



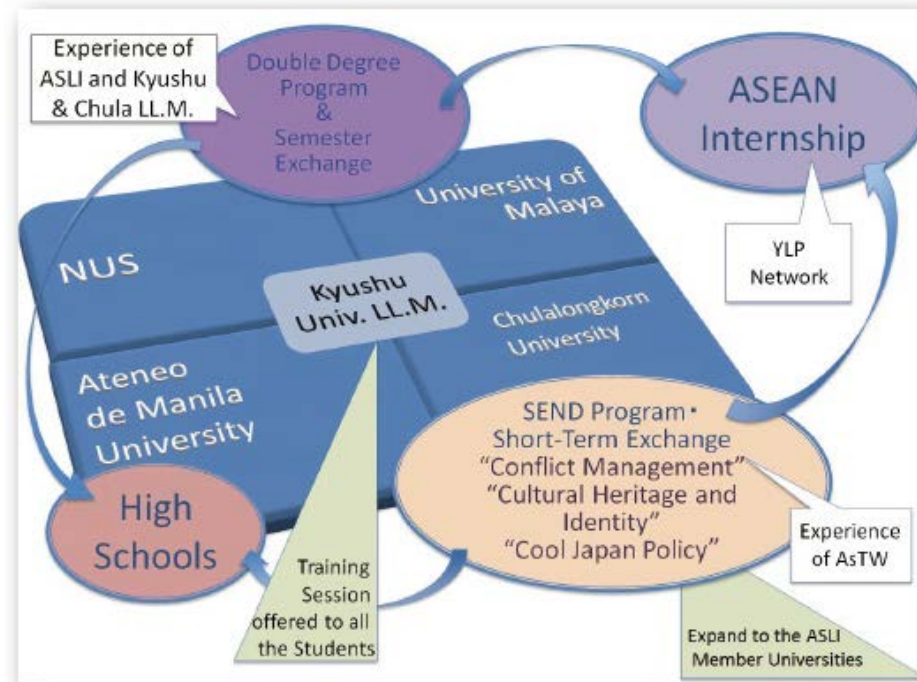
## A Spiral Model of Collaborative Education: Balancing Global & Local Values through Legal Mind

Re-inventing Japan Project of Kyushu University

# + Program Partners

- Japan + 4 ASEAN member countries

- Japan
  - Kyushu University
- Malaysia
  - University of Malaya
- Philippines
  - Ateneo de Manila University
- Singapore
  - National University of Singapore
- Thailand
  - Chulalongkorn University



- + High school partner in each country



# A Spiral Model of Collaborative Education: Balancing Global & Local Values through Legal Mind



- Our project aims to foster experts bridging ASEAN and Japan who value universal principles whilst understanding local diversities through the development of the legal mind. By utilizing a comprehensive cooperative program with the four leading universities in the ASEAN region.







# Short-term visit program to ASEAN university partners



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# Short-term visit program in Japan for university partners







# Short-term visit program with local high school partners



- Sharing of Japanese culture to learn about Japanese culture

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# Internship program with Japanese companies in ASEAN countries





# + Semester exchanges





# + Double-Degree Agreements



# + Challenges and realities 1

- Cultural differences, need for sensitivity
  - Philippines: Predominantly Christian country
  - Thailand: Predominantly Buddhist country
  - Malaysia: Predominantly Muslim country
  - Singapore: Multi religious





# + Challenges and realities 2

## ■ Educational level differences, need for flexibility

- Scheduling issues
- Age differences between our students and the partner students
- English and Japanese language abilities
- Religious considerations
- High TOEFL requirements for semester exchanges
- Security and safety issues
- Partnership fatigue



# + Quality assurance





# + Trainings





# Lessons learned



- The project is only as strong as the partners involved.
- Diversity is a good thing.
- Challenges creates opportunities.
- Social media is a powerful tool.







# Samples of Partner involvement



- Internship connections
  - University of Malaya with AEON Malaysia
  - Ateneo de Manila University with Toyota Philippines
  
- Accommodations during visit of students
  - Hotel accommodations and bus transportation for Kyudai students from Ateneo de Manila University during visit in Philippines
  - Dormitory accommodations for Kyudai students from University of Malaya during visit in Kuala Lumpur
  
- Hosting of coordination meetings
  - National University of Singapore for FY 2015–16
  - Ateneo de Manila University for FY 2014–2015
  - Chulalongkorn University for FY 2013–2014

# + Maximize exposure



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## MEXT : Selection for the FY2012 Re-Inventing Japan Project

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