



Ministry of Youth, Sports & Community Empowerment

INTERNATIONAL YOUTH DAY

2021
TRANSFORMING
FOOD SYSTEMS

Creative Projects Writing Contest

Introduction

The theme of International Youth Day 2021 is, [“Transforming Food Systems: Youth Innovation for Human and Planetary Health”](#), with the aim of highlighting that the success of such a global effort will not be achieved without the meaningful participation of young people.

It has been acknowledged that there is a need for inclusive support mechanisms that ensure youth continue to amplify efforts collectively and individually to restore the planet and protect life, while integrating biodiversity in the transformation of food systems. Other crucial challenges must also be addressed, such as the interlinkages embodied by the 2030 Agenda including poverty reduction; social inclusion; health care; biodiversity conservation; and climate change mitigation.

To mark the day, we are planning to open a Creative Projects Writing Competition from 12th August 2021 and submissions can be sent online.

Creative Projects Writing Competition

We are opening opportunities to interested Maldivian youth to present their projects on a program or plan targeted to youth. We will be contributing to the Youth who present the idea to make this into a reality. All the projects should be under the IYD 2021 theme [“Transforming Food Systems: Youth Innovation for Human and Planetary Health”](#).

Contents of the Project

It is all about your idea. Introducing your idea and defining your point of view and preferred goal in an innovative way. In the projects you should explain below:

- 1- Key Issue
- 2- Goal
- 3- Project Details
- 4- Project Timeline
- 5- Implementation of SAP and SDGs
- 6- Plans on Engagement of community and CSO's
- 7- Implementation Guideline



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Notes

- All Maldivian Youth between the age of 18-35 years can take part in the competition.
- Individual and teams can submit their presentations
- All presentations should be sent via email
- There is no word limit or specific template
- Word, PDF, PowerPoint can be used, creativity of the presentation will be considered

Marks Criteria

Sustainability	20%
Relevance to theme	20%
Relevance to SAP & SDGs	15%
Creativity	15%
Adaptability	15%
Benefit to the Community	15%

Best 2 Projects will be selected.

To Participate:

All participants email your project along with National ID card copy to info.yd@youth.gov.mv

The deadline will be **1400hrs, 30th August 2021**