

UN INTER-AGENCY NETWORK ON YOUTH DEVELOPMENT (IANYD) OPEN MEETING WITH YOUTH-LED ORGANIZATIONS AND NETWORKS

WEDNESDAY 18 SEPTEMBER 2013

Orange Café, UNFPA Headquarters, 605 Third Avenue, New York

9:00- 10:00	<p>WELCOME <i>Daniela Bas, UN-DESA</i> <i>Laura Laski, UNFPA</i></p> <p>INTRODUCTION <i>Nicola Shepherd, UN-DESA</i> <i>Prateek Awasthi, UNFPA</i> <i>Alex Surace, Global Young Greens/ICMYO</i></p> <p><i>This session will introduce the two co-chairs, the SG’s Envoy and participants and reflect on the context of this meeting, set out expectations and identify priorities.</i></p>
10:00- 11:30	<p>OPENING REMARKS <i>Ahmad Alhendawi, UN Secretary-General’s Envoy on Youth</i></p> <p>DELIVERING AS ONE FOR ALL YOUNG PEOPLE “The UN System-Wide Action Plan on Youth (Youth-SWAP)” – <i>Noëlla Richard, UNDP</i> “The UN Youth Volunteer Strategy” – UNV Moderated by <i>Alex Surace, Global Young Greens</i></p> <p><i>This session will introduce the three initiatives of the Secretary-General on youth and how the United Nations is working together to implement them effectively in countries through short presentations.</i></p>
11:45- 1:00	<p>WORKING IN PARTNERSHIP WITH YOUNG PEOPLE “Youth participation in the Youth-SWAP” – <i>Elizabeth Niland, UN-DESA</i> “How young people engage with the Youth-SWAP” – Facilitators of Working Groups Moderated by <i>Moritz Weigel, UNFCCC</i></p> <p><i>This session will seek to identify concrete examples, opportunities and challenges for engaging young people in the implementation, monitoring and evaluation of the Youth-SWAP – identifying avenues from the perspective of the United Nations and priorities from the perspective of youth-led organizations. It will be in a “talk-show” format, with a panel making short statements followed by an interactive discussion amongst themselves and with the audience.</i></p>

2:00-3:15	<p>BREAK OUT SESSION: EXPLORING AVENUES FOR PARTNERSHIPS</p> <p>In this session, participants will have a discussion with co-chairs of each thematic area to further identify possibilities for youth-led organizations and networks to partner with the UN in the implementation of the Youth-SWAP.</p>					
	<p>EMPLOYMENT AND ENTREPRENEURSHIP</p> <p><i>Renata Nowak-Garmer, ILO and Samuel Diaz Fernandez, Colombia, YMCA</i></p>	<p>PROTECTION OF RIGHTS AND CIVIC ENGAGEMENT</p> <p><i>Ravi Karkara, UN-HABITAT and Irem Tumer, European Youth Parliament, Turkey</i></p>	<p>POLITICAL INCLUSION</p> <p><i>Noëlla Richard, Margaret Chi, UNDP, Muriel Kahane, UN-WOMEN and Karuna Rana, One Young World/MGCV</i></p>	<p>EDUCATION INCL. ON SEXUALITY</p> <p><i>Morgan Strecker, UNICEF, Maria Kypriotou, UNESCO (via Skype), Chernor Bah, Education First Steering Committee</i></p>	<p>HEALTH</p> <p><i>Laura Laski, UNFPA and Mike Kalmus Elias - IFMSA/MGCV</i></p>	
3:15-4:45	<p>WORLD CAFÉ</p> <p>GENDER: <i>Muriel Kahane, UN-WOMEN and Michelle Lopez Alvarez, WAGGGS</i></p> <p>INDIGENOUS: <i>Broddi Sigurdarson, UNPFII and Lorena Terrazas, Center of Indigenous Women of La Paz</i></p> <p>KEY POPULATIONS: <i>Sevuloni Ratu, Y-PEER</i></p> <p>DISABILITY: <i>James Aniyamuzala Lwampigi, President of African Youth with Disabilities Network</i></p> <p>MEASURING PROGRESS AND DEMONSTRATING IMPACT - <i>Elizabeth Niland, UN-DESA and Lloyd Russell-Moyle, EYF</i></p> <p>Participants will be invited to propose discussions in small groups on specific themes relating to the opportunities and challenges involved in communicating progress made in implementing the Youth-SWAP, ensuring that we reach the most marginalized, and how young people can participate in monitoring and evaluating it.</p>					
5:00-5:30	<p>SUMMARY OF KEY AGREEMENTS</p> <p><i>Babatunde Osotimehin, Executive Director, UNFPA</i></p>					

