

***AUSN Intensive Peace, Bioethics, Sustainability and Global Public Health
Summit concurrent with the Eighth Youth Looking Beyond Disaster
(LBD8), and Eleventh Youth Peace Ambassador (YPA11) Training
Workshop***
Bangkok and Kaeng Krachan, Thailand
3-9 February 2016



Agenda (31 January version)

Tuesday 2 February

Check into Accommodation – **I Residence Hotel Silom**, Address: 93 Narathivas Rachanakarin Road , Silom , Bangrak, Bangkok 10500 Tel: +66 2 2679700-3 <http://silom.iresidencehotel.com/>

Wednesday 3 February

(Venue: **Room No. 501/29, 5th Floor**, Maha Chakri Sirindhorn Building, Chulalongkorn University)

(7:50 Depart Hotel Lobby)

8:30 Registration

[**Note:** The Summit participation (every day, 3rd through 9th) counts as 3 credit hours for American University of Sovereign Nations (AUSN) Masters or PhD degree or Certificate courses (see <http://www.ausn.info>). AUSN is a member of the United Nations Academic Impact (UNAI) upholding the principles of the UN Charter through theory and action.

(Main Venues: 3-4th Chulalongkorn University, Bangkok; 6-8th International Peace and Development Ethics Centre, Kaeng Krachan; the 5th and 9th are field trips and transit).

9:00 Session 1: Peace and Sustainability

9:00 *The Origins, Achievements and Future of Youth Peace Ambassadors and Youth Looking Beyond Disaster. The Global Peace Index* - Prof. Darryl Macer, New Zealand

Self Introductions by all participants

10:15 *Information Technology, Peace and Ethics* - Prof. Soraj Hongladarom, Chulalongkorn University, Thailand; AUSN

11:00 *Ethical Dilemmas of Delegating the Public Use of Force to Private Companies: Blackwater and Other Private Security Companies Operating in Iraq During Gulf War II (GWII)*, Mr. Leonard H. Le Blanc III, USA

11:30 *Youth For Peace Philippines Movement*, Mr. Ronnie John Barrientos, Philippines

12:00 *Ethics and Criminal Justice in the Philippines*, Ms. Margaret Baylon, the Philippines

12:40 – 13:20 Lunch [*Graduation Photo of AUSN Graduates (Masters and CCP graduates – day 1)*]

13:20 Session 2: Youth Peace Ambassador Action Plans

I-CAN 2016 Planning and Review - Dr. Rowena Zollo, the Philippines

Bogor 's farmers market beta - Mr. Donopan Simanungkalit, IGAF LC IPB, Agrisocio, Jakarta, Indonesia

Nigeria Youth Peace Ambassadors – Mr. Rex Akwaowoh, Nigeria

Annual report project of IGAF LC IPB, Ms. Aulia Damayanti, Mr. M. Rizal Pratama. Ms. Kasmiatun, Indonesian Green Action Forum, Indonesia

Save Toilet save Life, Ms. Andini Fazahiyah, IGAF, Indonesia

MAAP Environmental Management Initiatives for Sustainability - Prof. Angelica Baylon, the Philippines

15:30 Session 3: Youth Beyond Disaster and Funding Mobilization Strategies

Youth Beyond Disaster and Funding Mobilization Strategies – Mr. Tam Hoang, Youth Beyond Disasters, Australia

16:30 Session 4: Philosophical Practice for Peace Building

Philosophical Practice for Peace Building - Taro Mochizuki, Director of ASEAN Centre for Academic Initiatives, Osaka University, Bangkok, Thailand

General Discussion

18:00 Evening dinner by the Chao Priya river

Thursday 4 February (Venue: Maha Chakri Sirindhorn Building, Chulalongkorn University)

8:30 – 12:00 Session 5: Bioethics and Global Public Health

Self Introductions by all new participants

A Comparative Study of Refugee Syrian School Children in Turkey, Lebanon, Jordan, Iraq and Egypt: Out-Of-School Children that led to the 'Lost Generation' - Mrs. Lana A. Issa Al-Shareeda le Blanc, Iraq*

Self-efficacy of Vocational Health School Students in Conducting Double Education System in Public Health in Bogor District West Java, Indonesia – Mr. Muslihudin Sharbinie, Indonesia*

10:45 Comparison of Ethical Values of Children and Youth in Nepal and Mexico, Mr. Rimesh Khanal, President, Youth's UNESCO Club, Nepal*

Practices of Traditional Medical Practitioners in Bataan, the Philippines - Prof. Angelica Baylon, the Philippines*

Looking at the Neuroscientific basis of Empathy - Prof. Zabidi Hussein, USM, Malaysia; AUSN

12:00 – 13:00 Lunch [*Graduation Photo of AUSN Graduates* (Masters and CCP graduates) Day 2]

14:00 – 16:00 Session Bioethics and Sustainability

Bioethics - Prof. Darryl Macer, President, AUSN, New Zealand

Ethics and Sustainability - Prof. Soraj Hongladarom, Chulalongkorn University, Thailand; AUSN

