices in Malaysia. For instance, we had briefings regarding energy and environmental action plans in Melaka and Putrajaya. We had study-visits to Ramada Plaza, AUO Sunpower, and World Solar Valley and visited Putrajaya Corporation, Wetland Park, and Warisan Park. During our program in Malaysia, we could also directly part in promoting clean and green environment through planting trees and cleaning the surroundings of Melaka river. Thus, I believe that this workshop has been rewarding, educational and inspiring.

Last night, I was carefully thinking of what lessons I have learnt from the Workshop. I have built up a global mindset and perspective to become a global leader. However, I found that the most important thing was to learn how to work together. I would like to say this: If I go alone, it could be faster but if we go together, we can go further. As you know, we are from different backgrounds, countries and cultures. We may had confronted with some difficulties to harmonize our opinions. However, if we get together to challenge the issues we face, we will definitely end up in good results.

I am afraid to say that this workshop is coming to an end. However, let us not be disappointed. Our friendship and relationship will go on and on. We owe the responsibility to the world. When we go back to our country, we should struggle to find the ways how and what we can contribute to the world with our knowledge and experiences earned during the Workshop. By the time we meet again, I'm sure we will be a leader in any fields. Then, we will remember today and what we did together. I eagerly hope the day will come soon.

Please keep an eye on us and watch us with attention until we reach our goal.

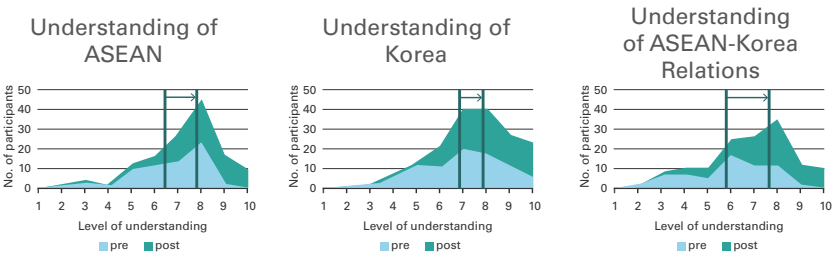
Thank you.

# Evaluation

## Survey

The 2017 ASEAN-Korea Youth Network Workshop successfully provided youths from all ASEAN Member States and Korea with an opportunity to build active networks and forge genuine friendship among them through various activities as well as exchange ideas on sustainable cities, which is the issue of common interest in the two regions. To further grasp the feedback and opinion of the participants regarding the Workshop, pre- and post-Workshop surveys were implemented. The results of the survey show that understanding of ASEAN, Korea, and ASEAN-Korea relations have increased by 13% on average after participating in the Workshop. In a 0-10 scale, as 10 being the highest, participants were asked to rate their understanding of ASEAN, Korea, and ASEAN-Korea relations respectively. The results are as follows:

- (i) Understanding of ASEAN: 13% increase, 6.62 (pre-program) ► 7.91 (post-program)
- (ii) Understanding of Korea: 9% increase, 6.94 (pre-program) ► 7.88 (post-program)
- (iii) Understanding of ASEAN-Korea relations: 17% increase, 5.91 (pre-program) ► 7.58 (post-program)



Networking among Participants [Korea Program]



Networking among Participants [Malaysia Program]



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### "제주에 친환경차량 우버를 許하라"...지속가능 도시를 위한 청년들의 제안

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### '제주도를 지속 가능한 환경 도시로 만들기 위해 우버를 허하라.'

지난 3~12일 한-아세안센터 주최로 열린 '한-아세안 청년 네트워크 워크숍'에 참가한 한국과 아세안(동남아국가연합) 청년들은 '지속 가능한 친환경 도시'를 고민하며 특정 도시들에 대한 가상의 친환경 대책을 마련했다.

