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Welcome Message



Distinguished journalists!

I heartily welcome your visit to Korea. I am President Jung Kyu Sung of the Journalists Association of Korea.

The Journalists Association of Korea was founded on August 17, 1964 and celebrating the 54th anniversary this year. It is a front-line journalist group with the longest history, and also the largest professional

journalist organization in Korea, with over 10,000 journalist members from 188 press companies nationwide. The World Press Conferences has held every year since 2013.

For this year, about 70 journalists from 50 countries around the world have gathered to participate for the World Press Conference.

Despite differences in country, gender, skin color, and ideology, we have one thing in common. It is that, we are journalists who strive for freedom and peace by telling the truth with rationality and a warm heart.

Today, with the topic "Role of press for Denuclearization of Korean Peninsula and World Peace" at this conference, I hope that participants share their farsighted views and have an in-depth debate in the hope of world peace. Especially, the single inter-Korean team participating in the Winter Olympics in Pyeongchang, Gangwon-do, Korea held from February 9th to 25th brings a mood of reconciliation to the Korean peninsula, you may have great interest in the issue.

As journalists from all over the world have gathered here for this conference being held in Seoul, Korea, which is the only divided country in the world, I kindly ask to share your valuable thoughts.

In addition, during the event, you will experience Korean traditional culture and its development phases by visiting major cities such as Seoul, Busan, Incheon, Daegu and Jeju.

After you return to your home countries, please share your experiences in Korea.

Lastly, during the World Press Conference, I hope you have a lot of fruitful talks with reporters from all over the world and stay comfortable and healthy.

Thank you.

Jung Kyu Sung President Journalists Association of Korea





Congratulatory Address

Greeting. I am Minister Do Jongwhan of the Ministry of Culture, Sports and Tourism of Republic of Korea.

I extend my heartfelt congratulations on the opening of the Journalist Forum for World Peace, and welcome journalists from all over the world who came to join this forum. Also, I would like to express my deepest gratitude to President of Journalists Association of

Korea and members of the Association who have made great efforts for this forum.

It is very meaningful that the venue for discussions on the theme of 'Global Journalism for the Peace of the Korean Peninsula', for the peace on the Korean peninsula and further for world peace is held on Korea, which is the last divided country in the world.

The talks between the two Koreas have been cut off for the past decade, and North Korea's nuclear tests and missile launches have jeopardized peace on the Korean peninsula. But with the 2018 PyeongChang Winter Olympics and Paralympics, the movement for peace and reconciliation toward the world began on the Korean Peninsula, which is deeply wounded by the Korean War. North Korea dispatched more than 500 delegates, including 46 athletes, 229 cheerleaders, and reporters, artists and Taekwondo demonstrators to join the efforts to hold a peaceful Olympic Games. Participation of North Korea has opened the door to peace on the Korean peninsula and has laid the foundation on which the two Koreas can continue to exchange and communicate. I highly anticipate this forum will carry the momentum of the legacy of peace left by the PyeongChang Winter Olympics.

On the road to the unification of divided Germany, the press played a pivotal role, such as by dispatch of correspondents. I kindly request for your active support and attention as journalists for peace on the Korean peninsula.

During the period of forum, you will have a tour to traditional cultural sites and industrial facilities of South Korea. I hope you experience the charm and bright future of Korea in Jeju Island, the most beautiful island in our country.

Thank you.

Do Jong-hwan Minister Ministry of Culture, Sports and Tourism

Introduction of Journalists Association of Korea



A sentence that records history, Images that deliver reality of the scene, Journalists who are passionately seeking the truth as their calling, And always standing behind them, is the Journalists Association of Korea (JAK).

The Journalists Association of Korea was established on August 17, 1964, through the active bond of sympathy of front-line journalists. Since its foundation, the association has advocated five Codes of Conduct which are the democratic development of Korea, the improvement of journalists, the protection of freedom of speech, the promotion of friendship amongst the association's members, the achievement of peaceful reunification and homogeneity between North and South Korea, and the strengthening of ties with journalists around the world.

The Journalists Association of Korea is the nation's biggest media body, boasting a current membership of over 200 company members and 10,000 individual journalists. The association delivers 50,000 copies of its weekly paper across the nation to present various key issues and viable alternatives.

