

SSEAYP International Philippines

Strengthening and Institutionalizing SIP, Inc. - Following the election of its first term Board of Trustees in November 2011, SSEAYP International Philippines, Inc. engaged in activities to promote SSEAYP and strengthen the alumni association, which were participated in and supported by SSEAYP alumni, friends, and partners.

The Board started 2012 with Strategic Planning in January which defined SIP's vision, mission and goals in the next two years. Key goals identified are summarized in CORE – Culture and Leadership, Organization, Retention of members and Energizing the team. CORE was approved in April during SIP's Annual General Membership Meeting. Various committees were formed to oversee implementation of CORE programs.

Post-Program Activities - Batch 2011 (Pintig Pinoy), kicked-off their Post Program Activity (PPA) in April by participating in a Gawad Kalinga (GK) Build activity in Brgy. Sta Elena, Iligan City. The project aims to provide shelter to and reconstruction of communities affected by the devastation brought by Typhoon Sendong in 2011. Pintig Pinoy plans to participate in more GK Builds in different parts of the country with alumni from other batches.

Batch 2010 (Pangkat Sulo) continues to implement their PPA and has launched its fourth Community Learning Center (CLC) in Zamboanga City in partnership with the city's local government.

39th SSEAYP 2012 Preparations - The alumni were actively engaged in various 39th SSEAYP activities – from inter-



views in May, endorsement of Discussion Facilitators to IYEO, selection of host family representatives, and providing resources and support from PDT-PDA on September to October. Various alumni batches sponsored fellowship dinners with the current batch and shared their SSEAYP stories and experiences. These provided them the opportunity to relive their SSEAYP memories and rekindle the SSEAYP spirit.

SSEAYP International Singapore

The SSEAYP International Singapore alumni members are actively participating in their respective community projects. Our members are very passionate about making a difference in the community in Singapore.

SIGA Japan - A total of 77 members and host families attended SIGA Japan 2012 on April 25 - 28, 2012.

Kabesa Visit - SIS hosted members of Kabesa on July 14, 2012 for the lateral

business network.

POST SIGA Trip cum Get Together - There were a total of 25 members flew to Hong Kong and Macau for a 5 Day-4 Nights tour from April 28 to May 2, 2012. Upon return to Singapore, a "Post Siga gathering" was organized for host families and participants to share their experiences and happiness.

SIS Board Retreat - A planning session was organized on July 1, 2012 to review

and map out its strategy and directions so as to craft out its future plans and activities

TASK FORCE - A task force was formed to work on the autonomous SIS and the first meeting was held on October 4, 2012.

Biennial General Meeting - SIS is preparing for our Biennial General Meeting to be held on January 26, 2013.

Association of the Ship for Southeast Asian Youth of Thailand (ASSEAY Thailand)

In addition to routine activities such as PY selection, pre-departure training, and SSEAYP country program in Thailand. ASSEAY Thailand conducted various activities:

During the 39th SSEAYP Thailand country program, ASSEAY Thailand hosted the **59th Council of President (COP) meeting** on board M.S. Fuji Maru and held the international youth forum "Role of Youth in ASEAN Integration" at Assumption University, Suvarnabhumi Campus, with some COP members as honorable panelists, to create awareness and prepare youth for the upcoming closer relations among ASEAN member countries.

The **22nd "For Hopeful Children Project"** was organized at the new home at Toey Ngam beach, Chonburi, hosting

the record-high 1,500 under privileged children to experience various activities and learn about Japanese and ASEAN cultures from 150 national and international volunteers, including ex-PYs from SSEAYP and SWY programs.

ASSEAY Thailand-IYEO Fukushima Exchange Program on Disaster Management: Live and Learn took place in Bangkok (home stay) and Phuket (activities and home stay). Participants learned and observed the recovery and re-birth of community and city of Phuket from Tsunami incident in 2004.

During the nationwide flood crisis, ASSEAY Thailand donated money, food, and goods to the victims of the affected areas in Ayutthaya province.

The Annual General Meeting was conducted onboard Fuji Maru during the

Reunion On Board. In the meeting, members elected Asst. Prof. Dr. Siripong Pruettthipan as the new president of ASSEAY Thailand. The members thanked Mr. Chai Nimakorn for his 10 years of contributions.



Vietnam Alumni Club of Youth Friendship Programs (VACYF)

January - May 2012: VACYF members in Ho Chi Minh City and Ha Noi organized 4 workshops about SSEAYP. The events were attended by more than 100 fans and applicants who are interested in joining the program. At the same time, ex-PYs also shared their pride and feelings of being youth ambassadors of Vietnam, and their experiences with different cultures.

April 2012: VPYs 2011 successfully implemented their Post-Program Activity called 'Join Hands Share Smile' which aimed to provide basic supports for children of primary schools in remote northern Son La Province and highland Dak Lak Province in Vietnam.

A donation of fund and clothing had been raised in several Alumni websites

and social network pages in March. About 200 blankets, 1,650 notebooks and 600 books were received in addition to 15 million VND in cash. The voluntary groups were warmly received by the school teachers and pupils together with the local government and youth leaders. The books and notebooks were added to the school library, while the blankets and coats were sent directly to the dormitory.

June - October 2012: VACYF organized orientation classes for new PYs in Ha Noi, Ho Chi Minh City and Hue, providing basic information of several tasks before SSEAYP.

