

# 2018 FEALAC Youth Summit

*As of May 2018*

## 1. Overview

**A.** Date and venue: Aug. 27 (Mon) –30 (Thu) 2018, Seoul

- Aug. 27 (Mon): Special Lectures and Welcoming Dinner
- Aug. 28 (Tue): Workshop and Cultural Activity
- Aug. 29 (Wed): Group Presentations and Model FEALAC Meeting
- Aug. 30 (Thu): Awards Ceremony and Closing

**B.** Theme: Exploring for a New Partnership between East Asia and Latin America in the Era of Fourth Industrial Revolution

- Sub-theme 1: Enhancing inter-regional understanding through **Public Diplomacy**
- Sub-theme 2: Expanding mutually beneficial **Economic Cooperation** between the two regions

**C.** Language: English only

**D.** Objectives

- To enhance mutual understanding and develop a network among future leaders from the two regions through joint research and activities
- To increase awareness on FEALAC and knowledge on multilateral cooperation within FEALAC

## 2. Participants

**A.** Participants (approx. 90 people)

- ONE university (junior/senior) or graduate student from each FEALAC member country (36 students)

- THIRTY SIX university (junior/senior) or graduate students from Korea
  - ✚ This recruitment is only open to the following 18 country nationals. Applicants of the countries other than the listed 18 countries are selected separately.
    - (East Asia) Australia, Brunei, Cambodia, China, Korea, Malaysia, Mongolia, Myanmar, New Zealand
    - (Latin-America) Bolivia, Dominican Republic, Ecuador, El Salvador, Honduras, Nicaragua, Paraguay, Uruguay, Venezuela

## B. Points of Consideration in Selecting Participants

- English proficiency
- Majors in economics or regional studies in Latin America or East Asia
  - ✘ These majors are not a requirement; all majors are welcomed to apply
- Experiences in Model international conferences (Model UN, etc.)
- Interests in FEALAC and regional counterpart (Latin America ↔ East Asia)

## C. Application Submission

- Submit application to [cybersecretariat@fealac.org](mailto:cybersecretariat@fealac.org) by **June 24<sup>th</sup> 2018 (Sun) 24:00 KST**
  - ✓ After the final selection, those who are selected will be required to submit evidential documents to support the contents of their application.
- Application Schedule (tentative)
  - ✓ Announcement of document screening results : June 27 (Wed)
  - ✓ Interview : June 29 (Fri)
  - ✓ Final results: July 2 (Mon) (individual announcement by e-mail)
- ✘ Selected participants will receive further notice on future schedule

### 3. Program Details

#### A. Team Formation

- **(Model FEALAC Meeting)** Two students will form one team or one FEALAC member country (a total of 36 teams); ONE student from Korea and ONE from FEALAC member country.
- **(Workshop and Group Presentation)** Out of 36 teams, 12 groups will be formed (three teams per group). Then, the 12 groups will be divided into two classes (six groups per class) based on their topic choice (public diplomacy/economic cooperation). Each group will give a presentation.

##### Topic selection

- *(Korean students) must choose one topic at the time of applications.*
- *(Other Member Countries' students) must specify their preference in the applications; if necessary, random assignment may be made.*

#### B. Pre-Activity

- A team of two students representing one FEALAC member country should submit a position paper on "Expanding cooperative partnership between East Asia and Latin America" prior to the Youth Summit. The position paper will be used as a basis for the team's statements at the Model FEALAC Meeting (submission date to be announced)

##### Guidelines on position paper

- *Papers must be written in English in MS Word format, and should not exceed 10 pages in length excluding references. (Times New Roman, 11pt Font, double-spaced)*
- *Papers must be written in the following order of title, name and organization, table of contents, abstract (less than 1 page), main text, and references.*
- Two countries holding chairmanship (two regional coordinators in the FEALAC terms) of the Model FEALAC Meeting will draft a final document of the meeting based on all the position papers submitted in advance.

