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Member Cities: 8,509 cities in 166 countries & regions (As of August 1, 2025)

## Notices from the Secretariat

- ◆ Mayors for Peace Joint Appeal Released: Calling for Peaceful Diplomatic Solutions
  <a href="http://www.mayorsforpeace.org/wp-content/uploads/2025/file-2506-MfP">http://www.mayorsforpeace.org/wp-content/uploads/2025/file-2506-MfP</a> Joint Appeal June 2025 E.pdf
- ◆ US Conference of Mayors Adopts Resolution Urging Membership in Mayors for Peace <a href="https://www.mayorsforpeace.org/en/news/2025/post-250703/">https://www.mayorsforpeace.org/en/news/2025/post-250703/</a>
- ◆ Invitation to Apply: Children's Art Competition "Peaceful Towns" 2025 https://www.mayorsforpeace.org/en/news/2025/post-250421/
- ◆ The 11th General Conference of Mayors for Peace Commemorating 80 Years since the Atomic Bombings To Be Held Soon

https://www.mayorsforpeace.org/en/news/2025/post-250523-4/

# [ Featured Articles]

- Member City Activities (New)
- ◆ The Municipality of Évora, Portugal: Youth Meeting Mayors for Peace, and more https://www.mayorsforpeace.org/en/activities/2025/post-250718/
- ◆ The German Chapter: Cities Call for Nuclear Disarmament and Peace (Flag Day) <a href="https://www.mayorsforpeace.org/en/activities/2025/post-250718-6/">https://www.mayorsforpeace.org/en/activities/2025/post-250718-6/</a>
- ◆ The City of Marcos Paz, Argentina: Meeting of Mayors and Invitation to Join Mayors for Peace https://www.mayorsforpeace.org/en/activities/2025/post-250718-9/
- ◆ The City of San Salvador de Jujuy, Argentina: Jujuy Supports Peace Activities Organized by the Jujuy Japanese Association and Fundación Sadako

https://www.mayorsforpeace.org/en/activities/2025/post-250718-11/

- ◆ The French Chapter: Attends the Annual International Action Meeting of Local Governments https://www.mayorsforpeace.org/en/activities/2025/post-250718-13/
- ◆ The City of Cahors, France: A Breath Peace, Creative Dissent and Culture against the Logic of War Cahors Mundi https://www.mayorsforpeace.org/en/activities/2025/post-250718-15/
- ◆ The City of Varennes-Vauzelles, France: Second Edition of "Vernay Sports" A Weekend Full of Sports and the Culture of Peace, and more

https://www.mayorsforpeace.org/en/activities/2025/post-250718-19/

- ◆ The City of Cervia, Italy: Delegation of Aalen (Germany) and Several Schools from Cervia Visited Dondini Park to Learn about the History of "Pacifico" <a href="https://www.mayorsforpeace.org/en/activities/2025/post-250730/">https://www.mayorsforpeace.org/en/activities/2025/post-250730/</a>
- See more: Member Cities' Activities Featured on Our Website https://www.mayorsforpeace.org/en/activities/2025/
- Reports from Executive Advisors
- ◆ Ms. Jackie Cabasso, US: U.S. Conference of Mayors Adopts New Resolution: "Urging the United States to Lead the World Back from the Brink of Nuclear War and Halt and Reverse the Nuclear Arms Race", and more <a href="https://www.mayorsforpeace.org/en/executive-advisor-2/2025/post-250730-3/">https://www.mayorsforpeace.org/en/executive-advisor-2/2025/post-250730-3/</a>
- ♦ Mr. Tsutomu (Tom) Kono, US: Visit to Japan by Dr. Robin Geiss, Director of the United Nations Institute for

## Disarmament Research (UNIDIR)

https://www.mayorsforpeace.org/en/executive-advisor-2/2025/post-250730-7/

- [ Information on Nuclear Weapons and Peace]
- ◆ From the Chugoku Shimbun Hiroshima Peace Media Center:
  - Documenting Hiroshima 80 years after the A-bombing: November 1974, the

"king of football"

https://www.hiroshimapeacemedia.jp/?p=153054

- ◆ From the Hiroshima Peace Institute, Hiroshima City University:
  - Announcement from Hiroshima Platform for Peace Studies and Education: Call for Applicants "HPP Fellowship" Hiroshima Short-Term Residency Program for Young International Researchers <a href="https://www.city.hiroshima.lg.jp/kikouseturitu/1026971/1036778/1041529.html">https://www.city.hiroshima.lg.jp/kikouseturitu/1026971/1036778/1041529.html</a>
- ICAN's Initiative: "Children's Peace Memorial" https://childrenspeacememorial.org/
- [ So Join Us in Advancing Mayors for Peace Initiatives Worldwide]
- ◆ Exhibition materials available for your use.
- Please see the attachment for details!
- ◆ We kindly encourage your municipality to implement peace initiatives outlined in the Mayors for Peace Action Plan.
- "PX Vision" and "Mayors for Peace Action Plan (2021-2025)" (PDF): https://www.mayorsforpeace.org/wp-content/uploads/2021/file-PX Vision Action Plan en.pdf
- See initiatives under the PX Vision

https://www.mayorsforpeace.org/en/visions/initiatives/

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- ◆ Facebook: @mayorsforpeace <a href="https://www.facebook.com/mayorsforpeace">https://www.facebook.com/mayorsforpeace</a>
- ◆ Instagram: Coming soon!

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We want to hold a peace event in August to commemorate the atomic bombings and help everyone, even children, understand the importance of peace, as well as provide our community with an opportunity to reflect on peace. What should we do?



If that's the case, you should hold a peace exhibition from Mayors for Peace!







# Peace Exhibitions from Mayors for Peace



1) Children's Art Competition *Peaceful Towns* Award-Winning Works Exhibition

Download



Download images of past winning artwork created by children from around the world to express their thoughts on peace.

# 2) Mayors for Peace Atomic Bomb Poster Exhibition

Download posters introducing the realities of the atomic bombings of Hiroshima and Nagasaki, the damage caused by nuclear weapons, and the initiatives of Mayors for Peace (18 posters total).

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4 easy steps!



Step 1

Contact the Mayors for Peace Secretariat

Step 2

We will provide you with the ID and password to download the data!

Step 3

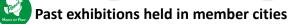
Download the data from our website

Step 4

Print posters or panels using the downloaded data









Chōfu, Tokyo



Muntinlupa, Philippines



Message from the Artist

I created this work hoping that the peaceful days when we hold hands with our family and people around us and smile together will continue forever.







So, all we need to do is print them out? That's easy!

Be sure to send us a report on how the exhibition went after it ends along with pictures. We hope you'll have a great event!









