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XII WORLD SUMMIT OF NOBEL PEACE LAUREATES

«Speak up, speak out about your rights and freedoms»

The World Summit of Nobel Peace Laureates: "A meeting of hope in the World"

We invite all students and PhD students having fluent English and interested in international relations, globalization, geopolitics and international law to take part in XII World Summit of Nobel Peace Laureates.

XII WORLD SUMMIT OF NOBEL PEACE LAUREATES is being organized by *Permanent Secretariat of the World Summit of Nobel Peace laureates* in cooperation with the *City of Chicago (USA)* and *the magazine Time*. The Summit will be held at the suggestion of the *Gorbachev Foundation*, *Chicago City Hall, R. Kennedy Foundation* and *University of Illinois*.

Chaired by *Mikhail Gorbachev* and *Walter Veltroni*, the World Summit of Nobel Peace Laureates is among the most prestigious international appointments in the fields of peace, non-violence, social urgencies, ethnic, religious and cultural conflicts.

The World Summit of Nobel Peace Laureates takes place every year since 1999. The last editions of the Summit were attended by 25 Nobel Peace Prize Laureates, 272 international media (including BBC, CNN, NBC, Al Jazeera), 700 delegates, 150 organisations and associations.

Among the participants: Mikhail Gorbachev - H.H. The Dalai Lama - Muhammad Yunus - Oscar Arias Sanchez - Lech Walesa - Shimon Peres - Jose Ramos-Horta - David Trimble - John Hume - Kim Dae Yung - Joseph Rotblat, Jody Williams - Betty Williams - Mairead Corrigan Maguire - Philipe Ximenes Belo - Adolfo Perez Esquivel - Rigoberta Menchù Tum - Frederik Willem De Klerk - Unicef - Pugwash Conferences - I.P.P.N.W. - I.P.B. - American Friends - Service Committee - Médecins Sans Frontières - Amnesty International - U.N.H.C.R. - I.L.O. - International Labour Organization - I.C.B.L.- International Campaign to Ban Landmines - UN - IAEA - Grameen Bank - Red Cross



The important role of the World's Youth

In a world in which peace is constantly by violence, poverty, wars and injustice, all people, especially the young, have a vitally important role today in furthering the peaceful coexistence of the peoples of the earth. Our Organization pays a big attention to the role of the Youth in contemporary world. Our mission is to engage the minds of the young people on real matters that pertain to global affairs and their relation to human rights, ethnic conflicts, democracy and the world without violence.

During the World Summit students will have opportunity to take part in a great world event, to listen and communicate with historical figures and to receive their exceptional experience.

Our goal is to organize during the Summit round table discussions in which students from different countries will take part. In previous Summits more than 500 students from different countries (USA, Japan, Italy, Russia) took part in.

Lectures, conferences, round table discussions with Nobel Laureates, representatives of leading world organizations, experts is a wonderful opportunity for the present and an investment in the future.

More information about the Summit You will find on our official website http://www.nobelforpeace-summits.org

To ask your questions and to confirm your participation (<u>till March 1, 2012</u>) please send your response to

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Best regards,

Permanent Secretariat of the World Summit of Nobel Peace Laureates.