

LCIPP Annual Youth Round Table

Indigenous youth and youth from local communities

Concept note

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Date, Time and Venue

- **Part I: Exchange amongst Indigenous youth and youth from local communities**
November 8th; 13:00 -18:00
- **Part II: Dialogue with Parties and other stakeholders**
November 11th; 13:00 – 15:00
- Venue: TBC, Sharm el-Sheikh International Convention Centre (SHICC)
- Interpretation available in the UN languages English, Spanish, Russian, French

Background and Objectives

Activity 8 of the 2nd three-year work plan of the Local Communities and Indigenous Peoples Platform (LCIPP) focuses on the role of indigenous youth and youth from local communities, and specific ways to advance the engagement of youth in designing and implementing climate policies and actions at all levels, including the UNFCCC process, such as at COP 27.

The objectives of Activity 8 are:

1. Enhancing the understanding of the substance and procedures of the UNFCCC, both within and outside the Convention, and the important linkages between the international human rights standards of Indigenous peoples and the UNFCCC and other climate-related intergovernmental initiatives, including the IPCC;
2. Enhancing the engagement of indigenous youth and youth from local communities in climate policy development and implementation at all levels;
3. Facilitating the participation of indigenous youth and youth from local communities in intergenerational knowledge-sharing, strengthening practices on the ground and promoting intergenerational equity.

In preparation for COP27, FWG co-leads for activity 8 conducted informal consultations with indigenous youth and youth from local communities. The informal consultations gathered inputs on effective ways of designing the annual youth round table at COP27 and subsequent sessions.

Approach

The LCIPP annual gathering features two sessions.

- Part I: Exchange amongst Indigenous youth and youth from local communities**
Cross-regional knowledge-sharing between indigenous youth and youth from local communities
 The first part of the gathering will serve as a meeting for indigenous youth and youth from local communities to discuss enhancement of meaningful participation of indigenous youth and youth from local communities in climate policies and action
- Part II: Dialogue with Parties and other stakeholders**
Indigenous youth and youth from local communities with Party Representatives and other stakeholders
 In the second part of the meeting, indigenous youth and youth from local communities will present recommendations on their meaningful participation in climate policies and action. Parties, international organizations, constituted bodies under the Convention are invited to contribute to this discussion.

Agenda:

Part I: Exchange amongst Indigenous youth and youth from local communities <u><i>Cross-regional knowledge-sharing between indigenous youth and youth from local communities</i></u> 8th November ; 13:00 -18:00	
13:00 – 13:10	Opening <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Invocation <i>by indigenous knowledge holder</i> Opening remarks <i>by UNFCCC secretariat (tbc)</i>
13:10 - 13:25	Scene Setting <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Brief presentation on FWG and youth engagement across activities, and outcomes from informal youth consultations of the 2nd 3-year work plan <i>by Activity 8 Co-Leads, Facilitative Working Group of the LCIPP</i> Outcomes from discussions of roundtable 4 of Activity 1 - Part I <i>by youth representative</i>
13:25 – 16: 35 (3 hours 10 minutes)	Round table discussion: Enhancing leadership of indigenous youth and youth from local communities on climate policy and action Discussion prompts: <ol style="list-style-type: none"> What practices are indigenous peoples, and local communities from your region doing to help reduce greenhouse gas emissions and to adapt to climate change impacts? How can meaningful youth engagement in climate policy development and implementation be enhanced? Are there any existing good practices, in your experience? What practices would enhance the engagement of indigenous youth and youth from local communities in the activities of the Local Communities and Indigenous Peoples Platform or in other areas of work under the UNFCCC?

