



Resolution of the 11th Korea-Russia Youth Dialogue

The 11th Korea-Russia Youth Dialogue took place in Uzbekistan from August 6th to August 13th, 2023. The event was attended by 10 students from each side, totaling 10 Korean students and 10 Russian students. The discussions during this event were centered around fostering the creative potential of youth in the current situation and enhancing the professional capabilities of the younger generation in the rapidly changing social climate.

Over the years, Korea and Russia have mutually benefited from cooperation and collaboration in fields such as economy and culture. Despite a hiatus of approximately three years in bilateral exchanges due to the COVID-19 pandemic that emerged in 2019, the resumption of the Korea-Russia Youth Dialogue in 2023 marked a significant occasion for meaningful discussions based on four key sub-themes.

The 11th Korea-Russia Youth Dialogue served as a platform to address the inherent geopolitical uncertainties and global instabilities, while also fostering genuine friendship between the students from both nations. Recognizing the importance of nurturing creativity among the youth, promoting business exchange, and enhancing cross-cultural understanding between the Republic of Korea and Russia, the participants of this dialogue have collaboratively devised the following resolution to harness the potential of IT, business, creativity, and cultural exchange for the betterment of both nations. Throughout this process, the following points of agreement have been reached:

I: Integration of IT and Youth Creativity

- Acknowledges the intrinsic connection between Information Technology (IT) and the development of youth creativity, encompassing areas such as blogging, game development, and the utilization of AI in learning processes.
- 2. Emphasizes the integration of IT into the lives of young individuals as a catalyst for fostering creativity, innovation, and personal growth in both the Republic of Korea and Russia.

II: Youth-Driven Business Exchange

- 1. Recognizes the creative potential of youth in promoting business interactions between the Republic of Korea and Russia.
- 2. Proposes the collaborative efforts of youth from both nations to create content that facilitates mutual understanding among colleagues in mixed corporate environments.
- 3. Advocates for the utilization of creative visual representations to elucidate differences in corporate culture mitigating potential conflicts in companies engaged in Russian-Korean trade relations.

III: Fostering Creativity in Society

- 1. Affirms that nurturing creativity among youths necessitates addressing crucial educational and generational challenges.
- 2. Recommends the adoption of modern pedagogical methods, incorporation of technology, diversified assessment approaches, enhanced teacher training, industry collaboration, and holistic education to foster critical thinking, creativity, and practical skills in Korea and Russia.

3. Advocates for initiatives that bridge the generation gap, such as involving parents in school experiences, encouraging open discussions through cultural shifts, providing psychological support, and promoting psychological services to facilitate mutual understanding, harness diverse perspectives, and enhance societal creativity and progress.

IV: Cultural Exchange through Videography and Internet Media

- 1. Highlights the significance of cultural exchange through videography and internet media platforms.
- 2. Draws attention to the success of cross-cultural content creators like well known youtubers are showcasing everyday life, underscoring the potential of authentic content in fostering understanding.
- 3. Proposes the integration of this concept into initiatives like the Korea-Russia University Youth Dialgue program, suggesting the establishment of a dedicated YouTube channel for students to share insights, experiences, and candid moments to enhance cultural understanding.

V: Implementation and Collaboration

- 1. Encourages relevant governmental bodies, educational institutions, and private sectors in both countries to collaborate in implementing the proposed initiatives.
- 2. Advocates for the allocation of resources, funding, and expertise to support the integration of IT in education, business interactions, and cultural exchange.
- 3. Calls upon stakeholders to continuously evaluate and adapt these initiatives to ensure their effectiveness in fostering creativity, enhancing business relations, and promoting cross-cultural understanding.

We reaffirm the commitment of both nations to harness the power of creativity, technology, and cultural exchange for the betterment of their societies and mutual relations.

We express gratitude to the participants of the dialogue and to the secretariat of Korea-Russia Dialogue for their wholehearted contributions and support in making 11th Korea-Russia Youth Dialogue possible.

This resolution is hereby adopted and endorsed by the participants of the Korea-Russia Youth Dialogue on this day, 12 August 2023, Navoi, Republic of Uzbekistan.

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