5th ASEF CLASSROOM NETWORK CONFERENCE



Beijing, China 25 - 29 September 2005

Sunday, 25 September 2005

am / pm Arrival of Participants

Transfer to Tianlun Songhe Hotel

09:30 - 12:00 Registration of Participants

Venue: Hotel Lobby

12:00 - 13:00 Lunch

Venue:

Changdexuan Restaurant, Level 2

13:00 - 16:00 Registration of Participants (continued)

Venue: Hotel Lobby

16:00 - 17:00 Meeting of the Working Group Co-ordinators of the 5th

ASEF Classroom Network Conference

Venue:

Songyuan Room

19:00 - 21:00 WELCOME RECEPTION DINNER AND OFFICIAL OPENING

CEREMONY FOR THE 5TH ASEF CLASSROOM NETWORK

CONFERENCE

Host:

Asia- Europe Foundation

Venue:

Banquet Hall

Attire: Formal

Monday, 26 September 2005

07:00 - 09:00 Working Breakfast

> (NB: For prospective project co-ordinators/leaders to introduce ideas for ASEF ClassNet Projects 2005/2006)

Venue:

Buffet Hall, Level 2

09:00 - 12:00 PROFESSIONAL ENRICHMENT FOR ASEF CLASSNET **TEACHERS**

THEME:

NEW TECHNOLOGIES - A MAJOR CATALYST FOR GREATER LEARNING?

Venue:

Banquet Hall, Level 2

Attire:

Smart Casual

Chair:

Mr Ramon Molina, Director for People-to-People Exchange Asia-Europe Foundation

09:00 - 09:15 Introductory Remarks by

Chairman

09:15 - 10:00 FROM LECTURER TO

> KNOWLEDGE BUILDER: ROLE OF THE TEACHER IN AN ICT

ENVIRONMENT

Speaker:

Dr Zhao Guodong Associate Professor

Deputy Director of Department

of

Educational Technology Graduate School of Education

Peking University

P.R. China

Coffee / Tea Break 10:00 - 10:30

10:30 - 11:15 INFORMATION LITERACY: BRIDGING DIGITAL DIVIDE

Speaker:

Mr Janos Blasszauer

Head of English Department and National Pedagogical Advisor for

Spring Day in Europe Batthyany Lajos Grammar

School Hungary

11:15 - 12:00 Discussion

12:00 - 13:30 Working Lunch

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Venue:

Buffet Hall, Level 2

13:30 - 18:30 STRENGTHENING THE ASEF CLASSROOM NETWORK (PART I)

Venue:

Banquet Hall, Level 2

13:30 - 14:00 ASEF and ASEM

Speaker:

Ramon Molina

Director, People-to-People Exchange Asia-Europe

Foundation

14:00 - 16:00 Presentations by Co-ordinators

of Finalists for the 2005 ASEF

ClassNet Awards

16:00 - 16:30 Coffee/Tea Break

Venue:

Coffee Room

16:30 - 18:00 Introduction of Proposed ASEF

ClassNet Projects 2005/2006

18:00 - 18:15 Announcement of Winners of the

2005 ASEF ClassNet Awards

18:30 - 19:00 PRESS CONFERENCE

Attended by:

Mr Fan Luyan, Principal Beijing Jinshan School

Mr Ramon Molina

Director, People-to-People Exchange

Asia-Europe Foundation

Mr Yan Guohua

Director, Division of International Organisations

Ministry of Education, China

ASEF ClassNet Award Recipients

Venue:

Songlan Room, Level 2

19:00 - 20:30 Dinner

Venue:

Banquet Hall, Level 2

Tuesday, 27 September 2005	
07:30 - 08:30	Breakfast Venue: Buffet Hall, Level 2
08:50	Depart for Cultural Tour (Please assemble at the hotel lobby by 08:40 hours sharp)
09:20 - 12:10	CULTURAL PROGRAMME - VISIT TO THE FORBIDDEN CITY
12:10	Transfer back to Hotel
12:30 - 13:30	Working Lunch (NB: For prospective project co-ordinators/leaders to introduce ideas for ASEF ClassNet Projects 2005/2006) Venue: Ruffet Hall Level 2

14:00 - 15:00 PERSPECTIVES ON CHINA 'S EDUCATIONAL SYSTEM

14:00 - 14:45 BASIC EDUCATION IN CHINA: CHALLENGES AND PRIORITIES

Speaker:

Dr Yang Jin

Deputy Director General Basic Education Department Ministry of Education

Chair:

Ms Yin Meijun, Head of High School, English Department Beijing Jingshan School

14:45 - 15:00 Discussion

15:30 - 16:30 STRENGTHENING THE ASEF CLASSROOM NETWORK (PART II)

The World in a Book - Room 719

WORKING GROUP SESSION I: DEVELOPMENT OF PROPOSED ASEF CLASSNET PROJECTS 2005/2006

Venues:

