



11th Edition

SUSTAINABLE DEVELOPMENT

In the Framework of the UN International Year of Youth: Dialogue and Mutual understanding

CEULAJ, Mollina (Spain) 12 - 19 September 2010

Call for Rapporteur

APPLICATION DEADLINE: 15th August 2010

Background

The University on Youth and Development is an activity jointly organised by the North-South Centre of the Council of Europe, the Spanish Government (INJUVE), the European Youth Forum (YFJ), the Spanish Youth Council (CJE) and other international youth organisations.

<http://www.universityonyouthanddevelopment.org/>

Since its first edition in 2000, the University takes place once a year bringing together representatives of youth organisations and youth movements from all over the world who gather in the CEULAJ (Euro-Latin-American Youth Centre) to discuss, train and be trained as well as to take political action around the main issues on the global agenda.

In 2010 the University on Youth and Development will be gathering for the 11th time and therefore renewed hopes and aspirations, objectives and challenges are launched to the partners to reinforce this as the space and home of Global Youth Work and of the Global Youth Movement.

On the occasion of the International Year of youth, proclaimed by the United Nations, the 11th Edition of the University on Youth and Development will be held around the promotion of awareness and discussions on sustainable development and its connection with human rights and fundamental freedoms, progress, solidarity, peace and security, the fulfilment of which are essential in order to achieve the Millennium Development Goals. The key role that young people and youth organization play in this process will be also emphasized.

Main Goals

- To create a political space where youth can act upon and acknowledge the role they play in Global Development.
- To initiate and encourage debate aimed at defining the role youth play in elaborating development policies and in co-operation for development initiatives.
- To facilitate a process aimed at defining and implementing projects within the field of youth.

Profile of Rapporteur

All applicants must comply with the following criteria:

- Be aged between 18-35.
- Be motivated by global youth work.
- Have good writing skills.
- Ability and experience in summarising and reporting different messages.
- Be committed to take part in the whole activity.
- Have a good command of the English. Knowledge of other languages is desirable (Spanish, French and Arabic).
- Involvement in the youth movement and participation in previous editions of the University on Youth and Development (participant, volunteer, trainer, organiser) will be considered an asset.

Role of Rapporteur

- Write a summary of the diverse activities developed in the frame of the University (Seminars; Trainings; Meetings; Joint Programme Activities).
- Collect notes of speakers' presentations and discussions.
- Gather the inputs and recommendations of the partners in each activity and integrate them in a report.
- Interact with the participants in order that his/her work reflects the diversity and richness within the University.
- Work closely with the media team.
- Prepare a brief output of the University to be presented it in the closing session.
- Produce a final report (30-40 pages max.) to be submitted within two month following the UYD.
- Be available from 10th to 19th September.
- The rapporteur will be supported by the organizers, in particular by the Programme Manager for Youth Cooperation of the North-South Centre of the Council of Europe, to ensure that the report is produced according to the UYD objectives and the proposed content.

Selection procedure

Interested applicants should send the enclosed application form to the North-South Centre by 15 August 2010 by email to:

Selection will be based on the motivation and experience of the applicants with regard to the above-mentioned criteria.

Other technical details

- The University on Youth and Development will take place in Euro-Latin-American Youth Centre (CEULAJ), in Mollina (Málaga-Spain), from 12th to 19th September.
- Travel arrangements will be made by the North-South Centre of the Council of Europe for pre-paid flight tickets.
- Board and lodging will also be provided by INJUVE at the CEULAJ.
- The Rapporteur is expected to arrive at the CEULAJ/Mollina on the 11^h September.
- The working languages of the University shall be English and Spanish.
- The rapporteur will receive for the fulfilment of the above-mentioned tasks 900 euros.

Deadline

Applications should be sent to the North South Centre of the Council of Europe by 15 August 2010 by email to: nsc.youthandglobalisation@coe.int

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