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## ILC2021 Asia-Pacific Region

"Toward Peaceful Reunification of the Korean Peninsula:  
Prospects for Economic Development and Peace"

August 19-20, 2021

### Executive Summary



**Asia Pacific**—The August 19-20 ILC2021 and Think Tank 2022 Global Forum for UPF's Asia Pacific region featured 38 speakers, including government ministers and parliamentarians, and drew more than 310,000 viewers.

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### Session I - Opening



**Asia Pacific**—The opening session of the ILC explored opportunities for peace through economic development on the Korean Peninsula and in Northeast Asia.

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## Session II – Connectivity & Economic Integration in the Asian Century



**Asia Pacific**—The second ILC session discussed various connectivity and peace projects, such as the Japan-Korea Undersea Tunnel and Bering Strait projects.

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## Session III – Northeast Asian Economic Union



**Asia Pacific**—The third ILC session considered the benefits that would come from a Northeast Asian Economic Union.

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## Session IV – Expanding Intra-Korean Trade



**Asia Pacific**—The fourth ILC session examined how a unified Korea can accelerate regional integration, peace and prosperity.

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## Session V – Culture as a Bridge Towards Reunification



**Asia Pacific**—The fifth ILC session focused on culture as a bridge for the reunification of and peace on the Korean Peninsula.

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## Session VI – Political Economy for the Post COVID-19 World



**Asia Pacific**—The sixth ILC session focused on the political economy for the post COVID-19 world.

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## Session VII – Role of Media in Korean Reunification



**Asia Pacific**—The seventh ILC session discussed the role of the media in contributing to Korean reunification.

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## Closing Session



**Asia Pacific**—Speakers shared their reflections on the August 19-20 ILC2021 for UPF's Asia Pacific region in the closing session of the conference.

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## Upcoming Events

[SEP 18: WFP Perspective: Peace and Reconciliation in Conflict Zones](#)

[SEP 18: UN Day of Peace in Australia](#)

[SEP 18: UPF-Poland: Art Knows No Borders](#)

[SEP 21: UN International Day of Peace 2021](#)

[SEP 21: IAED-USA: Economics, Business, and Trade Relationships: Special Economic Zones](#)

[SEP 26: UPF-Ireland: Peace Road Walk & Forum 2021](#)

[OCT 24: United Nations Day](#)

[OCT 27: UPF cosponsor-16th Global Forum on Human Settlements to call for green transformation and innovation](#)



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