Also, the Journalists Association of Korea makes efforts to enhance capabilities of journalists by hosting various forums and seminars, and providing reporters with financial support for short- or long-term training programs or studies at domestic graduate schools.

We present the annual Korea Journalist Award, which is the most prestigious and long-standing award in Korea's journalism, as well as the Award for Journalist of the Month. By doing so, we raise the morale of frontline journalists and encourage them to write quality articles, initiating efforts for the press to regain trust of the public.

At the same time, with a view to bolster the public role of the press, we have steadily engaged in the so-called "talent donation" by sending reporters to elementary, middle and high schools. We also make donation for less fortunate neighbors every year. To give students a chance to deepen their thinking, we host national students essay contest.

To boost member's unit and friendship, we hold national reporters' soccer competition and reporters' climbing contest every year.

From early on, The Journalists Association of Korea realized the significance of strengthening ties with journalists around the world. Upon such realization, the association joined the International Federation of Journalists as a regular member in 1966. In addition, we started to enjoy regular exchanges and visits with the All-China Journalists Association



in 1993, Vietnam Journalists Association in 1994, Indonesian Journalists Association in 2013, Confederation of Mongolian Journalists in 2014, and the Union of Bulgarian Journalists in 2015, by mutually dispatching delegates to each other. From this year on, we plan to continue our exchanges with our counterparts in the United States after the temporary disconnection in recent years.

Regular exchanges with reporters from these countries are role model cases in people-to-people diplomacy beyond conventional diplomacy and greatly contribute to harmony and improvement in bilateral relations. Looking forward, we hope to expand our network with more journalists from foreign countries.

In addition, JAK successfully hosted the IFJ's general meeting for the first time in Asia back in 2001, as well as the East Asia Journalist Forum in 2003, the Asia Journalist Forum in 2005, and the IFJ's special general meeting in 2007. We also held a conference with journalists from Korea, China and Vietnam in 2012. After hosting the World Journalist Conference for three consecutive years from 2013 to 2015, the Journalist Forum for World Peace 2016, the World Journalists Conference 2017 and we are proud to host another World Journalists Conference 2018 starting today. We intend to take this event as a golden opportunity to propagate our commitment for the peace on the Korean Peninsula and consolidation of solidarity between the Journalists, hoping that it would bring the mood of peace and unification upon the region.

Mr. Jung Kyu Sung, the 46th president of the Journalists Association of Korea, and the Executive Department are determined to communicate with the public, realize social justice and closely monitor those who have power and authorities with keen eyes. Also, we will demonstrate journalism in which we stand by the less-privileged with warm heart. Also, we will take the lead in the efforts for our members' rights and welfare as well as our people's grand unity.

To this end, we will continue to strengthen ties with international outlets and build reliable friendships in the process. And, we will prepare for what lies ahead with constant reform and innovation.

Thank you.

Overview



■ Title

World Journalists Conference 2018

■ Date

4(Sun) - 11(Sun) March 2018

■ Venue

Seoul, Gyeonggi-do, Gyeongsangbuk-do, Busan, Jeju, Incheon

■ Hosted by



■ Supported by







■ Theme

Role of Press for Denuclearization of Korean Peninsula and World Peace

■ Objectives

- As the PyeongChang Winter Olympics and Paralympics kicked off on the Korean Peninsula, there is a high hope for peace on the Korean peninsula with the united inter-Korean ice hockey team participating in the Olympics that started to thaw the tension between two Koreas on the North nuclear crisis.
- We showed foreign journalists the current situation in Seoul, which is the center of Korean peninsula where peace and crisis coexist, and commitment of Korean people to peace and unification.
- We also sought the role of world media for the peaceful unification of the Korean peninsula.
- We gathered the views and opinions from all over the world on the peaceful reunification of the Korean peninsula and looked for the ways of incorporating them into policy.
- On tour to Seoul, the capital of South Korea, Incheon in Gyeonggi, Daegu in Gyeongbuk, Busan and Jeju, we informed the world about Korean traditional culture and its excellence with 5,000 year of history.
- We expanded human network with journalists around the world, and fostered freedom of the press and strengthened bonds.

