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4th Annual

US-Japan-Korea Trilateral Symposium

National Press Club
January 5, 2017 | 9:00 am - 2:00 pm

**4th Annual U.S. - Japan - Korea
Trilateral Symposium:**
Mutual Understanding in a Time of Division

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The National Press Club
529 14th St NW, Washington, DC 20045

The 4th U.S. - Japan - Korea Trilateral symposium aims to enhance trilateral cooperation between the U.S., Japan, and the Republic of Korea by facilitating dialogue among and educating the future generation of Americans, Japanese, and South Koreans on the importance of the trilateral relationship for peace, stability and prosperity in the Asia-Pacific region. The event also will demonstrate to the larger audience the ability of the younger generation to engage in a productive dialogue on U.S.-Japan-Korea relations, including ideas for improving trilateral cooperation.

In the week leading up to the symposium, the students participated in a joint program between Japan-America Student Conference (JASC) and Korea-America Student Conference (KASC), which enabled students to interact with policy experts, diplomats, and media representatives from the three countries, allowing them to examine trilateral issues from multiple perspectives.

Agenda

9:00-9:20am

Welcome & Introductions

Remarks | **Admiral Dennis Blair**

Chairman of the Board and CEO of Sasakawa USA

Remarks | **Linda Butcher**

Executive Director, International Student Conferences

MC | **Alexander Evans**

Reischauer Center for East Asian Studies

2011 Japan-America Student Conference

9:20-10:30am

Panel I: North Korea Security / Human Rights

Moderator | **Danny Jeon**, Johns Hopkins SAIS,
2015 & 2016 Japan-America Student Conference

Panelist | **Bruce Klingner**, Senior Research Fellow
at The Heritage Foundation

Panelist | **Greg Scarlatoiu**, Executive Director of the
Committee for Human Rights in North Korea (HRNK)

Student Panelist | **Minji Huh**, Ewha Womans University
Korea-America Student Conference Korea Chair

Student Panelist | **Kumi Yoshikawa**, Keio University
Japan-America Student Conference Japan Chair

10:40-11:50am

Panel II: Women and Leadership

Moderator | **Kaede Yoshioka**, UC Berkeley
Japan-America Student Conference US Chair

Panelist | **Eileen Pennington**, Associate Director
Women's Empowerment Program, Asia Foundation

Student Panelist | **Erin Norris**, Northeastern University
Japan-America Student Conference US Chair

Student Panelist | **Sophie Osborn**, UC San Diego,
Korea-America Student Conference US Chair

12:00-12:45pm

Luncheon Address by Ambassador Young-jin Choi

12:45-1:55pm

Panel III: Recommendations for Next Administrations

Moderator | **Troy Stangarone**, Senior Director
at Korea Economic Institute of America

Panelist | **Ambassador Young -jin Choi**,
Former Ambassador of Republic of Korea to the U.S.

Panelist | **Randy Schriver**, Partner at Armitage
International; CEO & President of Project 2049 Institute

Student Panelist | **Jon Foissotte**, Johns Hopkins SAIS
Japan-America Student Conference US Chair

Student Panelist | **Avelino Fujimoto**, Gunma University
Japan-America Student Conference Japan Chair

Student Panelist | **Alex Kim**, American University,
Korea-America Student Conference US Chair

1:55-2:00pm

Closing Remarks by DAS Abraham M. Denmark

Off-the-Record

The 69th Japan-America Student Conference

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The 10th Korea-America Student Conference

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Jiho Chae	Chung-Ang University
Minji Huh	Ewha Womans University

The 10th Korea-America Student Conference

10th KASC will be held in the United States from **July 23 - August 13, 2017**. A delegation of 56 students (28 American students and 28 Korean students) will travel to three locations in the United States: **Washington, DC; Dallas, TX; and San Francisco Bay Area**. During the conference, they will engage in academic, cultural, and professional exchange, including participating in lectures, seminars, networking event and community service. Delegates will discuss four pressing bilateral and global topics, and will present their joint solutions at the conclusion of the conference.

2017 Roundtables

- ❖ Technology: Advances and its Implications on a Globalizing World
- ❖ International Relations: Changing Dynamics in the Korea-US (KORUS) Alliance
- ❖ Energy & Environmentalism: Collaborative Solutions
- ❖ Globalization and Business
- ❖ Social Inequality

Application Information

Application Deadline | March 1, 2017

Conference Dates | July 23 - August 13, 2017

Application Fee | \$10

Participation Fee | \$2,150

Apply | iscdc.org/kasc/2017

The 69th Japan-America Student Conference

The 69th JASC will be held in Japan from **August 3 - 28, 2017**. A delegation of 72 students (36 American students and 36 Japanese students) will travel to: **Kyoto; Ehime; Mie; and Tokyo**, studying, working, living, and traveling together a group. Delegates will engage in academic, cultural, and professional exchange, including participating in panels, seminars, networking events and cultural activities. Each delegate will join one of the seven Roundtables to discuss topics of bilateral and global interest, and will present their joint solutions at the conclusion of the conference.

2017 Roundtables

- ❖ Approaching the City from a Multidimensional Perspective
- ❖ Governance and Diplomacy in an International Context: Terrorism in the 21st Century
- ❖ Health: Roles and Responsibilities within Society
- ❖ Modern Ideologies: Analyzing the Actions of Individuals and Communities
- ❖ Media, Morality, and the Governance of the Press
- ❖ Reexamining Minorities and Realizing Ideal Society
- ❖ Understanding Cultural Significance and Identity

Applications for the 69th JASC are currently closed

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International Student Conferences

International Student Conferences is a non-profit organization that facilitates two academic and cultural exchange programs in the U.S., Japan, and Korea: the Korea-America Student Conference (KASC) and the Japan-America Student Conference (JASC). Through its mission to promote peace by furthering mutual understanding, friendship, and trust through international student interchange, ISC identifies, supports and empowers young leaders to take joint action in addressing global problems, despite national and cultural differences.

Sasakawa Peace Foundation U.S.A

Sasakawa Peace Foundation USA is an independent American non-profit, non-partisan institution devoted to research, analysis and better understanding of the U.S.-Japan relationship. Research programs focus on security, diplomacy, economics, business, trade, technology and other matters of common concern. Education programs facilitate people-to-people exchange and dialogue on these issues with American and Japanese policymakers, influential citizens and the broader public.

Korea Foundation

The Korea Foundation was established in 1991 to promote awareness and understanding of Korea and to enhance goodwill and friendship among the international community through its cultural, academic and intellectual exchange activities and programs. As a leading organization of Korea's international exchange and public diplomacy initiative, some of its major works include: providing support for Korean studies overseas, organizing/ supporting international forum, assisting research institutions/ think tanks around the world in their research, conferences and publications, promoting exchanges of performing arts and exhibition, and establishing Korean galleries in museums abroad. Currently, the Korea Foundation has 7 overseas branches in major cities: Washington D.C., Los Angeles, Tokyo, Beijing, Moscow, Berlin, and Hanoi.

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