

# FFWPU International: Universal Peace Academy's Top Gun Missionary Activities

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## 1. Introduction to Universal Peace Academy

The Universal Peace Academy (UPA) was established in March 2013 as an institution dedicated to nurturing future generation leaders who will lead Cheon Il Guk in unity with the True Parents. Over the past 10 years, it has continued its legacy. True Mother established the UPA master's program (Senior UPA) as her first project after True Father's ascension, to cultivate leaders who will be central to future generations. In 2020, Sun Moon University was designated as the national university of Cheon Il Guk, and its theological department started anew as the undergraduate program of UPA (Junior UPA).



UPA aims to educate and train leaders who embody Hyojeong and are well-versed in ministry, missions, academia, and culture, resembling the True Parents. Cadets live in dormitories, establishing their inner discipline through basic routines like Hoon Dok Hae, physical and spiritual training, deployment ceremonies, roll calls, prayer meetings, and Jeongseong. Beyond this, they enhance their capabilities through various educational and training activities.



After a four-year undergraduate program followed by a two-year internship, cadets are officially commissioned by True Mother in a dispatching ceremony and become 'Cheon Il Guk Young Special

Envoys,' engaging in public service activities around the world.



## 2. Heavenly Top Gun Missionary Activities

True Mother has been nurturing UPA cadets, including those of the third generation, with love and grace. Now, Junior UPA 1st generation cadets, including Shin Chul and Shin Heung, are finishing their education and moving on to overseas missionary internships.

True Mother has commanded these cadets to go to Christian nations to proclaim the substance of the Only Begotten Daughter True Mother and the truth of Jesus' essence and providence. She has bestowed upon Junior UPA cadets and accompanying young missionaries the title of 'Heavenly Top Gun.' The Junior UPA 1st generation cadets and future generations who have committed to missions will carry out overseas missionary activities in 2024 under the name of Heavenly Top Gun.

Currently, the International Headquarters is meticulously preparing for the mission country selection and deployment, focusing mainly on Christian and English-speaking countries in North America, Europe, and Africa.

These cadets' journeys will serve as models for future generations of the Unification Community to establish the public course and tradition of blessed families.



## 3. Cadets' Resolutions

### 1) Namgung Hwa-yoon, 1st Class Sun Moon UPA Cadet

With the overseas internship approaching, I naturally feel fear and worry. However, knowing that True Mother is devoting her attention and care to our internship, I am determined to continue and serve in public office. True Mother has given us much love over the past four years. While we have previously sought to bring her joy in various ways, I now aspire to maturely engage in the field and convey the love and will of the True Parents of Heaven, Earth, and Humankind to True Mother's beloved children and those who do not yet know her. We will return as true filial sons and daughters, bearing the fruits that

True Mother desires. I love you, True Parents of Heaven, Earth, and Humankind. Thank you!



## 2) Choi Ju-heo, 1st Class Sun Moon UPA Cadet

There's a saying, 'Hope is not something you find, it's something you create.' As the 1st generation cadets of Junior UPA, we have completed our education and training process over the past four years, focusing on spirituality and truth to realize the substantial Cheon Il Guk, with the Only Begotten Daughter True Mother at our absolute center! The academy journey was far from smooth, filled with numerous internal and external trials and conflicts. However, we could triumph because True Mother was always with us, shining the light of true love on our path.

In fulfillment of our duty of Hyojeong and the mission of 'Heavenly Top Gun,' we are determined to go wherever we are sent, clad in the full armor of the Heavenly Parent's true love and the Principle words, to proclaim the Mother of Peace, manifested as the Only Begotten Daughter in substance, to the world, creating hope for the Unification Movement!

## 3) Moon Shin-chul, 1st Class Sun Moon UPA Cadet

We UPA cadets, myself included, are going to be on a mission for two years. And I'm sure each of us, each of our cadets, have concerns and fears and fears, and I know I do. But still, as we decided to walk this path for Heavenly Parent and the True Parents of Heaven Earth and Humankind, this two-year mission period will be the culmination of the four years of training we have received. As the result of all these efforts, each and every one of our cadets will do their best to make this mission period a fruitful one, so that we can show True Mother the fruits of our labor. True Mother, we love you. I love you, True Mother!

