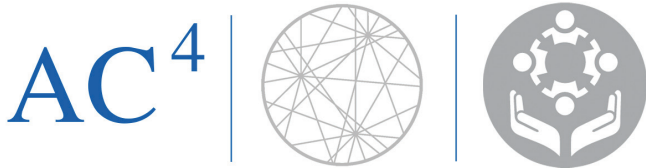


YOUTH, PEACE, AND SECURITY LEADERSHIP

ADVANCING YOUTH LEADERSHIP AROUND THE GLOBE



OVERVIEW

The Youth, Peace, and Security (YPS) project at Columbia University is pleased to announce the launch of the YPS Leadership program. It is designed to advance the work of youth leaders around the world by creating joint efforts between practitioners on the ground and research, theory and practice from the academy.

This program will develop rigor in youth, peace and security efforts to increase effectiveness; build on local knowledge and experience to apply globally; enhance practice by grounding it in theory in areas related to YPS; connect global, regional and local networks via our global engagement partners; and support the implementation of the YPS global agenda.

The program recognizes advances in the field and work already being done within the YPS realm, while at the same time supporting practitioners by linking their work to tools, research and practice in related fields that will elevate and amplify their work.

Note: All costs related to the program, lodging and meals throughout the two weeks at Columbia University will be covered. Flight/transportation to/from the program and Visa application fees are not covered.

APPLICATION DEADLINE

Applications are due by noon (EST) on Friday, February 15, 2019.

Apply here:

sps.columbia.edu/executive-education/youth-peace-and-security-leadership

For additional information email us at:

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2019 DATES & LOCATION

Dates: June 3-14, 2019

Location: New York City

WHAT TO EXPECT

Throughout the program, participants will:

- Attend 2 weeks of onsite classes, workshops, visits to the UN, and more
- Learn the foundations of YPS
- Discuss implications of the YPS agenda toward a sustainable and peaceful future
- Enhance their knowledge of the concepts, theory and skills behind conflict resolution, problem-solving and intervention practices and skills
- Increase communicative behaviors and skills for greater effectiveness as leaders
- Clarify the important role of youth in maintaining peace and security
- Design and implement a YPS project with their organization
- Receive 6 months of ongoing coaching