November 2012: VACYF members participated in the SSEAYP Country Program in Ho Chi Minh City, Vietnam,

assisting the Reception Committee and hosting the Reunion On Board in the evening of November 11. Thanks to the wide connection of the Internet, about 100 ex-PYs from Vietnam, Singapore and Philippines attended the event and donated \$800 in the 'SSEAYP Vietnam Fund' after the event.



The 24th SSEAYP International General Assembly in Japan

"SSEAYP International: Together, Move Forward!"

April 25 - 28, 2012 - SIGA Japan was held with the theme of "SSEAYP International: Together, Move Forward!" To commemorate the 25th anniversary of SSEAYP International, SIGA Japan invited panelists from ex-participants of SSEAYP who actively engage in political, NGO, business, education, international organization to discuss "Significance of the Human Resource Development in the Global Society." They discussed the key to develop global human resources by introducing recent activities and how the experience of SSEAYP have worked for their life and way of thinking.

Date	Main Program
April 25	Arrival of participants
	SI Representatives' Meeting (COP Meeting)
April 26	General Assembly
	Welcome Reception
	SI 25th Anniversary Forum
April 27	Breakfast and Ship Tour onboard Fuji Maru
	Institutional Visit
	Farewell Party
April 28	Departure of participants

Participants also joined Institutional Visit according to their interests. Institutional Visit gave opportunities to deepen their understanding about culture, industry, economy and environment in Japan through experience of visit and discussion.

Prior to main program, Social Contribution Activities was held in the tsunami affected area on April 22-24; Courtesy Call, Scallop Industry Support Project, ASEAN Engawa Café and exchange activities at two elementary schools.



The 25th SSEAYP International General Assembly in Lao P.D.R.

"SSEAYP Together Experience Cultures"

LaoSAA is indeed honored to be the next host for the **25th SIGA** in 2013. We are really proud to organize SIGA in Lao P.D.R. because the LaoSAA was only found in 2009. So now, it is time for the former Participating Youths of SSEAYP to have a reunion and broadening the long lasting friendship. The theme for upcoming 25th SIGA is "SSEAYP Together Experience Cultures." We warmly welcome all of you, your family and friends to join us at SIGA 2013 which will be held during **April 25-27, 2013 at Vientiane Capital, Lao P.D.R.**

Activities on the 25th SIGA will be highlighted by "**SIGA Award**" which is held every 3 years, Social Con-

tribution Activities, Council of Presidents Meeting (COP), Seminar, etc. Before SIGA, **Social Contribution Activities (SCA)** will be held in **April 22-24, 2013.**





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Route and ports of call



The 39th SSEAYP started from October 23 until December 14, 2012. The ship left from Yokohama, Japan and visited 5 ports-of-call in Southeast Asia before returning to Tokyo. The PYs showed their enthusiasm joining all the activities onboard the ship and during the country programs in all ports of call. From all of these activities, PYs have a time communicating and understanding each other especially deepening their mutual understanding.

SSEAYP ended successfully. All NLs, PYs, Discussion Facilitators, OBSC Representatives and Administrative staff brought home not only what they have experienced, but also everlasting friendship.

ROUTE AND PORT OF CALL	DURATION
Yokohama (Japan)	Nov 02
Ho Chi Minh City (Vietnam)	Nov 09 – Nov 12
Bangkok (Thailand)	Nov 15 – Nov 19
Representatives visit Yangon, Myanmar by Air	Nov 16 – Nov 17
Singapore	Nov 22 – Nov 25
Jakarta (Indonesia)	Nov 27 – Nov 30
Muara (Brunei Darussalam)	Dec 03 – Dec 06
Tokyo (Japan)	Dec 13



OBSC Representatives 2012



Mr. Haji Mohamad Aduka bin Haji Abdul, BPY 1997

Ms. Nuon Markara, Cambodia, CPY 2009

Mr. Arisza Wiryawan, IPY 2005

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Ms. Sahlee C. Camposano, PPY 1991

Mr. Koh Eng Hwa, SPY 1990

Mr. Woraphat Sungnoi, TPY 1997

Mr. Vu Pham Minh Tuan, VPY 2008

Ten OBSC Representatives from Japan and nine ASEAN countries boarded Fuji Maru in Brunei Darussalam. This is first time that Discussion Group Facilitators and OBSC Representatives met face to face for a smooth turn-over and transition from DG Program to Post Program Activities.

In Post-Program Session III (Plenary Session), the OBSC Representatives explained the role of OBSC Representatives as a link between the respective alumni associations and PYs and to facilitate drafting the plan of their Post Program Activities. OBSC Representatives also introduced SSEAYP International, each of the alumni associations and 2011 Post Program Activities. The session went very well and PYs were able to connect the Discussion Group and Post-Program Activities under their respective alumni associations.

In Post Program Sessions with their respective contingents, OBSC representatives briefly discussed about their alumni associations and finalizing Post-Program Activities based on the PYs learning from the Group Discussion and situation of their respective countries. They also gathered and edited articles for SSEAYP News to document PYs experience during 39th SSEAYP 2012.

During the meeting at Cabinet Office, they reported highlights of activities of each of the Alumni Associations. Mr. Hidekazu Inagawa, Director General for the General Promotion of Policy on Youth Affairs and Childrearing, thanked the OBSC representatives for their contributions to the success of 39th SSEAYP 2012.