

"Call for ASEAN Teachers to the 32nd ASEAN Council of Teachers (ACT+1) Convention"

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The K-Hotel Seoul, Korea

Co-hosted and organized by
Korean Federation of Teachers' Associations
Ministry of Education, ROK



Theme : Expansion of Quality Education in ASEAN and Korea through Global Citizenship Education

Background : Since 1979, ACT has been held almost every year. The leaders of teachers' association in ASEAN countries thought over the possibility of forming an organization with a view to enable them to foster concepts and aims of ASEAN, especially on the field of education and culture. It aims at further promoting closer relationship between teachers in ASEAN countries. In 2012, South Korea became the first non-ASEAN member as the 10th regular member. After joining of South Korea, the abbreviated name of the convention became ACT+1 (South Korea). The ACT+1 secretariat are administered by turns and the teachers' associations of each country are responsible to serve for one year.

Objectives : Collaborate in the work of advancing mutual knowledge and understanding related to ASEAN philosophy and activities as well as to the ASEAN people's spirit and culture; promote and collaborate within the ASEAN countries joint projects and program of mutual benefit concerning teachers, education, science and culture; and assist members in the development of educational activities which focus on promoting the aims and ideas of ASEAN.

History of KFTA's participation at ACT+1 Convention

Year	Host	Status
2009	Thailand	Observer
2010	Philippines	Associate Member
2012	Brunei Darussalam	Associate Member
2012	Indonesia	Regular Member <i>The first non-ASEAN country to become a member</i>
2013	Malaysia	Regular Member
2014	Singapore	Regular Member
2015	Thailand	Regular Member
2016	Korea	Regular Member <i>The first non-ASEAN country to host the Convention</i>

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