총 5개 조로 나뉘어 한국의 제주와 인천, 인도네시아의 자카르타 등을 위한 친환경 대책 공모전을 벌인 결과 한국 청년 대사 조영주(여·22) 씨와 말레이시아 청년 대사 압둘 하림 무하마드 누르아킴(20) 등이 제안한 제주도 친환경 제안이 1등을 차지했다.

이들의 문제의식은 일반적 수준에 불과했지만, 대안에 대한 발상은 독특했다. 조 씨 등은 제주도가 관광객 급증에 따른 렌터카 과다 운영으로 이산화탄소 등 온실가스 배출 문제를 유발할 수 있다고 지적했다.

그러나 이들은 "친환경 차량 소유자들에 한정해 우버 같은 차량 공유 시스템을 도입하는 친환경 교통수단 애플리케이션을 활용해야 한다"는 주장을 내놨다. 또 전기버스 도입, 전기차 렌터카를 이용하는 업체에 대한 인센티브 방안, 섬 전역의 전기차 충전소 확대 등을 제안하기도 했다.

또 여행객들을 위한 공용 자전거 서비스 개선도 검토해야 할 대책으로 거론했다. 조 씨 등에 따르면 제주도에에는 현재 9개소의 자전거 정거장이 있으며, 전체 공용 자전거는 90대 정도다. 이들은 "제주도 내 공용 자전거와 대중교통 연계 시스템 개발에 투자해야 한다"고 주장했다.

조 씨는 "제주도는 대기 오염이 문제라고 생각해 이 같은 주제와 대안을 선택했다"며 "제주도에 관광객이 몰리는 이유가 자연환경임에도 불구하고, 그로 인해 다시 자연이 더러워지고, 악순환이 반복되는 것 같다"고 지적했다.

앞서 한-아세안 청년 대사들은 지속 가능한 친환경 도시를 위한 제언을 마련하기 위해 한국에서는 인천환경공단, 시화호 조력발전소, 서울에너지공사, 서울에너지드림센터 등을 방문하고 전문가 강연을 수강했으며, 말레이

[The Munhwa Ilbo] Project Proposal for Environmentally Sustainable Cities from the ASEAN-Korean Youth: "Let Green UBER Run in Jeju, Korea"

Their solution to the aggravated air pollution was that Jeju city government come up with some policy measures to introduce and incentivize eco-friendly transportation via mobile application and expand support infrastructure.

Participants called for an eco-friendly measure in order for Jeju to consistently attract more tourists and, at the same time, conserve its nature.

시아에서는 유네스코 세계문화유산 도시인 플라카와 행정수도 푸트라자야, 쿠알라룸푸르 등을 방문했다.

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### 韓 · 아세안 '미래들' 이해의 싹을 틔우다

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'아세안(동남아국가연합) 친구들도 동등한 협력 파트너라는 점을 느꼈습니다.'

지난 3~12일 한국과 아세안 회원국 말레이시아에서 한-아세안센터 주최로 열린 '한-아세안 청년 네트워크 워크숍'에 참가한 두 지역의 청년들은 서로의 문화를 함께 체험하며 한국과 아세안 관계 발전의 청사진을 그렸다. 특히 이번 워크숍에 참가한 한국과 아세안, 중국과 일본 청년들은 두 지역 관계 발전 및 교류 확대의 초석이 될 것을 다짐하고 있다.

이번 워크숍에 참가해 아세안 지역 참가자와 함께 한방을 쓰면서 한국과 말레이시아의 전통문화를 체험하고, 주요 도시의 지속 가능한 개발을 위한 대안을 마련하기 위해 머리를 맞댔던 유아란(여·23) 씨는 "이전에는 아세안에 대한 자세한 정보를 몰랐고, 어떤 나라가 속해 있는지조차 몰랐다"며 "이곳 사람들을 친구로 만나다 보니 이제 가족 같은 느낌이 들고, 아세안과 가까운 이웃이자 동반자 관계라는 생각도 갖게 됐다"고 말했다.

