

Jesuits of Malaysia-Singapore Regional Plan 2020-2024

UAP	Regional Goals	Elaboration	Tasks for Region
<p>1. To show the way to God through the <i>Spiritual Exercises</i> (<i>SpEx</i>) and discernment.</p>	<p>1. To facilitate a deeper integration of life and mission among individual Jesuits & Partners-in-Mission, Jesuit communities & works.</p>	<p>a. Deeper personal assimilation of <i>SpEx</i> and Jesuit <i>way of proceeding</i> (see, e.g., Decree 26 of General Congregation 34) among Jesuits and Partners-in-Mission.</p> <p>b. Stronger sense of corporate mission.</p> <p>c. More conducive <i>spaces</i> in Jesuit communities and works for discernment-in-common.</p> <p>d. More joint formation opportunities in <i>SpEx</i> for both Jesuits & Partners-in-Mission.</p> <p>e. More conscious efforts at leading Jesuit works/ institutions in a distinctively Jesuit/ Ignatian way.</p>	<p>i. Encourage use of spiritual conversation as part of usual governance and decision-making process in communities & works.</p> <p>ii. Encourage Jesuits to make annual retreat more conscientiously.</p> <p>iii. Send representatives to JCAP Train the Trainers Workshop, & eventually offer joint training in discernment-in-common & apostolic planning to MAS Jesuits and Partners-in-Mission.</p> <p>iv. Invite Partners-in-Mission to regional gatherings, namely, regional meetings, retreats & extended consults.</p> <p>v. Work with and through MAS Delegate for Ignatian Spirituality to cultivate and deepen Ignatian character of Jesuit ministries in MAS.</p>

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	<p>2. To facilitate the development, in all Jesuit works, of more creative and effective ways of sharing the riches of the SpEx with others.</p>		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> i. Work with and through MAS Delegate for Ignatian Spirituality to animate, coordinate & synergise respective efforts of MAS units in sharing the riches of the SpEx. ii. Pool resources of Kingsmead Centre, Maranatha House of Prayer & MAS Development Office to help all MAS Jesuit works to share riches of SpEx with Partners-in-Mission & others. iii. Encourage closer collaboration & networking with other groups offering Ignatian spirituality.
<p>2. To walk with the poor, the outcastes of the world, those whose dignity has been violated, in a mission of reconciliation and justice.</p>	<p>1. To live more closely the gospel value of poverty in our life-mission.</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> a. A deeper sense of our total dependence on God (see, e.g., Matthew 5:3 & Jesuit Constitutions, [812]). b. Closer adherence, by individual Jesuits and Jesuit communities and works, to the Statutes on Religious Poverty in the Society of Jesus (SRP) and the Instruction on the Administration of Goods (IAG). 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> i. Develop capacity of MAS Treasurer's Office to offer formation in SRP & IAG to MAS units. ii. Continue encouraging and working towards greater financial transparency, both regionally and locally, for example, by... <ul style="list-style-type: none"> a. Continuing to strengthen <i>Regional Finance Committee</i>. b. Activating <i>StIlnigo Sdn Bhd</i> in Malaysia. iii. Encourage MAS units to use annual budget submission process as opportunity to review own fidelity to evangelical poverty.

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	<p>2. To do more to recognise and accompany the poor, excluded and vulnerable in Malaysia & Singapore, as well as to cultivate a safe environment in our communities and works.</p>	<p>a. In Singapore: to deepen engagement with those struggling with same sex attraction, the aged sick (including those afflicted with dementia), and the urban poor, as well as to continue offering sacramental assistance to poorer parishes.</p> <p>b. In Malaysia: to explore the possibility of doing more to accompany migrants, the victims of human trafficking, and the victims of ethnic and religious discrimination.</p>	<p>i. Work with MAS Delegate for Social Ministries to animate, coordinate & synergise respective efforts of MAS units in social outreach.</p> <p>ii. Continue increasing capacity of MAS Safeguarding Team, for example, by...</p> <p>a. Increasing its membership to possibly include a psychologist, a lawyer, & a communications consultant.</p> <p>b. Sending one of its members to obtain <i>Diploma in Safeguarding of Minors</i> offered by the Centre for Child Protection in Rome.</p>
<p>3. To accompany the young in the creation of a hope-filled future.</p>	<p>1. To better coordinate and synergise the Region's various points of contact with young people (e.g., in parishes, schools, and retreat houses).</p>		<p>i. Give more attention and support to MAS Director of Vocations & Ministry to Young People.</p> <p>ii. Finalise & execute plans to redevelop House No 6, Lorong 9/5D, Petaling Jaya for ministry to young people.</p> <p>iii. Finalise protocols for vocation accompaniment, including review of MAS Candidacy House & Programme.</p>

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	2. To listen more closely to the voices of young people , especially in our exercise of leadership in the Society of Jesus and beyond.		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> i. Continue inviting young Partners-in-Mission to MAS Extended Consults. ii. Encourage MAS works to include young people in governance roles.
4. To collaborate in the care of our Common Home .	1. To sharpen awareness – among individual Jesuits, and Jesuit communities and works – of the global ecological crisis.		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> i. Devote one MAS Regional Retreat, within the next 5 years, to the theme of <i>Care for our Common Home</i>. ii. Work with MAS Delegate for Care for Our Common Home to animate, coordinate & synergise respective efforts of MAS units in this area.
	2. To cultivate more ecologically conscious lifestyles and habits , among individual Jesuits and Jesuit communities and works.		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> i. Work with <i>MAS Delegate for Care for Our Common Home</i> towards requiring all MAS communities and works to prepare and submit an annual ecological audit.