Date	5(Mon) March 2018	6(Tue) March 2018	7(Wed) March 2018	
07:00 - 08:00	Breakfast (07:00-08:30) Charmant [1F],	Breakfast (07:00-08:00) Charmant [1F], President Hotel	Breakfast (07:00-07:30) Value Plate [6F], Value Hotel	
08:00 - 09:00	President Hotel		By Bus (08:00-09:30) Value Hotel ▶ Sejong	
09:00 - 10:00		By Bus (09:00-10:20) President Hotel ▶ Suwon	Site Visit 4 (09:30-10:00) Sejong City hall	
10.00 11.00	Opening Reception (10:00-10:30) Korea Press Center [20F]			
10:00 - 11:00	Opening Ceremony (10:30-11:15) Korea Press Center [20F]	Site Visit 2 (10:20-11:30) Hwaseong Haenggung 24 Martial Arts Trial		
11:00 - 12:00	Special Session (11:15-11:55)	Performance	By Bus (10:30-12:30) Sejong ► Andong	
		By Bus (11:30-12:00)		
12:00 - 13:00	Luncheon (12:00-13:20) National Press Club [20F] Korea Press Center	Luncheon (12:00-13:30) [Restaurant 'LA MER i']	Luncheon (12:30-13:30)	
1000 1400	Break Time (13:20-13:30)		[Restaurant 'Gilpung']	
13:00 - 14:00		By Bus (13:30-14:00)	By Bus (13:30-14:00)	
14:00 - 15:00	Conference (13:30-15:30) International Convention Hall [20F] Korea Press Center	Site Visit 3 (14:00-17:00) Mr. Toilet House		
15:00 - 16:00 ———————————————————————————————————	Site Visit 1 (15:30-18:00) Seoul Metropolitan Council DDP	Samsung Innovation Museum	Site Visit 5 (14:00-17:50) Andong Hahoe folk village Andong Soju Wolyeonggyo	
17:00 - 18:00	(Dongdaemun Design Plaza)	By Bus (17:00-17:30)		
			By Bus (17:50-18:00)	
18:00 - 19:00	By Bus (18:00-18:30)		Dinner (18:00-20:00)	
19:00 - 20:00	Welcome Dinner (19:00-20:30) Brahms Hall [19F]	Dinner (18:30-20:00) Banquet Hall [6F], Value Hotel	[Restaurant 'YeMiJung']	
20:00 - 21:00	President Hotel Free Time	Free Time	Free Time	

8(Thu) March 2018	9(Fri) March 2018	10(Sat) March 2018
Breakfast (07:00-08:30) GrandHotel 9F/ Richell Hotel 2F, Jade	Breakfast (07:00-08:30) Grand Table [1F], Haeundae Grand Hotel	Breakfast (07:00-08:00) Lorient [1F], Ramada Jeju Hamdeok Hotel
	By Bus (08:30-09:10) Grand Hotel ▶ Gimhae airport	By Bus (08:00-09:00) Ramada Hotel ▶ Jeju Airport
By Bus (09.00-10.30) Andong ▶ Daegu Site Visit 6 (10.30-11.30) Daegu Center for Creative Economy&Innovation	By Airplane (09:10-12:00) Gimhae airport ▶ Jeju airport	By Airplane (09:00-11:30) Jeju Airport ▶ Gimpo Airport
		By Bus (11:30-12:00) Gimpo Airport ▶ Gwangmyeong
Luncheon (11:30-13:00) [Restaurant 'PARTY ON']	By Bus (12:00-12:30)	Luncheon (12:00-13:00)
	Luncheon (12:30-13:30)	By Bus (13:00-13:30)
By Bus (13:00-15:00)	By Bus (13:30-14:00)	Site Visit 10 (13:30-14:30) Gwangmyeong Cave
Daegu ▶ Busan		By Bus (14:30-15:30) Gwangmyeong Cave ▶ Incheon
Site Visit 7 (15:30-17:30) UN Memorial Cemetery	Site Visit 9 (1400-17:30) Jeju April 3 Peace Memorial Hal Neobeunsungi 4.3 Historical Sitel	Site Visit 11 (15:30-18:30) Incheon Chinatown Songdo Central Park
By Bus (17:30-18:00)	By Bus (17:30-18:00)	
Dinner (18:00-20:00)		By Bus (18:30-19:00)
Grand ballroom [2F], Haeundae Grand Hotel	Dinner (18:00-20:00)	Dinner (19:00-20:30) Songdo Convensia
By Bus (20:00-20:30)		
Site Visit 8 (20:30-21:30) Yacht Tour	Free Time	Free Time

