

第 16 屆亞洲太平洋區域扶輪青年會議—國際青年交流盛典

Asia Pacific Regional Rotaract Conference 2019 in Kaohsiung, Taiwan

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The 16th Asia Pacific Regional Rotaract Conference was held at the Grand Hi Lai Hotel in Kaohsiung, Taiwan, Republic of China (中華民國、臺灣、高雄市), on 4-7 September 2019. After a six-year hiatus, Rotarians and Rotaractors from 15 countries in the Asia-Pacific region gathered together to once again have the opportunity to be held in Taiwan. This conference was jointly hosted by Taiwan Rotary Clubs Association and Rotary International District 3510 Rotary/Rotaract clubs to cultivate young leaders, enhance the international perspectives of local youth, and to promote Taiwan. With international strength serving the community as the main axis, the enthusiasm and hospitality of Kaohsiung were fully demonstrated.

During the Conference, Alex gave a keynote speech on “The most influential people in his life”, sharing the successful traits he observed in international celebrities in order to inspire young leaders. Leaders from 15 countries in the Asia-Pacific region also shared their country reports to inspire more service creativity and execution energy.

The “Cultural Workshop” event allowed participants to DIY and to make aboriginal bracelets, Hakka lei cha, gold medal chocolate, aromatherapy stones and other folk arts. The “Rotaract Carnival” and “Cultural Night” were also held to allow countries to set up stalls to introduce their traditional snacks and children’s toys, and participants could experience cross-border exchanges.

The Conference was compiled with “Community Service and Kaohsiung City Tour”, where participants went to the GrassCare Association to make pineapple cakes and peanut candies with the disabled; visit to nursing homes and Shoushan Zoo to serve and to promote the spirit of Rotary; foreign participants were guided to visit Kaohsiung’s Liudui Hakka Cultural Park, Meinong Folk Village, Moon World, Pier-2 Art Center, etc. This was to promote tourism and create local economy through tourist visits.

This Conference attracted many outstanding young people from various countries to Taiwan, which increased the city’s exposure and promoted Kaohsiung’s superiority and characteristics. There was also the hope that Rotaractors would continue to improve their training, make friends from all over the world, broaden their horizons through exchanges, and perform charity work in the organization of international conferences. By connecting point-line-surface, they could strengthen the depth and breadth of the conferences and achieve the goal of “Expanding the vision to the world while marketing Taiwan.”

國際青年交流盛典 -- 第 16 屆亞洲太平洋區域扶輪青年會議

第 16 屆亞洲太平洋區域扶輪青年會議(Asia Pacific Regional Rotaract Conference) 已於 2019 年 9 月 4 日至 9 月 7 日假中華民國高雄市漢來大飯店舉行。睽違六年，集結亞太 15 國各地區扶輪社員、扶青團員，再次奪得於臺灣舉辦的機會。此會議由國際扶輪台灣總會、國際扶輪 3510 地區扶輪青年服務團、國際扶輪 3510 地區聯合主辦，以培育青年領袖、提升本地青年國際觀、推廣臺灣。以國際力量替社區服務為主軸，將高雄熱情與好客的精神發揮的淋漓盡致。

以創意趣味工作坊培育青年 拓展國際視野 建立寬宏國際觀

主題演講由艾力克斯主講「生命中對他最有影響力的人物」，分享他在國際名人身上所觀察到的成功者特質，以此激勵青年領袖，另有亞太 15 國領袖分享國家報告，藉此激發更多的服務創意及執行能量。

其中「文化工作坊」的活動更於現場讓與會者 DIY 製作原住民手鍊、客家擂茶、金牌巧克力、擴香石等各項民俗技藝，並舉辦「扶青嘉年華」及「文化之夜」讓各國以擺攤方式介紹各國傳統特色小吃與童玩，可闖關進行跨國交流體驗。

化身愛心大使 公益不落人後

會議結合「社區服務暨高雄城市之旅」，到小草關懷協會和身障人士一起做鳳梨酥、花生糖；前往安養院及壽山動物園服務，推廣國際扶輪精神；並帶領外國與會者參觀高雄的六堆客家文化、美濃民俗村、月世界、駁二藝術特區等。透過城市參訪，促進觀光、創造地方經濟。

透過國際會議提升台灣國際地位與高雄城市形象

此次的會議吸引許多各國優秀的青年來臺灣，帶動城市的曝光率，宣傳高雄優勢與特色。也期望扶青團在國際會議的組織裡，持續精進訓練自己、結交世界各地好友、透過交流增廣見聞、做公益，以點、線、面的連結強化會議的深度與廣度，達成「放眼世界、行銷臺灣」的目標。







