

## SEOUL PEACE PRIZE CULTURAL FOUNDATION

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Greetings from Seoul.

I'm Jaeho Yeom, Chairman of the Seoul Peace Prize Cultural Foundation.

I am writing to inform you of the results of the Seoul Peace Prize 2020.

The Seoul Peace Prize Selection Committee has selected Thomas Bach, President of the International Olympic Committee, as the winner of the Seoul Peace Prize 2020 after objective and strict screening.

President Bach lit a torch of hope for refugees worldwide by participating the Refugee Olympic Team in the Olympic Games Rio 2016, an unprecedented deed in the history of the Olympics, which has raised global awareness of refugee issues and promoted respect for refugee's human rights. Also he contributed the 2018 Winter Olympics was held successfully, serving not only as an Olympic symbol of peace, but also as a stepping stone for peace in the Korean Peninsula and Northeast Asia.

At the ceremony, President Bach said he was awarded the Seoul Peace Prize 2020 thanks to the efforts of both the International Olympic Committee and the Olympic Movement officials, and he will donate the prize money to the IOC Refugee Olympic Team and the Olympic Refuge Foundation.

The Seoul Peace Prize Cultural Foundation will continue to contribute to the harmony of mankind and the promotion of world peace by continuing to find and encourage individuals or organizations that have contributed to world peace.

We look forward to your interest in the activities of Seoul Peace Prize Cultural Foundation. I hope you will always be healty.

Merry Christmas and Happy New Year.

Jaeho Yeom

Chaiman of Seoul Peace Prize Cultural Foundation