5(Mon) March 2018



International Convention Hall 20F. Korea Press Center

■ 10:30-10:30 Opening Reception [International Convention Hall [20F], Korea Press Center]

■ 10:30-11:15 Opening Ceremony [International Convention Hall [20F], Korea Press Center]

- Introduction Video of Journalists Association of Korea
- Welcome Address



Jung Kyu Sung President Journalists Association of Korea Korea

- Congratulatory Address



Min Byung Wook Chairman Korea Press Foundation Korea



- Performance: Baritone 'Claudio Jung'



To date Jung has released 15 albums and performed and directed over 3,000 concerts in 60 cities across the world. He is currently a professor at Kookmin University College of Art in Korea, and he is also a public ambassador for the Salvation Army and the chief of OPERAMA (Opera and Drama - Art Administration Institute).

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■11:15-11:55 Special Session



Lee Hyo-seong Chairman Korea Communications Commission Korea

■12:00-13:20 Luncheon

Hosted by Ministry of Foreign Affairs [National Press Club [20F], Korea Press Center]





- ■13:20 13:30 Break Time
- ■13:30 15:30 Conference

[International Convention Hall [20F], Korea Press Center]

Topic

Role of Press for Denuclearization of Korean Peninsula and World Peace

Moderator



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Chief Editorial Writer
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Hagit LIMOR
Past President
National Society of Professional Journalists
United States of America



Woosuk Kenneth Choi Editor of Future Planning News Desk Chosun Daily Newspaper Korea

■15:30-18:00 Site Visit 1

Seoul Metropolitan Council



http://www.smc.seoul.kr/foreign/index.do?lang=english

In 1956, when the City of Seoul began to implement a democratic local autonomy system in a modern sense, the 1st Seoul Metropolitan Council was organized. Since then, the journey of grassroots democracy has continually built up until now.

DDP(Dongdaemun Design Plaza)



http://www.ddp.or.kr/main?hl=en_US

DDP is a multi-cultural complex located at Dongdaemun History & Culture Park Station in Seoul, Korea. It is a venue that introduces new products and fashion trends, that shares knowledge through exhibitions, and that offers diverse contents to experience new design.

■19:00-20:30 Dinner

Hosted by Deputy Mayor of Seoul Metropolitan City [Brahms Hall [19F], President Hotel]



Park Won-soon Mayor Seoul Metropolitan City Korea



Yoon Joon ByeongDeputy mayor
Seoul Metropolitan City
Korea

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- ■09:00-10:20 By Bus (Seoul > Suwon)
- ■10:20-11:30 Site Visit 2

Hwaseong Haenggung



http://english.swcf.or.ki

Haenggung is a palace located outside of Seoul where king used to stay when he traveled, at war times, or when he visited tombs. The Hwaseong Haenggung was the temporary residence of King Jeongjo when he visited Hyeonryungwon, his father's tomb. While the king did not stay there, it was used as the office of busa (government office).

24 Martial Arts Trial Performance



http://english.swcf.or.kr/

24 Martial Arts Trial Performance(muye 24 gi) in Muye Dobo Tongji which was written by actively adopting excellent martial arts of Joseon and China and Japan will be demonstrated, which will make spectators feel cool.

■12:00-13:30 Luncheon

Hosted by Mayor of Suwon city [Restaurant 'LA MER i']



Yeom Tae-young Mayor Suwon City Korea

■14:00-17:00 Site Visit 3

Mr. Toilet House



https://www.haewoojae.com:40002/eng/

Mr. Toilet (Shim Jae-duck) has established the World Toilet Association (WTA), a private international organization dealing with toilet issues on the international stage, by publicizing the toilet issues that have not been treated as an important issue in the international community and the willingness of the whole world to solve the problems. Mr. Toilet built a house that looked like a toilet to celebrate the birth of the World Toilet Association. Suwon remodelled the house to establish the "Mr. Toilet House Suwon's toilet Culture Exhibit Hall"

Samsung Innovation Museum



http://www.samsunginnovationmuseum.com/index.jsp

In three Halls - Era of Inventors, Era of Corporate Innovation, and Era of Creation - Samsung Innovation Museum shows not only the history of the electronics industry but the achievements that Samsung Electronics has made in the IT industry with its leading semi-conductor, display and mobile technologies.

