



1st Announcement

**ASIA URBAN YOUTH ASSEMBLY (AUYA)
IN CONJUNCTION WITH
17TH INTERNATIONAL ON MELAKA TWIN CITIES
CONVENTION 2017**

***'Youth Roles Towards New Urban Agenda – Taking Action for
Innovative, Socially Minded, Green Cities'***

Date:

25 - 28 March 2017

Venue:

Hatten Hotel Melaka, Malaysia

Organised By

MAJLIS BANDARAYA MELAKA BERSEJARAH

With collaboration

STATE GOVERNMENT OF MELAKA

UNHABITAT

MINISTRY OF YOUTH AND SPORT

WORLD ASSEMBLY OF YOUTH (WAY)

AT A GLANCE

The Melaka Historic City has established a twinning relationship and cooperation with various cities since 1984, namely with the Lisbon, Portugal (1984); Kuala Lumpur, Malaysia (1989); Valparaiso, Chile (1991); Nanjing and Jiangsu Province, China (2001); Changsha, China (2004); Sawah Lunto, Indonesia (2004); Padang Panjang, Indonesia (2004).

The Twin Cities Convention is a platform to revitalize meeting for Melaka with Twinning Cities, Friendship Cities, partners and others in our continuous efforts towards strengthening an existing relationship and partnership, and moving forward for innovative twinning in various aspects of mutual interest and benefits. The Twin Cities programme initiated the Convention on April 2001, with the aim to build sustainable cities together.

Experiences from abroad have provided some indicative guidelines on how to plan, conduct and manage twinning programmes. The International Convention on Melaka Twin Cities is a platform to gain knowledge, learn and emulate from the successful foreign experiences in city twinning, whilst adapting the programme to suit the local norms, values and culture.

The Asia Urban Youth Assembly (AUYA) provides young people in Asia with the opportunity to discuss and deliberate on important issues, in order for them to make relevant contributions to the New Urban Agenda of United Nations Sustainable Development Goals (UN SDG).

The Assembly is not only informative but also maintains its status as the premier urban youth platform for deliberating on urban youth issues.

INTRODUCTION

Melaka Historic City Council will be organising the Asia Urban Youth Assembly (AUYA) in conjunction with the 17th International Convention of Melaka Twin Cities 2017 in collaboration with the State Government of Melaka, Ministry of Youth and Sports, UNHabitat, Melaka Historic City Council and UN-Youth. This international convention will be held from 25th – 28th March 2017 at the Hatten Hotel in Melaka, Malaysia.

The theme of the convention, ***“Youth Roles Towards New Urban Agenda – Taking Action for Innovative, Socially Minded, Green Cities”*** contribute to sustainable development that encourages innovation and healthy cities.

AUYA aims to provide a platform for young people to share experiences and knowledge, showcase solutions and initiatives, as well as develop partnerships in order to make cities and human settlements more equitable, inclusive, safe, resilient, and sustainable.

The event intends to change the perception of the role of young people in shaping sustainable urban development, and to explore opportunities for them to play meaningful roles in the implementation, follow up, and review of the New Urban Agenda.

OBJECTIVES

1. Provide a platform for youth in Asia to share knowledge and solutions, and to make commitments toward the implementation of the New Urban Agenda.
2. Provide a space for establishment of partnerships across generations and stakeholders toward the achievement of the sustainable urban development.
3. Promote the role of young people in shaping sustainable human settlement, and create awareness on the importance of their meaningful engagement and contribution to just, equitable, and sustainable cities and human settlement.

CONVENTION FEES

HOW TO REGISTER:

Online registration

All registrations for Asia Urban Youth Assembly (AUYA) must be submitted via online registration form.

Group registration

Group registration is only applicable to the registration of five people or more.

- **MAIN SECRETARIAT AUYA 2017**

Majlis Bandaraya Melaka Bersejarah, Graha Makmur, Jalan Tun Abdul Razak
Ayer Keroh, Hang Tuah Jaya, 75450 Melaka, Malaysia

- Websites : <http://www.mbmb.gov.my>

- Closing Date : 15th March 2017

| | Register |
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| 1 person | RM250.00 (Malaysian Participant) |
| | USD50 (Foreign Participant) |
| 5 persons plus 1 free | For every 5 persons in a group that confirmed their participation, the 6 th person is free |

WHO SHOULD ATTEND

➤ Government Authorities, Ministries, City Councils & Local Governments

Director Generals, Secretary Generals, Mayor, Heads of Unit, officer of :

- ✓ Urban Planning & Development
- ✓ Project Management
- ✓ Construction /Public Works
- ✓ Transportation
- ✓ Estate Management
- ✓ City Management

➤ Engineering & Construction Firms, Consultations, Contractors & Builders

Chairman, Presidents, CEOs, MDs, VPs, Directors, GMs, Principals, Partners and Head of:

- ✓ Civil Engineering
- ✓ Transportation Infrastructure
- ✓ Projects
- ✓ Environmental Engineering
- ✓ Business Development

➤ Architecture Firms

MDs, Principals, Directors, Designers, Chiefs, Heads of:

- ✓ Urban Planning
- ✓ Architectural & Design
- ✓ Sustainability
- ✓ Green Buildings

➤ Property Developers

Chairman, Presidents, CEOs, MDs, Directors, GMs and Heads of:

- ✓ Real Estate
- ✓ Projects
- ✓ Engineering, Housing & Human Settlements

➤ Local & International NGOs, Academics ,Professionals and individuals

HIGHLIGHTS

1) PROGRAMME NIGHTRIDER & EARTH HOUR CITY CHALLENGE

Date : 25 March 2017 (Saturday)

Time : 7.30pm

Place : Proclamation Of Independence Memorial

- *Bicycle and Night Reflective Vest to be provided (for participants AUYA only)*
- *VVIPs to flag off*

2) HERITAGE CITY TOUR

Date : 27 March 2017 (Monday)

Time : 6.00 pm – 8.00 pm

Place : Heritage Trail to:

- Melaka River Cruise
- Menara Taming Sari

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6. Swift Code:
RHBBMYKL
7. City/Country:
MELAKA, MALAYSIA
8. Currency:
RINGGIT MALAYSIA(RM)
9. Bank's National Clearing Code(ABA/CHIPS/BSB): NIL