



Provisional Tentative Programme
INTERNATIONAL CONFERENCE ON CHILD MARRIAGE:
“Strength in Unity, Girls are Not Brides –
A Global Youth Partnership to End Child Marriage”
19th – 23rd May 2016
Temasek Hotel, Melaka, Malaysia

<u>Time</u>	<u>Activity</u>	<u>Venue</u>	<u>Attire</u>
<u>Day One 19th May 2016 (Thursday)</u>			
12:00hrs	Arrival & Registration	Casa D’ Alburque Ballroom	Casual
14:30hrs	Ice Breaking and Briefing	Casa D’ Alburque Ballroom	Casual
16:00hrs	Refreshments	Casa D’ Alburque Ballroom	Casual
17:00hrs	Field Visit and HeforShe Campaign		T-Shirt Provided
<u>Day Two 20th May 2016 (Friday)</u>			
06:00hrs	Breakfast		
	Video Documentary: Gender equality means empowering women and girls		
	Welcoming Address: Ms. Varsha K Ajmera, Chief Operations Officer, World Youth Foundation		
09:00hrs	Opening Address: Hon. Senator Tan Sri (Dr.) Mohd Ali Rustam, Chairman, World Youth Foundation	Casa D’ Alburque Ballroom	Smart Casual / Office Attire
	Video Documentary: Big money for Niger’s child brides – BBC News		
10:15hrs	Refreshments		
10.30hrs	Paper 1: Early Marriage of Young and Adolescent Girls-Causes and Impact on Children and society Mr. Molobe Ikenna Daniel, Co-founder/Trustee, Unified Initiative for a Drug-Free Nigeria (UIFDNFN), Nigeria	Casa D’ Alburque Ballroom	Smart Casual / Office Attire
	Paper 2: Child Marriage: How We Get Here and Where Do We Go From Here Ms. Pallavi Pareek, Educationist and Feminist, CloudTrain		
13:00hrs	Lunch		

14.00hrs	<p>Paper 4: Child Marriage: An Honest And Human Conversation Ms. Roslina Chai San San, Chief Learning Curator, Singapore</p> <p>Statement by Mr.Kishva Ambigapathy (Chairperson Commonwealth Youth Council)</p> <p>Paper 5: Empowering young men and women as partners in achieving gender equality Mr. Manas K Dowlani, Global Executive Committee Member - International Youth Council, Global Headquarters, India</p> <p>Paper 6: Empowering the Girl Child: Education and the Role of Young People in the Fight of Gender Equality Mr. Sulaiman Rameez, Programme Officer – International Youth Council Sri Lanka Chapter, Sri Lanka</p>	Casa D' Alburque Ballroom	Smart Casual / Office Attire
16:15hrs	Refreshments		
16:30hrs	<p>Panel Discussion: A Global Youth Partnership to End Child Marriage - Presentation by Children</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Ahmad Shukry Bin Ahmad Saifuddin • Amira Suraiya Asnizan • Goh Xiyuan • Hazel Siaw Hui Hwa • Sara Siaw • Trishan Anieshwar Premathevan <p>Photo Session</p> <p>Free and Easy</p>	Casa D' Alburque Ballroom	Smart Casual / Office Attire

Day Three 21st May 2016 (Saturday)

06:00hrs	Breakfast		
09.00hrs	<p>Panel Discussion: A Global Youth Partnership to End Child Marriage – Presentation by Multistakeholders</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Mr Robb Stewart (High Commission of Canada in Malaysia) • Mr. K. Narayanasamy (Stamford College Melaka) • Ms. Thulasi Munisamy (United Nations High Commissioner for Refugees) • Ms. Karen Cheah (Malaysian Bar Council) • Ms. Liu Moy Yub (Mahkota Medical Centre) <p>Chaired by: Mr. Ravindran Raman Kutty (Columnist,BERNAMA) - Moderator</p>	Casa D' Alburque Ballroom	Smart Casual / Office Attire
10:15hrs	Refreshments		

10:30hrs	<p>Panel Discussion: A Global Youth Partnership to End Child Marriage - Presentation by Youth Delegates</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Mr. Manas K Dowlani (International Youth Council) • Clara Cheptoo (Kenya) • Ratnesh Kumar Mishra (India) <p>Keynote Address by Mr. Ravi Karkara , Senior Advisor Strategic Partnership and Advocacy, to the Assistant Secretary-General/ Deputy Executive Director, UN Women - Video Message</p>	Casa D' Alburque Ballroom	Smart Casual / Office Attire
11:30hrs	<p>Panel Discussion: A Global Youth Partnership to End Child Marriage - Presentation by Youth Delegates</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Lorina Sthapit (Nepal) • Shohreh Mousavi (Iran) • Tshedrup Dorji (Bhutan) • Nanda Rizka (Indonesia) 		
12:30hrs	Lunch		
13:30hrs	<p>Training on:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Exploring linkages between child marriage and sexual exploitation of children • Child marriage and Sexual Exploitation of Children: What is in common? • How is exploitation is both cause and consequence of child marriage <p>Trainer: Ms. Ommara Ahmed, Child and Youth Participation Officer ECPAT International, Bangkok</p>	Casa D' Alburque Ballroom	Smart Casual / Office Attire
16:15hrs	Refreshment		
16:30hrs	Young Talent Performance from Melaka		
17:00hrs	<p>Briefing on Formulation of Outcome Documents for Youth Action Plan</p> <p>Breakout Session for Formulation of Outcome Documents for Youth Action Plan</p> <p>Free and Easy</p>		

Day Four 22nd May 2016 (Sunday)

06:00hrs	Breakfast		
08:30hrs	Continuation of Breakout Session for Formulation of Outcome Documents for Youth Action Plan	Casa D' Alburque Ballroom	Smart Casual / Office Attire
10.15hrs	Refreshments		

10:30hrs	Presentation by Groups – Formulation of Outcome Documents for Youth Action Plan		Smart Casual / Office Attire
13:00hrs	Lunch		
14:00hrs	Continuation of Presentation by Groups – Formulation of Outcome Documents for Youth Action Plan		Smart Casual / Office Attire
	Refreshments		
16.00hrs	Final presentation by Groups - Formulation of Outcome Documents for Youth Action Plan		Smart Casual / Office Attire
	Free and Easy		

Day Five 23rd May 2016 (Monday)

06:00hrs	Breakfast		
08:30hrs	Adoption of Outcome Document	Casa D' Alburque Ballroom	Smart Casual / Office Attire
10:30hrs	Refreshment		
	Concluding Panel Discussion/ Concluding Remarks		
10:45hrs	Evaluation		
	Presentation of certificates and souvenirs.		
13:00hrs	Lunch		
	Departure		