

Jong Sae Park

Representing Korea, Winter World Games 2013 Host, Global Family Leaders



Jong Sae Park, a Global Family Leader representing East Asia, is the mother of a Special Olympics athlete and has been actively involved with Special Olympics for five years. When her son began competing in swimming, she began to follow Special Olympics throughout Korea and became engaged as a volunteer.

Seeing the positive impact that Special Olympics had on her son, who is also attending the Special Olympics Korea Athletes Leadership Program, she wanted to encourage more families with children with intellectual disabilities to join the movement. As a Global Family Leader she will have an opportunity to connect with families throughout the East Asia region and create opportunities for athletes both on and off the playing field.