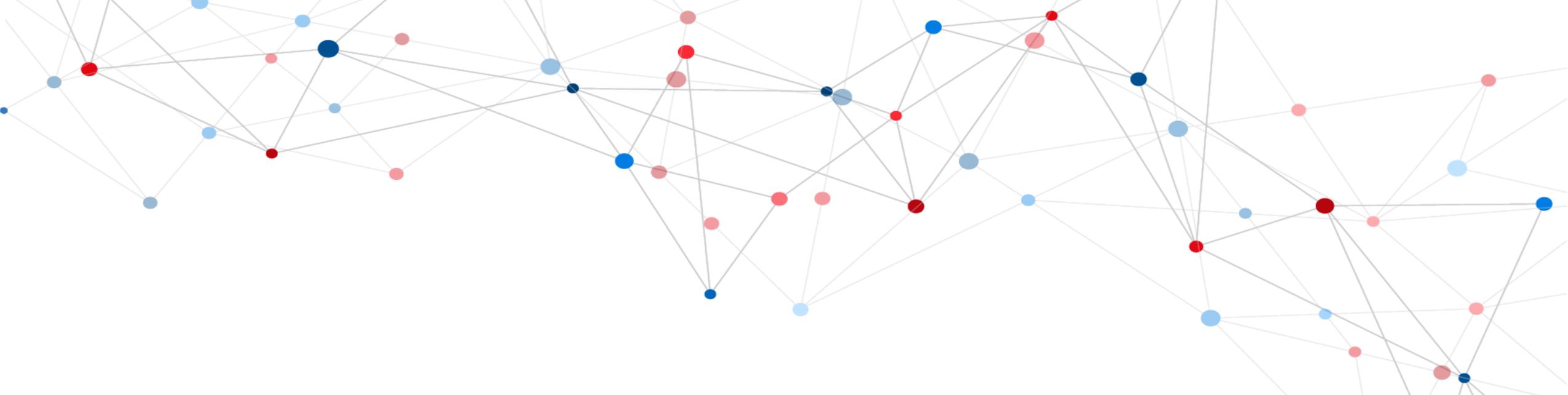




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12. Updates from the ASEM Stakeholders



ASEAN University Network (AUN)



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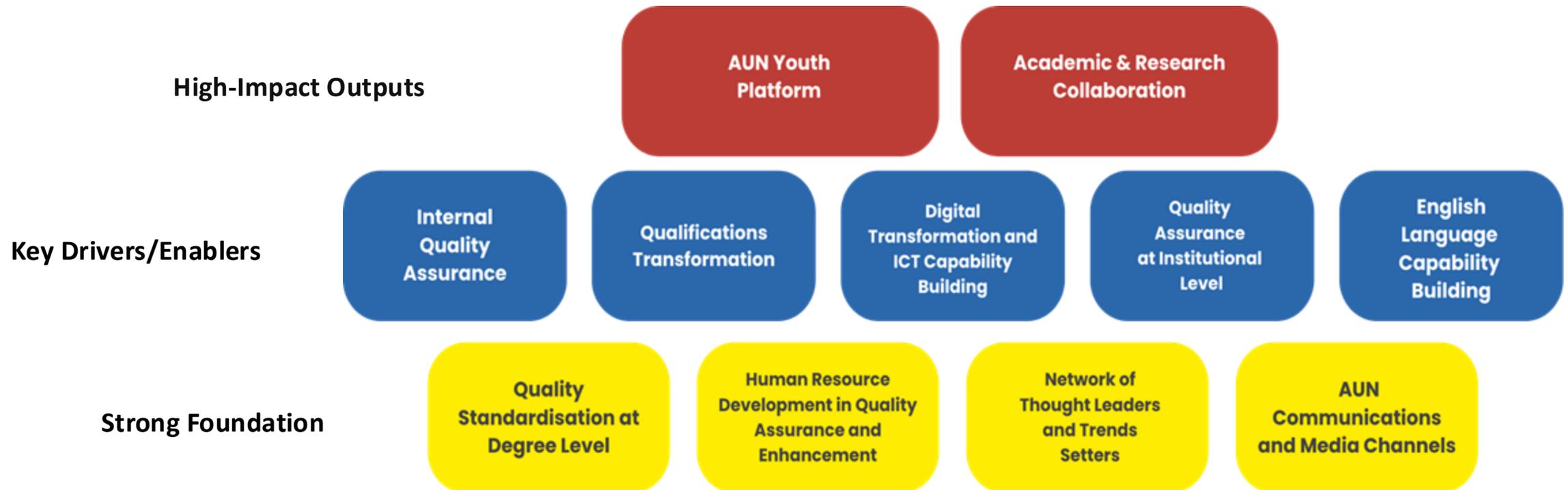
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Projects and Activities

Through a newly formulated multilayered operational focus, the AUN Secretariat aims to optimise the Network's effectiveness and high impact to interregional development of higher education in accordance with recent developments in the ever-shifting socio-economic landscape. Each of the layer comprising this operational focus represents different yet equally vital "moving parts" that drive the Network's operation and excellence forward.



Network Status

Membership



Currently, there are **291** AUN Universities are universities involved in the operations and growth of the network.

They comprise **30** AUN Core Member Universities, **21** ASEAN+3 University Network (ASEAN+3 UNet) Member Universities and **240** Associate/Affiliate Member Universities through AUN Thematic Networks.

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AUN CORE MEMBERS



BRUNEI DARUSSALAM

- Universiti Brunei Darussalam



CAMBODI

- A** Royal University of Law and Economics
- Royal University of Phnom Penh



INDONESIA

- Institut Teknologi Bandung
- Universitas Airlangga
- Universitas Gadjah Mada
- Universitas Indonesia



LAO PDR

- National University of Laos



MALAYSIA

- Universiti Kebangsaan Malaysia
- Universiti Putra Malaysia
- Universiti Sains Malaysia
- Universiti Utara Malaysia
- Universiti Malaya



MYANMA

- R** University of Mandalay
- University of Yangon
- Yangon University of Economics



SINGAPOR

- E** Nanyang Technological University
- National University of Singapore
- Singapore Management University



THE PHILIPPINES

- Ateneo De Manila University
- De La Salle University
- University of the Philippines



THAILAN

- D** Burapha University
- Chiang Mai University
- Chulalongkorn University
- Mahidol University
- Prince of Songkla University



VIET NAM

- Can Tho University
- Vietnam National University, Hanoi
- Vietnam National University, Ho Chi Minh City

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ASEAN+3 University Network (ASEAN+3 UNet) CORE MEMBERS



CHINA

- Guangxi University (广西大学)
- Guizhou University (贵州大学)
- Peking University (北京大学)
- Xiamen University (厦門大学)
- Yunnan University (云南大学)



SOUTH KOREA

- Chung-Ang University (중앙대학교)
- Chonnam National University (전남대학교)
- Daejeon University (대전대학교)
- Dongguk University (동국대학교)
- Kyung Hee University (경희대학교)
- Seoul National University (서울대학교)



JAPAN

- Chiba University (千葉大学)
 - Kanazawa University (金沢大学)
 - Keio University (慶應義塾大学)
 - Kumamoto University (熊本大学)
 - Kyoto University (京都大学)
 - Nagasaki University (長崎大学)
 - Niigata University (新潟大学)
 - Okayama University (岡山大学)
 - Tokyo Institute of Technology (東京工業大学)
 - Waseda University (早稲田大学)
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AUN Quality Assurance (**AUN-QA**)

AUN Health Promotion Network (**AUN-HPN**)

AUN Technology Enhanced Personalised Learning (**AUN-TEPL**)

AUN Southeast Asia-Engineering Education Development Network (**AUN/SEED-Net**)

AUN University Social Responsibility and Sustainability (**AUN USR&S**)

ASEAN University Network on Culture and the Arts (**AUN-CA**)

AUN Ecological Education and Culture (**AUN-EEC**)

AUN for Business and Economics Network (**AUN-BE**)

Libraries of ASEAN University Network (**AUNILO**)

AUN Human Rights Education Network (**AUN-HRE**)

AUN Disability and Public Policy Network (**AUN-DPPnet**)

AUN Student Affairs Network (**AUN-SAN**)

AUN University Innovation and Enterprise (**AUN-UIE**)

AUN ASEAN Credit Transfer System (**AUN-ACTS**)

AUN AEC Thematic Network (**AUN-AEC**)

AUN Sustainable City and Urban Development (**AUN-SCUD**) Network

AUN Thematic Network on Architectural Design Education and Research in ASEAN (**AUN-ADERA**)

AUN Digital Transfer (**AUN-DX**)

ASEAN University Network Gender Justice and Inclusion (**AUN-GJI**)



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AUN-QA



History Of The AUN-QA



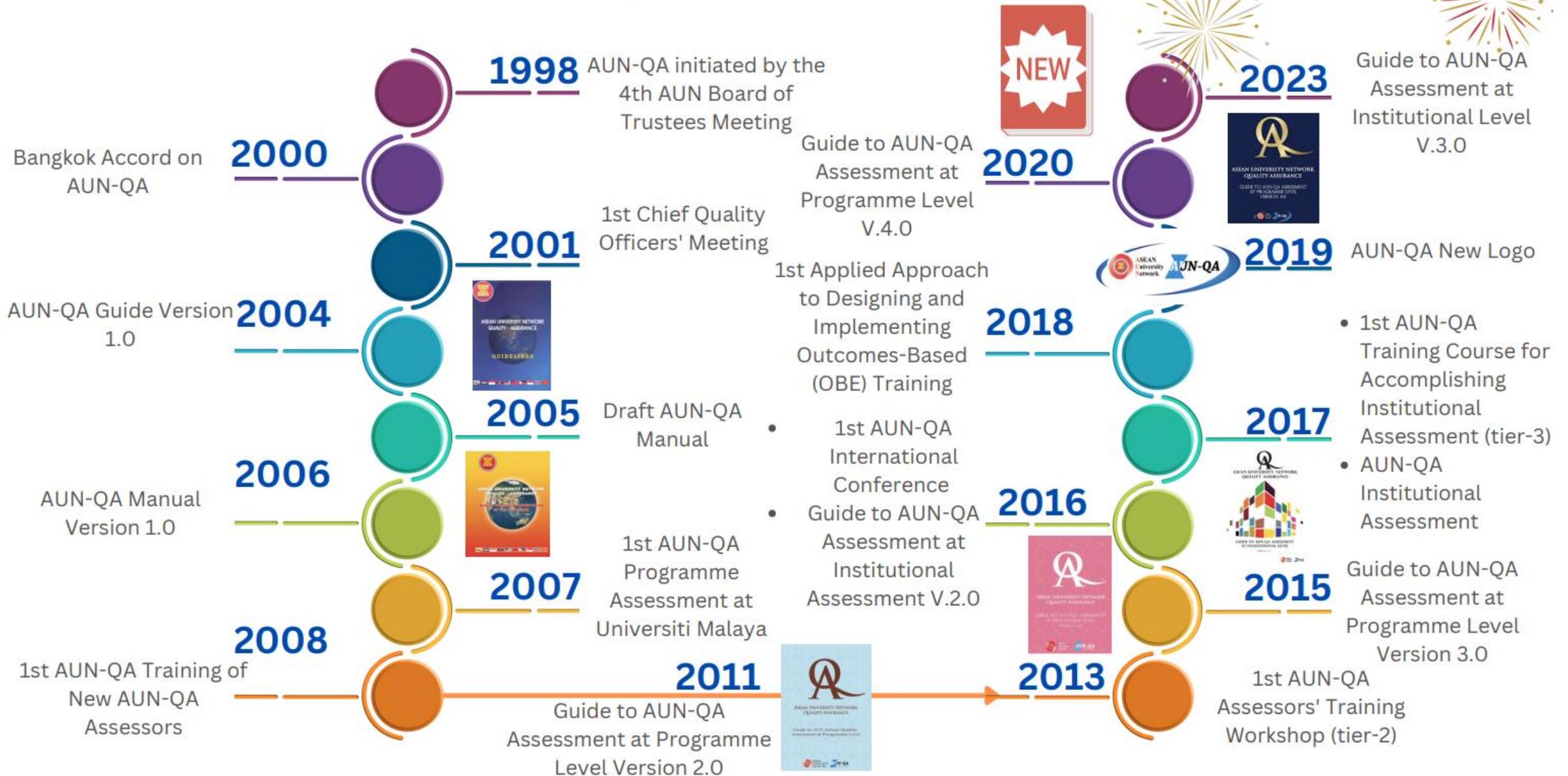
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The 4th ASEAN Summit, the call for cooperation in the field of higher education and human resource development.

