

বিজ্ঞপ্তি

সুইডিশ ইনস্টিটিউট এর লিডারশীপ প্রোগ্রামের আওতায় Young Connectors of the Future (YCF) 2017 শীর্ষক প্রোগ্রামে অংশগ্রহণের লক্ষ্যে সরকারি কর্মকর্তাগণের মধ্য হতে নিম্নবর্ণিত শর্ত সাপেক্ষে আবেদন আহ্বান করা যাচ্ছে। এতদসংক্রান্ত বিস্তারিত নির্দেশাবলী এসাথে সংযুক্ত করা হলো।

শর্তাবলি:

- প্রার্থীকে বাংলাদেশী নাগরিক ও সরকারি চাকরিজীবী হতে হবে;
- প্রার্থীর বয়স সর্বোচ্চ ৩২ বছরের মধ্যে হতে হবে;
- চাকরিতে স্থায়ী হতে হবে;
- সংশ্লিষ্ট কোর্সের সঙ্গে প্রার্থীর কাজের সম্পৃক্ততা থাকতে হবে;
- প্রার্থীর ইংরেজিতে পারদর্শী এবং শারীরিক উপযুক্ততা থাকতে হবে;
- প্রার্থীকে বর্ণিত কোর্সে চাহিত শর্তাবলি পূরণ সাপেক্ষে আবেদন করতে হবে;
- আগ্রহী ও যোগ্য কর্মকর্তাবৃন্দকে নির্ধারিত পদ্ধতিতে আবেদন পূরণ করে তীর নিয়ন্ত্রণকারী কর্তৃপক্ষকে অবহিত রেখে সরাসরি সংশ্লিষ্ট স্থানে সাবমিট করতে হবে।
- এ প্রোগ্রামে আবেদন করার সর্বশেষ তারিখ ০৯ ফেব্রুয়ারি ২০১৭;
- এ সংক্রান্ত বিস্তারিত তথ্য <https://eng.si.se/apply-now-to-the-youngconnectors-of-the-future-ycf-2017/> ওয়েবসাইটে পাওয়া যাবে;
- আবেদনকারীকে সংযুক্ত ফরম (বাংলা) নিয়ন্ত্রণকারী কর্তৃপক্ষের অনুমতির স্মারক হিসেবে নিম্নস্বাক্ষরকারীর কার্যালয়ে আগামী ১২/০২/২০১৭ তারিখের মধ্যে প্রেরণ করতে হবে;
- কৃতকার্য আবেদনকারীর বিষয়ে প্রচলিত সরকারি বিধি-বিধানের আওতায় পরবর্তী প্রয়োজনীয় কার্যক্রম গ্রহণ করা হবে।

যথাযথ কর্তৃপক্ষের অনুমোদনক্রমে এ বিজ্ঞপ্তি প্রকাশ করা হলো।

সংযুক্তি: বর্ণনামতে।


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১.	নাম :	
২.	পরিচিতি নং (যদি থাকে) :	
৩.	পদবী ও বর্তমান কর্মস্থল :	
৪.	ক্যাডার সার্ভিসের নাম (যদি থাকে) :	
৫.	আবেদনের বিষয় (কোর্সের নাম):	
৬.	জন্ম তারিখ : ও বয়স :	
৭.	চাকুরিকাল :	
৮.	সর্বশেষ শিক্ষাগত যোগ্যতা :	
৯.	ইতঃপূর্বে বিদেশ প্রশিক্ষণ/উচ্চশিক্ষা গ্রহণ করলে তার বিবরণ :	
১০.	মোবাইল নম্বর : ও ই-মেইল এড্রেস :	
১১.	অফিসিয়াল মেশিন রিডেবল পাসপোর্ট নম্বর : ও মেয়াদ :	

সুপারিশ করা হলো

আবেদনকারী স্বাক্ষর ও সীল

নিয়ন্ত্রণকারী কর্তৃপক্ষের স্বাক্ষর ও সীল

Are you a leader with a vision? Do you want to make a change? Apply to the Swedish Institute's leadership programme Young Connectors of the Future (YCF) 2017. The call for applications is open 12 January – 9 February 2017.

Young Connectors of the Future (YCF) is an intercultural leadership programme for young leaders from South Asia. The programme will provide you with personal, professional and networking tools to help you achieve greater impact in your work for a society based on equality and sustainability.

Who can apply?

We're looking for leaders between 22 and 32 years old who are working actively with democracy, sustainability, diversity and/or human rights. You might be an NGO leader, cultural worker, journalist, blogger, legal worker, civil servant, youth politician or in another type of leadership role. Applicants must be citizens of Afghanistan, Bangladesh, India, Pakistan or Sri Lanka and have a proficient command of both written and spoken English.

The programme

YCF is a leadership programme for people who want to work for positive change in society – and in themselves. It is based on real experiences and collaborative learning. The expertise and experience of the participants and the challenges they face will largely determine the topics; however, they will concern the following broader issues:

- value-based leadership and group development
- democracy and human rights for a more equal and sustainable society
- networks and the digital world.

Participants will learn by taking part in practical tasks, exchanging experiences and finding common solutions to global challenges.

If you're open-minded and want a real learning challenge, apply for a seat among the Young Connectors of the Future 2017.

The deadline for submitting an application is 9 February 2017.

The YCF programme is leadership training within the context of working for an equal and sustainable society. Participants – who are all experts in their fields – will learn in group from both experts within the field and each other.

