

**Provisional Schedule/Program:  
2022 World Conference against A and H Bombs**  
(As of July 15, 2022)

Main Theme:  
**With the Hibakusha, Let Us Achieve a Nuclear Weapon-free,  
Peaceful and Just World – for the  
Future of the Humankind and Our Planet**

\*All times indicated are in Japan Standard Time (CET + 7H, GMT + 8H, US-EST + 13H)

\*We welcome your online participation in the conference programs.

## **Hiroshima**

### **August 4 (Thursday):**

#### **Opening Plenary**

Venue: Green Arena, Hiroshima Sports Center/ Online

Zoom link: <https://us02web.zoom.us/j/85730564327>

Time: 13:00-14:00 (JST) (English-Japanese simultaneous interpretation provided)

#### **Program:**

Opening declaration

Introduction of overseas delegates

Presentation of Messages

Organizer's Keynote Report

Greetings by the Hibakusha representative: Mimaki Toshiyuki, Co-Chairperson, Japan  
Confederation of A- and H-Bomb Sufferers Organizations (Nihon Hidankyo)

#### **Guest speaker:**

Ambassador Alexander Kmentt, Director, Disarmament, Arms Control and Nonproliferation  
Department, Federal Ministry for European and International Affairs, Austria

Greetings of solidarity: Hama Noriko, Economist, Doshisha University

Declaration to launch the "Peace Wave"

### **August 4 (Thursday):**

#### **International Meeting (1st Day)**

Venue: Green Arena, Hiroshima Sports Center/ Online

Zoom link: <https://us02web.zoom.us/j/85730564327> (Same as the Opening Plenary)

Time: 14:00-16:30 (JST) (English-Japanese simultaneous interpretation provided)

## **Session I: Inhumane nature of nuclear weapons**

Speakers:

- Kodama Michiko, Hibakusha of Hiroshima, Assistant General Secretary, Nihon Hidankyo
- Lee Gyu-yeol, President, Korean Atomic Bomb Casualty Association, ROK
- Abacca Anjain Maddison, Rongelap Atoll, Marshall Islands

Questions & Answers; Short break

## **Session II: International rules for peace and prohibition and elimination of nuclear Weapons -- Role of peace movement**

**Part 1:** Speakers:

- Yurii Sheliashenko, Executive Secretary, Ukrainian Pacifist Movement
- Oleg Bodrov, Film Director, Public Council of the South Coast of the Gulf of Finland, Russia

Questions and Answers; Discussion

**Part 2:** Speakers:

- Joseph Gerson, President, Campaign for Peace, Disarmament and Common Security, USA
- Kate Hudson, General Secretary, Campaign for Nuclear Disarmament (CND), UK
- Ludo De Brabander, Vrede, Belgium
- Yasui Masakazu, Secretary General, Japan Council against A and H Bombs (Gensuikyo)

## **August 5 (Friday):**

### **International Meeting (2nd Day)**

Venue: Green Arena, Hiroshima Sports Center/ Online

Zoom link: <https://us02web.zoom.us/j/86926053768>

Time: 10:00-12:30 (JST) (English-Japanese simultaneous interpretation provided)

### **Session II: (Part 2 - continued)**

Questions and Answers; Discussion

### **Session III: Prohibition and elimination of nuclear weapons, peace and security of Asia**

Speakers:

- Lee Jun Kyu, Senior Researcher, Institute for Unification and Peace Policy, Hanshin University, ROK
- Tilman Ruff, ICAN Australia
- Nguyen Thi Thu Hien, Deputy Director General of the Multilateral Affairs Department, Vietnam Union of Friendship Organizations
- Chisaka Jun, Secretary General, Japan Peace Committee

Questions and Answers; Discussion

## August 5 (Friday) – 6 (Saturday):

### **Forums on different themes; Associated events; Field trips**

#### **Forums (August 5, 14:00-16:30 JST)**

- I. **How can we bring the US to justice for the atomic bombing?** (Convention Hall, Hiroshima YMCA, 7-11, Hacchobori, Naka-ku)
- II. **Relieving and working in solidarity with Hibakusha; Succeeding Hibakusha's experiences and disseminating the realities of A-bombing** (Large Conference room, Hiroshima Sports Center, 4-1 Motomachi, Naka-ku)
- III. **Nuclear-Free, peaceful and foreign bases-free Asia and the Pacific: Role of peace movement** (On-site & Online event/ English-Japanese simultaneous interpretation provided)  
**Venue:** 5F Conference room, Co-op Kenko Plaza, 16-19, Kanon-machi, Nishi-ku/ Online  
**Zoom link:** <https://us02web.zoom.us/j/85199584030>  
**Panelists:** Joseph Gerson (USA), Ludo De Brabander (Belgium), Hannah Middleton (Australia)
- IV. **Support and solidarity with victims of Agent Orange – Screening of the movie “Living in Lost Time” and talk session with its director Sakata Masako** (Multi-purpose Hall, Hiroshima-ken Joho Plaza, 3-7-47, Senda-machi, Naka-ku)
- V. **International rules for peace based on the UN Charter and elimination of nuclear weapons: Discussion on the crisis in Ukraine**  
**Venue:** Green Arena, Hiroshima Sports Center, 4-1 Motomachi, Naka-ku  
**Panelists (online):** Yurii Sheliazhenko (Ukraine), Oleg Bodrov (Russia)
- VI. **No to nuclear sharing and revision of Article 9 of Japan's Constitution** (Kendo training hall, Hiroshima Sports Center, 4-1 Motomachi, Naka-ku)
- VII. **Young people's forum** (Large Conference Hall, 4F, Hiroshima YMCA, 7-11, Hacchobori, Naka-ku)