이전에는 아세안에 대한 자세한 정보를 몰랐고, 어떤 나라가 속해 있는지조차 몰랐다"며 "이곳 사람들을 친구로 만나다 보니 이제 가족 같은 느낌이 들고, 아세안과 가까운 이웃이자 동반자 관계라는 생각도 갖게 됐다"고 말했다.

사실 과거 한국 사회에서 싱가포르를 제외한 나머지 아세안 회원국(브루나이, 캄보디아, 인도네시아, 라오스, 말레이시아, 미얀마, 필리핀, 태국, 베트남)들은 경제 발전 수준 등의 측면에 있어 '후발주자'라는 인식이 강했다. 그러나 아세안 회원국인 말레이시아의 수도 쿠알라룸푸르와 세종시의 벤치마킹 모델이자 행정수도인 푸트라자야, 도시 전체가 유네스코 세계문화유산으로 지정된 '지속 가능한 환경 도시' 플라카 등을 직접 눈으로 확인한 한국의 '청년 대사'들은 이제 그런 인식을 완전히 떨쳐낼 수밖에 없었다.

### **[The Munhwa Ilbo] 'Future' of ASEAN and Korea, Budding out Seeds of Mutual Understanding**

"Now I understand the ASEAN friends are our equal cooperative partners," said one of the Korean participants.

"Before participating the Workshop, I was not accessible to the information on ASEAN and did not even know which countries were part of ASEAN. However, now I feel more familiarized with ASEAN as our neighbor as well as partner."





▲ 말레이시아 플라카시를 방문한 김영선(앞줄 오른쪽 세 번째) 한-아세안센터 사무총장과 한국 및 아세안 청년 대사들이 플라카 강변에서 기념식수를 하고 있다.

한국에 있어 이 같은 아세안의 위상을 강조하기에는 이미 늦은 감이 있다. 양 지역 간 자유무역협정(FTA) 발효 10년, 한국 제2의 교역 상대(2016년 기준 한-아세안 교역액 1188억 달러), 중국·일본에 이은 한국 방문객 수 3위(2016년 기준 221만여 명) 등의 '스펙'은 한국에서 아세안이 그 존재감을 증명하기에 충분하다. 특히 문재인 대통령은 역대 대통령으로서는 처음으로 지난 5월 취임 직후 박원순 서울시장을 아세안 특사로 파견해 대(對) 아세안 외교 강화 의지를 나타내기도 했다.

이제 남은 숙제는 앞으로 직접 얼굴을 마주하며 함께 일하고, 생활하고, 교류해야 할 한-아세안 젊은 세대들의 상대방에 대한 인식이다. 이번 워크숍에 참가한 한-아세안 청년 대사들은 인식 전환과 교류 확대의 씨앗이 될

The remaining homework for us is to have better mutual understanding of ASEAN and Korea by having more face-to-face interactions and exchanges.



▲ 9일 플라카시에서 전통 무용을 체험하고 있는 한-아세안 청년 대사들, 한-아세안센터 제공

것으로 보인다. 워크숍 참가자 임채현(25) 씨는 "작은 범위나마 이번 교류를 통해 서로 배울 수 있었다"며 "아세안은 한국에서 기술력을 배우고, 한국은 아세안의 자연 친화적 도시를 배울 수 있으니 지속적 교류가 중요하다고 생각한다"고 말했다.

또 다른 참가자 지종은(21) 씨는 "한국도 최근의 문화, K-팝 같은 것들은 아세안에 많이 수출하는데 전통문화는 수출이 부족하다"며 양 지역 간 전통문화 교류 확대 필요성을 강조했다.

아세안 청년들도 두 지역 간 교류 확대에 기대를 걸고 있다. 미얀마 청년 대사로 참가한 아웅 조조(22) 씨는 "아세안도 한·중·일 같은 다른 아시아 국가들과 더 많이 협력해야 한다"며 "이들 국가는 이미 충분히 발전해 있고, 아세안 회원국들을 도와주고 있기 때문"이라고 말했다. 김영선 한-아세안센터 사무총장은 "이번 프로그램을 통해 아세안 10개국과 한국 청년들이 함께 머리를 맞대고 우정을 쌓으면서 미래의 지도자로 성장하길 바란다"고 말했다.

