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World Juche Idea Researchers Visit DPRK on Day of Sun 14th Executive Committee Meeting of IIJI Board Held



Juche Idea Researchers from the world visiting Mangyongdae, the birthplace of President Kim Il Sung

On the occasion of the 101st birth anniversary of President Kim Il Sung that fell on April 15, 2013, twelve delegations of Juche idea study groups from seven countries of Asia, Africa, Latin America and Europe visited Pyongyang.

On the eve of the Sun's Day, the 14th Executive Committee meeting of the Board of the IIJI took place with the attendance of the representatives of the IIJI, regional institutes of the Juche Idea and the Korean Association of Social Scientists.

In his presentation of the two-year-report on the work of the IIJI since the last Executive Committee meeting, Dr. Vishwanath, director general of the IIJI Board, referred to the study and dissemination of the Juche idea conducted on a worldwide scale to celebrate the centenary of the birth of President Kim Il Sung, the founder of the Juche idea.

A work plan of the IIJI, saying that Juche idea

researchers in individual countries have the role as forerunners in building an independent and peaceful world through studying and disseminating Kimilsung-Kimjongilism, proposed that they are requested to study Kimilsung-Kimjongilism in depth to capture the essence of it.

The meeting also adopted an appeal entitled "Let Us Support and Encourage Positively the Korean People's Cause of Justice."

Juche idea delegations visited the Kumsusan Palace of the Sun and Mangyongdae (above photo). They also enjoyed congratulatory events including watching a performance of the circus in celebration of the Day of the Sun in a peaceful atmosphere.

For those Juche idea researchers, a banquet celebrating the Day of the Sun was held on April 14. Secretary Kim Ki Nam of the Central Committee of the Workers' Party of Korea made an address there.

On Building Independent and Peaceful Latin America



In the seminar emphasis was put on the importance of studying the Juche idea in the cause of independence and anti-imperialism.

A Latin American Regional Seminar on the Juche Idea was held in the Assembly Hall in Mexico F.D. on March 8, 2013.

Present there were some 100 people in all including delegates from Juche idea study groups in individual countries of Latin America along with the Mexican distinguished people in various walks of life, women, students and youths.

Speeches were made by the delegates from Mexico, Costa Rica, Ecuador, Venezuela, Peru, Colombia and Brazil.

In his report entitled “On the Struggle for Independence and Peace of Latin America,” Prof. Ramon Jimenez Lopez, director general of the Board of Directors of the Latin American Institute of the Juche Idea (LAIJI) emphasized that in order for the popular masses to become the masters of their own destiny it is necessary to study the Juche idea in depth and disseminate it widely.

Dr. J. F. Aguilar Bulgarelli, director-general emeritus of the LAIJI Board said it is prerequisite for realizing independence in politics, the economy, and culture

of Latin America that Juche idea researchers in individual countries of this region with faith in this idea should have Juche of Latin American own.

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On the same day, the 17th LAIJI Board meeting was held at the Parliament Members' Office Hall in Mexico City with the attendance of directors of

the LAIJI Board and some representatives from Juche idea study groups in the region.

Discussed and adopted there were a report on the work and a work plan.

Outcomes of the Discussion of the work plan are: Juche idea researchers in Latin America shall make efforts to meet their challenges, advance the study and dissemination of the Juche idea in the direction of achieving independence and peace in Latin America; they shall perform the study and dissemination of the Juche idea in line with solving the specific problems confronted with individual countries, while enhancing their solidarity with the anti-imperialism and independent forces.

Also, an election of office-bearers of the LAIJI took place.



People in every walk of life from 7 Latin American countries joined

India

For Bringing About Humanity's Ideal: Independence and Self-reliance



A National Seminar on Juche Idea was held in New Delhi on January 5, 2013.

It was attended by educationists, leaders of various political parties, jurists, media persons, social activists along with representatives of Juche idea study groups from various states of India.

Hon. Mr. Mangat Ram Singhal, who is former Minister of Social Welfare, Labour, Employment, Law, Justice & Legislative Affairs, of the Delhi State, who was invited as chief guest of the national seminar, praised the system prevalent in the DPRK. Secretary General Rajesh Yadav of the Delhi and Pradesh Congress Committee said that independence and self-reliance as the basic principles of the Juche idea are the ideal of the humanity to be learned from by the world people.

