**Youth Development Administration,** **Ministry of Education**

**2016 Youth Global Participation and Humanitarianism Seminar**

1. **Program**

| **Time** | **Activities** |
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|  **Day 1** |
| 9:00-9:30 | Registration | Pledge Wall and Booth Featuring |
| 9:30-10:30 | Icebreaking Activity |
| 10:30-11:00 | Welcome and Opening CeremonySpeakers: Youth Development Administration Representative and Distinguished Guests |
| Keynote Forum:Step Out and Step In: Youth Global Participation and Humanitarianism |
| 11:00-11:10 | Moderator Introduction  |
| 11:10-11:30 | Panelist A |
| 11:30-11:50 | Panelist B |
| 11:50-12:20 | Discussion and Summary  |
| 12:20-13:30 | Lunch |
|  | **Workshop** |
| Topic I. The Cost of Inaction: Youth Participation in Environmental Change | Topic II. Build Bridges, Not Walls: The Role of Youth in Narrowing the Gap between the Rich and the Poor | Topic III. The Power of the New Social Media Generation that Moves the World |
| 13:30-14:00 | Topic Presented by Country A Delegation | Topic Presented by Country C Delegation | Topic Presented by Country E Delegation |
| 14:00-14:30 | Discussion Hosted byCountry A Delegation | Discussion Hosted byCountry C Delegation | Discussion Hosted byCountry E Delegation |
| 14:30-15:00 | Refreshments |
| 15:00-15:30 | Topic Presented by Country B Delegation | Topic Presented by Country D Delegation | Topic Presented by Country F Delegation |
| 15:30-16:00 | Discussion Hosted byCountry B Delegation | Discussion Hosted byCountry D Delegation | Discussion Hosted byCountry F Delegation |
|  **Day 2** |
|  | World Café |
| 09:30-11:00 | Topic I. The Cost of Inaction: Youth Participation in Environmental Change | Topic II. Build Bridges, Not Walls: The Role of Youth in Narrowing the Gap between the Rich and the Poor | Topic III. The Power of The New Social Media Generation That Moves the World |
| Discussion (By Topic) |
| 11:00-11:30 | Refreshments |
| 11:30-12:30 | Discussion Summary (By Topic) |
| 12:30-14:00 | Lunch |
| 14:00-14:25 | Declaration on Youth Action on Climate Change |
| 14:25-14:50 | Declaration on Youth Action on Wealth Inequality |
| 14:50-15:15 | Declaration on Youth Action on The Responsible Use of Social Media |
| 15:15-15:45 | Refreshments |
| 16:00-17:00 | See-Join Traditional Taiwanese Puppet Show (Conference Room) |

1. **Keynote Forum Description**

In order to encourage youth to be actively involved in international affairs, care for the environment they live in, and communicate and connect with the diverse global society who they share the world with, we choose **“Step Out and Step In: Youth Global Participation and Humanitarianism“** as the keynote topic of this year’s seminar. Through the keynote forum panel’s discussion on the topic, youth participants will find inspiration for the breakout sessions, beginning the dialogue of the 3 topics: **“The Cost of Inaction: Youth Participation in Environmental Change”, “Build Bridges, Not Walls: The Role of Youth in Narrowing the Gap between the Rich and the Poor”, “The Power of the New Social Media Generation that Moves the World”**.

(1) Time of Activity: 80 Minutes

(2) Venue of Activity: Auditorium, Cientan Youth Activity Center

(3) Activity Description:

We will invite 3 scholars or experts in the field of this seminar’s topics to participate as the moderator and panelists of the forum. An 80-minute discussion will be conducted on the topic of **“Step Out and Step In: Youth Global Participation and Humanitarianism“.** The youth participants will join the discussion during the final 30 minutes of the session.

(4)Agenda:

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| **Keynote Forum: Step Out and Step In: Youth Global Participation and Humanitarianism** |
| 11:00-11:10 | Moderator Introduction |
| 11:10-11:30 | Panelist A  |
| 11:30-11:50 | Panelist B |
| 11:50-12:20 | Discussion and Summary  |

1. **Breakout Sessions Description**

This year’s seminar includes not only the insightful forum on the keynote topic, “Step Out and Step In: Youth Global Participation and Humanitarianism”, but also two breakout sessions. “Workshop” and “World Café” breakout sessions engage youth in in-depth discussions about the 3 core topics of the seminar, which will culminate with the announcement of “The Youth Declaration”.

The following explains how the 2 breakout sessions are carried out:

**a. Workshop**

(1) Time of Activity: 2 sessions, 1 hour per session with one half-hour break in between.