THURSDAY 19 SEPTEMBER 2013

At 9:15am, all participants are requested to convene at the corner of 47th Street and 1st Avenue to receive special passes to attend the “**Roundtable Dialogue on Investing in Young People**” organized by the Secretary-General’s Envoy on Youth, ILO, UN-DESA and UNFPA. The event will take place in Conference Room 1 of the Conference Building, UN headquarters from 10:15am-12:30pm. After the event, the Open Meeting will continue at UNFPA headquarters.

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1:00-2:00	LUNCH
2:00-3:30	<p>MAKING PARTICIPATION IN THE UN SYSTEM SUSTAINABLE (In Orange Café, UNFPA Headquarters, 605 Third Avenue, New York)</p> <p>Ahmad Alhendawi, UN SG’s Envoy on Youth Ravi Karkara, UN-HABITAT Joao Scarpelini, Major Group of Children and Youth Ivana Savić, Major Group of Children and Youth Jerry Den Haan, European Youth Forum Sabá Loftus, Major Group of Children and Youth</p> <p>Moderated by Nicola Shepherd, UN-DESA</p> <p>This session will aim to identify concrete mechanisms that can be put in place allowing for youth-led organizations to participate in the working of the IANYD and the UN system. Starting with brief remarks by panelists, this will be an interactive discussion to brainstorm on ideas and identify ways to move forward.</p>
3:45-5:00	<p>WORKING GROUPS Nicola Shepherd, UN-DESA and Prateek Awasthi, UNFPA Mike Kalmus, IFMSA and Dareen Abu Lail, Y-PEER</p> <p>Participants will set up working groups on specific tasks and recommendations that need to be further developed. In groups, participants will identify next steps, timelines and follow-up mechanisms to build on the agreements in the meeting.</p>
5:30 onwards	<p>MTV RECEPTION! 1515 Broadway (at W 46th Street), New York 10036</p>

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9:00-10:00	<p>DAY THREE - OPENING <i>Nicola Shepherd</i>, Permanent Co-Chair, IANYD – UN-DESA <i>Prateek Awasthi</i>, Rotating Co-Chair, IANYD – UNFPA <i>Peter Ochieng</i>, Africa Network of Youth with Disabilities <i>Anush Aghabalyan</i>, WAGGGS</p> <p>This session will consolidate the highlights of the previous day, hear reports from working groups and set the stage for the last day of the meeting.</p>
10:15-11:45	<p>WORKING GROUPS TO FINALIZE OUTCOMES <i>Mike Kalmus</i>, IFMSA and <i>Dareen Abu Lail</i>, Y-PEER</p> <p>In working groups, participants will finalize next steps, timelines and follow-up mechanisms to build on the agreements in the meeting.</p>
11:45-1:00	<p>FINALIZING AGREEMENTS <i>Nicola Shepherd</i>, UN-DESA and <i>Prateek Awasthi</i>, UNFPA <i>Mike Kalmus</i>, IFMSA and <i>Dareen Abu Lail</i>, Y-PEER</p> <p>CLOSING REMARKS - <i>Ahmad Alhendawi</i>, UN Secretary-General’s Envoy on Youth</p>