



**APEC VOICES OF THE FUTURE 2015
12 NOVEMBER TO 19 NOVEMBER 2015
MANILA, PHILIPPINES**

**“BUILDING A SUSTAINABLE FUTURE:
INCLUSIVE GROWTH, RESILIENCE, EMPOWERMENT”**

PROPOSED PROGRAMME

Day 1, Thursday, 12 November 2015

Day	Arrivals at Ninoy Aquino International Airport Transfer to Hotel
2.00 pm	Registration and check-in at Green Sun Hotel, Makati
6.30 pm	Dinner
8.30 pm	Orientation and briefing conducted by Mr Noel Gould, Chairman, Virtual Trade Mission Foundation International APEC Voices Leadership Council and APEC Voices Working Committee, Philippines
10.00 pm	End of session

Day 2, Friday, 13 November 2015

The Fourth ABAC Meeting, Fairmont Makati, Philippines

10.00 am	Session 1: Dialogue with ABAC Members (TBC)
12.30 pm –	Luncheon Venue: Ballroom 1
3.00 pm	Session 2: Dialogue with ABAC Members (TBC)
6.30 pm	Welcome Reception (TBC) Venue: Ayala Museum

Day 3, Saturday, 14 November 2015

7.30 am	Breakfast
8.00 am	Depart for Asian Development Bank, Headquarters

APEC Voices of the Future 2015 Opening Ceremony

10.00 am	Welcome remarks by Mr Takehiko Nakao, President, Asian Development Bank, venue host (TBC)
10.05 am	Brief remarks by Mr James Soh Co-Chair, APEC Voices Leadership Council

- 10.10 am Address by Guest-of-Honor, H.E Cesar Purisima, Secretary of Finance, Philippines (confirmed)
- 10.30 am Address by Special Guest, H.E. Philip Goldberg, US Ambassador to the Philippines (confirmed)
- 10.45 am Opening of APEC Voices of the Future Program 2015 by Guest-of-Honor
- 10.50 am Presentation of Tokens of Appreciation
- 10.55 am End of Opening Ceremony
Tea reception
Group photo with Guest-of-Honor, Special Guests and officials

APEC Voices of the Future 2015 Youth Forum

- 11.15 am Address by Mr Noel Gould, Chairman, Virtual Trade Mission Foundation International **“How youth could play a role in building sustainable and resilient communities in the Asia Pacific”**.
- 11.25 am Plenary Session – Presentation by one representative of each APEC 21 Economies

Moderated by Dr Anne Liu and Mr Ponce Samaniego, Youth Consultant, Asian Development Bank

Question and Answer
- 1.25 pm End of Plenary Session
- 1.30 pm Lunch
- 2.30 pm Presentation by Special Youths from ADB, “Changing Asia” Series
- 3.15 pm Tea Break
- 3.35 pm Group discussion
Preparation and work on Youth Declaration
- 4.30 pm Group Presentation
- 5.30 pm End of session
- Evening Free at leisure

Day 4, Sunday, 15 November 2015
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- 6.30 am Breakfast
- 7.00 am Depart for GK Enchanted Farm, Bulacan
- 10.00 am Tour, interaction with community
- 11.30 am Lunch
- 1.00 pm Talks/ Workshop on Social Enterprise, Sustainable Development
- 4.00 pm Return to Manila, Hotel

Evening Free at leisure

Day 5, Monday, 16 November 2015

7.00 am Breakfast

10.00 am Dialogue with a distinguished speaker (TBC)
Question and Answer

12.00 pm Lunch

2.50 pm **APEC CEO Summit 2015 at Shangri-La, Makati**
“Creating the Future: Better, Stronger, Together”

7.00 pm **APEC CEO Summit – Welcome Reception (TBC)**
“The Philippines Welcomes APEC” – Ayala Triangle Garden

Day 6, Tuesday, 17 November 2015

7.00 am Breakfast

7.30 am **APEC CEO Summit 2015 at Shangri-La, Makati City**

7.30 am **APEC SME Summit 2015 at Green Sun, Makati City**
“Innovation and Big Ideas: Pushing Boundaries”

Groups will be rotated in small group of 30 to attend the APEC CEO Summit 2015 or SME Summit. (TBC)

Evening Free at leisure

Day 7, Wednesday, 18 November 2015

7.00 am Breakfast

8.30 am **APEC CEO Summit 2015 at Shangri-La, Makati**

Groups will be rotated in small group of 30 to attend the APEC CEO Summit 2015. (TBC)

12.30 pm Closing Address of APEC CEO Summit 2015

7.00 pm APEC Voices of the Future 2015
Closing Ceremony, Cultural Night

10.30 pm End of session

Day 8, Thursday, 19 November 2015

Check-out of hotel, depart for flight home.

** Program is tentative, subject to confirmation and changes.