The contents of the programme will vary from year to year as it is the particular expertise and experience of participants that will largely determine the topics dealt with. But the following broader topics will be central to the programme: equality, sustainability, transparency, democracy and human rights. Problem-solving will involve discussions on global and/or common challenges, network building and digital tools.

YCF goals

YCF aims to support young leaders in the South Asia region by giving them the tools and methods they need in their work for an equal and sustainable society. YCF is as much about personal as professional development. It is about growing as a person with renewed confidence and insights, and growing as a leader with new tools, methods and perspectives.

Even though the programme focuses on networks and collaboration, one of the most fundamental tools is gaining personal insights and self-awareness as a leader, a change-maker and a person. Participants will discover how they work in a group, and how their behaviours and attitudes can be used to support the group and the process.

Understanding how one is as a person and how one works in a group will make the individual a more effective team member and leader. Gaining greater understanding of the environment and issues on a local, regional and global level will make participants more effective at accomplishing social change.

Taking part in the YCF programme also means becoming a part of an alumni network that offers the opportunity to exchange ideas and multiply your impact. The YCF network is very much alive and active. It consists of YCF alumni who continue to support each other's personal and professional development and collaborate on social issues.

The programme relies heavily on collaboration and learning from each other. It also explores the current digital landscape, and the social media sessions during the YCF programme offers participants tools and perspectives to use social media more effectively in their work.

Learning methods

All participants are experts in their field, and learning will take place between participants and through external experts. The methods used originate in collaboration and experience rather than individual performance. Exchanging knowledge and inspiration with each other is central to YCF. Participants will learn by participating in interactive sessions with facilitators, exchanging experiences, doing practical exercises and finding common solutions to global challenges.

The methodology is also quite experimental in nature. Instead of traditional teachers or tests, you will meet inspirational and skilled field experts, perform practical tasks, receive feedback and take part in interactive workshops and reflection sessions.

Who is behind the programme?

The YCF programme is an initiative from the Swedish Institute, developed in close cooperation with Hyper Island in Sweden. SI is a representative of Sweden as well as Swedish values and experiences in the world. SI has goals related to creating a sustainable and equal society globally.

In the YCF programme, SI collaborates with Hyper Island, with expertise in developing professional experience-based learning in a digitalised world. Central to Hyper Island's methodology is to practice experiential learning: to question, reflect and explore different approaches to solving challenges.

This collaboration has resulted in a programme that is both revolutionary and widely appreciated by participants. Leadership programmes have been a part of SI's offer since 2008 and are evolving for every new generation of alumni.

Practical information

The YCF programme is made up of four weeks divided into two modules at separate times. Module one is three weeks long and always takes place in Sweden. Module two is one week long and takes place either in Sweden or in another location. The programme is in English.

All costs related to accommodation, food and transport during the YCF programme are covered by SI.

Module 1

In Sweden, 28 August – 15 September 2017

During the first module, we will dive straight into the experience-based leadership training with a focus on personal and group development. You will be an active participant in several seminars and workshops that touch on topics that are important and relevant to you and your ambitions – such as diversity, human rights, transparency, tolerance and other global challenges.

A substantial amount of time will also be dedicated to feedback, active listening and reflection. During the module, the YCF programme aims to create a safe space for you to explore your approach to driving social change. At the same time, you are expected to take a step out of your comfort zone and challenge your own behaviour as you go along.

The module involves advanced hands-on training with digital tools, tactics and security. All parts of the programme will be led by facilitators working actively in their respective field. Practical

group assignments and project work run throughout the module in combination with at least one study visit to relevant Swedish organisations or institutions.

Module 2

18–24 February 2018 (location to be decided)

The second and final module takes place a few months after the end of Module 1, after you've had time to start implementing the lessons from the first module into your work. It will take place in Sweden or in another location.

The focus during Module 2 will be to maintain, build and expand the network, to continue the learning journey and follow up the development of your work. Just as the first module, this one includes workshops and seminars with speakers and builds on the sharing of the participants' own experiences and knowledge.

Please note that the Young Connectors of Future programme is an intensive programme and all selected participants will have to commit to participating in all activities of both Module 1 and 2.

Accommodation, food and travel

All costs related to accommodation, food and transport during the YCF programme are covered by SI. SI also arranges and pays for the participants' air travel to and from Sweden and to the location of the second module of the programme. Each participant is responsible for transportation costs within her/his own country.

Insurance

All participants are insured against acute illness and accident during Module 1, through the Swedish State Group Insurance and personal insurance by the Swedish Legal, Financial and Administrative Service Agency (*Kammarkollegiet*). If the Module 2 is held in Sweden, the same arrangement as for Module 1 applies. If the follow-up module is held in another country, participants need to arrange and cover their own insurance costs.

Applying for a visa

Participants are responsible for obtaining their visas in good time before departure to Sweden and other relevant countries. SI contacts all concerned embassies in order to facilitate the application process. SI provides the participants with a letter of invitation and an insurance certificate, and will cover the application cost.

Please note that it is the concerned embassies that assess all visa applications; SI can never guarantee that all of our selected participants will obtain visas. In recent years, applicants living in conflict-ridden areas have in a few cases seen their visa applications rejected.

Further information

<https://eng.si.se/apply-now-to-the-youngconnectors-of-the-future-ycf-2017/>

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