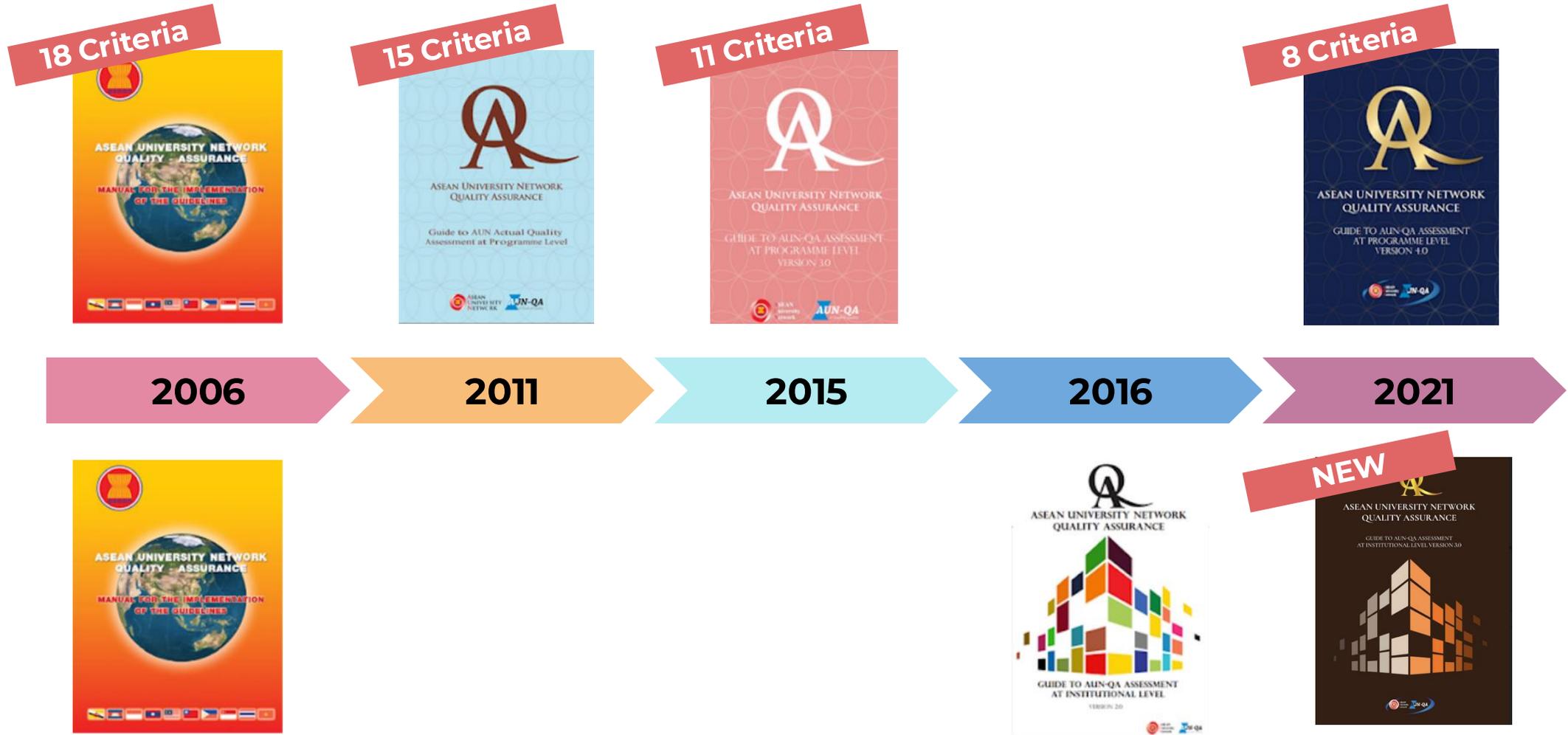
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Charter of the ASEAN University Network was signed by the ASEAN Ministers responsible for higher education and Agreement on the Establishment of the ASEAN Universities. Network was signed by Presidents, Rectors and Vice-Chancellors of participating university.

AUN-QA MILESTONES



Guidelines for Programme Assessment



Guidelines for Institutional Assessment



Policy and Networking Platforms

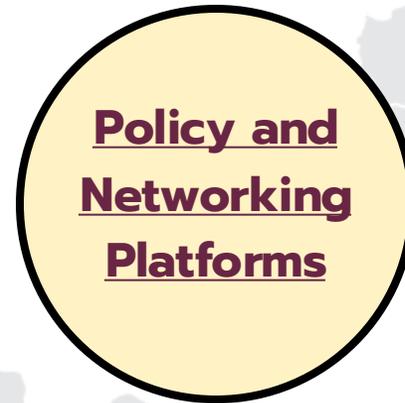


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**AUN Board of Trustees'
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AUN Rectors' Meeting



**Policy and
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**ASEAN+3 Heads of
International Relations
Meeting**

**ASEAN+3 Rectors'
Conference**



ASEAN+3 UNet



Policy and Networking Platforms



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AUN Board of Trustees' Meeting

The AUN Board of Trustees Meeting is one of the core AUN meeting platforms held annually back-to-back with the AUN Rectors' Meeting. Recently, the AUN-BOT Meeting is arranged in a lean format to report the key results of AUN in the past year and to discuss a direction for future collaboration of the AUN Member Universities towards the path of regional higher education within ASEAN and beyond.

The AUN Board of Trustees (AUN-BOT) consists of ten representatives, designated one each from the ten ASEAN Member States, the Secretary-General of ASEAN, the Chairman of the Senior Officials Meeting on Education (SOM-ED), the Secretary-General of the Office of the Higher Education Commission, Ministry of Education, Thailand, as an ex-officio member and the Chairman of the AUN Board of Trustees, and the AUN Executive Director.





Policy and Networking Platforms



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AUN Rectors' Meeting

AUN Rectors' Meeting is geared as a platform showcasing past achievements and forward-looking strategies of AUN-related projects, programmes and activities organised by AUN Member Universities and stakeholders. The Meeting's activities are often designed to initiate a fruitful and engaging dialogue among Presidents, Rectors, Chancellors, and Vice-Chancellors of the AUN Member Universities who are thought-leaders and great contributors to the work and success of the Network, with a goal of paving ways for the future of ASEAN Higher Education.



Policy and Networking Platforms



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ASEAN+3 Heads of International Relations Meeting

The ASEAN+3 Heads of International Relations Meeting serves as a practical platform for Vice Presidents or their representatives from ASEAN+3 UNet University International Relations Offices to engage in discussions and enhance student and academic mobility within the region. The outcomes include recommendations and initiatives aimed at tackling obstacles and enhancing the quality of international educational partnerships.

Each annual meeting focuses on a specific theme determined through consultations between the host university and the AUN Secretariat. The primary result of these meetings is a deliverable, report, or framework produced through collaborative work involving the host university and the attendees.





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ASEAN+3 Rectors' Conference

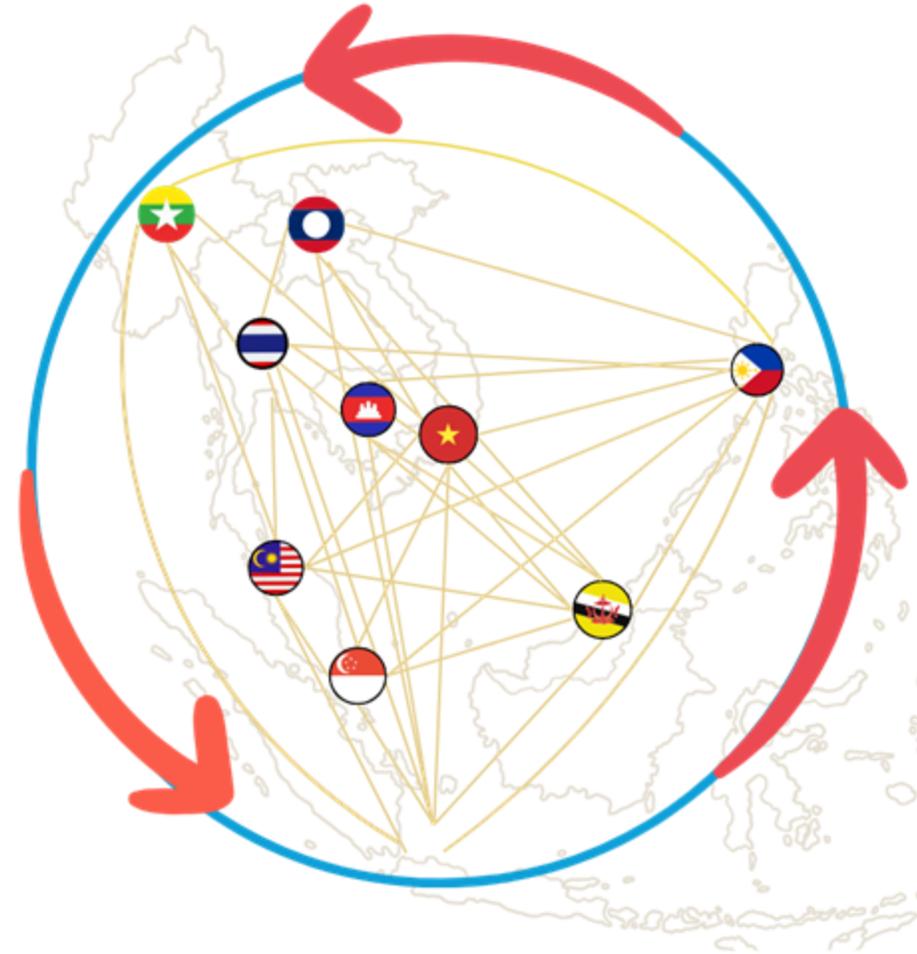
The ASEAN+3 Rectors' Conference, held every two years, aims to offer a platform for university leaders from ASEAN and Plus Three countries to address and deliberate on future challenges. The ASEAN Plus Three (APT) includes ten ASEAN Member States, along with China, Japan, and South Korea. Originating in December 1997, the APT Cooperation process has developed into a key mechanism for fostering East Asian Cooperation, with the ultimate objective of establishing an East Asian Community, with ASEAN leading the way through joint initiatives.



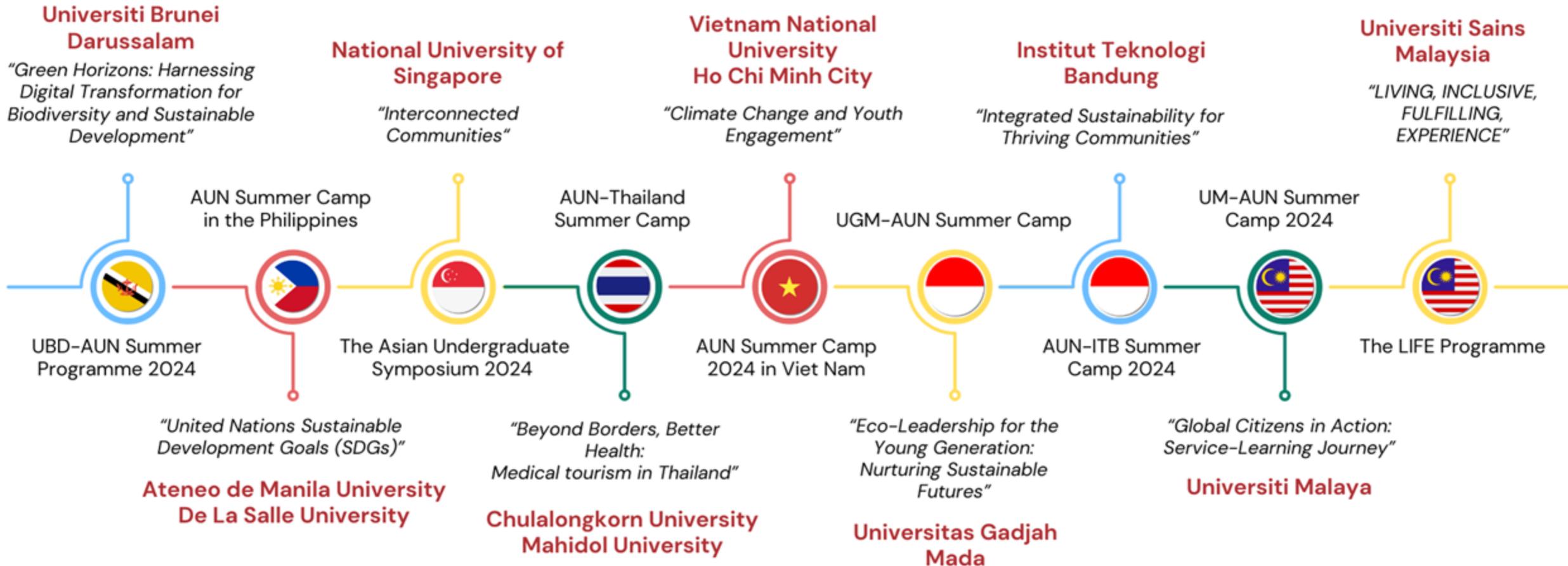
AUN Summer Camp

Background

- The concept of the AUN Summer Camp was first put forward during the 14th AUN Rectors' Meeting and 38th AUN Board of Trustees (BOT) Meeting by Prof. Tan Eng Chye, President of the National University of Singapore (NUS) for a short-term cross-border experiential initiative by AUN Member Universities.
- The two-week programme of each campsite includes activities and challenges that are expected to help participating students develop a set of selected competences to flourish in the future of Asia and global society. In addition, the programme also fosters a spirit of regional unity and cooperation among ASEAN countries.
- In 2024, AUN Summer Camp was launched for the first time, uniting over 1,020 talents from 71 ASEAN universities, 14 countries (10 ASEAN countries as well as China, Japan, South Korea and India) in 9 concurrent summer camps spanning across 7 countries over the period of four months from June to September. Within the total number of participating students in this year's programme, 805 students are from the 10 ASEAN countries.