"ASEAN will need to cooperate with other Asian countries, such as Korea, Japan, and China who have a successful development experiences," said one of the participants from Myanmar.

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## ASEAN students contemplate sustainable city development

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MELAKA/PUTRAJAYA, Malaysia -- "Don't mess with Melaka."

Flags bearing the English campaign slogan were blowing in the wind in every corner of Melaka, as scores of students from Southeast Asian countries and Korea explored the historic Malaysian city to learn from its experience and know-how in an eco-friendly way of urban development.

The catchphrase, which urges Melakan citizens to reduce littering in the UNESCO World Heritage Site, is a reflection of the city's strong drive to make it inclusive, resilient and sustainable not only for today's population, but for future generations.



▲ Students look around the energy-saving facilities on the rooftop of Ramada Hotel Melaka as part of the 2017 ASEAN-Korea Youth Network Workshop in Melaka, Malaysia, on July 9. (ASEAN-Korea Centre)

"I learned how the effective management of the systems can turn a city into an eco-friendly city, with the backing of government's measures and policies," Zaw Zaw Aung, a 22-year-old student from Myanmar, told The Korea Herald.

"It is sad many cities around the world are losing their culture, but Melaka has been doing an excellent job in incorporating its local culture and environment in a modern style to make it more sustainable."



▲ Three students carry a bag bearing the slogan "Don't mess with Meleka" in Melaka, Malaysia, on July 9. (ASEAN-Korea Centre)

Along with the Myanmar student, some 40 young people from South Korea and four countries of the Association of Southeast Asian Nations -- Myanmar, Indonesia, the Philippines and Malaysia -- joined a five-day trip in Malaysia last month, the second part of the 2017 ASEAN-Korea Youth Network Workshop organized by ASEAN-Korea Centre and International Youth Centre.



▲ ASEAN-Korea Centre's Secretary General Kim Young-sun and students plant trees along a river as part of the 2017 ASEAN-Korea Youth Network Workshop in Melaka, Malaysia, on July 9. (Ock Hyun-ju/The Korea Herald)

By taking part in lecture, field trips and cultural activities, they not only rediscovered a meaning of sustainable development in terms of economic growth, environmental protection and social inclusion, but also forged strong networks to continue their partnership in building sustainable cities in Asia.

Making cities sustainable is considered a crucial part of meeting the United Nations' sustainable development goals as more than half of the world's population -- some 3.5 billion people -- live in urban areas today and cities are the primary contributors to greenhouse gas emissions.

The role of developing countries, especially the 10 ASEAN countries, is vital as it has a combined population of 900 million people as of 2016, some 12 percent of the world's population, and urbanization is rapidly taking place in their cities.

Malaysia is already positioning itself at the forefront of developing cities in a sustainable way by shifting to green energy, improving public transport and dispersing population nationwide.

Melaka, a trading hub in Asia in its heyday, is one of the pioneering green cities promoted by the Malaysian government. Through the river rehabilitation project, it improved the irrigation system to clean the muddy water and prevent flooding.



▲ Melaka, Malaysia (Ock Hyun-ju/The Korea Herald)

The participants looked around Ramada Plaza Melaka, which earned a Green Apple Award from the municipality, for its efforts to adopt an eco-friendly way of business, picked up litter and planted trees along the Melaka river. They also visited the city's solar farm at the Melaka World Solar Valley.

But going green in terms of energy consumption is not all the city has to offer.

It has turned itself into a popular tourist spot with its rich history and multicultural heritage affected by trading and cultural exchanges between



East and West. It has well-preserved architecture which originated in the Malay sultanate in the 15th century and the colonial era under Portuguese and Dutch.



