Draft: International Youth Day 2022
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Date: Aug 12, 2022
Time: 6:30 - 8:30 PM [EDT]
Venue: ECOSOC Chamber, UN Headquarters in New York City

The event is co-organized by AFS Intercultural Programs and Civil Society Unit in the United Nations Department of Global Communications

Scenario

6:30 - 6:35 pm Call to Order
6:35 - 6:40 pm Opening performance
6:40 - 6:45 pm Introduction - Ms. Yumna Khan, Manager of the Youth Assembly, AFS Programs
6:45 - 6:50 pm Opening Address - Mr. Daniel Obst, CEO and President, AFS Intercultural Programs
6:50 - 6:55 pm Welcome Remarks - Mr. António Guterres, Secretary General of the United Nations (Video message)
6:55 - 7:00 pm Welcome Remarks - Ms. Jayathma Wickramanayake, Secretary General’s Envoy on Youth (Video message)
7:00 - 7:10 pm Welcome Remarks - Mr. Robert Skinner, Deputy Director and Chief of Partnerships and Global Engagement, UN Department of Global Communications
7:10 - 7:20 pm Welcome Remarks - Mr. Chris Williams, Director of New York Office, UN-Habitat (Video message)
7:20 - 7:25 pm Welcome Remarks - Sir Tony Blair, Executive Chairman, Former Prime Minister of Great Britain and Northern Ireland, Tony Blair Institute for Global Change (Video message)
7:25 - 8:10 pm International Youth Day: Panel Discussion
Moderator: Mr. Ali Mustafa, UN Consultant, AFS Intercultural Programs
Mr. Brighton Kaoma, Global Director, United Nations Sustainable Development Solutions Network Youth
Ms. Klevisa Kovaci, Humanitarian Response, Save the Children and Montage Initiative
Ms. Veronica Boix Mansilla, Principal Investigator, Project Zero
8:10 - 8:20 pm Keynote speech - Ms. María Fernanda Espinosa Garcés, Fellow of the Robert Bosch Academy, Former Minister of Foreign Affairs of Ecuador and Former President of the UN General Assembly (Video message)
8:20 - 8:25 pm  New York City Mayoral Proclamation Award - Mr. Dilip Chauhan, Deputy Commissioner for Trade, Investment and Innovation

8:25 - 8:30 pm  Closing Remarks - Ms. Amalie Ferdinand, Chair of Board of Trustees, AFS Intercultural Programs

8:30 - 8:35 pm  AFS Award for Young Global Citizens Finalists Announcement will be shown on a PPT slide

8:35 - 8:40 pm  Program Overview & Important Announcements