AUN Summer Camp



AUN Summer Camp

In terms of student participants from ASEAN countries, the table below displays the breakdown of participation by country in this year's programme:

				
38 students	64 students	117 students	25 students	74 students
				
51 students	79 students	44 students	146 students	138 students

AUN Summer Camp



AUN Summer Camp



AUN Summer Camp





Youth Platforms

Nourishing ASEAN youth mobility, academic venture and life-long growth through excellent university collaboration and implementation



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Five Key AUN Youth Platforms

ASEAN and ASEAN+3 Youth Cultural Forum (AYCF)



The AUN and ASEAN+3 Youth Cultural Forum is an annual event that brings together youth from leading universities in the ASEAN region, China, Japan, and Korea to share their distinct cultures and values with one another. The Forum comprises cultural workshops, a cultural trip, as well as a space to perform unique traditional cultural performances.

AUN and ASEAN+3 Educational Forum and Young Speakers' Contest 2024



A platform of two synchronous events for students interested in public and global affairs/policymaking at national and international levels, ASEAN+3 Educational Forum and Young Speaker Contest provides a stage for interested participants to express their voices through the drafting of the ASEAN+3 Youth Statement in the forum, as well as through the speeches delivered in the speaking contest.

ASEAN Student Leaders Forum (ASLF)



The ASEAN Student Leaders Forum (ASLF) is a platform that brings together young leaders from student associations and unions from 30 AUN Member Universities in a top-tier active learning opportunity for them to learn and initiate high-impact youth-led initiatives in their respective universities.

AUN ASEAN Experiential Learning (AELP)



The AUN ASEAN Experiential Learning Programme (AELP) is one of the flagship initiatives of the AUN Student Affairs Network (AUN-SAN). The AELP is a biannual activity that brings together undergraduates from AUN Member Universities for a 5-day learning programme that aims to offer real "in-the-field" learning and exposure experiences. These experiences will immerse the students in real social, economic, and environmental issues faced by ASEAN residents.

AUN Summer Camp



Concurrent Student Mobility Programmes organized by **AUN Core Member Universities** for young talents students from **10 ASEAN Countries**

With the main objective of preparing the region's students with more advanced competences and knowledge essential for the leading global talents rooted in the ASEAN region, the AUN Summer Camp brings together the strengths and expertise of leading AUN Member Universities in organising two-week, concurrent and cross-border exchange programmes and stimulating interregional academic mobility of a large group of university students from 10 ASEAN countries.

Through knowledge building and capacity building sessions run by ASEAN's top universities and involving experts from the business and industry sector, participating students of the AUN Summer Camp are expected to graduate from this short-term programme with future-ready skills, knowledge and attitudes that can help them thrive in an ever-challenging global socioeconomic landscape.

This brand new initiative under AUN will also serve as a great platform for students, academics as well as professionals from industries and businesses to connect and contribute to each other's personal and professional growth - one which could last for a lifetime.





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Scholarship Programmes

• China-AUN Scholarship



for pre/post-doctoral researchers from the ASEAN member countries (*) to conduct cooperative research under the guidance of their hosts cooperative research with leading research groups in universities and other Japanese institutions.

• Japan Society for the Promotion of Science (JSPS) International Fellowships for Research in Japan



for pre/post-doctoral researchers from the ASEAN member countries (*) to conduct cooperative research under the guidance of their hosts cooperative research with leading research groups in universities and other Japanese institutions.

• ASEAN-China Young Leaders Scholarship (ACYLS)



supports AMS nationals to study for doctoral or master's degrees, undertake short-term research programs, or participate in training courses in the PRC. ACYLS provides a full scholarship award covering all program-related expenses including tuition waiver and other school fees, accommodation, round-trip international airfare, comprehensive medical insurance and stipends.



External Collaboration

The AUN Secretariat have been in collaboration with several partner institutions in the Plus Three countries in conducting short-term exchange and experiential programmes.

Examples include:

• ASEAN-Japan Cross-Cultural Exchange Programme 2024



• ASEAN-Japan Youth Forum



• Japan-ASEAN Training Course towards SDGs



AUN Internship Programme



Learn about the history, management details and essential information of this long-standing programme for stimulated talents from across the globe!

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Find out more about AUN Youth and Academic Mobility Engagement by downloading our guide book at: https://www.aunsec.org/download_file/11393/0

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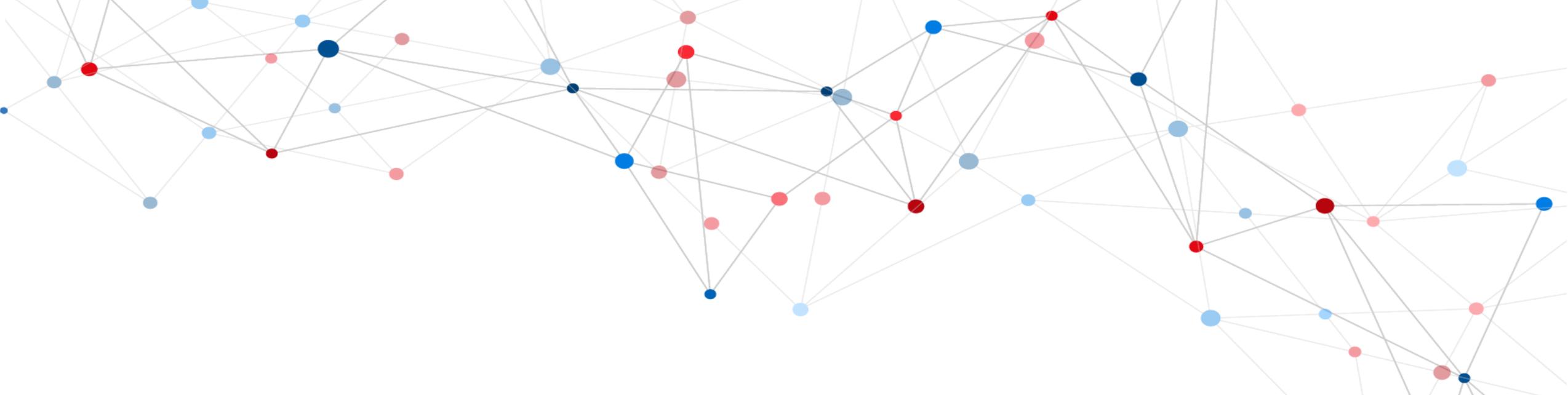
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ASEM-DUO Fellowship Programme



PROGRESS OF **ASEM-DO** FELLOWSHIP PROGRAMME

Dr. Keuk-Je Sung

November 19(Tue), 2024

[6th ASEM-DUO Alumni Meeting]



TAPPING INTO GLOBAL OPPORTUNITIES AND LET'S BE A DOER

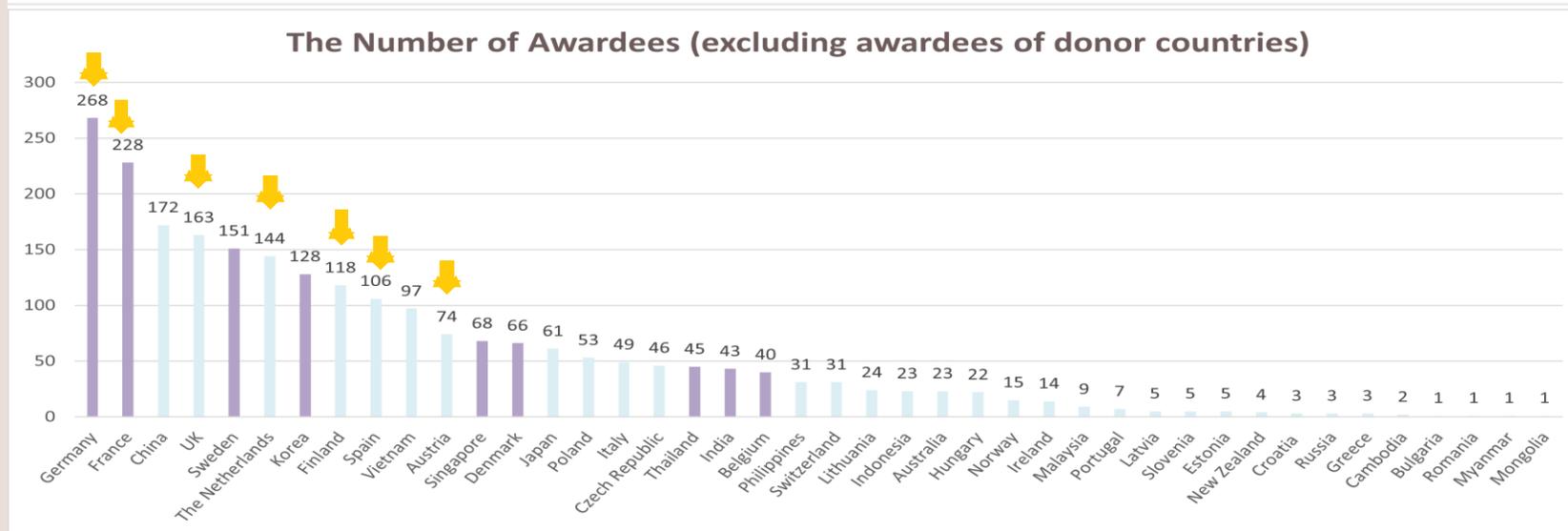
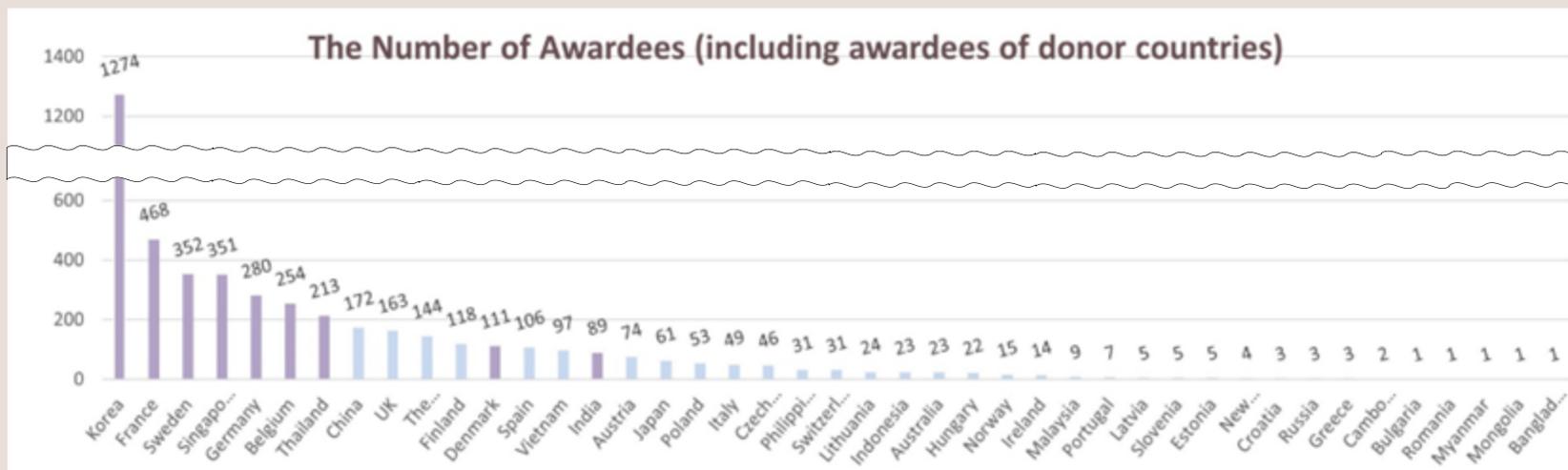
Ms. Sujin Hwang (Korea)

Everyone has turning points or unforgettable moments in their life in their own way. For me, the ASEM-DUO opportunity is one of those. It was literally an eye-opening chance to broaden my horizons. It seemed there was no right answer in life. I really have a deep desire to taste the world as much as possible. I wanted to be a 'Doer'. There is no doubt that ASEM-DUO has had a significant impact on it.