▲ Christ Church in Melaka, Malaysia (Ock Hyun-ju/The Korea Herald)



▲ Melaka riverside, Malaysia (Ock Hyun-ju/The Korea Herald)

"As for city planning, I think that Korea should learn to protect the environment and cultural heritage to make cities sustainable. Melaka's environment and culture are well preserved, while I think that Korea tends to focus more on destroying and re-building things," said Im Chae-hyeon, 25, from Busan.

The students also visited Putrajaya, the federal administrative capital of Malaysia, which became a sustainable low-carbon city with a goal of reducing its greenhouse emissions intensity by 60 percent by 2025, compared to 2012 levels.

In Putrajaya, buildings were constructed in accordance with green building

standards. Solar photovoltaic systems are installed and electric buses are run. It also has the country's first man-made wetland in the city.



▲ Putrajaya, Malaysia (Ock Hyun-ju/The Korea Herald)

"Putrajaya's buildings look all different. I felt like Malaysians have made efforts to conserve diversity in terms of building designs rather than focus on applying advanced technology," said Cho Young-ju, a 22-year-old student from Korea.



▲ Students post for a photo at Wawasan Park, Putrajaya, Malaysia, on July 11. (Ock Hyun-ju/The Korea Herald)

"I think diversity is an important factor in making cities sustainable. Technology can be copied, but diversity, perception and culture cannot."

Malaysia is one of the most multi-ethnic, multi-cultural and multi-lingual society, with Malays, Chinese and Indians making up the largest ethnic groups. With its culture stemming from indigenous tribes, it has incorporated suitable elements from Chinese, Indian, Persian, Arabic and western cultures and

created its own.

"Malaysia's sustainable cities are telling a story," the center's Secretary-General Kim Young-sun said, noting that Korea's signature smart city Incheon is rather focused on promoting cutting-edge and energy-saving technology.

"What makes sustainable cities truly sustainable is the cities' history and culture, along with technology and environment. I hope that Korean students learn from Malaysia where diverse cultures coexist in harmony," he said.

"I hope that youths from the 10 ASEAN countries and Korea work together, form friendships and grow as future leaders through this program," Kim added.

In the first part of the workshop held from July 3-7 in Seoul, some 80 students visited facilities such as a sewage treatment plant and a tidal power plant in Incheon. They also received lectures on ASEAN-Korea relations and sustainable development from experts.

Under the theme of "Promoting Clean and Green Environment through the Establishment of Environmentally Sustainable Cities," students toured Korea and Malaysia from July 3 to 13.

For the participants, it was a chance to realize the importance of continued exchanges from ASEAN countries and Korea.

"The experience in both countries helped me to figure out how we can achieve a sustainable city development for our country," said Nur Fazliyana Binti Yusoff, 21, from Malaysia.

"Malaysia can learn from South Korea's advanced technology in saving energy and environment. And Korea can learn from Malaysia's green environment (policy) and use of nature," she said.

At the closing ceremony, five groups of students made presentations on ways to improve cities they chose. Some chose to transform Indonesia's capital Jakarta into a green city, others chose to make Jeju Island and Incheon environmentally-sustainable.

The top award was given to the team which suggested ideas for Jeju Island now grappling with the soaring number of tourists and environmental damage

by the tourism boom. Some of their ideas for the municipality was to set up more bike rental stations, allow ride-sharing application like Uber and encourage use of electric rental cars.

The ASEAN-Korea Centre, an intergovernmental organization established in 2009 to enhance social, economic and cultural exchanges between ASEAN countries and Korea, has held an annual youth workshop on environmental issues since 2013.

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## Articles by Participants

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**Hong Sung-hoon**

**Korea**

It was the night before the day due on submission of our team project during the Korea programme. Even after going through a long day packed with educational site-visits and activities the team's spirit of companionship and passion for the team mission was held higher than ever. Despite feeling tired everyone remained supportive to each other and worked really hard in harmony till late night when finally our video, the result of the greatest team work, was successfully produced. In such a great joy we hugged, cheered and once again reminded ourselves that regardless of the prize or award, we had such meaningful time while learning a great deal about development of environmentally sustainable cities and having so much fun together with the BEST team we could ask for!



