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# INTERNATIONAL COOPERATIVE CONFERENCE

*Youth for Cooperative Future*

**29<sup>th</sup> September – 2<sup>nd</sup> October 2025**  
Tenera Hotel, Bandar Baru Bangi, Selangor

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# PROGRAM SCHEDULE

## DAY 1: 29 SEPTEMBER 2025 (MONDAY)

03.00 pm	Arrival of Participants  Registration & check-in at Tenera Hotel
06.30 pm	Dinner  KEYNOTE SPEECH  <b>Topic: Building Leaders for the Cooperative Future</b>  <b>Objective:</b> To inspire and empower young cooperators by showcasing the vital role of youth leadership in shaping the future of cooperatives.  <b>Speaker:</b> Lieutenant General (R) Datuk Norihan, Chairman, Malaysia Co-operative Societies Commission (SKM)
09.15 pm	INSIGHT SESSION  Topic: From Vision to Action - Best Practices in Cooperative Sustainability for the Next Generation (IFFCO Perspective)  <b>Objective:</b> To showcase IFFCO's experience in cooperative community-based initiatives and highlight the role of youth in driving sustainability, innovation, and long-term cooperative success.  <b>Speaker:</b> Mr. Santosh, General Manager, Indian Farmers Fertilizer Cooperative Ltd (IFFCO), India
10.15 pm	Refreshment & End of day 1

## DAY 2: 30 SEPTEMBER 2025 (TUESDAY)

07.30 am	<p>Breakfast</p> <p><b>SESSION 1: SHARING SESSION</b></p> <p><b>Topic: Youth-driven Cooperative Sustainability</b></p> <p><b>Objective:</b> To highlight the role of youth leadership in strengthening cooperative sustainability through innovative initiatives in economic resilience and community empowerment. It also serves as a platform to encourage youth participation, share best practices in sustainable development, and explore opportunities for future collaboration among youth-led cooperatives, particularly within ASEAN.</p> <p><b>Panelists:</b> En. Muhammad Muizzudin Bin Din Chairman, Koperasi Gabungan Usahawan Tani Kuala Kangsar Berhad (Kogahad)</p> <p>Mr. Hirofumi Kobayashi Executive Director, IDACA (Institute for the Development of Agricultural Cooperation in Asia) Representative from Cooperative League of Thailand, Thailand</p> <p><b>Moderator:</b> Mr. Mohamad Rasydi bin Abd Rashid Senior Director (Cooperative Development &amp; Consulting Division), IKMa</p>
10.15 am	Refreshments and networking session
11.00 am	<b>OPENING CEREMONY</b>
12.30 pm	Lunch & networking session

02.30 pm	<p><b>SESSION 2: SHARING SESSION</b></p> <p><b>Topic: The Cooperative Model - Youth Innovation for a Future</b></p> <p><b>Objective:</b> To highlight how youth-driven innovation within the cooperative model can contribute to sustainable development, economic growth, and social progress, fostering a better future for communities worldwide.</p> <p><b>Speakers:</b>  Ms. Marcelina Zjawinska  Founder of Fundacja Splot Społeczny</p> <p>Ms. Muliya Syah Putri  Secretary, Solok Radjo Coop</p> <p>Mr. Zainuddin Ali,  Advisor Koperasi Komuniti Kepulauan Tuba &amp; Selat</p> <p><b>Moderator:</b>  Mr Saifuddin Ishak  Head of Department Strategic Investment, Koperasi Sahabat</p>
04.30 pm	Refreshment & networking session
06.30 pm	Dinner

08.30 pm	<b>SESSION 3: YOUNG COOPRENEURS BAZAAR</b>  <b>Objective:</b> To empower youth by creating a dynamic platform for idea exchange, innovation, and collaboration - enabling them to develop and implement sustainable cooperative solutions that drive economic growth, social impact, and shared prosperity.
10.30 pm	Refreshment & End of Day 2

### DAY 3: 01 OCTOBER 2025 (WEDNESDAY)

07.30 am	Breakfast
09.00 am	<b>SESSION 4: SHARING SESSION</b>  <b>Topic: Strategic Branding: From Identity to Sustainable Growth</b>  <b>Objective:</b> This session features Kartikasari showcasing how brand leverage authenticity, trust, and adaptability to build strong identities and drive sustainable growth across generations.  <b>Speaker:</b> Mr Dedi, International Business Manager, Kartikasari, Indonesia  <b>Moderator:</b> Dr. Zurita Mohd Saleh Director of International Centre, IKMa
10.00 am	Refreshment & Networking session

10.15 am	<p><b>SESSION 5: FORUM</b></p> <p><b>Objectives:</b> First, discussing how policymakers can create policies that encourage youth involvement and leadership in cooperatives. Second, exploring how industry players can work with youth to bring new ideas and technologies to cooperatives. Third, focusing on how to build a sustainable future for cooperatives by empowering youth with the skills and resources to tackle social, economic, and environmental challenges.</p> <p><b>Panelists:</b> Mr. Jeffery Bin Yon Ministry of Youth and Sport</p> <p>Ms. Dulce Bustamante Chairperson, ICA-AP Committee on Youth Cooperation (ICYC)</p> <p>Mr. Saiful Azhar Chairman Koperasi Profesional Putrajaya Berhad (KOPROJAYA)</p> <p>Mr. Azizul Alias Division Secretary Cooperative Development Hawkers and Small Traders, Ministry of Entrepreneur and Cooperatives Development (KUSKOP)</p> <p><b>Moderator:</b> Tan Sri Abu Kassim Mohamed Chairman, KEBUNITI</p>
11.45 am	Check-out (Local Participants) & Lunch

02.30 pm	<b>TOWNHALL</b>  <b>Youth Cooperative Capacity Development Ecosystem Framework</b> Ms. Sharina binti Abdullah Senior Director of Policy & Strategy, IKMa
03.30 pm	<b>CLOSING REMARKS</b>  <b>YBhg Datuk Mohd Ali bin Mansor</b> Director General, IKMa
	Refreshment & Networking Session
	Dinner (International Participants) & <b>End of Day 3</b>

**DAY 4: 02 OCTOBER 2025 (THURSDAY)**

07.30 am	Breakfast
08.00 am	<b>(FOR INTERNATIONAL PARTICIPANT)</b>  <b>COOPERATIVE COMMUNITY -BASED ACTIVITIES</b>  <b>Theme: “Youth in Action: Driving Sustainable Cooperatives”</b>  <b>Objective:</b> To provide participants with hands-on experiential learning opportunities that highlight the impact of cooperative community-based initiatives and encourage youth engagement in sustainable, innovative, and community-driven solutions
12.00 am	Lunch at KoHijrah
03.00 pm	End of Program

