

FFWPU International: UPF Canada's 2025 Ambassadors for Peace Conference

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The Universal Peace Federation (UPF) in Canada successfully held its Annual Ambassadors for Peace Conference in Montreal on May 24. Leaders from across Canada who have been designated as Ambassadors for Peace took part, including politicians, faith leaders, and community representatives. They shared their ideas for realizing peace and discussed specific ways they could work together for that purpose.



During the conference, Allan De Sousa, Mayor of Saint-Laurent in Montreal, delivered the keynote address, emphasizing the importance of peacebuilding and the role of local communities. Dr. Thomas Walsh, President of the HJ International Graduate School for Peace, then presented on "The Mission of Ambassadors for Peace," which motivated participants to take greater ownership of their role as Ambassadors for Peace and discover the will to be actively involved in peace work.

Through the lectures and presentations, participants reflected on their responsibilities as individuals and developed a deeper understanding of the importance of practical solidarity and mutual cooperation in creating a peaceful world. UPF Canada plans to continue spreading the values of peace and harmony throughout Canadian society, working in close cooperation with the Ambassadors for Peace.