

**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



**Draft Agenda (25 January version)**

**Tuesday 2 February**

Check into Accommodation (Under Registration package; Meal on own)

**Wednesday 3 February** (Venue: Maha Chakri Sirindhorn Building, Chulalongkorn University)

**8:30 Registration**

[Note: The Summit participation (every day, 3<sup>rd</sup> through 9<sup>th</sup>) 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: 3-4<sup>th</sup> Chulalongkorn University, Bangkok; 6-8<sup>th</sup> International Peace and Development Ethics Centre, Kaeng Krachan; the 5<sup>th</sup> and 9<sup>th</sup> are field trips and transit).

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**9:00 Session 1: Peace and Sustainability**

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

**Self Introductions by all participants**

9:45 *Peace-building Strategies and Examples* - Prof Akiko Ishihara, Japan

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

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

11:30 *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

12:10 *Youth For Peace Philippines Movement*, Mr. Ronnie John Barrientos, 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

*Development of Education for Special Needs Children in Indonesia* - Mr. M. Rezki Achyana, 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

**14:50 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

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

*Public Health Measures in Response to the Nepalese Earthquake* – Mr. Rajendra Khadka, Ministry of Health, Nepal  
*Disaster Education in India and the 2016 Manipur Earthquake* – Mr. L. Veerjeet Singh, Manipur, India  
*Youth Beyond Disaster and Funding Mobilization Strategies* – Mr. Tam Hoang, Youth Beyond Disasters, Australia

### **17:00 Session 4: Philosophy, Rural Development and the Foundations of Peace**

*Philosophy and Rural Development* - Taro Mochizuki, Director of ASEAN Centre for Academic Initiatives, Osaka University, Bangkok, Thailand

### **18:00 Welcome Dinner**

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

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

*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\*

*Practices of Traditional Medical Practitioners in Bataan, the Philippines* - Prof. Angelica Baylon, the Philippines  
*Save Toilet save Life*, Ms. Andini Fazahiyah, IGAF, Indonesia\*

*Building New Sustainable Cities and Communities: Trends in Japan*, Ms. Emi Takahashi, Japan

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

12:00 – 13:00 Lunch

Visit to Museum on Campus – [Graduation Photo of AUSN Graduates (Masters and CCP graduates) Day 2]

### **14:00 – 17:30 Bioethics and Sustainability**

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

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

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

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

*Maritime Trade and Peace* - Prof. Angelica Baylon, the Philippines

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

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

### **Evening dinner by the Chao Priya river**

## **Friday 5 February**

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 9<sup>th</sup> morning)

### **Dinner**

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

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

## **Saturday 6 February**

### **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

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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, biking, walking, meditation, learning about medicinal plants and traditional knowledge, Meeting local residents (introduced by Ms. Nongluck Kritlak, Thailand)

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

Cultural Evening and Sharing Reflections

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

*Spreading Awareness of Autism and Special Needs Children in Indonesia* - Mr. M. Rezki Achyana, Indonesia

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

## **Sunday 7 February**

### **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 6<sup>th</sup> and 8<sup>th</sup> 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)

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

## **Monday 8 February**

8:30 Action Plan Draft and Final Presentations, Summit Recommendations, and Certificates; Sessions; Activities around Resort/or Park (optional)

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

Ms. Aulia Damayanti, 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 Uzoechina 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. Naresh Pudasaini, Nepal  
Mr. Bidip Silwal, Nepal  
Mr. Anil Karki, Nepal  
Mr. Ashish Karki, Nepal  
Mr. Bikesh Nakarmi, Nepal  
Mr. L. Veerjeet Singh, India

### **Tuesday 9 February**

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

**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.<sup>1</sup> 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 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 2<sup>nd</sup> evening and food from the 3<sup>rd</sup> February to lunch, 9<sup>th</sup> 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? \_\_\_\_\_

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<sup>1</sup> The action plans are on the Eubios Ethics Institute website [http://eubios.info/youth\\_peace\\_ambassadors\\_international](http://eubios.info/youth_peace_ambassadors_international)

**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):

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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](mailto:Darryl@eubios.info) (Do not cc everyone)