#### **Field trips (August 5):**

- (1) Visit to A-bomb memorials and monuments (14:00-16:30, Meet at north lawn of the International Convention Center in Hiroshima Peace Park)
- (2) Visit to A-bomb remnants and memorials: Former Army Clothing Depot (14:00-16:30, Meet at Minami-Tobu Shukaijo, 4-6-14 Minami-machi, Minami-ku)
- (3) Boys and Girls forum at Ninoshima Island (August 5, Meet at 8:30 at Ujina Port)

#### **Associated events:**

- The 49<sup>th</sup> High School Students Peace Rally (14:00-16:30, August 5, Hiroshima Korean School, 37-50 Yamane-machi, Higashi-ku)
- Forum to listen to the testimonies of the Black Rain survivors (17:30-19:00, August 5, Large Conference Room, Hiroshima Sports Center)
- No Nukes! – Women's Forum 2022 (14:00-15:00, August 6, Large Conference Room, Hiroshima Sports Center/ Livestreamed on YouTube: <https://youtu.be/kNSOlcKiHyM> )

## August 6th (Saturday)

### **Hiroshima Day Rally, 2022 World Conference against A & H Bombs**

Venue: Green Arena, Hiroshima Sports Center/ Online

Zoom link: <https://us02web.zoom.us/j/84691810175>

Time: 10:30-13:00 (JST) (English-Japanese simultaneous interpretation provided)

#### **Program:**

Opening movie: Digest of the 2022 Nationwide Peace March

Messages

Greetings by representatives of the U.N. and national governments (TBC)

Presentation of message of the Hiroshima Mayor (By Sakaya Yukiharu, Director of Civic Affairs Department)

Special Program I: "77<sup>th</sup> Year of the A-bombing: From Hiroshima to the World" (Report on the Black Rain lawsuit and others)

Actions for a nuclear weapon-free world:

- Beatrice Finh, General Secretary, International Campaign to Abolish Nuclear Weapons
- Ludo De Brabander, Vrede, Belgium
- Lee Gieun, Solidarity for Peace and Reunification of Korea (SPARK), ROK
- Hope Cristobal, Former Senator, Guam

Special Program II: "Dialogue with Parliamentarians – For achieving a government to join the TPNW"

Determination of the movements of the A-bombed country (speeches by grass-roots activists)

Proposal and adoption of the Hiroshima Declaration

Finale

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## **Nagasaki**

### August 7 (Sunday) – 8 (Monday):

#### **Associated Events:**

***No to construction of US Henoko Base! -- Citizens forum for victory in Okinawa Prefectural Governor's election*** (Online event)

Date & Time: 17:00-19:00, August 7

Contact: Japan Peace Committee, Email: 0807okinawa@j-peace.org

***War, Peace and Nuclear Deterrence: Forum with overseas delegates***

(On-site event; Simultaneous English-Japanese translation available)

Time & Date: 14:00-16:30, August 8

Place: Nagasaki History and Culture Museum Hall, 1-1-1 Tateyama, Nagasaki City

Speakers: - Joseph Gerson, Campaign for Peace, Disarmament and Common Security, USA

- Ludo De Brabander, Vrede, Belgium
- Lee Jun Kyu, Researcher, Hanshin University, ROK
- Tsuchida Yayoi, Japan Council against A & H Bombs (Gensuikyo)

### ***Evening forum with Hibakusha***

Date & Time: 17:30-19:00, August 8

Place: Nagasaki Hisaikyo Hall, 8-20 Okamachi, Nagasaki City

### ***Evening Tour of A-bomb Monuments***

Date & Time: 17:30-19:00, August 8

Meeting place: In front of Nagasaki A-bomb Museum, 7-8 Hirano-cho, Nagasaki

## **August 9 (Tuesday):**

### **Nagasaki Day Rally, 2022 World Conference against A and H Bombs**

Venue: Cultural Hall, Nagasaki Shimin Kaikan/ Online

Zoom link: <https://us02web.zoom.us/j/83469362332>

Time: 10:30-13:00 (English-Japanese simultaneous interpretation provided)

#### **Program:**

Opening movie: Digest of the 2022 Nationwide Peace March

Opening declaration by the Chair

Organizer's Keynote Report

Messages

Minute of silence at 11:02

Greetings of Solidarity:

- Taue Tomihisa, Mayor of Nagasaki
- Koga Shigeaki, Political and economic analyst

Report from the 10<sup>th</sup> NPT Review Conference: Tsuchida Yayoi, Assistant Sec-Gen, Gensuikyo

Actions for a nuclear weapon-free world:

- Joseph Gerson, President, Campaign for Peace, Disarmament and Common Security, USA
- Ludo De Brabander, Vrede, Belgium
- Lee Gieun, Solidarity for Peace and Reunification of Korea (SPARK), ROK
- Nguyen Thi Thu Hien, Deputy Director General, Multilateral Affairs Department, Vietnam Union of Friendship Organizations
- Corazon Fabros, Nuclear-Free Philippines Coalition/ Stop the War Coalition, the Philippines

Greetings by the national government representative:

- Melba Pria, Ambassador to Japan, Mexico

Special Program: "77<sup>th</sup> Year of the A-bombing: From Nagasaki to the World"

Determination of the movements of the A-bombed country (speeches by grass-roots activists)

Proposal and adoption of the Statement; Closing remarks

Finale