■18:30-20:00 Dinner

Hosted by Vice Governor of Gyeonggi Province [Banquet Hall [6F], Value Hotel]



Nam Kyung-pil Governor Gyeonggi Province Korea



Kim Jin Heung Vice Governor for Administrative Affairs 2 Gyeonggi Province Korea

7(Wed) March 2018

■08:00-09:30 By Bus (Suwon > Sejong)

■09:30-10:00 Site Visit 4 Sejong City Hall



Lee Choon-heemayor
Sejong Special Self-governing City
Korea

■10:30-12:30 By Bus (Sejong ➤ Andong)

■12:30-13:30 Luncheon

Hosted by Mayor of Andong city [Restaurant 'Gilpung']



Kwon Yeong-Se Mayor Andong city Korea

■13:00-17:50 Site Visit 5 Andong Hahoe Folk Village



http://www.hahoe.or.kr/english/sub1/sub1.asp

Hahoe is the village where the members of Ryu family which originated from Hahoe Village have lived together for 600 years. It is a representative village for one family where tile-roofed houses and thatched roofed ones have been quite well conserved for a long time.

Andong Soju



http://sima.suwon.go.kr/eng/index.do

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Andong soju is the sole alcohol brewed by an illustrious house that embodies Korean history. The history of Andong soju began 700 years ago, when it was first introduced to Korea in the Goryeo Dynasty. Distillation through warming it up in a double boiler to avoid direct touch of fire makes its taste pure and soft, and elevates its original deep and delicate flavor to the arts.

Wolyeonggyo



It is the biggest and longest wooden bridge of Korea based on the memorable love story of Lee Eung Tae and his wife. The shape of bridge is based on 'Mituri'(Traditional shoes) that Lee's wife made with her hairs and burried with her husband

■18:00-20:00 Dinner

Hosted by Governor of Gyeongsangbuk Province [Restaurant 'YeMiJunq']



Kim, Kwan-Yong Governor Gyeongsangbuk Province Korea

8(Thu) March 2018

■09:00-10:30 By Bus (Andong > Daegu)

■10:30-11:30 Site Visit 6

Daegu Center for Creative Economy & Innovation



Daegu Center for Creative Economy & Innovation finds start-ups that realize new value and defy and challenge the status quo for change to support them throughout the entire phase of business from initial stage to global expansion. We provide services such as management diagnosis, mentoring, and education programs in each field so that entrepreneurial spirit can be manifested. We also support prototype production, patents, and market development to materialize projects.

■11:30-13:00 Luncheon

Hosted by Mayor of Daegu Metropolitan City [Restaurant 'PARTY ON']



Kwon Young-jin Mayor Daegu Metropolitan City Korea

■13:00-15:00 By Bus(Daegu ► Busan)

■15:30-17:30 Site Visit 7 UN Memorial Cemetery



http://www.unmck.or.kr/eng_index.php

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This is a unique cemetery, the only one of its kind in the world, and the resting place of more than 2,300-plus UN soldiers who lost their lives during the Korean War to protect the freedom and peace of the Republic of Korea. The Memorial Hall in the park displays information relevant to the activities of the countries involved, while the monument to the deceased carries a list of the names of the UN soldiers who fell during the War.

■18:00-20:00 Dinner

Hosted by Deputy Mayor of Busan Metropolitan City [Grand Ballroom [2F], Haeundae Grand Hotel]



Suh Byung-soo Mayor Busan Metropolitan City Korea



Park Jae-min
Deputy mayor
Busan Metropolitan City
Korea

■20:30-21:30 Site Visit 8

Yacht Tour



http://www.diamondbay.co.kr/main

The yacht tour allows you to enjoy the best view of Haeundae, Gwangan Bridge and some of the most famous tourist hotspots in Busan. Starting from Yong-Ho Harbor, the course covers Gwangan Bridge and the Nurimaru.