[ASEM-DUO Achievements]



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Asia-Europe Foundation (ASEF)

ASEF Education Department (Edu)

Target Groups

Education Projects



Connecting Young Leaders in Asia and Europe

ASEF Young Leaders Summit (ASEFYLS)

**ASEFYLS5 LEADERSHIP
CAPACITY IN SOCIETY
BUILDINGS 5.0**

Connecting Young Leaders in Asia and Europe

ASEF Young Leaders Summit (ASEFYLS)

In 2024 two hybrid **Young Leaders Capacity Building Trainings** on the topic of “*Leadership in Society 5.0*” with 80 participants from 50 countries

- Training event in **China**, in partnership with the **All-China Youth Federation**, in conjunction with the **World Youth Development Forum**
- Training event in **Hungary**, in partnership with **Council of Europe**; European youth Center in Budapest, Hungary

Publication launch on *Shaping Society 5.0: Youth Perspectives on Leadership for a Human-Centered Future*



ASEF
Youth
Report

Shaping Society 5.0:
Youth Perspectives and Leadership Development for a Human-Centered Future



Connecting Young Leaders in Asia and Europe

ASEF Young Leaders Summit (ASEFYLS)

In 2025 one hybrid **6th Young Leaders Summit** with 100 participants from 50 ASEF countries

- Navigators training in partnership with **College of Europe, Poland**
- Summit in Japan, in partnership with **Japan Hub for Innovative Global Education (JIGE)** in conjunction with the **World EXPO in Osaka, Japan**



Building a Regional Dialogue on Sci-Tech Diplomacy

Asia-Europe Science and Technology Diplomacy Initiative for Young Leaders



**ASIA-EUROPE SCIENCE &
TECHNOLOGY DIPLOMACY INITIATIVE
FOR YOUNG LEADERS**

Building a Regional Dialogue on Sci-Tech Diplomacy

Asia-Europe Science and Technology Diplomacy Initiative for Young Leaders

In 2024 producing a **Comparative regional report** to map over 40 national strategies on science and technology diplomacy

- Showcase the findings at **Side-event to the World Science Forum (WSF)**, Budapest, Hungary



Building a Regional Dialogue on Sci-Tech Diplomacy

Asia-Europe Science and Technology Diplomacy Initiative for Young Leaders

In 2025 organizing **Country Focus Workshop Series** showcasing Asian and developing country Sci-Tech strategies and ecosystems

Youth side-event to the European Science Ministers' Meeting in 2025 in Denmark (tbc)



Providing Key Inputs to Policy Discussions

ASEF Regional Conference on Higher Education (ARC)

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10th ASEF Regional Conference on Higher Education

[Un]debated Ways of Rethinking Higher Education

Providing Key Inputs to Policy Discussions

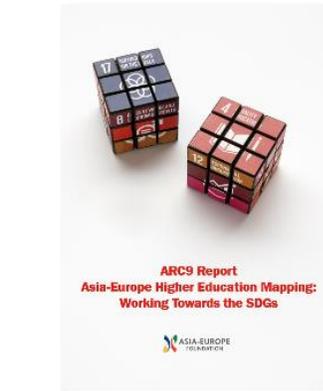
ASEF Regional Conference on Higher Education (ARC)

In 2024 a **Debate Webinar series** on *[Un]debated Ways of Rethinking Higher Education* with high-level experts

- “Will AI Benefit University Teaching & Learning?”
- “Who should be more responsible for EDI in HE: universities or policymakers?”
- “Is transnational education (TNE) bringing more opportunities or risks in ensuring balanced mobility of people and knowledge?”

and two physical **Dialogue Events**

- in conjunction with the **Intermediate ASEM Education Senior Officials Meeting (ISOM)** in Thailand
- in conjunction with the **Southeast Asian Ministers of Education (SEAMEO RIHED) Regional Symposium** in Thailand



Providing Key Inputs to Policy Discussions

ASEF Regional Conference on Higher Education (ARC)

In 2025 hybrid **Policy Dialogue Workshops** on Equity, Diversity and Inclusion in Higher Education

- Working with the **ASEM Expert Group on Sustainable Development Goals and Education** with one in-person event
- Synergies with **ASEM Expert Groups & EHEA Global Policy Dialogue Group**

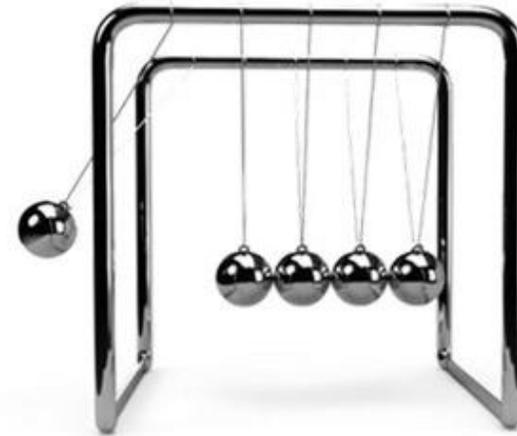


Innovative Collaborations in Higher Education

ASEF Higher Education Innovation Laboratory (ASEFInnoLab)



**“Universities’ Role in Artificial Intelligence
(AI) Innovation Ecosystems”**

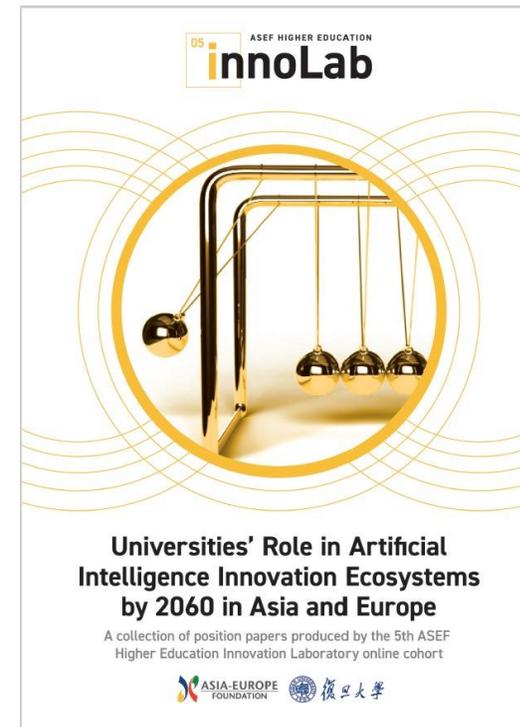


Innovative Collaborations in Higher Education

ASEF Higher Education Innovation Laboratory (ASEFInnoLab)

In 2024

- Online **InnoLab workshop series** on *Universities' Role in AI Innovation Ecosystems* completed with 100 participants from 33 countries who produced **18 Joint Position Papers**
- **Onsite InnoLab workshop** in collaboration with the **ASEM Expert Group on Digitalisation** to produce 3 whitepapers, hosted by Fudan University on 20-26 October 2024
- **Publication launch** on 28 November 2024 online, 16 Position Papers



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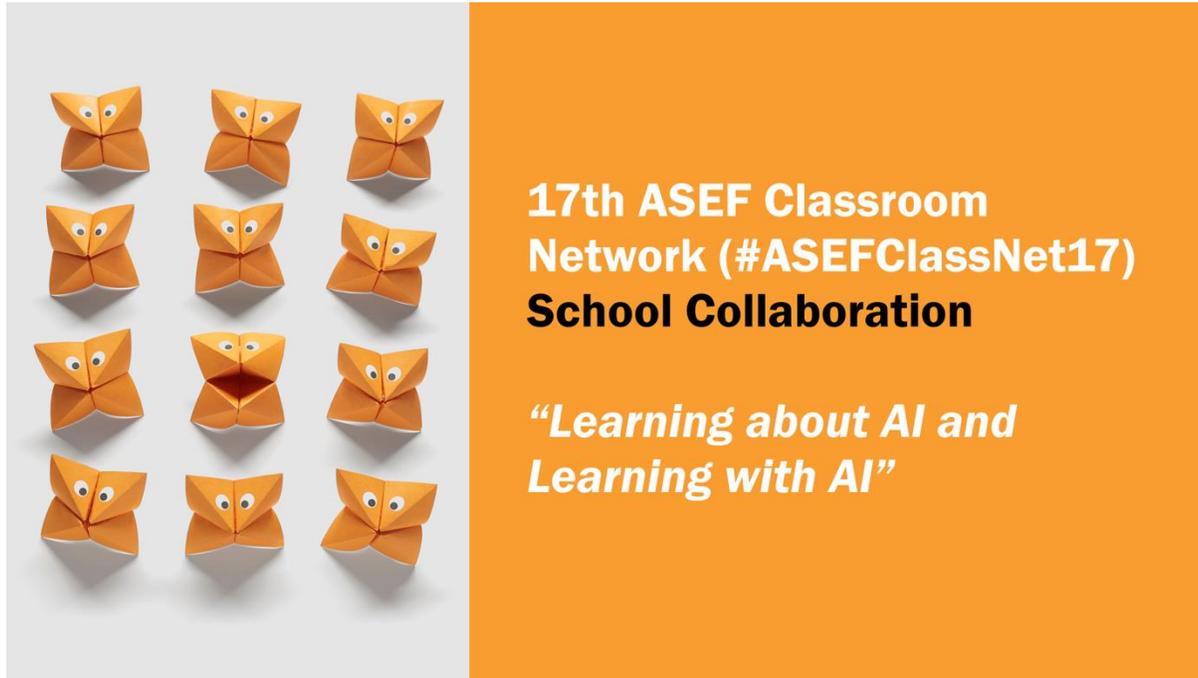
In 2025

- Online **InnoLab workshops** for 200 participants for exchange and building P2P connections, to produce joint outputs
- Three **onsite InnoLab events** in three locations (China, Asia and Europe)
- Inviting the **ASEM EG on Digitalisation** to continue collaboration



Future-proofing Secondary School Education

ASEF Classroom Network Project

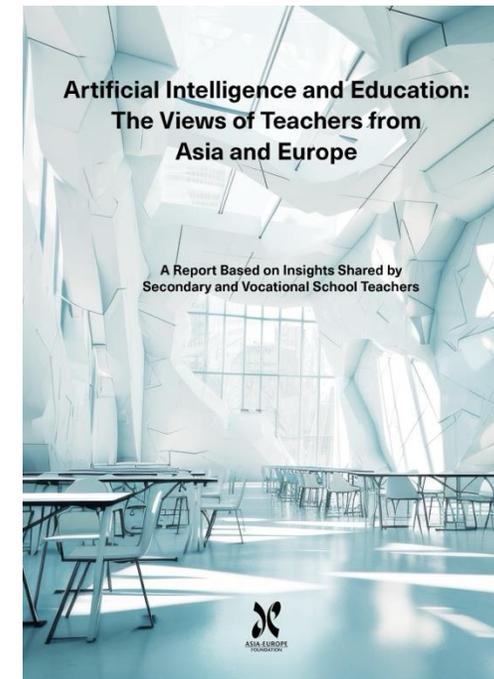
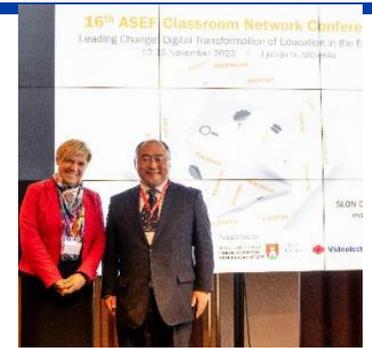


Future-proofing Secondary School Education

ASEF Classroom Network Project

In 2024 hybrid programme

- online **Knowledge Building and Team Learning workshops** with 250 teachers and 20 teacher training institutions from 36 countries
- **School and Faculty Collaboration Conference** in collaboration with UNESCO IRCAI & AsTEN, 11-15 November, The Philippines
- **Publication** Launched on “*AI in Education: The Views of Teachers from Asia and Europe*”



Future-proofing Secondary School Education

ASEF Classroom Network Project

In 2025 online **Learning and Collaboration Opportunities** with the participation of at least 400 teachers

- Onsite **School Collaboration Conference**, in conjunction with the UNESCO IRCAI Open Education For a Better World Conference
- Onsite **Faculty Collaboration Conference**, in conjunction with the Chinese Education Innovation Expo, in November 2025, China



Education Team





Asia-Europe Institute (AEI)

Asia-Europe Institute AEI-ASEM Summer School 2024

Prof. Azirah Hashim
Asia-Europe Institute
Universiti Malaya

ASEM Intermediate Senior Officials' Meeting (ISOM)
Bangkok, 18th – 19th November 2024

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Introduction

Theme : 'Global Citizenship: Embracing Diversity, Fostering Sustainability'

Date : 29 July - 7 August 2024, held at the Asia-Europe Institute, Universiti Malaya

Participants : 14 from various countries, including Indonesia, Algeria, Germany, and Japan

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Program Highlights

- Engaging mix of lectures, discussions and field trips
- Focused on sustainability, diversity, and global citizenship
- Topics included human security, leadership, and misinformation



Field Trips

- Visits to Putrajaya and Malacca offered insights into Malaysia's administrative capital, architecture and culture
- Highlighted Malaysian and ASEAN history, sustainable development, and global citizenship
- Helped connect sustainability with cultural diversity



Cultural Showcase and Farewell Dinner

- Sponsored by Tourism Malaysia and Datum Corp
- Participants shared cultural heritage through performances
- Featured traditional Malaysian dances, enriching the cultural experience



AEI Events

ASEAN VACCINE DIPLOMACY
Strategies, Challenges, and Future Directions

Join us for an insightful talk by **Khalry Jamaluddin**, former Health Minister of Malaysia, on the multifaceted strategies and challenges encountered in ASEAN vaccine diplomacy during the COVID-19 pandemic.