(2) Venue of Activity: Auditorium/Conference Room/ Lecture Auditorium 318, Cientan Youth Activity Center

(3) Activity Description:

1. The participants will break into 3 groups in the 1st session of the Workshop to discuss 3 topics in 3 different conference rooms. Each topic is presented by a delegation who will also host the discussion following the presentation.
2. After the break at the end of the 1st session, the 3 topics will be presented by another 3 delegations. The participants can decide to stay on the same topic or switch for a different topic discussion.
3. The keynote forum moderator and panelists are free to decide which discussion to join and will have an opportunity to present on the topic.

(4) Agenda：

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| **Workshop** | **Topic I.** **The Cost of Inaction:** **Youth Participation in Environmental Change****(Auditorium)** | **Topic II.** **Build Bridges, Not Walls: The Role of Youth in Narrowing the Gap between the Rich and the Poor****(Conference Room)** | **Topic III.****The Power of the New Social Media Generation That Moves the World****(Lecture Auditorium 318)** |
| 13:30-14:00 | Presentation by Delegation A | Presentation by Delegation C | Presentation by Delegation E |
| 14:00-14:30 | Discussion hosted by Delegation A | Discussion hosted by Delegation C | Discussion hosted by Delegation E |
| 14:30-15:00 | Refreshments |
| 15:00-15:30 | Presentation by Delegation B | Presentation by Delegation D | Presentation by Delegation F |
| 15:30-16:00 | Discussion hosted by Delegation B | Discussion hosted by Delegation D | Discussion hosted by Delegation F |

**b. World Café**

(1) Time of Activity: Discussion - 3 hour (Including a 30-minute break); Announcement of Declaration – 75 minutes

(2) Venue of Activity: Auditorium, Chientan Youth Activity Center

(3) Description of Activity:

The participants will break into 6 group to further pursue the 3 topics. Each topic will be discussed by 2 groups due to the number of participants.

The results of the discussions will be concluded as 10 tangible actions in the form of “The Youth Declaration” during the “Discussion Summary” session.

The keynote forum moderator and panelists will rotate among all 6 groups and contribute to each group's discussion.

(4)Agenda：

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| 09:30-11:00 | Topic I.The Cost of Inaction: Youth Participation in Environmental Change(Auditorium**)** | Topic II. Build Bridges, Not Walls: The Role of Youth in Narrowing the Gap between the Rich and the Poor(Conference Room) | Topic III.The Power of the New Social Media Generation That Moves the World(Lecture Auditorium 318) |
| Group Discussion (By Topic) |
| 11:00-11:30 | Refreshments |
| 11:30-12:30 | Discussion Summary (By Topic) |
| 12:30-14:00 | Lunch |
| 14:00-14:25 | Announcement of Declaration: Youth Action on Climate Change |
| 14:25-14:50 | Announcement of Declaration: Youth Action on Wealth Inequality |
| 14:50-15:15 | Announcement of Declaration: Youth Action on The Responsible Use of Social Media |

**C. Seminar Topics Concept**

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| **Topics** | **Description** |
| **The Cost of Inaction:** **Youth Participation in Environmental Change** | **Background:** The legacy youth will inherit from their previous generation not just wealth and technology but also the environment they live in. Youth will take the baton and continue the mission to save the world. Participants are encouraged to discuss the causes, the dangers, and the solutions of environmental change from different perspectives.**Presentation Suggestion:*** The real-life examples of the effort the youth in your country put into stopping environment/climate change.
* The available resources for which the youth in your country can do.

**Discussion Suggestion:**The discussion can focus on the challenges, solutions, and the areas the youth could act upon regarding this topic. |
| **Build Bridges, Not Walls: The Role of Youth in Narrowing the Gap between the Rich and the Poor** | **Background:** Phenomenon of “the rich get richer, and the poor get poorer” is exacerbated in the world of globalization. Participants are encouraged to discuss its cause, the problems associated with it, and the solutions in aspects such as technology, education, resource redistribution, volunteer service, and policy reform.**Presentation Suggestion:** * The real-life examples of the effort the youth in your country put into reducing the gap between the rich and the poor and solving the problems created by wealth inequality.
* The available resources for which the youth in your country to act upon.

**Discussion Suggestion:**The discussion can focus on the challenges, solutions, and the areas the youth could work on regarding this topic. |
| **The Power of the New Social Media Generation that Moves the World** | **Background:** Social media connects people who share the same ideas regardless of their distance and borders. It enables voices to be heard and gives the powerless a chance to defeat the powerful. Participants are encouraged to discuss real-life examples of how youth in different countries applied social media in community and public affairs participation, why they succeeded or failed, how youth can take advantage of the influence of social media to solve today’s global problems, and how the resources in the cyber world and the physical world can be integrated to strengthen the power of social media.**Presentation Suggestion:*** The real-life examples of how the youth in your country apply social media in public affairs participation.

**Discussion Suggestion:**The discussion can focus on the challenges, solutions, and the areas the youth could work on regarding this topic. |