Meditation Theory - Prof. Chutatip Umavijani, Thammasat University and AUSN, Thailand

US-China competition in the Greater Mekong Sub-region – Ms. Shan Ni, China

16:00 Session 3: Reports of Youth Looking Beyond Disaster Action Plans

Construction of Memorial Park in Name of Departed Souls of Gorkha Earthquake 2015 - Mr. Rimesh Khanal, Mr. Ramji Sapkota, Mr. Bibek Adhikari, Mr. Nirmal Karki, Mr. Ranjan Aryal and UNESCO Youth's Club, Nepal

Emergency WASH initiative in Nepal - Mr. Dinesh Singh, UNICEF, Nepal

Public Health Measures in Response to the Nepalese Earthquake – Mr. Rajendra Khadka, Ministry of Health, Nepal

Title to come, Mr. Bibek Adhikari, Youth's UNESCO Club, Nepal

Disaster Education in India and the 2016 Manipur Earthquake – Mr. L. Veerjeet Singh, Manipur, India

18:00 Dinner

Friday 5 February

Eat your breakfast and check out and be on the transport at 7:28 am (breakfast is served from 6am)

7:30 Bus departs hotel directly for Petchaburi Province (Take all luggage in bus)

Travel to country side, West of Bangkok

Hot springs: Geology and Soak in the Hot Springs and Forest Lunch (Reflection on Benefits and Risks of Geothermal Activity) [bring suitable clothes to enjoy a soak in the hot spring mineral water]

Visit to King's Project

Visit to Kaeng Krachan Dam and Lake

Check into Thai Diamondland Resort, Kaeng Krachan (We will stay there until 9th morning)

19:00 Dinner

Welcome to Thai Diamondland, Mr. Oran Asvarithikul, Chairman, Oran Patana Foundation

Indigenous Peoples and Traditional Medical Knowledge in Thailand, Prof. Yingyong Paisooksantivatana

Word of Thanks, Prof. Darryl Macer

*Each thesis defense will have 20 minutes talk and 20 minutes discussion – AUSN professors and all participants will give questions

Saturday 6 February

7:00 Breakfast

7:30 Transfer to the International Peace and Development Ethics Center (Peace Park)

(Please wear covered old shoes, old clothes and a hat, sunscreen...expected maximum temperature 25C; we will provide water, gloves, tools)

8:00 – 8:30 *Orientation to the Peace Park and Objectives* – Prof. Darryl Macer, New Zealand

8:30 – 10:30 *Botanical tour and Medicinal Herbs in the Peace Park* - Prof. Yingyong Paisooksantivatana, Thailand; AUSN Visiting Professor in Horticulture and Rural Development

10:30 – 11:30 *Meditation Practice* (in Zen garden and peace forest) - Prof. Chutatip Umavijani, Thailand

12:00 Lunch in Peace Park

Afternoon in the Park in various activities – including survey of trees planted by previous Youth Peace Ambassadors, helping put paths, weeding, checking water lines, picking herbs, building mud house, walking, meditation, learning about medicinal plants and traditional knowledge, Meeting local residents (introduced by Ms. Nongluck Kritlak, Thailand)

19:00 Dinner – At the Resort (there is also a swimming pool)

Cultural Evening and Sharing Reflections

Fortune telling - Ms. Ananya Tritipthumrongchok, General Manager, Thailand

[Development of Action Plans; Activities at the resort including swimming, walking, cycling, etc.]

Sunday 7 February

7:00 Breakfast

7:30 Transfer to the Peace Park

8:00 – 10:30 Various activities – including survey of trees planted by previous Youth Peace Ambassadors, helping put paths, weeding, checking water lines, picking herbs, building mud house, biking, walking, meditation, learning about medicinal plants and traditional knowledge, Meeting local residents

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Sessions between 6th and 8th on *Effective Mobilization Strategies, Environmental Ethics and Management, Rural development, Traditional Medicine, Disaster Resilience, Recovery from Disasters, Community Engagement, Peace-building, United Nations, NGO development, Tree and medical herb planting, Design and Construction of Traditional Buildings* (Day spent between Peace Park and the Resort; exact timing to be informed later)

19:00 Dinner – At the Resort (there is also a swimming pool)

Monday 8 February

7:30am Breakfast

8:30 Action Plan Draft and Final Presentations, Summit Recommendations, and Certificates; Sessions; Presentation of YPA12 In Arizona (July 2016) and YPA13 in Bataan, the Philippines (Nov 2016)

Activities around Resort/or Park (optional ad will be discussed)

19:00 Dinner

Tuesday 9 February

Depart the Resort, Travel via swim at Chaam Beaches on way back to Bangkok by late afternoon.