THU 27th JUNE 2024
3:00PM-4:00PM
AEI AUDITORIUM, UM
Moderator: Dr. Kevin Fernandez

Register here: <https://bit.ly/aseanvaccine>

1 August 2024, Thursday
11AM - 12 PM
Auditorium, Asia-Europe Institute, Universiti Malaysia

EMINENT PERSON LECTURE SERIES (EPLS):
PROFESSOR KITAOKA SHINICHI

RECENT DEVELOPMENTS IN JAPAN'S SECURITY AND FOREIGN POLICY

Moderator: Distinguished Professor Dato' Dr. Rajah Rasiah

Registration: <https://bit.ly/eples2024>

Public Lecture by **Professor Dr. Sugata Bose**

Saturday, 13 July 2024
Auditorium, Asia-Europe Institute, Universiti Malaysia

4:00-5:00pm: Asia after Europe
5:20-6:15pm: What Does Netaji Subhas Chandra Bose's Political and Sociocultural Beliefs Mean for Multiethnic Societies?

Moderator: Distinguished Professor Dato' Dr. Rajah Rasiah

Authors' Workshop
Digitalization and Climate Resilience: Towards Strengthening the Sustainable Development Ecosystem in Southeast Asia

14-15 October 2024 • 9:00 am - 5:00 pm
Asia-Europe Institute, Universiti Malaysia

SPECIAL TALK EKONOMI MADANI
Transforming the Malaysian Economy: MADANI and Industrial Upgrading
by Distinguished Professor Dato' Dr. Rajah Rasiah
Executive Director, Asia-Europe Institute, Universiti Malaysia

5 September 2024 (Thursday) • 10 AM - 12:30 PM
Auditorium, Asia-Europe Institute, Universiti Malaysia

Moderator: Dato' Dr. Aziz Yusoff Yusoff
Executive Director, International Institute of Public Policy and Management (IIPM)

FORUM ON EMPOWERING VOICES: ASEAN CENTRALITY AND WOMEN, PEACE AND SECURITY

23rd October 2024 (Wednesday) • 2:30 PM • Asia-Europe Institute, Universiti Malaysia

PANELISTS

- Ambassador Elizabeth Burmester, Program Senior Fellow for High Level Task Force on ASEAN Centrality for 2024, Asia-Europe Institute
- Prof. Dr. Shanti Thattai, Professor, Institute for Women, Peace and Security, Asia-Europe Institute, Universiti Malaysia
- Prof. Dr. Anwar Huda Ali, Deputy Secretary General of ASEAN for Political Security Community
- Professor Distinguished Professor Dato' Dr. Rajah Rasiah, Executive Director, Asia-Europe Institute, Universiti Malaysia

Registration at bit.ly/empoweringforum

PUBLIC FORUM
THE MYANMAR CRISIS
WHAT NEXT FOR MALAYSIA AS ASEAN CHAIR 2025

19 Sept 2024 (Thursday) • 2:30 PM • Auditorium, Asia-Europe Institute, Universiti Malaysia

PANELISTS

- Ms. Aye Win
- Ms. Chit Khin
- Prof. Dr. Anwar Huda Ali
- Prof. Dr. Shanti Thattai
- Assoc. Prof. Dr. Myo Kywe

Malaysia's 2025 ASEAN Chair: Bridging Southeast Asia and South Korea

3rd September 2024 • 9 am - 1pm • By Invitation Only
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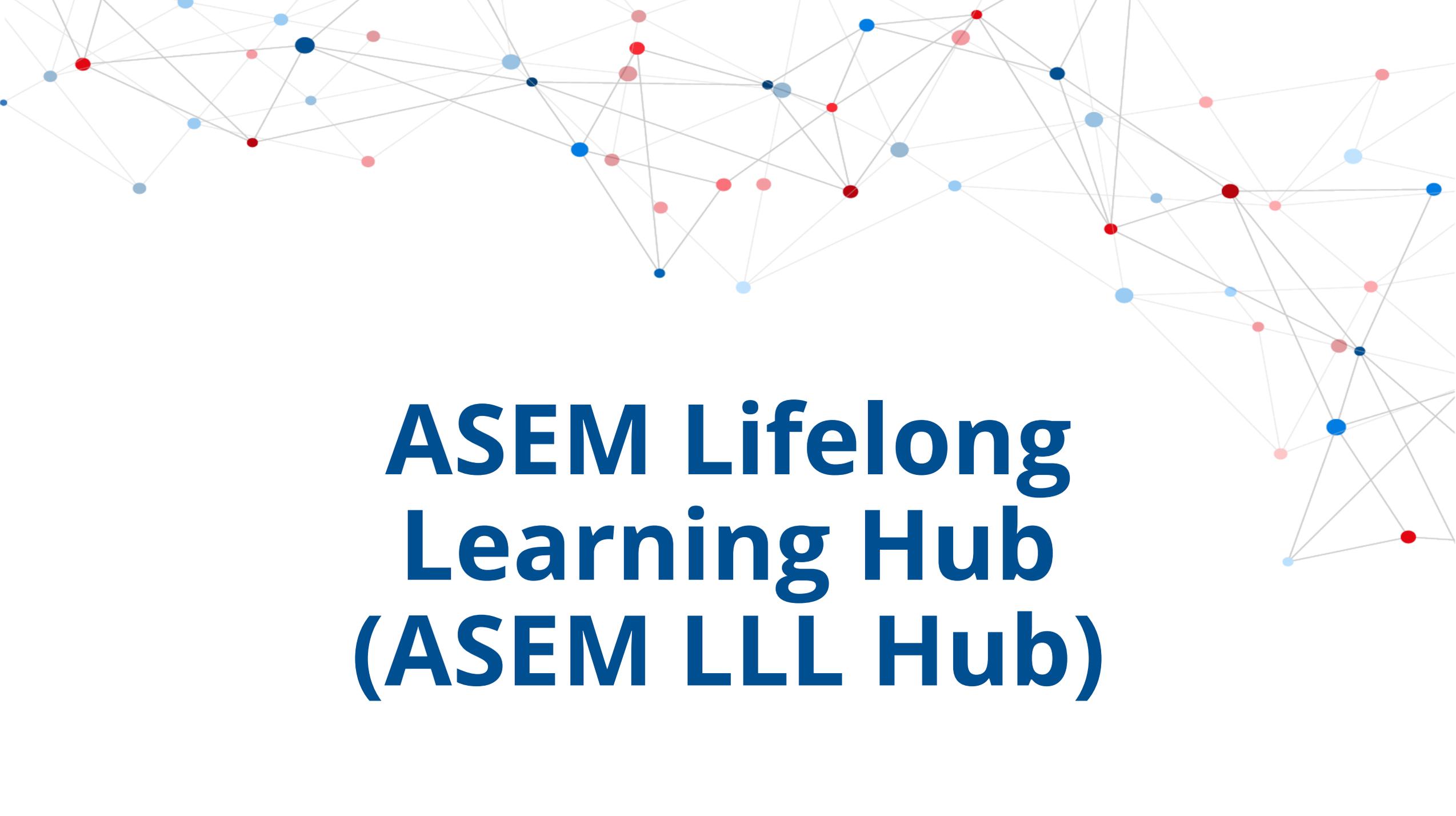
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ASEM Lifelong Learning Hub (ASEM LLL Hub)



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ASEM Lifelong Learning Hub Update

Intermediate Senior Officials'
Meeting (ISOM)

“Navigating the Digital Age:
Lifelong Learning and Future Skills
for a Hybrid World”

November 18 & 19, 2024
Bangkok, Thailand,



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Key Aspects of ASEM Lifelong Learning HUB

ASEM Lifelong Learning Hub

Research and Dialogue

- Facilitates collaborative research
- Platform for academics, policymakers and practitioners
- Develops evidence-based knowledge + support policy
- Drive innovation on a hot global topic of LLL
- Drives capacity building by linking emerging & established researchers (especially important for Asian partners)

Global Network

- Cultivates inter-regional networks of higher education, researchers, policy-makers, stakeholders and practitioners in Asia and Europe.
- Seven research networks, each focused on a specialist domain(s), but engaging in cross-cutting issues and collaboration.
- Linked to other global networks and organisations: UNESCO; ILO, OECD; SEAMEO, ASEAN; ENQA; ICAE; EUCEN; AAACE; RECLA (influence well past Asia-Europe context)

- RN1: e-ASEM (Digital Learning Management Systems, Techno-Pedagogic Skills and Knowledge Network Communities in Lifelong Learning)
- RN2: Workplace Learning
- RN3: Professionalization of Adult Teachers and Educators in ASEM countries
- RN4: National strategies for Lifelong Learning
- RN5: Lifelong Learning Transitions
- RN6: Learning Cities and Learning Regions
- RN7: Non-Formal, Informal Learning & Civil Society
- *Cross-Cutting Issues:*
 - Education and learning for girls and women
 - AI and Super Intelligence
 - Climate Challenges





227 members



57%

Europe



36%

Asia

44 
COUNTRIES

 100+
PUBLICATIONS

138 
UNIVERSITIES AND
INSTITUTIONS



Global Lifelong Learning Week

University Lifelong Learning Leading
Positive Change in Challenging Times



ASEM Lifelong Learning
IRELAND 2020-2025



27 - 31 May 2024
University College Cork



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Some Takeaways from GLLW

- Theme: VUCA (Volatility, Uncertainty, Complexity, Ambiguity)
- Over 50 speakers
- Over 200 participants
- Over 40 countries
- Established as bi-annual event of host country

Keynote Speakers Included:

- Marit Honerød Hoveid, President of the European Educational Research Association (EERA)—Norway
- Yeo Li Pheow, Director, Institute of Adult Learning, Singapore—Singapore
- Steve Fry, President, American Association for Adult and Continuing Education (AAACE)—United States



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Bangkok, Thailand

South Asia Coordinator



Dr Shalini Singh
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Dr Lamphoune
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Prof. Uranchimeg
Tudevtagva

Mongolian University of
Science and Technology

The Chair's Mission to Asia 2024-5

- Extend and Strengthen the Network
- Succession Discussions

Phase 1

Thailand

Malaysia

Lao PDR

Philippines

Phase 2

India

Japan

Korea

Mongolia

Lifelong Learning for a Sustainable Future

- Conference hosted by ASEM LLL Hub South Asia Centre
- Kochi, India
- January 6-8, 2025
- In collaboration with Adi Shankara Group of Institutions, Kerala, India