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- ■08:30-09:10 By Bus (Busan > Gimhae Airport)
- ■09:10-12:00 By Airplane (Gimhae > Jeju)



- ■12:30-13:30 Luncheon
- ■14:00-17:30 Site Visit 9
 Jeju 4·3 Peace Memorial Hall



Jeju 4.3 Peace Park was established as a memorial place where the victims due to the massacres of Jeju civilians during April 3rd Incident, including their miserable lives were remembered and cherished. The Jeju April 3 Incident, which broke out in the mood of the world cold war and the division of the Korean Peninsula, produced mass victims caused by the Central Governmental power. Currently, the truth of the Jeju April 3 Incident is being unveiled in the pursuit of reconciliation and mutual prosperity.

Neobeunsungi 4.3 Historical Site



Nuvensung means wide stone field in Jeju dialect. Jeju 4.3, which is a history of scars that can not be unforgettable in modern history, has already arrived at its 70th memorial year. During our site visit in Jeju, we are going to visit Neobeunsungi 4.3 Historical Site which tells us a sad story of this beautiful island. In 1974 Janaury 17th, there was an ambush by armed soldiers. Innocent people were defensing themselves from those armed soldiers, but two of soldiers were killed. Therefore, armed soldiers retailed on innocent people. 30,000 people were killed and 2,500 people went through military trials. Neobeunsungi 4.3 Historical Site is the site of honoring those people with victimized death.

■18:00-20:00 Dinner



Won Hee-ryong Governor Jeju Province Korea

10(Sat) March 2018

- ■08:00-09:00 By Bus (Hotel > Jeju Airport)
- ■09:00-11:30 By Airplane (Jeju > Gimpo)



- ■11:30-12:00 By Bus (Gimpo > Gwangmyeong)
- ■12:00-13:00 Luncheon

Hosted by Mayor of Gwangmyeong City



Yang Ki-dae Mayor Gwangmyeong Clty Korea

■13:30-14:30 Site Visit 10 Gwangmyeong Cave



http://www.gm.go.kr/cv/en/index.do

Gwangmyeong Cave (formerly named as Siheung Mine) which was shut down in 1972 is a place where people were drafted to work by force and abused during the Japanese Colonial Rule and the trace of modern industrialization still remains. It was abandoned for 40 years, from 1972 to 2011, with the strong smell of salted shrimps. In 2011, after being purchased by Gwangmyeong City, it has been transformed into a place where people can relax and enjoy cultural and art experiences. It is considered the best cave theme park in Korea with combination of industrial heritage and cultural value, and accomplished the miracle of an abandoned mine.

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- ■14:30-15:30 By Bus (Gwangmyeong ► Incheon)
- ■15:30-18:30 Site Visit 11

Incheon Chinatown



Incheon Chinatown was formed as Chinese people started living in this district after the opening of Incheon Port in 1883. Now Incheon Chinatown, as a tourist destination of huge historical significance, is changing into a place comprised of various sections, such as tourist shopping, specialty shops and art street.

Songdo Central Park



Songdo Central Park was created in a core area of Songdo International City, by employing the latest construction method that helps preventing heat island in the city while ensuring effective recycling of rainwater. In the park, man-made waterway, which was built by channeling seawater for the first time in Korea, will have 12-passenger-water taxis circulating this water route.

■ 19:00-20:30 Dinner

Hosted by Mayor of Incheon Metropolitan City [Songdo Convensia]



