



## THE ALBERT SCHWEITZER INTERNATIONAL CONFERENCE OVERVIEW AND REGISTRATION INFORMATION 2024

### Conference Details:

2024 International Youth Leadership Conference

As part of the Albert Schweitzer international student initiative and the goal of impacting more and more students in Ireland and abroad, the ICCUSA Foundation, Inc. will host the 14<sup>th</sup> Annual Albert Schweitzer's International Youth Leadership Conference.

**Dates:** Sunday, July 21<sup>st</sup> to Sunday, July 28<sup>th</sup>, 2024

No delegations or students should arrive prior to the suggested dates or leave after. If there is a problem or concern, please contact Victoria Kamouh, at your earliest convenience. The 14<sup>th</sup> Annual ASLFL Conference will deliver eight days of diverse youth leadership programming. There will be an Opening Ceremony at Maynooth University and a Graduation Gala Dinner.

### Location:

The on-site logistics and staff needs are being managed by the ICCUSA Foundation, Inc. (USA). The setting will be at one primary location right outside of Dublin, at Maynooth University in Co. Kildare, Ireland – (lectures, workshops, speakers, sessions, room & board facilities for all students) [www.maynoothuniversity.ie](http://www.maynoothuniversity.ie)

### Students:

The conference is for students aged 15-18 years old. The students will originate from countries around the world. Health insurance, medical and parental consent forms are required to be filled.

### Registering for the Albert Schweitzer Leadership for Life Conference:

#### Program Fee:

The program fee of \$1,750.00 USD, covers all logistical needs such as meals, lodging, ground transportation and venue entrance during the ASLFL conference. The program fee does not cover the cost of transportation to and from the conference, neither visa, passport costs, or overseas coordinator fees. A deposit of \$375 is needed to reserve the space by Friday, February 2, 2024. This fee is non-refundable. Delegates are guaranteed a space at the conference only if full payment is received by the time registration closes and ASLFL has confirmed that the delegate has met all of the eligibility requirements. **Final payment is due by Friday, April 12, 2024.**

For groups of 10 students, we allow 1 chaperone free of charge. For every additional chaperone, there will be a charge of \$900.00 per person.

## Overview

### Services covered by Student Registration Fees:

- The conference will be held Sunday, July 21<sup>st</sup> to Sunday, July 28<sup>th</sup>, 2024
- Food – 3 full meals each day (except for the day trip to Dublin, lunch will not be provided)
- Lodging – safe, secure and chaperoned
- Transportation to and from Dublin Airport to Maynooth University for international arrivals and departures
- Full participation in any and all conference programs, curriculum and special events
- Access to all ASLFL Conference Staff and supervisory support

### NOT Covered by Student & Chaperone Fees:

- Air travel costs and visas
- Bus or train costs outside the conference
- Transportation to and from the airports via international destinations within your own state/country
- Any miscellaneous trips before or after the conference
- Pocket money for shopping and snacks (lunch in Dublin)

ASLFL reserves the right to refuse an ambassador's acceptance to the conference due to non-payment, partial payment, late payment, or failure to meet all of the eligibility requirements. If a delegate has paid for the conference but then is unable to attend, please contact Victoria Kamouh, via email at [victoria@iccusa.org](mailto:victoria@iccusa.org) for a refund in accordance with the cancellation policy.

Attendance at the ASLFL Conference is granted on a first-paid first-served basis. There is a limit on the number of registrants per country so please register as quickly as possible.

### Registration Deadline:

**Student Registration and Parental Consent Forms are due on Friday, March 22, 2024**, on this date all relevant Student Registration data is due to the ASLFL office in New Providence, NJ.

### Acceptance:

Because the ASLFL conference sells out each year, delegates are accepted on a first-paid first-served basis as long as they meet all the eligibility requirements, submit their personal application details, and pay their program fee in full. When ASLFL has confirmed all of these factors, the student and his/her parents will be notified of acceptance by email. Early enrollment and full payment of program fee is strongly recommended to secure a spot. It is important to note that if there is a failure to fulfill any one of the requirements – including paying in advance and in full – you will be refunded (in accordance with the cancellation policy) and your space revoked. If you have any further questions or need assistance, please email Victoria Kamouh at [victoria@iccusa.org](mailto:victoria@iccusa.org) or phone us at +1(908)286-1300 ext. 2.

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### Additional Information Worth Reviewing:

- Visit [www.aschweitzer.org](http://www.aschweitzer.org) to view the entire conference offering
- We urge you to read the tabs titled: Conference
- Within these sections you will see more details about the conferences from 2009-2023
- Since 2020 was a very unconventional year because of the COVID-19 pandemic, we have made small videos, one for each day of what was supposed to be the conference, which can be viewed on our social media
- We expect the program to be very similar in terms of curriculum and activities

### Cancellation Policy:

ASLFL Registration Payment and Cancellation Policy:

- Students must submit a \$375 Non-Refundable deposit by Friday, February 2, 2024. The registration form must be submitted by Friday, March 22, 2024; any remaining balance due must be paid in full by Friday, April 12, 2024
- Any cancellations received by Tuesday, April 23, 2024 will receive a registration fee refund minus the \$375 deposit and the \$250 administrative fee.
- Any cancellations received between Wednesday, April 24, 2024 to Friday, May 17, 2024 will receive a registration fee refund minus the \$375 deposit and the \$400 administrative fee.
- Any cancellations received after Friday, May 17, 2024 will not be eligible for a refund.

### Contact:

To request a formal registration packet, please, contact Elsa Nancy Gutierrez [nancy@iccusa.org](mailto:nancy@iccusa.org) or [victoria@iccusa.org](mailto:victoria@iccusa.org) or call +1(908)286-1300 Ext. 4 or speak to your local ASLFL organizer.

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