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Asia-Europe Meeting

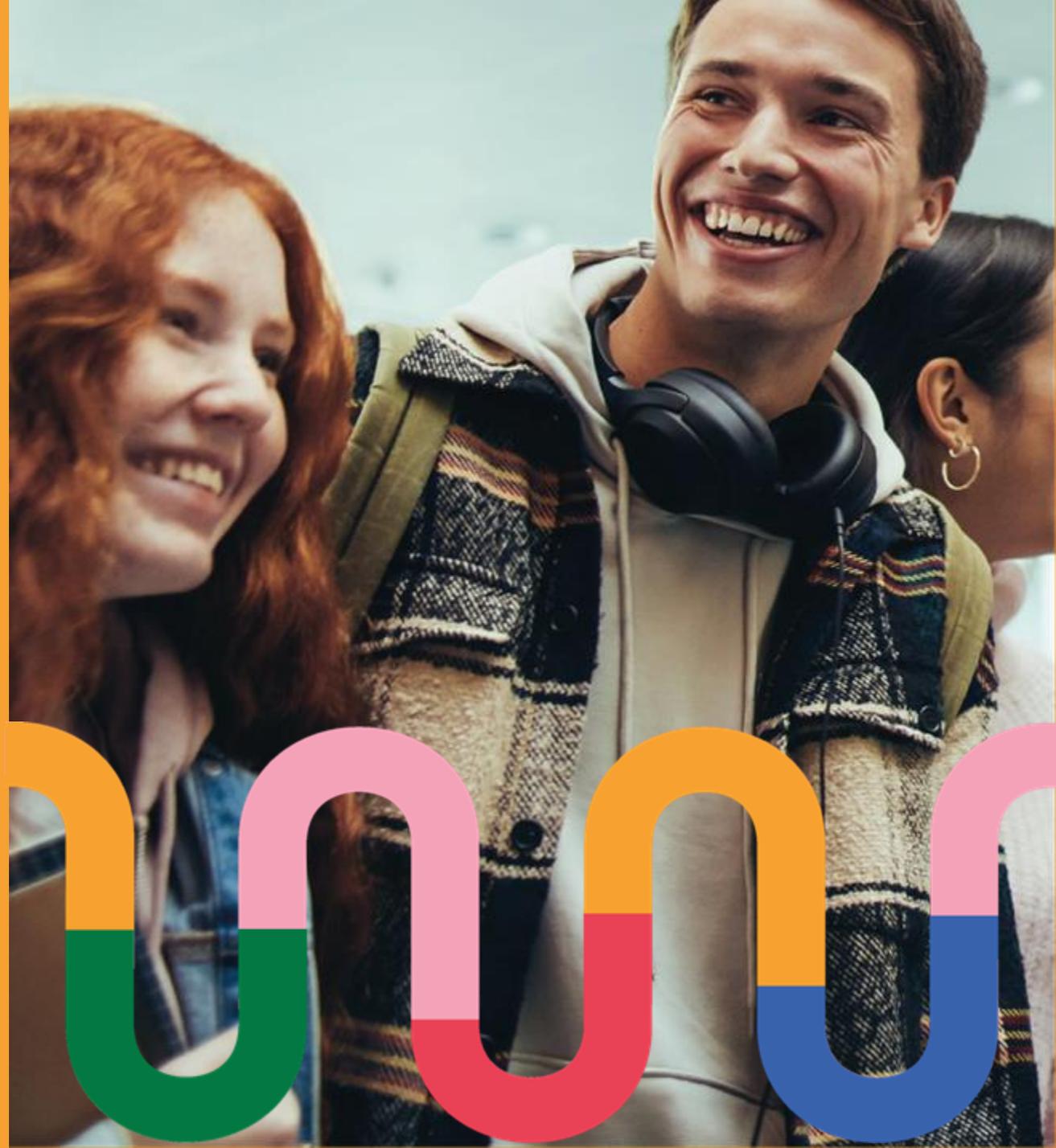


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European Students' Union (ESU)

ESU EUROPEAN STUDENTS' UNION

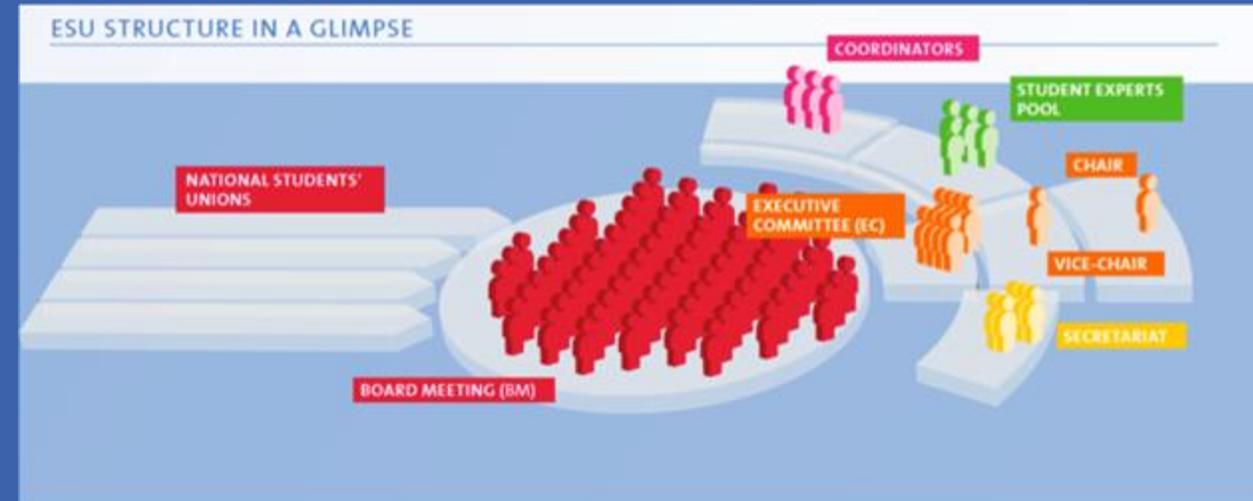


What is the European Students' Union?

- Umbrella organization of 44 students' unions from 40 European countries
- We represent approximately 20 million students from all levels of education
- Our members are student-run, autonomous, representative and operate according to democratic principles

ESU in numbers:

- 1 President and 2 Vice-Presidents
- 7 Executive Committee members and 3 coordinators
- 2 Pools of experts: Quality Assurance Pool of Student Experts, Pool of Trainers
- 2 annual Board Meetings and 2 annual European Students' Conventions
- Numerous events held in the organization of our board members and partners



Policy work of ESU

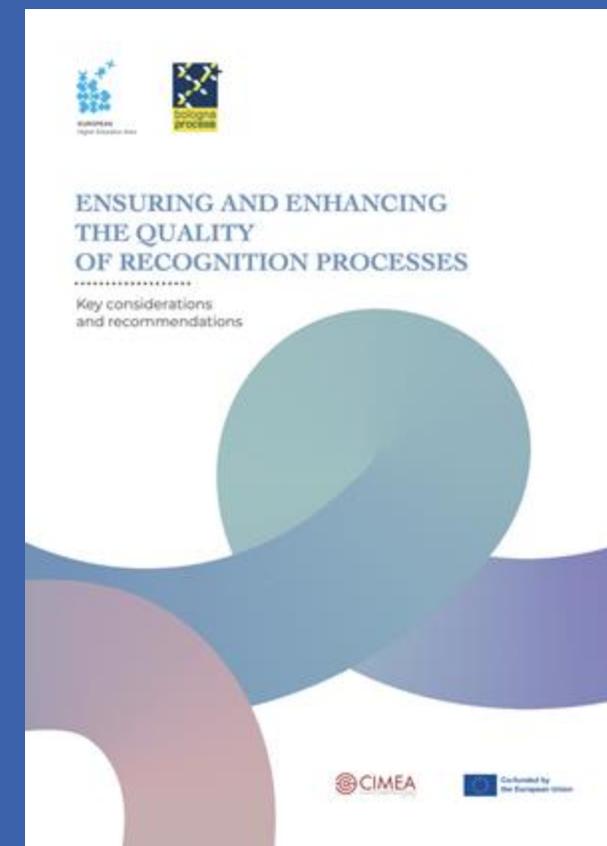
- **Social Dimension**
- **European Education Area**
- **Quality**
- **Public Relations**
- **International Mobility**
- **Organizational Development and Capacity Building**

- Digital Education
- Development of Students Involvement in QA
- International Dimension of QA
- Micro-credentials
- AI
- Revision of Standards and Guidelines in QA
- Student Centered Learning
- EQF
- Automatic Recognition

Bologna with Students Eyes 2024



Policy Paper on Social Dimension



EQAF & EQAF Students' Pre-Conference



This year's theme:
 Enhancing education, research and societal engagement through quality assurance

- New Bologna cycle – co-chairing TPG D – Social dimension
- In the working group – revision of ESG
- New CULT committee
- ESU has organised second conference of the student bodies of the alliances



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European University Association (EUA)

UPDATE FROM THE EUROPEAN UNIVERSITY ASSOCIATION (EUA)

**ASEM Intermediary Senior Officials' meeting
Bangkok, 18-20 November**

Thérèse Zhang, Deputy Director for Higher Education Policy, EUA

Date

Global Universities Association Forum

The world region approach – 8 associations in dialogue

Africa	Association of African Universities (AAU)
Arab region	Association of Arab Universities (AArU)
China	China Association of Higher Education (CAHE)
Europe	European University Association (EUA)
India	Association of Indian Universities (AIU)
Latin America & The Caribbean	Latin American & The Caribbean Space for Higher Education (ENLACES)
North America	American Council on Education (ACE) & Universities Canada (UC)
Southeast Asia	ASEAN University Network (AUN)

Initiated by the EUA in 2021/2

Growing pressure to respond to issues in a global setting

Enhancing links with sister organisation around the globe

Joint impact-oriented actions





Annual chairmanship

Coordinates the GUAF and activities

Annual physical meetings

+ online meetings of all partners

Barcelona (2022), Bangkok (2023), Beijing (2024), New Delhi (2025)

Thematic groups on jointly agreed topics

- 2023 Recognition – [joint statement](#) supporting the Global Recognition Convention
- 2024 Digitalisation (forthcoming comparative report)
- 2025 Artificial Intelligence



➤ **Read the Trends report:**

<https://www.eua.eu/publications/reports/trends-2024.html>



➤ **Download the dataset:**

<https://doi.org/10.5281/zenodo.13768235>





**Southeast Asian Ministers of
Education Organization Regional
Centre specialising in higher
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(SEAMEO RIHED)**

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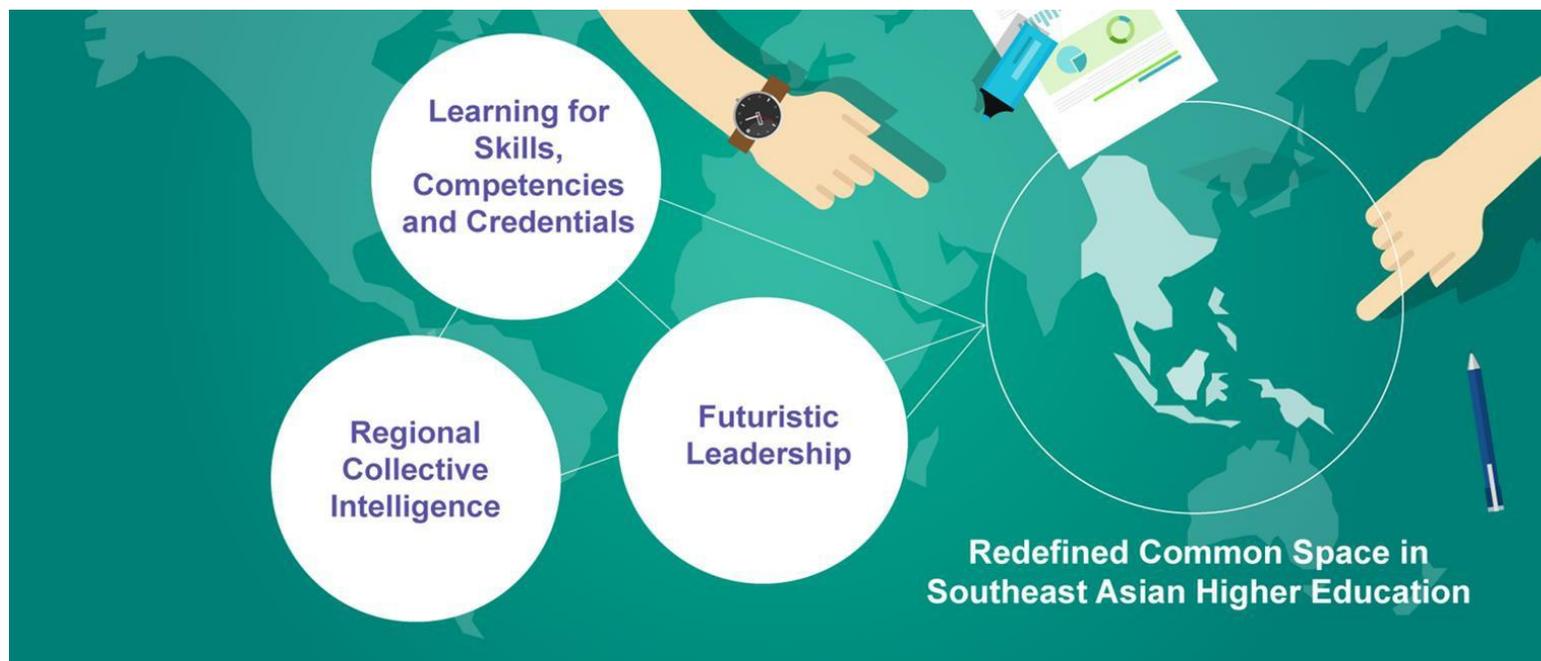


Updates from SEAMEO RIHED

Intermediate Senior Officials' Meeting (ISOM)
19 November 2024, Bangkok, Thailand

Developing a Shared Vision for the Region:

“An **inclusive space** for **collective intelligence** in **higher education** for **sustainable living and learning** in Southeast Asia.”