Yoo Jeong-bok Mayor Incheon Metropolitan City Korea

Participants List



No.	Country	Name	Organization	Job Title
1	Afghanistan	Mansoor FAIZY	Afghanistan Times Daily	Editor-in-chief
2	Austria	Manuel ESCHER	Der Standard	Journalist, Foreign Desk
3	Bangladesh	Moinuddin AK MOHAMMED	United News of Bangladesh(UNB)	Special Correspondent
4	Brazil	Renato Carlos ALVES COSTA	CORREIO BRAZILIENSE	Journalist
5	Bulgaria	Ivaylo DIMANOV	Union of Bulgarian Journalists	Journalist
6	Bulgaria	Nikolay KRASTEV	Bloomberg TV Bulgaria / Investor media group	TV host
7	Cambodia	Sophal CHHAY	Club of Cambodian Journalists	Executive Director
8	Cambodia	Delux LEANG	Club of Cambodian Journalists	Member of Board Director
9	China	Ying XUE	Xinhua News Agency	Executive Director of Xinhua World Affairs Study Center
10	China	Zhangyu DENG	China Daily	Journalist
11	China	Tao CHEN	ALL-CHINA JOURNALISTS ASSOCIATION	DEPUTY DIRECTOR OF INTERNATIONAL LIAISON DEPARTMENT
12	Colombia	Juan Camilo PEDRAZA MORALES	EL TIEMPO	Reporter
13	Czech	Teodor MARJANOVIC	Hospodarske noviny daily	Opinion writer
14	Egypt	Ashraf ABOUELYAZID	The Silk Road Literature Magazine & Asia Journalist Association	Editor-in-Chief & President
15	Georgia	Sopiko BERIDZE	TV Company IMEDI	Journalist
16	Georgia	Avtandil OTINASHVILI	IA News Day Georgia	Director, Journalist
17	Germany	Hassan HUMEIDA	University of Kiel	Doctor
18	India	Sabina INDERJIT	International Federation of Journalists	Vice President
19	India	Gunjeet SRA	Sboltr Media	Editorin-chief

No.	Country	Name	Organization	Job Title
20	Indonesia	Dar Edi Yoga HARTANTORO	Indonesian Journalists Association (PWI)	Director of CAJ under the Chairman of International Affairs
21	Indonesia	Abdul MANAN	The Alliance of Independent Journalist (AJI), Indonesia	Chairman
22	Indonesia	Elitha Evinora TARIGAN	Indonesian Journalists Association (Persatuan Wartawan Indonesia/PWI)	Member of CAJ under the Chairman of International Affairs
23	Iran	Pooneh NEDAEI KHARGHANI SABET	Shokaran magazine	Editor-in-chief
24	Israel	Hayim ISEROVICH	MAARIV DAILY	FOREIGN AFFAIRS CORRESPONDENT
25	Italy	Alessandra BONAMOMI	The AsiaN	Staff reporter
26	Kazakhstan	Kanat AUYESBAY	Kazinform Information Agency	Analyst
27	Kenya	Aggrey NYONGESA	National Media Group	Regional Editor
28	Korea	Sangki LEE	The AsiaN	Publisher, The AsiaN
29	Korea	Euimi SEO	Asia Journalist Association, The AsiaN	Staff reporter
30	Kuwait	Hamad AL FAHED	KUNA (Kuwait News Agency)	Senior Editor
31	Kyrgyz Republic	Nurzhan KASMALIEVA	Kabar News Agency	Chief of translations department
32	Kyrgyz Republic	Suinunduk TOKSOBAEU	Public Broadcasting Corporation of the KTRK	Chief Editor
33	Malaysia	Norila MOHD DAUD	MALAYSIA WORLD NEWS	SENIOR
34	Mauritania	Beiba MHADI	ALJAZEERA MEDIA NETWORK	Senior Journalist
35	Mongolia	Chuluunbaatar DOLGOR	AJA	Senior Vice President
36	Mongolia	Munkhbayar BAYARKHUU	Confederation of Mongolian Journalists	Manager of CMJ
37	Mongolia	Altantsetseg SUKHBAATAR	Confederation of Mongolian Journalists	GENERAL SECRETARY
38	Myanmar	Aung Khine MAUNG	7DayNews Weekly/ 7Day Daily Newspaper	Editor

Participants List



No.	Country	Name	Organization	Job Title
39	Nepal	Arun RANJIT	The Rising Nepal	Managing Editor
40	Nigeria	Austine ODO	DAILY TRUST	DEPUTY EDITOR
41	Oman	Khalid Khalfan Rashid AL BUSAIDI	Oman News Agency	News Editor(Head of English Local News Department)
42	Pakistan	Nasir AIJAZ	Daily Techno Times	Editor
43	Palestine	Nisreen Mohamed SILMI ABDI	Al-Mayadeen TV Network	Journalist/Senior correspondent
44	Paraguay	Benjamin FERNANDEZ	PERIODICO 5 DIAS	DIRECTOR
45	Philippines	Rosalin GARGANERA	Asian Journalist Association	Reporter/ Anchor
46	Poland	Natalia SZEWCZAK	Business Insider Polska	Journalist/Editor
47	Russia	Mikhail KOROSTIKOV	Kommersant Publishing House	Observer
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