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**Subject: Invitation to the 20th AUN and 9th ASEAN+3 Educational Forum and
Young Speakers' Contest**

Dear **Presidents/Rectors/Chancellor/Vice-Chancellors of the AUN and ASEAN+3 UNet Member Universities,**

It is our honour to announce that the 20th AUN and 9th ASEAN+3 Educational Forum and Young Speakers' Contest with the theme "Emancipatory education as a Path towards an Emancipated Future" is hosted by Universitas Airlangga (UNAIR) on 22 – 27 October 2024 in Surabaya, Indonesia. The AUN and ASEAN+3 Educational Forum and Young Speakers' Contest is one of the flagship AUN youth activities first launched in 1998 with the aim to build up in-depth ASEAN awareness to the future leaders in the region and its dialogue partners: China, Japan, and Korea. The Forum also serves as a platform for the youths of ASEAN+3 to express their concerns for the region and their perception of its future through policy oriented proposals.

In this connection, the AUN Secretariat and Universitas Airlangga would like to seek your kind cooperation and nominate three representatives from your university to participate in this year's AUN and ASEAN+3 Educational Forum and Young Speakers' Contest in the following capacities:

1. One undergraduate student for Educational Forum
2. One undergraduate student for Young Speakers' Contest
3. One accompanying faculty staff

Attached herewith are the Concept Note, the Tentative Programme, Administrative Arrangement and the Operational Guideline for your kind perusal. Following AUN's practices of cost-sharing, participants are requested to bear their airfare, transportation and other expenses (e.g. visa costs), whereas local hospitalities, accommodation and local transportation are provided by Universitas Airlangga. The AUN Secretariat avails itself of this opportunity to renew the assurances of its highest consideration.

Yours sincerely,

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