The **SEAMEO-ASEAN Joint Declaration on the Common Space in Southeast Asian Higher Education** was officially adopted by the Education Ministers on 25th August 2024, Buriram, Thailand.

Common Space in Southeast Asian Higher Education

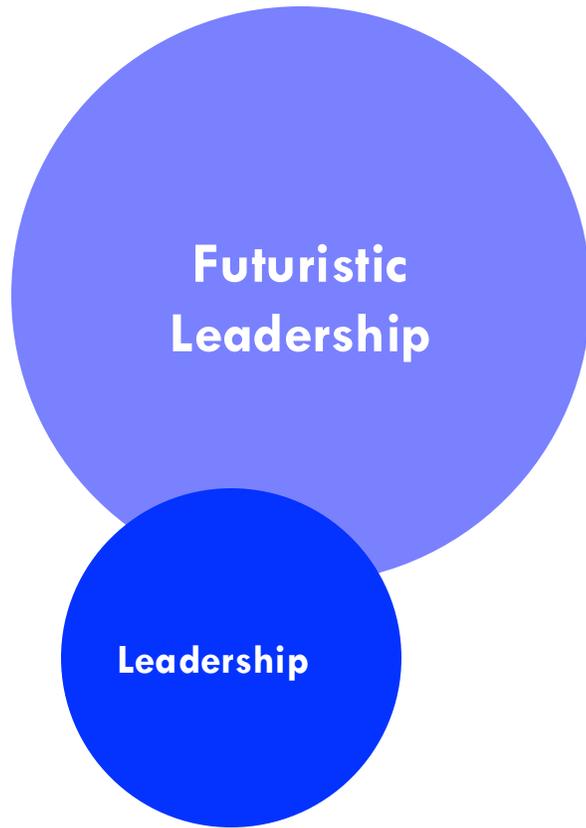
Common principles

- **Equity, Diversity, Inclusivity and Belonging (EDIB)**

Approach

- **Voluntary process**
- **Collective Intelligence through collective learning and sharing**
- **Partnership for sustainable future of living and learning**





- **Strengthening Leadership With Gender Equity, Diversity And Inclusivity** (co-implemented with funding from the British Council)

- **Horizon Southeast Asia: Pushing the Frontiers of Research and Sustainability** (with support from DAAD)

- **Inter-Regional Research Symposium, RIHED-SHARE Online Knowledge Platform, Study on the State of Science Research and Innovation (ACMECS and Maritime Southeast Asian Countries), Research supported by UNESCO on Micro-Credentials**

- **SEA-HiEd SOM**: the region's dedicated policy platform for higher education

- **The Asian International Mobility for Students (AIMS) Programme**, including new thrusts in Research, USR, Regional Orientation, Alumni Network

- Inter- and intra-regional networks



SEA-Europe Mobility Programme for Sustainable Development

- Reimagine learning mobility through co-designing process
- Linking macro-regions and strengthen connectivity and sustainable development
- Identify partners
- Exploring collaboration – EG on Recognition and Balanced Mobility



2 BUDDIES, 1 OCEAN

Objective: To create a peer to peer programme that enhances the understanding & interest for students to take action and highlight connectedness with the ocean (ocean literacy) on SDG14 and other SDGs

How: Virtual, with a few sessions conducted on site, at the sea (wherever participants are based)

Outcome / Deliverables:

Tangible

- Asia-Europe Sea Stories/Dictionary, including community stories from different countries and what the sea means for their local livelihoods (connectedness between SDG14 and other SDGs)
- a community activity/action implemented by each participant at home to demonstrate commitment towards SDG14

Intangible

- Increased understanding of participants in the field of ocean literacy

	Before the mobility	During the mobility	After the mobility	
Participants	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Create effective communication channels - Formal: Official document - Informal: Social media 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Virtual community building - Focus on sharing experiences, project-based and IoT - Includes that we use tied in Google! 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Virtual KPIs reviews / content from the host - "mentoring" (i.e. remote mentorship requirement: create no matter including text and oral net) - Increase "remote" access to research facility in the program 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Need to ensure recognitions across countries (mutual recognition across fields) - The network established
Host	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Create future work in Life Below Water in the business sector - Engage more sectors across industries? 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Invest in exploring and developing new mode of virtual learning - More business sector involvement in the promotion of the mobility programs 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Get the feedback on the outcome 	

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Navigating the Digital Age

Lifelong Learning and Future Skills for a Hybrid World

**Updates from ASEM Partners –
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Establishing universal principles for recognition



The Global Convention on Higher Education and the regional Lisbon & Tokyo Conventions provide a foundation for mobility and qualifications recognition

- Establish **universal principles** for the recognition of qualifications (i.e. fair, transparent, and non-discriminatory)
- Open to UNESCO Member States to ratify
- Facilitate mobility through international cooperation
- Provide an inclusive framework for fair recognition

The Global Convention on Higher Education

A total of **34** countries have now joined this first-ever treaty on higher education



Source: [UNESCO](https://www.unesco.org/en/convention-on-higher-education), as of Sept 2024



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Updates on the interim work programme

1. Operational Guidelines for the implementation of the Global Convention
2. Recommendation on the relationship between the Global Convention and regional conventions
3. Research and capacity development for National Information Centres
4. Advocacy and communications

Source: Higher Education Section hed@unesco.org



Policy advocacy –

The Global Convention is a game-changing instrument benefiting students, researchers and job seekers who are looking for having their **qualifications recognized** in another country or region.

Instruments of ratification submitted by New Zealand



4th Asia Pacific Network of National Information Centres Plenary

3-4 DEC 2024



Co-creating a Common Space for Southeast Asian higher education

ASEAN Policy Forum sets the stage for Higher Education Transformation



Source: [ASEAN](#), 11 Nov 2024



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SEAMEO Member Countries and ASEAN Member States: Joint Declaration on the Common Space in Southeast Asian Higher Education

Vision: **The Common Space in Southeast Asian Higher Education** is an inclusive space of collective intelligence in higher education for sustainable learning and living in Southeast Asia

Strengthens solidarity through mobility of students, scholars and lifelong learners in the region

Utilizes existing mechanisms and key international and regional organizations on higher education development in Southeast Asia to provide policy recommendations

Source: [ASEAN](#), 25 August 2024

Two of
the key
areas



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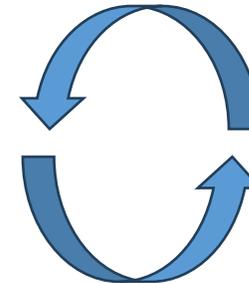
Learning cities are another opportunity

Peer Learning –

Asia's first Learning Cities conference celebrates new UNESCO Learning Cities in China, the Philippines, Thailand, & Viet Nam (Oct 2024)



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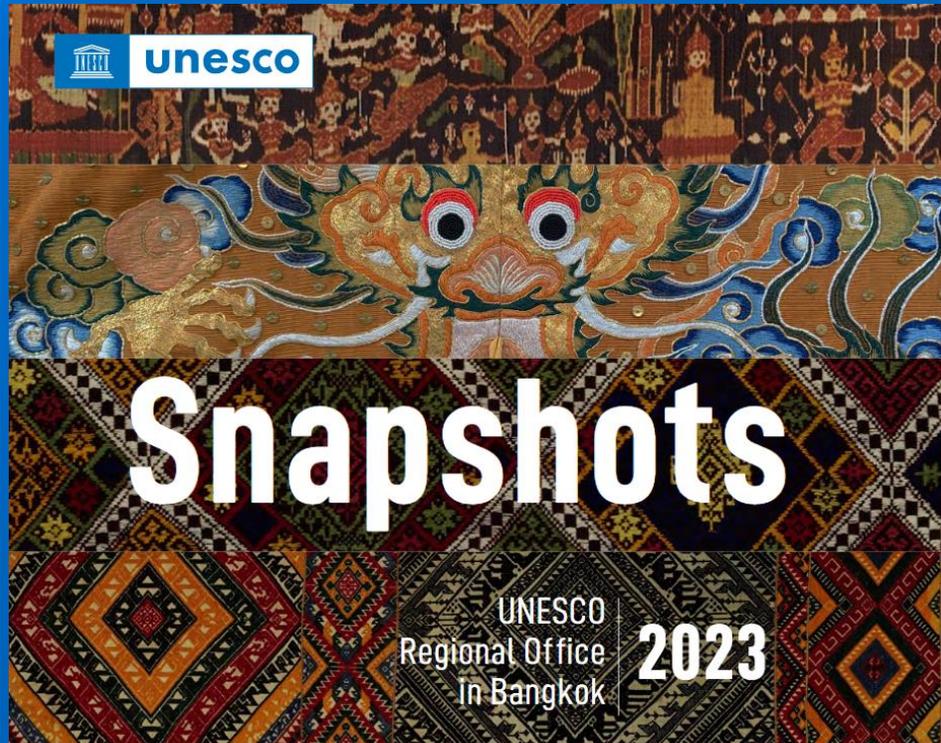


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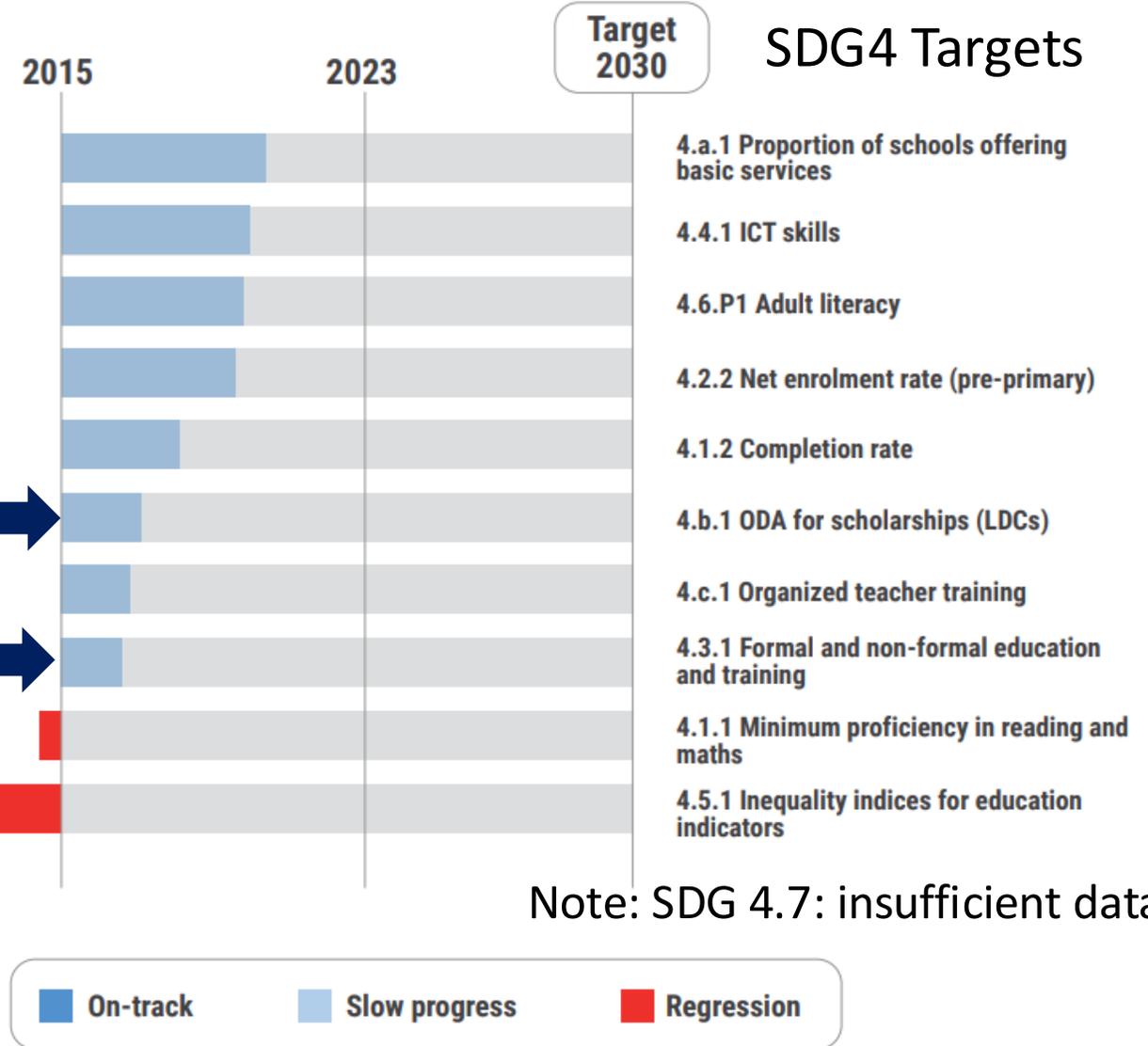
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The Sustainable Development Goals and Education

