

Call for Applications: Korea–Japan Youth Model Summit

The Ministry of Foreign Affairs of the Republic of Korea and the Asia Exchange Association are hosting the ‘Korea-Japan Youth Model Summit,’ a forum through which Korean and Japanese youths can foster mutual understanding and co-prosperity between the two nations. Youth wishing to become global leaders contributing to the Korea-Japan relationship are encouraged to apply. Please refer to the descriptions below for more information.

1. Application

- Due Date: 23:59 November 15 (WED), 2023 (KST)
- Needed: 20 youths from the Republic of Korea or Japan (10 persons from each country)
- Roles & Eligibility

Role	Delegate	Chair
Main Activity	Discussing ways to strengthen the Korea-Japan relationship	Leading and facilitating discussions between delegates
Needed	16 persons	4 persons
Eligibility	- Korean and Japanese youths based in Korea aged between 19~35 * Date of birth between November 16, 1987 to November 15, 2004 * Japanese youths must hold a valid visa - Willing to actively contribute to the Korea-Japan relationship - Being able to discuss in English	
Application	- Access the Google Survey link below * application form: https://forms.gle/zwN1WMTg9521WGLd9 - Choose a preferred role between ‘Delegate’ or ‘Chair’ * The role assignment might not tally with your preference - Fill out all required questions and submit your response	

- Selection Criteria: Willingness to participate, level of interest, personal capacities, etc.
- Application Screening Schedule

Content	Schedule	Platform
Application Deadline	November 15 (WED)	Google Survey
Shortlist Results	November 17 (FRI)	AEA Website
Online Interview	November 21 (TUE)	ZOOM
Final Results	November 22 (WED)	AEA Website

* The schedule above might be subject to change

2. Summit Overview

- Date: 9:30~17:00, December 9 (SAT), 2023
- Venue: Aloft Seoul Myeongdong (56, Namdaemun-ro, Jung-gu, Seoul, ROK)
- Participants: 20 youths from the Republic of Korea or Japan
- Purpose: Fostering mutual understanding between Korean and Japanese youths
- Committee: 8 delegates and 2 chairs for each committee (total 2 committees)
- Content
 - Working Language: English
 - Activities: Ice-breaking, discussion, drafting and presenting of joint statements
 - Committee Topics
 - 1) Promoting people-to-people exchange between Korea and Japan to enhance mutual understanding
 - 2) Promoting economic cooperation between Korea and Japan to achieve co-prosperity

* Topic assignment might not tally with your preference
 - Participant Benefits: Certificate of completion (Delegates and Chairs), Appointment certificate (Chairs), lunch provided
- Schedule

Content	Schedule	Note
Orientation	16:00, November 23 (THU) *Announcing assigned committees, topics, preparation guidelines, etc.	ZOOM *Final candidates must attend the orientation
Preparation	(Delegates & Chairs) Conducting research on the given topic (Chairs) Creating a plan for meeting procedures	
Model Summit	December 9 (SAT)	9:00~9:30 Participant arrival

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3. Notice

- Should there be any false information on the application, disadvantages will follow
- Additional information including final candidates' social security number, emergency contact, and dietary needs will be collected
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