Body Language in Europe and Asia – Sonehe, Level 2
Cultural Fiction – Songlan, Level 2
Cultural Kaleidoscope 2006, Room 718
Eco-Cultural Tourism - Songzhu, Level 2
Foodfest@VirtualHomestay, Songyuan, Level 2
Global Music Composition - Sonhai, Level 1
Mastering Media – Songhe, Level 2
Mosaic – Songtao, Level 1
Peace Project – Songyun, Level 1
Sacred Traditions and Ceremonies – Songhe, Level 2
Ten in One – Songlin, Level 1

16:30 - 17:00 Coffee / Tea Break

Venue:

Coffee Room

17:00 - 18:30 WORKING GROUP SESSION II:

DEVELOPMENT OF PROPOSED ASEF CLASSNET PROJECTS 2005/2006

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The World in a Book - Room 719

19:30 - 20:30 Dinner

Venue:

Banquet Hall, Level 2

Wednesday, 28 September 2005

07:00 - 08:00 Breakfast

Venue:

Buffet Hall, Level 2

08:00 - 12:00 STRENGTHENING THE ASEF CLASSROOM NETWORK (PART III)

PRESENTATION OF NEW ASEF CLASSNET PROJECTS

Venue:

Songhe Hotpot Restaurant / Chaffy Dish, Level 1

Attire:

Smart Casual

Chair:

Mr Ramon Molina

Director for People-to-People Exchange

Asia-Europe Foundation

08:00 - 10:00 Presentations on Proposed ASEF

ClassNet Projects 2005/2006

10:00 - 10:20 Coffee / Tea Break

Venue:

Songhe Hotel Restaurant/Chaffy

Dish, Level 1

10:20 - 12:00 Presentations on Proposed ASEF

ClassNet Projects 2005/2006

12:00 Depart for Local Secondary Schools

(Please assemble at the lobby by 12:00 hours sharp

12:30 - 14:00 EXCURSION TO SCHOOLS IN CHINA

Group 1: Beijing Jingshan School

Group 2: Beijing No. 55 Middle School Group 3: Beijing No. 171 Middle School

12:30 - 13:30 Lunch

13:30 - 14:00 Brief Introduction and Tour of

the School

14:00 – 17:30 Depart for a Play "The Labyrinth" at the Century Theatre (Performed by the students of Beijing Jingshan School)

A lovable boy named Jelly and a kind girl named Pudding are classmates. One day Pudding accompanies Jelly home from school to give the criticism can to Jelly's parents. Upon receiving the criticism can Jelly's parents criticize him for his behavior and lack of effort at school. To escape from his parents' constant preaching, Jelly enters a mystical underground labyrinth with the help of Mr. Alarm. The Labyrinth is an underground castle piled high with various things thrown out by humans (wasters).

While in the labyrinth Jelly meets and befriends the lovely Badudu family, courageous gecko brothers, spring pig, and the three-eared bunny. However, he also meets up with the three mean lords—Big Shoe, Pop Can, Spoiled Apple and their accomplice Spring Leopard who all share a resentment towards humans for having been so wasted. Pudding, Jelly's friend and classmate, later joins him in the labyrinth. The three Lords, with the advice of Spring Leopard, derive a plot to "retaliate" against humans (wasters) by exploiting Jelly

and Pudding in an advertisement which encourages wasting. By encouraging humans to waste more, the labyrinth will grow in size thereby increasing the power of the three lords. But, as Pudding is against wasting, she is changed into a frog by Big Shoe. When Jelly attempts to rescue his friend, he is locked inside of a can. Fortunately, through the help of the gecko brothers, Jelly and Pudding are both saved.

However, upon being saved the terrible news comes that Big Shoe's accomplice, Spring Leopard, tricked Mr. Alarm and kidnapped Jelly's parents. In an effort to save his parents, Jelly unites with all the underground residents. Through his personal bravery and wit, Jelly is successful in overcoming all three of the mean lords at their respective gates. Upon their defeat, the three lords are touched by Jelly's continued gestures of friendship. Yet one last obstacle remains. To save his parents from being blasted into outer space in a spaceship, Jelly must decode the lock to the rocket. To do this, he must first remember the date of his mother's birthday. As Jelly is unable to remember, it is only through the last-minute help of the great white whale that her birth date is revealed and Jelly's parents are saved. At last, Jelly is again reunited with his parents.

Through his experience Jelly has learned how to treasure things. He has also learned to be brave and affectionate.

17:30 Return to Hotel

19:30 – 22:30 FAREWELL DINNER FEATURING CULTURAL PRESENTATIONS BY ASEF CLASSNET TEACHERS

Host:

Asia-Europe Foundation

Venue:

Banquet Hall

Attire:

National Costume

Presentation of the 2005 ASEF ClassNet Awards and Certificates of Participation

Thursday, 29 September 2005

07:00 - 09:00 Breakfast

Venue:

Buffet Hall, Level 2

am / pm Departure of Participants