This is a photo that wonderfully captured one of the most fun times we spent together as a team during the Korea programme. Everyone was dressed in most beautiful Han-bok of their choice and became cheeky, fun-loving princes and princesses like ones from old Joseon dynasty. Even the rainy weather

could not stop us from holding hands and walking all around the Korea's most renowned historical heritage sites together.



It is time to plant a tree! In Melaka we took part in a tree planting activity in an effort to make the city more environmentally clean and sustainable. We all immersed ourselves into this fun and educational activity with our sleeves rolled up and had a chance to remind ourselves of all the favours, the ones we very often take for granted, we owe to these little green creatures. I remember one the programme hosts said "You should come back to Melaka and see how big these tree you just put in the ground and watered will have grown!". And I thought, 'Yes, I will come again to find them and think of all the memories we were sharing at the time in Melaka'

My lovely team in the Malaysia programme during the cultural activity programme. We went through a wide range of fun and exciting activities perfectly designed to provide hands-on experiences and insights into fabulous Malaysian traditions and culture. The bond between members of the team got even stronger and everyone was having so much fun while enjoying the rare opportunity to first-hand experience traditional Malaysian culture.

**Nakevi Palaniappan**

**Malaysia**

**2017 ASEAN-Korea Youth Network Workshop in Malaysia**



9th July 2017 – Hands-on Activity  
(Cleaning of River and tree-planting)

This picture was taken after the hands on activity ends. Despite the scorching sun and blazing day we walked all along the Malacca River picking up the rubbish by the river bay and planted some "janda kaya" tree all along the road side. Besides enhancing the awareness towards green and sustainable environment, the team bonding among the Korean and ASEAN participants well noticed and achieved. The network among us actually builds the Unity among the future leaders. The tiredness no more felt as we all worked and enjoyed cracking jokes together. As people

say "many hands makes the work lighter", the job was done quickly and memorable memories was created. I have been to Malacca many times, but this time it was really a fun and fruitful day in that beautiful city.



10th July 2017- City Exploration



"The essence of beautiful is the Unity in Variety", and this is how it looks like. This picture is a scratch from our city exploration in Malacca. We learned about the history and heritage of Malacca which qualifies it as one of the heritage city in the world by UNESCO. Our bonding becomes more tightened towards the end of the exploration. We shared our histories together and astonished by our leaders' sacrifice. The cultures and knowledge are exchanged. The participants from other countries very excited to travel around Malaysia and very curious about Malaysian culture. They were impressed with the diversity of cultures we have in our Country, Malaysia, especially our "open house" tradition during festivals and celebration. Other participants also share knowledge about their culture and beliefs and it was very interesting to learn those information through their experiences.



11th July 2017- Team Building at Warisan Park

That bright smile on the Pilipino guy, Cedrix shows how deep the struggle is to catch the catfish. This team building definitely become one of the vital part in the program. This is because it not only teach us to be cooperative in



a team but it makes us realize people are customized and we should learn to understand people in their own way and beliefs. Our 4 hours activities assembles all the hardships and sweetness in our path that we should face in order to succeed. The beautiful part is, throughout the team building activity, the tasks given to us requires us to complete the task in a traditional method without the help of technology and inventions. Personally, I gained a valuable experience and grateful that I get to feel the villagers lifestyle. It also thought all of us the surviving skills as well how you can make hard moments into something happening and valuable.



