

SCHEDULE OF ASEM YOUTH WEEK IN CONJUNCTION WITH MODEL ASEM HA NOI 2016

“Stronger Actions to Address Zero Hunger Challenge”

From 31 March – 07 April 2016 in Ha Noi - Quang Ninh, Viet Nam

Time	Activities	Remarks
Thursday, 31 March 2016 Arrival /Registration & Welcome Dinner <i>Attire: Smart Casual</i>		<i>Venue: Building A, Khan Quang Do Hotel</i>
Morning – Afternoon	Arrival & Registration of Participants Handing the OC cultural items (Pictures, national flag, some traditional, cultural products...)	Youth Union
18:00 – 20:30	- Briefing on ASEM Youth Week: - Briefing on Model ASEM Order of Proceedings Followed by dinner	- ASEF - Youth Union
Friday, 01 April 2016 Model ASEM Ha Noi 2016¹ Opening Ceremony <i>Attire: Business Suit</i>		<i>Venue: 3B Hall, Khan Quang Do Hotel</i>
09:00 - 09:30	Registration of participants	Youth Union
09:30 – 10:15	Welcome Remarks by Organisers and Key Supporters <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Opening remark by Leader of the Ho Chi Minh Communist Youth Union • Speech by Ms. Anupama Sekhar – Director for the Culture Department, Asia-Europe Foundation (ASEF) • Speech by Ms. Chery Gough, Director of British Council in Viet Nam (BC) 	Youth Union
10:15 – 10:30	VIP Group photo and coffee break	
10:30 – 11:00	Opening Ceremony of Model ASEM Ha Noi 2016 <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • “President of Mongolia, Chair and Host of ASEM11 Summit” Model ASEM Ha Noi 2016 Delegate, Mongolia • “President of the European Council/Commission” Model ASEM Ha Noi 2016 Delegate, European Union • “President of Myanmar” Model ASEM Ha Noi 2016 Delegate, Myanmar • “President of New Zealand” Model ASEM Ha Noi 2016 Delegate, New Zealand 	ASEF

¹ Model ASEM Ha Noi 2016 is a spin-off edition of the [7th Model ASEM](#) conference which will take place on 11-15 July 2016 in Ulaanbaatar, Mongolia in conjunction with the [11th Asia-Europe Meeting Summit \(ASEM11\)](#).

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	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> “President of Netherlands” Model ASEM Ha Noi 2016 Delegate, Netherlands <p>Followed by Official Handshake by all Delegations with the Chair and Host of ASEM11 Summit</p>	
11:00 – 12:00	<p>Keynote Speech 1: Current situation of poverty reduction and hunger alleviation</p> <p><i>Speaker: Mr. Gabriel Demombynes</i>, Senior Economist, World Bank Viet Nam</p> <p>Followed by Q&A</p>	Youth Union
12:00 – 13:00	Lunch	Hotel
13:00– 14:00	<p>Keynote Speech 2: Entrepreneurs’ role in job creation for youth</p> <p><i>Speaker: Mr. Le Vinh Son</i>, Deputy Chairman of the Viet Nam Young Entrepreneurs Association, Chairman of the Hanoi Young Entrepreneurs Association, Chairman of Son Ha International Corporation</p> <p>Followed by Q&A</p>	Youth Union
14:00 – 14:15	Coffee break	
14:15 – 15:15	Introduction to Asia – Europe Meeting (ASEM)	MOFA
15:30 – 18:00	Visit selected ASEM members’ Embassies	<i>Respective Embassy venues</i>
18:30 – 20:00	Dinner at the Embassies	
Saturday, 02 April 2016 Model ASEM Ha Noi 2016 Plenary & Thematic Working Groups <i>Attire: Business Suit</i>		<i>Venue: 3B Hall, Khan Quang Do Hotel</i>
08:45 – 09:00	Registration of participants	Youth Union
09:00 – 10:30	Plenary Session 3-minute Statements by “ASEM Members”	ASEF
10:30 – 10:45	Coffee break	
10:45 – 12:00	Plenary Session (cont.) 3-minute Statements by “ASEM Members”	ASEF
12:00 – 13:00	Lunch	Hotel
13:15 – 14:00	Bilateral Meetings	
14:30 – 15:30	Working Groups on ASEM Issues – Session I <i>Political Pillar (Facilitator of MOFA)</i> <i>Economic Pillar (Facilitator of ASEFUAN)</i> <i>Socio-cultural Pillar (Facilitator of BC)</i>	

