ABOUT THE YOUTH ASSEMBLY

REGIONAL MAKE-UP OF YOUTH PROGRAM PARTICIPANTS

- 8.8% North America
- 16.6% Latin America & the Caribbean
- 41.8% Africa
- 2.8% Europe
- 8.1% Middle East
- 21.1% Asia
- 0.8% Oceania

YOUTH PROGRAM PARTICIPANTS BY AGE RANGE

- 18% +29 years old
- 82% 16-28 years old

YOUTH PROGRAM PARTICIPANTS BY GENDER

- 52% Male
- 48% Female

YOUTH PROGRAM PARTICIPANTS BY FIELD OF STUDY

- Environment/Climate
- Financial Services
- Information and
- Food and Health care
- Engineering
- Politics, Government,
- Social Sciences
- International
- Education
- Business

YOUTH PROGRAM PARTICIPANTS BY OCCUPATION

- 37% Undergraduate
- 32% Employed
- 15% High School
- 13% Graduate
- 3% Other
PARTNER WITH THE YOUTH ASSEMBLY

Be a part of this unique global gathering of young leaders addressing the world’s greatest challenges!

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With an annual conference taking place in New York City, the Youth Assembly gathers about 1,000 of the world’s most dynamic young people each year from over 100 countries to connect with like-minded peers, trailblazers, and influencers; develop global competence and critical skills; and transform their vision for a better future into action.

- One of the world’s largest youth events focused on the United Nations Sustainable Development Goals
- Founded in 2004, with roots going back to 1958
- 20,000 Alumni from 160 countries, including the UN Secretary General’s first-ever Envoy on Youth Ahmad Alhendawi & Former Secretary General of the United Nations Kofi Annan
- 1,000+ youth-led projects have been generated by Youth Assembly participants in their home communities, see most recent reported projects in the 2019 Youth Assembly Impact Report.
- Multiple leadership opportunities for delegates to win awards and prizes of up to $10,000 dollars to fund their social impact projects, and recognition on a global stage

WHO ATTENDS THE YOUTH ASSEMBLY?

Young Leaders and Changemakers:
Each year the Youth Assembly attracts the world’s most dynamic young people (ages 18-32) interested in global issues and sustainable development.

Prominent Partners

Youth Assembly sponsors and partners include UN agencies, global corporations, NGOs, and academic institutions, including the United Nations, UN Habitat, UNDG, UNESCO, World Bank, USAID, ILO, Idealist, Chemonics, PepsiCo, Microsoft, PwC, Instagram, Virgin Unite, Novartis, SDSN Youth, bp, Astrazeneca, DHL, Generation Global, the Huffington Post, UNA-USA, WCS, the Nature Conservancy, the Climate Reality Project, Liter of Light, Terracycle, IIE, Candid, University of Pennsylvania, Columbia University and more.

Inspiring Global Speakers

Such as former UN Secretary-General BanKimoon, world-renowned economist and Nobel Laureate Jeffrey Sachs, and prominent youth activists such as Alexandria Villasenor, Xiuhtezcatl Martinez, and Amani Al Khatahtbeh.

WHY PARTNER WITH THE YOUTH ASSEMBLY

The United Nations has identified five “megatrends” that will shape our world over the course of this century: climate change and nature degradation, inequalities, urbanization, rapid population changes and technological revolution.

With approximately 1.2 billion people aged 15-24 years (youth are up to 35 years old in some countries) accounting for 16% of the world population, young people must be the center of the social change needed to address these challenges.

Youth Assembly partners play an important role in the development of our program. You’ll contribute ideas, resources, expertise, volunteer power, and in-kind support as we work towards accomplishing our mission of empowering youth for global change. Join us in building a movement of emerging leaders. Help us nurture a large network of young delegates from around the world. Provide learning and networking opportunities, promote intergenerational dialogue and propel ideas from creation to implementation.

By engaging the next generation of leaders and decision makers, you’ll be working towards actively creating a better world.
BECOME A YOUTH ASSEMBLY PROGRAM PARTNER

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PROGRAM PARTNERSHIP ENABLES YOU TO:

• Showcase your organization’s work, values and brand to a talented pool of young people.

• Join or build a creative and interactive panel/workshop connected to the Sustainable Development Goals (SDGs)

• Promote the Youth Assembly to constituents on social media and other outreach channels.

BENEFITS

• Introduce your organization to a large network of youth and build tangible relationships with the next generation of leaders globally

• Promote the implementation of the United Nations Sustainable Development Goals (SDGs) through youth engagement

• 1 complimentary registration for representatives of the partner organization

• Logo included on YA28 website, promotional materials, and banners along with a short description of organization included in conference program and website

• Speaking opportunities in a conference panel or workshop