

Intergenerational Dialogue

Day: October 8, 2023

Time: 15:00 (local time)

Meeting Room: Dhahran

Language:

English

Description:

The Intergenerational Dialogues will be split into two segments that bridge the concerns and solutions of the youth with the efforts and best practices of previous generations and current decision makers in the MENA region. At first, a panel comprised of a youth representative and decision makers from the private, governmental, and intergovernmental sectors will set scene on the topic at hand. Following that, a 30 minute Q & A will ensue between the attending youth and the decision makers. All the while, the moderator will ensure the constructive flow and informative nature of the dialogues.

Duration:

60 minutes

Session Agenda:

Question / segment	Speaker	time
Welcoming remarks and exploring the importance of intergenerational dialogues and intergenerational equity in the MENA region	YOUNGO moderator	3 minutes
What are the key climate challenges that MENA youth are facing? Identify key challenges and needs for MENA youth. Present the different challenges after consultation with MENA youth	YOUNGO youth representative	5 minutes
How can MENA youth influence the multilateral climate process at the international scene? The multilateral involvement of different actors in the climate solutions, from youth, governments, UN agencies, etc. in the region	Wedad Al Hassan, Head, Youth & Education, COP 28 incoming Presidency, United Arab Emirates	5 minutes

<p>How can governments empower MENA youth to contribute to and learn from past climate efforts in the region? The role of governments in empowering MENA youth for meaningful participation, the readiness of government to provide solutions for MENA youth concerns and needs</p>	Deena Al Kayyl, Advisor to the Assistant Minister for Development and Excellence Affairs, Ministry of Energy, Saudi Arabia	5 minutes
<p>What change would you like to see implemented in the MENA region? Core demands from the Regional Youth Statement and Global Youth Statement</p>	YOUNGO youth representative	5 minutes
<p>How have youth and children's environmental rights evolved in the MENA region? Youth and children's rights for a healthy environment and any resources they can utilize</p>	Jumana Haj-Ahmad, Gulf Area Deputy-Representative, UNICEF	5 minutes
<p>How can the private sector work with youth to create real, grassroots change? The role of the private sector in mobilizing youth climate action and catering their policy and practices to youth demands</p>	Private sector representative	5 minutes
<p>What are your key take-aways to empower youth and strengthen intergenerational dialogues? Identifying tangible next steps and ways forward to empower youth and strengthen intergenerational dialogues</p>	All speakers - 30 seconds each	3 minutes
Fostering a space by which children and youth can have meaningful dialogues (Q&A)	attending youth and panel	20 minutes
Call to action: overview of COY18	COY18 Co-Hosts or COY liaisons	5 minutes
Wrap up & closing remarks	YOUNGO moderator	3 minutes