Note for 8 February: All participants need to develop and present an Action Plan. This includes the following persons confirmed to date:

Ms. Kasmiatun, IGAF LC IPB, Jakarta, Indonesia
Ms. Andini Faza, IGAF LC IPB, Jakarta, Indonesia
Mr. M. Rizal Pratama, IGAF LC IPB, Jakarta, Indonesia
Ms. Irma Suryani Syair, Jalan Parak Gadang, Indonesia
Mr. Donopan Simanungkalit, IGAF LC IPB, Agrisocio, Jakarta, Indonesia
Mr. M. Rezki Achyana, Indonesia
Mr. Musilihudin Sharbinie, Indonesia
Ms. Salshadilla Paramita, Indonesia
Mr. Rex Akwaowoh, Nigeria
Mr. Turnoe Hyacinth Horvel, Nigeria
Onyeagba Uchenna Innocent, Nigeria (unsure)
Fagbemi Adepoju Emmanuel, Nigeria (unsure)
Odigbo Uzoehina Celestine, Nigeria (unsure)
Umege Paschal Nonso, Nigeria (unsure)
Mr. Leonard H. Le Blanc III, USA
Ms. Emi Takahashi, Japan (unsure)
Prof. Angelica Baylon, the Philippines
Ms. Margaret Baylon, the Philippines
Dr. Rowena Zollo, the Philippines (plus 4)
Mr. Ronnie John Barrientos, Philippines
Ms. Shan Ni, China
Mr. Rimesh Khanal, Nepal
Mr. Rajendra Khadka, Ministry of Health, Nepal
Mr. Bibek Adhikari, Nepal
Mr. Dinesh Singh, Nepal
Mr. Ram Chandra Timilsina, Nepal
Mr. Nirmal Karki, Nepal
Mr. Nabaraj Panta, Nepal
Mr. Ramji Sapkota, Nepal
Mr. Ajit Kumar Lama, Nepal
Mr. Dikesh Bahadur Nakarmi, Nepal
Mr. Narayanji Rai, Nepal, Nepal
Mr. Amar Bahadur Shrestha, Nepal
Mr. Damar Jung Gurung
Mr. Naresh Pudaisaini, Nepal
Mr. L. Veerjeet Singh, India

Cosponsors include: American University of Sovereign Nations (AUSN); Center for Ethics of Science and Technology, Chulalongkorn University; Eubios Ethics Institute; International Peace and Development Ethics Centre; Youth's UNESCO Club

For this **Summit** individuals and representatives of countries and organizations will come from all faith communities and interests.

People of all ages are welcome at the Summit.

Since 2010, Eubios Ethics Institute in cooperation with partner institutions including American University of Sovereign Nations (AUSN), UNESCO, Hiroshima Peace Culture Foundation and others have organized ten Youth Peace Ambassador (YPA) and seven Youth Looking Beyond Disaster (LBD) Training Workshops across the world with 900 youth from 50 countries. No matter what your circumstances or age you are welcome to join. Together, the participants identify issues that can promote a culture of peace. So far they have developed 350 action projects promoted at making a difference in their communities.¹ Participants will also present their LBD or YPA action plan developed with the mentoring of the facilitators at the Workshop during the event. In the presentation of the action plan that you can develop you can join together with other

¹ The action plans are on the Eubios Ethics Institute website http://eubios.info/youth_peace_ambassadors_international

person(s) up to 3 per team. You will be able to change during the workshop, as you learn from the examples of previous action plans, and make new connections with people from other countries.

Fees: All participants should pay the registration price that includes accommodation from the 2nd evening and food from the 3rd February to lunch, 9th February, and travel in the group between Bangkok and Kaeng Krachan return, trips to hot springs, Royal Projects, beach, National Park, and other excursions. Early bird fee USD 400 by 31 December 2015; Payment after 1 January 2016 or on site payment will be USD 500 in cash. Payment may be made by credit card or bank transfer. Single room supplement is USD 200. There is a 10% discount for a group of five or more delegates arriving and departing on the same flight.

Application Form

(Given name): _____ (Family name): _____

Affiliation(s): _____

Gender: _____ Date of birth: _____

Address (postal): _____

City/Country you will be flying from?: _____

Nationality (Passport to enter Thailand): _____

E-mail: _____

Mobile Telephone: _____

Dietary restrictions: _____

Which YPAs and LBDs have you attended before? _____

Are you an AUSN Student? _____

Those participants who would like to give a **presentation** should send a 300 word abstract, and the title of your talk: _____

For previous participants this could be the results of the latest action plan. For AUSN students this can be the public defense of your Masters thesis.

Please send flight information (number, time, departure point) as soon as confirmed.

Arrival Details: _____

Departure Details: _____

Name(s) of preferred room companion(s) (if on same arrival and departure dates):

Please also send a letter of intent typed in this same file (not necessary for registered AUSN students and previous YPA or LBD trainees). The registration is already subsidized, so we cannot offer any further discount or travel assistance. Those who would like to stay in the same accommodation on nights before or after the Summit should state that, the price is USD 50 per night for single and USD 40 per night for multiple occupancy (excluding meals).

Please email this application form, and any modifications to this agenda, **to Email:**

Darryl@eubios.info (Do not cc everyone)