On its current trajectory, the **Asia-Pacific** region will not reach any of the 17 SDGs until **2062**



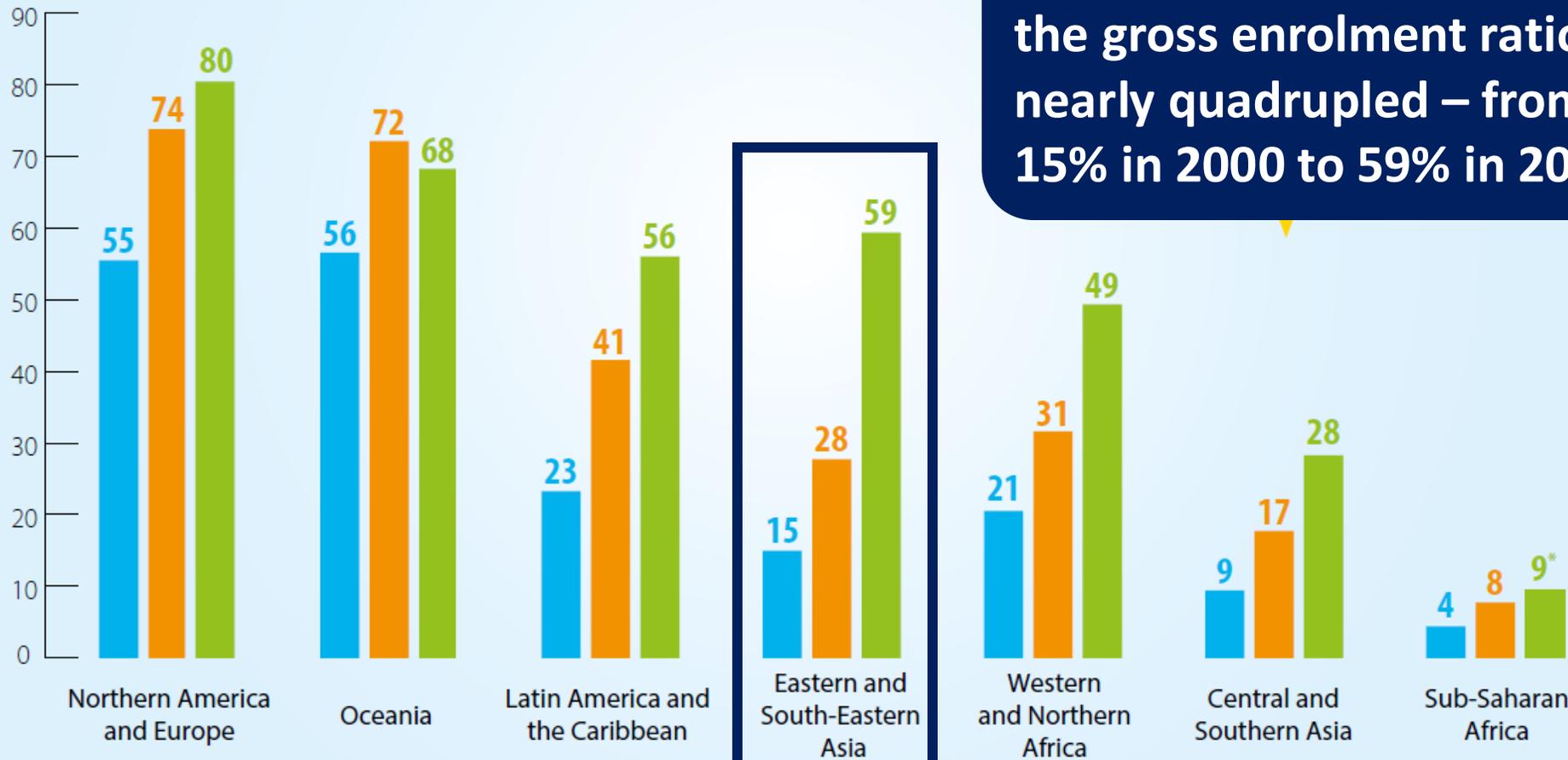
Slow progress at tertiary ed level in A-P



Source: UN ESCAP, 2024 [The Asia and the Pacific SDG Progress Report 2024](#)

Gross enrolment ratio in tertiary education

● 2000 ● 2010 ● 2022



In East and Southeast Asia, the gross enrolment ratio nearly quadrupled – from 15% in 2000 to 59% in 2022

*Data for 2021

Source:
UNESCO, 2024.
[Higher education:
figures at a glance](#)



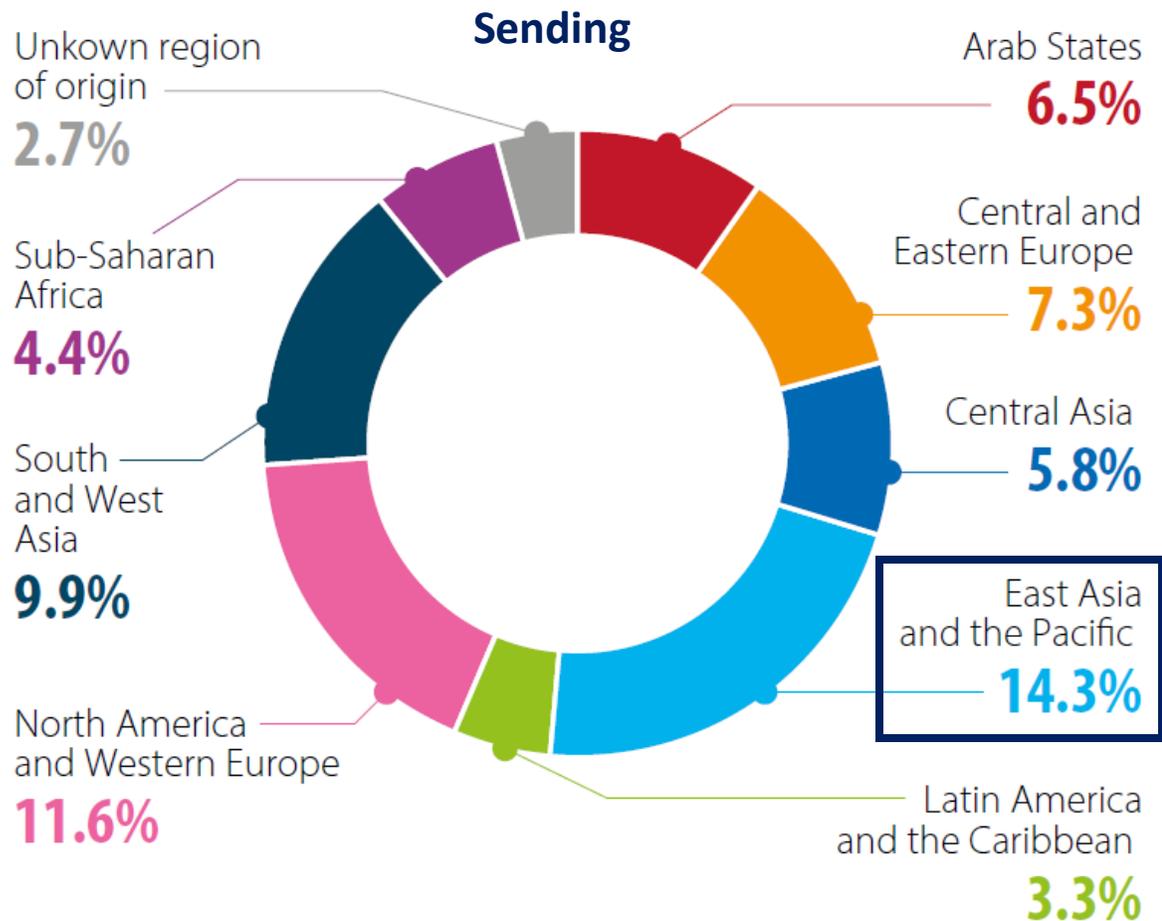
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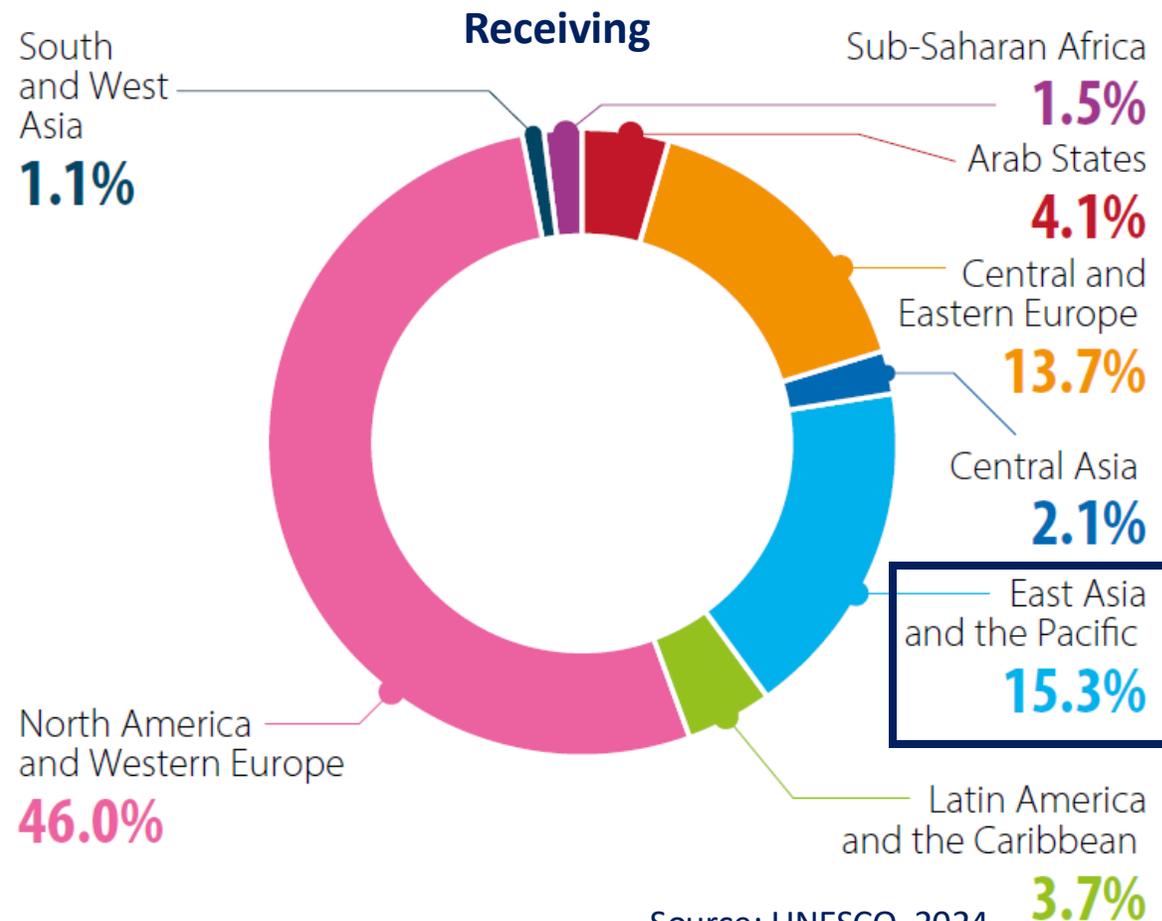


International mobility (Global)

Percentage of international mobile students by region of origin, 2021



Percentage international mobile students, by host region, 2021



Source: UNESCO, 2024.

Higher education: figures at a glance