12th July 2017- Closing Ceremony in International Youth Centre Kuala Lumpur

A man's feeling is always genuine and pure when it's the ending, well that is the art of farewell. This picture clearly shows the sadness in each of the faces. We should remember, we should not regret it had end but feel great and happy that it happened. Holdings hands together for 4 days 3 night facing all the challenges and share the greatest moments together definitely made everyone to swallow pieces of glass to say goodbye. This picture is a wrap where ASEAN people stand together in Unity. This program polished

the feel in each of us that, "we may have all come on different ships but now we sail on the same boat", as per Nelson Mandela said. I feel honoured that ASEAN-Korea centre organised this program in Malaysia and I feel grateful to be a part of this Workshop's Participant. Besides sharpening my knowledge and awareness in Green Technology and importance of Sustainable Cities, I gained numerous of valuable values, network and experience throughout this program. Indeed it was the hardest Goodbye for all of us.







## Future Topics

Further embarking on the mission to raise the awareness of ASEAN and ASEAN-Korea relations as well as forge genuine friendships among the ASEAN and Korean youth, the ASEAN-Korea Centre will continue to align the focus of the ASEAN-Korea Youth Network Workshop in the following years to topics that are timely and relevant in accordance with the ASEAN Community Blueprint and ASEAN-Korea Plan of Action.

### Sustainability

Sustainability has been a significant topic not only for ASEAN and Korea, but for most of the countries around the world. Given the limited resources vis-à-vis the increasing global demand as well as unsustainable practices, it is projected that the future generations would likely to suffer stronger impacts of environmental degradation. Thus, it is important to create a platform where the ASEAN and Korean youth can come up with solutions to mitigate the negative effects caused by stress to the environment. Under the topic of Sustainability, themes that the Workshop may touch upon include Renewable Energy, Agriculture and Rural Development, and Sustainable Transportation.



### Human Resources Development

To achieve a sustainable economic progress, Human Resources Development among the youth is one of the areas given much attention to by the governments of ASEAN and Korea especially that majority of the population of both regions are under the age of 35. The recently adopted ASEAN



Youth Development Index particularly outlines the strengthening of youth entrepreneurship and youth employment. On the other hand, the ASEAN-ROK Plan of Action to Implement the Joint Declaration on Strategic Partnership for Peace and Prosperity (2016-2020) emphasizes the capacity-building related to youth, especially on issues related to Technical, Vocational, Education, and Training (TVET), entrepreneurship, and academe. Following these rationales, the ASEAN-Korea Centre may incorporate the theme of Capacity-building in the areas of public health, entrepreneurship, and technology as it carries out the ASEAN-Korea Youth Network Workshop in the next few years.



### **Global Social Issues**

Globalization in many ways has enabled the everyone to increase their understanding of social and cultural awareness. In the recent years, however, the world has seen sudden rise of radicalism as well as isolationism/ protectionism. To instill 'openness' and understanding among the ASEAN and Korean youth, it is necessary to offer them a multi-cultural interface where they can tackle socio-cultural issues and put forward together viable measures. Pressing issues to be touched upon by the ASEAN-Korea Youth Network Workshop may include gender, religious and race tolerance, as well as human rights and people mobility.





# ASEAN-KOREA CENTRE

The ASEAN-Korea Centre was established as an intergovernmental organization with the aim to promote exchanges among Korea and the 10 ASEAN Member States. It was officially inaugurated in 13 March 2009, the year which marked the 20th anniversary of the Dialogue Partnership between ASEAN and Korea in accordance with the Memorandum of Understanding (MOU) signed at the 11th ASEAN-Republic of Korea (ROK) Summit in November 2007 and entered into force in December 2008.

## VISION

To be a key player in building a lasting and genuine partnership between ASEAN and Korea

## GOALS

- Enhance ASEAN-Korea partnership
- Promote mutual understanding through cultural exchange and people-to-people contact
- Support ASEAN integration efforts

## MANDATES

- Increase trade volume
- Accelerate investment flow
- Invigorate tourism
- Enrich cultural and people-to-people exchange

## ACTIVITIES

The ASEAN-Korea Centre implements diverse work programs and activities to strengthen mutual cooperation and deepen friendship among the ASEAN Member States and Korea through increasing trade volume, accelerating investment flow, invigorating tourism, and enriching cultural and people-to-people exchange.

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