	<p>4. What recommendations would you provide to the FWG to ensure that the annual youth dialogues build on one another during the workplan period, 2022 - 2024?</p> <p>Indigenous youth representatives from each region responds to framing questions:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Faith Nataya (Africa) 2. Nicky Batang-ay (Asia) 3. Dilbara Sharipova (Central and Eastern Europe, the Russian Federation, Central Asia and Transcaucasia) 4. Olga Kostrova (Central and Eastern Europe, the Russian Federation, Central Asia and Transcaucasia) 5. Roberto Ricardo Campos Quezada (Central and South America and the Caribbean) 6. Karissa Glendale (North America) 7. Alicia Sara-Elvira Kuhmunen (the Arctic) 8. Janice Parsons (the Arctic) 9. Alicia Sara-Elvira Kuhmunen (the Arctic) 10. Samuel Womisor (the Pacific) <p>Contributors:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Melvin Melita (Africa) • Maria Danilova (Central and Eastern Europe, the Russian Federation, Central Asia and Transcaucasia) • Ruth Kaviok (the Arctic) • Elisapee Lamoreux, Makivik (the Arctic) • Christina Fields (the Arctic) • Martina Fjällberg, Sáminuorra (the Arctic) • Melanie Pascale-Orsucci (the Pacific) • Alix Pascal-Orsucci (the Pacific) – <i>Virtually if possible</i> <p>Indigenous youth and youth from local communities are invited to provide their contributions to the discussion</p> <p><i>Moderated by Aslak Holmberg (FWG Alternate Member from the Artic), Chris Honahnie (FWG Alternate Member from North America) and Dilbara Sharipova (Aborigen-Forum Network)</i></p> <p><i>*Consists of 15 minutes break</i></p>
<p>16:35 -16:45</p>	<p>Break</p>
<p>16:45 – 17:15</p>	<p>Summarizing the outcomes from the roundtable discussions:</p> <p>Summary of practices and results which could be built upon to enhance</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Exchange of experiences between Parties, indigenous youth, and youth from local communities • Engaging youth in climate policy development and implementation meaningfully

	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Engaging indigenous youth and youth from local communities in the activities of the Local Communities and Indigenous Peoples Platform or in other areas of work under the UNFCCC <p><i>Moderated by Aslak Holmberg (FWG Alternate Member from the Arctic), Chris Honahnie (FWG Alternate Member from North America) and Dilbara Sharipova (Aborigin-Forum Network)</i></p>
17:15 – 17:25	<p>Closing</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Summary of next steps and Part II (Open Dialogue) of the LCIPP Youth Round Table <i>by Graeme Reed, Activity 8 Co-Lead, Facilitative Working Group of the LCIPP</i> Youth engagement opportunities at COP 27 and in the coming years <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Inputs <i>by UNFCCC secretariat</i> Inputs <i>by UNFCCC Constituency for Indigenous Peoples Organization (IPO)</i>
17:25 - 17:30	<p>Closing invocation <i>by Alicia Sara-Elvira Kuhmunen (tbc)</i></p>
<p>Part II: Dialogue with Parties and other stakeholders <u>Indigenous youth and youth from local communities with Party Representatives and other stakeholders</u> 11th November ; 13:00 – 15:00</p>	
13:00 -13:15	<p>Opening</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Indigenous invocation <i>by knowledge holder</i> Welcome remarks <i>by Ms. Daria Egereva, Activity 8 Co-Lead, Facilitative Working Group of the LCIPP</i> Opening remarks <i>by Presidency (tbc)</i>
13:15 – 14:45	<p>Dialogue and discussion</p> <p><u>Perspectives of indigenous youth and youth from local communities</u> Summary of practices and results which could be built upon to enhance</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Exchange of experiences between Parties, indigenous youth, and youth from local communities Engaging youth in climate policy development and implementation meaningfully Engaging indigenous youth and youth from local communities in the activities of the Local Communities and Indigenous Peoples Platform or in other areas of work under the UNFCCC <hr style="border-top: 1px dashed black;"/> <p><u>Questions and responses from Parties and constituted bodies</u> How can Parties and Constituted Bodies utilize the outcomes from the roundtables in their deliberations, and in the framing of national climate policy?</p> <p>Contributors:</p>

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	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Representative from Parties• Constituted Bodies' Representatives• Other knowledge holders• Other youth representatives <p><i>Parties are particularly encouraged to contribute to the discussions after the first round of reflections from contributors</i></p> <p><i>Moderated by Graeme Reed, Activity 8 Co-Lead, Facilitative Working Group of the LCIPP</i></p>
14:45 – 15:00	<p>Closing</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">○ Summary of discussion, next steps and closing <i>by Gunn-Britt, Activity 8 Co-Lead, Facilitative Working Group of the LCIPP</i>○ Closing invocation <i>by indigenous knowledge holder</i>