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15:30-15:50	Coffee break	
15:50 – 18:00	Working Groups on ASEM Issues- Session II	
18:00 - 19:00	Dinner	Hotel
Sunday, 03 April 2016 Model ASEM Ha Noi 2016 Plenary, Closing Ceremony <i>Attire: Business Suit</i>		<i>Venue: 3B Hall, Khan Quang Do Hotel</i>
08:45 – 09:00	Registration of participants	Youth Union
09:00 – 10:00	Working Groups on ASEM Issues – Session III (Cont.)	ASEF
10:00 – 10:15	Coffee break	
10:15 – 12:00	Approval of Working Groups Statements Drafting of Chair’s Statement and Circulation	ASEF
12:00 – 13:00	Lunch	Hotel
13:00 – 15:30	Model ASEM Ha Noi 2016 Chair’s Statement – Amendment and Adoption	ASEF
15:30 – 16:00	Coffee break	
16:00 – 16:15	Closing Ceremony & Issuing of Model ASEM Ha Noi 2016 Chair’s Statement <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • “President of Mongolia, Chair and Host of ASEM11 Summit” 	
16:15 – 17:30	Keynote Speech followed by Handover of Model ASEM Ha Noi 2016 Chair’s Statement <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Speech: Mr. Tran Ngoc An, ASEM SOM Leader for Viet Nam • ASEM Youth Week Certificates: - Mr. Tran Ngoc An, Head of SOM, ASEM - Ms. Pham Phuong Chi, Vice President of the Viet Nam Youth Federation 	- The Youth Union - MOFA
18:00 – 19:30	Dinner	Hotel
Monday, 04 April 2016 Cultural exchange <i>Attire: Smart Casual (No shorts)</i>		The Youth Union
07:30 - 08:15	Check out	
08:30 – 11:00	Ha Noi City tour visit/ visit to Literature Temple	
11:30 – 12.30	Lunch	
13:00 – 17:00	Depart for Quang Ninh Province	

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17:00 – 18:00	Check in Grand Ha Long Hotel	
18:00 – 20:00	Dinner	
Tuesday, 05 April 2016 Institutional visits and Friendship Exchange <i>Attire: Program T-shirt</i>		- The Youth Union
08:30 – 09:00	Departure	
09:00 – 10:00	Visit one model of effective activities on poverty reduction (pig farm)	
10:30 – 11:30	Visit and present gifts to underprivileged children in Ethnic Minority boarding - school. <i>Participants are encouraged to present small gifts or stationary to pupils (about 120 primary and secondary pupils)</i>	
12:00 – 13:30	Lunch at the school	
14:00 – 16:00	Volunteer activities with local youths: - Planning trees, - Cultural house's painting	
17:00 – 20:00	Gala dinner - Closing remark by Leader of Quang Ninh Provincial Youth Union (tbc) - Cultural performance - BBQ party by the beach	
Wednesday, 06 April 2016 Ha Long Bay Cruising <i>Attire: Casual</i>		
08:00 – 09:00	Check out	
09:00 – 12:00	Cruising on Ha Long Bay	
12:00 – 13:00	Lunch on board	
14:00 -	Depart for Ha Noi	
18:00	Re - Check in Khan Quang Do Hotel	
Friday, 07 April 2016 Departure of delegates		
Morning - Afternoon	Departure of delegates	