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REGIONAL MEMORANDUM

No. **410**, s. 2024

**2025 EDUCATIONAL INTERNATIONALIZATION TOUR**

To: Schools Division Superintendents  
All Others Concerned

1. This has reference to the attached letter of Bernard M. Paquera, Director, IYF/IMEI Region II, dated October 25, 2024 re **2025 Educational Internationalization Tour scheduled on March 24-April 2, 2025 in Europe, particularly in Germany, Austria, Switzerland and Italy.**
2. The program is designed to create an experience of professional learning among educators with a global orientation.
3. Participation to this activity is **ON OFFICIAL TIME AND VOLUNTARY** and shall be subject to no disruption of classes policy stipulated in DepEd Order (DO) No. 9, s. 2005 titled Instituting Measures to Increase Engaged Time-on-Task and Ensuring Compliance Therewith, and the Policy on Off-campus Activities stated in DO 66, s. 2017.
4. This is also subject to the no collection policy as stated in Section 3 of Republic Act No. 5546 also known as An Act Prohibiting the Sale of Tickets and/or the Collection of Contributions for Whatever Project or Purpose from Students and Teachers of Public and Private Schools, Colleges, and Universities (Ganzon Law).
5. The expenses to be incurred by the participants shall be charged to available local funds subject to the usual accounting and auditing rules and regulations.
6. For more queries, you may contact the regional program coordinator, **Ms. Emily D. Paquera**, via mobile numbers **0916-655-8812 or 0962-679-2347** or email her at **belovedro2@gmail.com**.
7. For your information and guidance.



**BENJAMIN D. PARAGAS PhD, CESO III**  
Director IV/Regional Director

Encl.: As stated  
Reference: None

MEMORANDUM		Date: 11-4-24	Released (Record):
To:	( / ) PSDS/DICs	( / ) Elem/Sec School Heads	
	( / ) Private Schools	( / ) Others:	
For:	( / ) Information	( / ) Dissemination	
	( / ) Guidance	( ) Strict Compliance	
<b>ORLANDO E. MANUEL PhD., CESO V</b> Office of the Schools Division Superintendent			
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# 2025 EDUCATIONAL INTERNATIONALIZATION TOUR

MIND EDUCATION TO THE WORLD

📍 **DATE:** MARCH 24, 2025 - APRIL 2, 2025

📍 **REGISTRATION FEE:** \$1,500

📍 **INCLUSIONS:** Accommodation, Food, Transportation Tour

📍 **Entrance Country-** Frankfurt, Germany

📍 **Exit Country-** Rome, Italy



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**CONTACT Person:** Ms. Emily D. Paquera | 0916-6556812 / 0962-6792347  
**EMAIL:** belovedro2@gmail.com



# FULL SCHEDULE

SUBJECT TO CHANGE BASED ON FLIGHT ARRIVAL TIME

Date	3/24/ (Mon)	3/25/ (Tue)	3/26/ (Wed)	3/27/ (Thu)	3/28/ (Fri)
Morning	<u>Departure</u> from Philippines	<u>Morning</u> Mind Lecture	Arrival in Freiburg, Germany for hotel, check-in	Travel from Freiburg to Lucerne, Switzerland for sightseeing Travel to Bregenz, Austria for hotel check-in	Visit to a school in Bregenz, Austria Sightseeing, then travel to Milan, Italy
Afternoon	<u>Arrival</u> Frankfort Germany	<u>Afternoon</u> City Tour Frankfort	Tour of the medieval town of Rothenburg, Germany Tour of Colmar, France		
Evening	<u>Dinner</u> then stay in Hotel	<u>Evening</u> Mind Lecture and Hotel	Arrival in Freiburg, Germany for hotel check-in	2 hours Evening Program and Mind Lecture	

Date	3/29/ (Sat)	3/30/ (Sun)	4/1/ (Mon)	4/2/ (Tue)
Morning	Milan sightseeing, then travel to Florence, Italy Hotel check-in	Florence sightseeing, then travel to Rome, Italy	Full-day sightseeing in Rome	Departure from Rome
Afternoon				
Evening	2-hours Program and Mind Lecture			Arrival in Manila, then dismissal

The countries to be visited are Germany, France, Austria, Switzerland, and Italy.  
There may be slight changes to the schedule. Once the flight times for arrival in Frankfurt and departure from Rome are confirmed, the schedule for those days may be adjusted accordingly.

To ensure a smooth and timely process, we encourage all participants to register by the month of December. Scan the QR code on the poster to register. Early registration allows us to promptly submit the participant list, which helps facilitate the timely processing of invitations from Schengen countries. This, in turn, provides ample time for participants to apply for visas and secure their airline tickets. Booking tickets in advance often results in more favorable prices.



# International Mind Education Institute Philippines

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25 October 2024

**BENJAMIN D. PARAGAS, PHD, CESO IV**

**Regional Director**

DepEd Region 2

Tuguegarao City, Cagayan

**SUBJECT: 2025 EDUCATIONAL INTERNATIONALIZATION TOUR**

Dear Dr. Paragas:

Greetings from IMEI!

The International Mind Education Institute (IMEI) is one of the leading organizations in mind training and character education based in South Korea and with a branch office in the Philippines. It aims to uphold excellence in facilitating character and personal development and global citizenship education, providing mental health training, and initiating a worldwide network of organizations. Through this, we envision upholding quality education that is at par with global standards.

With the goal of empowering individuals, our organization, in partnership with the International Youth Fellowship, will be having the **2025 Educational Internationalization Tour from March 24 to April 2, 2025, in Europe, particularly in Germany, Austria, Switzerland, and Italy**. This program is designed to create an experience of professional learning among educators with a global orientation.

Further, there is a minimum payment of US\$1,500 to cover the program registration fee and travel costs. These costs include accommodation, food, and transportation in said European countries. Incidental costs of domestic transportation and airfare are not covered.

In this regard, we are **requesting your respected office to support this program through a wide dissemination of the invitation to your educators and the issuance of a memorandum to help them facilitate their travel abroad.**

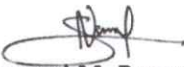
We have attached pertinent documents for your reference.

For any further inquiries, you may reach our regional program coordinator, Ms. Emily D. Paquera, through her mobile numbers: 0916-655-6812 and 0962-679-2347. You can also contact her via email at [belovedro2@gmail.com](mailto:belovedro2@gmail.com).

We hope that this request merits your most favorable consideration.

Sincerely,

Noted by:

  
**Bernard M. Paquera**  
Director, IYF/IMEI Region II

  
**NAM KYUNG HYUN**  
Director, Southeast Asia