In celebration of the birth of First Secretary Kim Jong Un, Dr. Vishwanath, director general of the IJJI Board and Prof. Harish Gupta, director general of the ARIJI Board, traced the history of the First Secretary and said: He is the symbol of the unity of the people, the Army and the Party of Korea and its stability. His zestful leadership has given extra strength to the country.

Italy: Youths and Students' Interest in Juche Idea Arises



National Seminar on the Juche Idea

Studying Kimilsung-Kimjongilism Is Demand of Our Times

A National Seminar on the Juche Idea for Independence and Peace was held in Okinawa under the auspices of the Japanese National Liaison Council of Societies for the Study of the Juche Idea and the Okinawan Liaison Council for the Study of Kimilsung-Kimjongilism.

It was attended by some 100 people of various circles studying the Juche idea from all over Japan including Mr. Kina Shokichi, musician who is ex-Member of the House of Councilors.



Given at the national seminar were lectures by Prof. Emeritus Sakugawa Seiichi and Assistant Prof. Song Myong Nam at Korea University in Japan.

In the seminar, Prof. Emeritus Taira Ken-ichi mentioned that Japan is so obedient to the U.S. that it cannot display sovereignty as the nation ought to do and in order to break through the current situation, it is inevitable to study the Juche idea, the guiding idea, to realize the independent requirement of the people.

Japan

A Seminar on independence and sovereignty in Korea held at the main hall of the Faculty of Law, the University of Rome "La Sapienza" on April 18, 2013 with the attendance of youths and students.

Prof. Matteo Carbonelli at this university, secretary general of the European Regional Society for the Study of the Juche Idea (ERSSJI), and Prof. Aldo Bernardini at the University of Teramo, its director, made keynote speeches.

Study and Dissemination of Kimilsung-Kimjongilism Conducted in Individual Countries

After the proclamation of Kimilsung-Kimjongilism by First Secretary Kim Jong Un, study groups concerned have been being formed one after another in Asia, Latin America, Africa, and Europe and the study and dissemination of Kimilsung-Kimjongilism are conducted in respective regions.

National Seminar in Benin

~ Juche Idea Serves as
Quintessence of Kimilsung-Kimjongilism ~

A National Seminar on the Juche Idea was held at the Cotonou Institute of Journalism of Benin on February 5, 2013 to mark the 71st birth anniversary of General Secretary Kim Jong Il.

Present there were teachers and staff at the Cotonou Institute of Journalism and the Abomey-Calavi University as well as members of the Benin National Committee for the Study of the Juche Idea and the Benin Group for the Study of Kimilsung-Kimjongilism.

Chairman Hessou Kohovi of the Benin National Committee for the Study of the Juche Idea made a report entitled "Kimilsung-Kimjongilism Is an Integral System of Idea, Theory and Method of Juche".

He said:

The Juche idea is an important part of Kimilsung-Kimjongilism and serves as its quintessence.

The Juche idea, which says that man is the master of his own destiny and is capable of carving out his own destiny, clarifies the man-centered philosophical principle, the socio-historical principles and the guiding principles for revolution and construction.

Kimilsung-Kimjongilism raised the issue of leadership method as an independent part of the revolutionary idea for the first time in history and comprehensively systemized it.

The undying feats First Secretary Kim Jong Un performed by formulating the revolutionary thoughts of President Kim Il Sung and General Secretary Kim Jong Il as Kimilsung-Kimjongilism, will go down in history.

List of Societies of Kimilsung-Kimjongilism Formed in the World in 2012

Region:	Country:	Formation Date:
Asia	Japan	May 3, 2012
Africa	Benin	Jun. 19, 2012
	Nigeria	Aug. 29, 2012
	South Africa	Sep. 18, 2012
	DR of Congo	Oct. 6, 2012
Latin America	Peru	May 11, 2012
	Venezuela	Jun. 29, 2012
	Mexico	Aug. 13, 2012
Europe	Italy	Jun. 19, 2012
	Bulgaria	Aug. 13, 2012

Introduction:

Getting Together to Start Courses
~In Venezuela~



A gathering took place at the Barquisimeto College, the Liberator's Experimental University of Pedagogy on March 15, 2013 in an effort to set up a course of the political and educational thoughts of President Kim Il Sung and General Secretary Kim Jong Il at the university. Prof. Yecenia Garcia, who is in charge of the course to be and chairperson of the Venezuelan Group for the Study of Kimilsung-Kimjongilism, made an explanation about the outline of the course and the significance of its introduction.