-  *Chairs will be assigned based on preference of participants after the selection process ends.*

### C. Main Activities

- Special Lectures
  - ✓ Objectives: To enhancing understanding on regional situations and providing foundation for the workshop and Model FEALAC Meeting
  - ✓ Topic: (1) Political and economic situations respectively in East Asia and Latin America (2) International cooperation in the Era of Fourth Industrial Revolution
- Workshop and Group Presentations
  - ✓ Objectives: To explore ways of enhancing inter-regional cooperation through FEALAC in the fields of public diplomacy and economic cooperation from the perspectives of the youth from both regions
  - ✓ Contents: (1) Lectures on public diplomacy and economic cooperation (2) Group discussions, presentation preparation and expert feedback
  - ✓ Presentations: 10-minute group presentation based on the workshop's discussions
- Cultural Activities (TBC)
- Model FEALAC Meeting
  - ✓ Drafting activities for final document of the Meeting
  - ✓ Participating at the Model Meeting as a country representative
  - ✓ Each country will be given 5 minutes to make a statement at the Meeting

### D. Others

- Prizes will be given to the top 4 teams based on the evaluation on participants' position papers and Group presentations
  - ✓ Grand Prize: 1,000,000 KRW (1 team), Top Excellence Award: 800,000 KRW (1 team), Excellence Award: 600,000 KRW (2 teams)
- All participants will receive a certificate of participation in the name of Director-General of Latin American & Caribbean Cooperation Bureau, Ministry of Foreign Affairs of the Republic of Korea.

#### **E. Logistical Support**

- Accommodation will be provided to all participants only for Aug. 27-29 (Aug. 26-29 for overseas participants)
  - ✓ If additional stay is needed due to flight schedule, +1 night will be provided.
- For overseas participants, a round-trip air ticket at economy class will be provided
- Meals and transportation will be provided during the course of the event
- Expenses for cultural activities and travel insurance will be covered

#### **F. Notes**

- Selection of the applicants may be canceled if submitted information is verified to be false
- All participants must participate in the whole course of the program (Aug 27-30)

#### **G. Contact Information**

- Ministry of Foreign Affairs of Korea, Latin American & Caribbean Cooperation Division (+82-2100-7441)
- FEALAC Cyber Secretariat (+82-2100-8539, [cybersecretariat@fealac.org](mailto:cybersecretariat@fealac.org))

## **PROGRAMME (Tentative)**

Date	Time	Programme
Aug.26 (Sun)	-	Arrival & Check-In for Overseas Participants
Aug.27 (Mon)	09:00-10:00	Check-in for participants residing in Korea & Registration
	10:00-10:30	Opening Ceremony
	10:30-12:00	Special Lecture 1: East Asian/Latin American Politics and Economy (Separate Group)
	12:00-13:00	Lunch
	13:00-14:30	Special Lecture 2: East Asian/Latin American Politics and Economy (Separate Group)
	14:30-16:00	Ice-Breaking
	16:00-16:30	Break
	16:30-18:00	Special Lecture 3: International Cooperation in the era of the Fourth Industrial Revolution
	18:30-20:00	Welcoming Dinner
20:00-22:00	Team Building Activities	
Aug.28 (Tue)	09:00-13:00	Workshop <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- Session 1 : Lecture               <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Enhancing inter-regional understanding through Public Diplomacy</li> <li>• Expanding mutually beneficial Economic Cooperation between the two region</li> </ul> </li> </ul>

		- Session 2 : Group Discussions/Feedback from Experts
	13:00-14:00	Lunch
	14:00-18:00	Cultural Activity
	18:00-19:00	Dinner
	19:00-22:00	Preparation Time - Group Presentation - Model FEALAC Meeting Final Document
Aug.29 (Wed)	09:30-13:00	Group Presentations
	13:00-14:00	Lunch
	14:00-16:00	Meeting Final Document Preparation
	16:00-16:30	Break
	16:30-19:30	Model FEALAC Meeting
	19:30-20:30	Dinner
Aug.30 (Thu)	10:00-10:30	Award Ceremony & Closing

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