FAQs

#ReshapeEurope Hackathon on ASEAN-EU Relations

1. Q: What is a Hackathon?

A: Hackathons are sprint-like events, where participants work in teams to develop projects or products as part of a creative problem-solving process.

2. Q: How does a Hackathon work?

A: Teams will have access to workshops, mentorship, and resources to help them develop their ideas and refine their solutions within a set timeframe. Each team presents their projects or products to a panel of judges who evaluate and select the winning team based on various criteria.

3. Q: What is the purpose of the Hackathon on ASEAN-EU Relations?

A: The purpose of this hackathon is to bring together youths with diverse backgrounds from across Southeast and East Asia to develop innovative solutions related to ASEAN-EU relations.

As a team of two, you will need to develop policies, youth projects or campaigns based on the central question:

"How to strengthen ASEAN – EU relations:

What is your idea on what could be done to bring ASEAN and the EU closer together?"

We want to see your most innovative ideas!

4. Q: Who can participate in the hackathon?

A: The hackathon is open to individuals between the ages of 18-25 years. We are accepting individuals from Thailand, Myanmar, Vietnam, Indonesia, Malaysia, Korea and Taiwan.

5. Q: What are the possible topics that participants can work on?

A: Possible topics for the hackathon may include the cooperation of ASEAN and the EU in trade, promoting human rights and democracy, climate change and sustainability, education, cultural exchange, and digital innovation.

6. Q: Why should I sign up?

A: This is a once-in-a-lifetime chance to meet youth from across Southeast and East Asia, there will also be workshops and access to experts from across the field.

In addition, the selected participants will receive a fully sponsored round-trip ticket and threenight accommodation in Bangkok, Thailand. The winning team will also receive a fully sponsored round-trip ticket and accommodation in Berlin, Germany.

7. Q: Who will judge the hackathon?

A: The hackathon will be judged by a panel of experts from relevant fields.

8. Q: Is this an online event?

A: This is an **on-site** event, which will take place in Bangkok, Thailand from July $21^{st} - 23^{rd}$, 2023. However, please note that there will be mandatory online briefing sessions on July 15^{th} and 16^{th} , 2023.

9. Q: Can I sign up by myself?

A: Unfortunately, we are only accepting a team of two individuals. So why not invite your friend or classmate to join with you?

10. Q: How can I register for the hackathon?

A: You can register by following this <u>link.</u> Deadline is June 9th, 2023.