***UNDP Youth Leadership Programme (YLP4)***

***“Innovating for Sustainable Impact”***

***Regional Forum – Dec. 14th – 17th 2018***

***Tunis, Tunisia***

***Agenda***

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| **Objectives of YLP4 Regional Forum** |
| 1. Expanding knowledge of youth-serving organizations to better support youth-led initiatives and change-makers at the national level, by deepening their knowledge of design thinking and familiarizing them with additional social innovation methodologies and technologies.
2. Validating a comprehensive and innovative impact assessment tool that has been developed to ensure longevity and sustainability of YLP activities and initiatives.
3. Providing a space for youth, youth-serving organizations and other stakeholders to engage with policy makers from the region.
4. Building trust between young people, youth leadership stakeholders and local and national policy makers and advocates through interactive activities.
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| **Session/Day** | **Day 1** | **Day 2** | **Day 3** | **Day 4** |
| Theme | **Pillars of YLP: 2030 Agenda and Social Innovation**  | **Policy Dialogue: Cultivating Empathy** | **What It Takes:** **Hard Skills, Soft Skills, Part 1 (From Ideas…)** | **What It Takes:** **Hard Skills, Soft Skills, Part 2 (… to Impact)** |
| Session 1 | Welcoming Remarks | Youth Political and Civic Engagement | Making Gender Equality a Reality | Debriefing & Reflections  |
| Session 2 | From Ideas to Impact: YLP Journey | Youth and UNDP: A Dialogue on Youth, SDGs and Innovation | Innovation: Alternative Finance (1) | YLP Impact House (2) |
| Session 3 | SDGs as a Framework for Action | Policy Making Simulation Exercise | Field Trip & Social Dinner | Communications: Advocacy Skills and Tools (1) |
| Session 4 | Welcome to the YLP Impact House (1) | Innovation: Alternative Finance (2) |
| Session 5 | Innovation: Design Thinking | Guest speaker  |
| Session 6 | Debriefing & Reflections | Debriefing & Reflections | Commitments for the Future |
| Extra session/ Evening activity | Snapshots and Stories from YLP | Tunisia SDGs Talk | Closing Remarks and Next Steps |

\*some sessions are short as 30 mins, and others reach 105 mins, please refer to complete agenda

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| First day: Friday, Dec. 14th 2018  |
| **Pillars of YLP: 2030 Agenda and Social Innovation***Lead facilitator: Mohamed Yassein* |
| **Time** | **Session description** |
| 8:30 - 9:00 | Registration  |
| 9:00 - 9:30 | **Welcoming Remarks***Khaled Abdel Shafi, Regional Hub Director,* UNDP Regional Bureau for Arab States*H.E. Sonia Ben Cheick,* Minister of Youth & Sports, Tunisia |
| 9:30 – 10:30 | **From Ideas to Impact: YLP Journey***Session lead: Kawtar Zerouali*Presenting an overview of the YLP Journey from 2015 to 2018 and its contributions to SDGs and sustainable impact.  |
| 10:30 – 10:45 | **‘Getting to know each other’** activity |
| 10:45 – 11:00 | Coffee break |
| 11:00– 12:30 | **SDGs as a Framework for Action** *Session lead: Alberto Natta*Deeping the knowledge on the SDGs as a framework for collective action towards a more sustainable future while discussing innovative solutions that put youth in the driver’s seat of the 2030 Agenda. |
| 12:30 - 1:30 | Lunch break  |
| 1:30 - 2:30 | **Welcome to the YLP Impact House (1)***Session lead: Thomas Winderl* Introducing participants to the Impact House tool that is meant to support planning of activities, reporting results and assessing the impact of YLP.  |
| 2:30 - 2:45 | Coffee break  |
| 2:45 - 4:15 | **Innovation: Design Thinking***Session lead: Jennifer Colville*Expanding participants’ capacity to apply Design Thinking, using an exercise designed to improve participants’ experience at the YLP Regional Forum. |
| 4:15 - 4:45 | **Debriefing & Reflections** *Session lead: Yakup Beris* |
| 7:00 – 8:30 | **Snapshots and Stories from YLP***Session lead: Mohamed Yassein*Showcasing national activities and reflections on YLP4 journey by the national teams. |

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| Second day: Saturday, Dec. 15th 2018  |
| **Policy Dialogue: Cultivating Empathy***Lead facilitator: Mohamed Yassein*  |
| **Time** | **Session description** |
| 9:00 – 10:00 | **Youth and UNDP: A Dialogue on SDGs, Youth, and Innovation***Session lead: Kawtar Zerouali**Dialogue session with Mourad Wahba, Director,* UNDP Regional Bureau for Arab States |
| 10:00 – 5:00Whole day simulation exercise, including coffee and lunch breaks | **Policy making: A simulation exercise** *Session leads: Andreas Muckenfuß & Kazem Hemida* Understanding the complexities of everyday policy making in a simulated situation to recognize system constraints, options, consequences and alternatives.  |
| 5:00 – 5:30 | **Debriefing & Reflections** *Session lead: Luis Martinez, Regional Electoral Advisor* |
| 5:30 – 6:30 | **Tunisia SDGs Talk***Session lead: UNDP Tunisia* |

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| Third day: Sunday, Dec. 16th 2018 |
| **What It Takes: Hard Skills, Soft Skills, Part 1 (From Ideas…)***Lead facilitator: Mohamed Yassein*  |
| **Time** | **Session description** |
| 9:00 – 10:45 | **Making Gender Equality a Reality***Session leads: Emad Karim & Moneera Yassien* Exploring participants’ deep understanding of why gender equality matters to achieve all SDGs, and how youth-driven social innovations can contribute to gender equality. |
| 10:45 - 11:00 | Coffee break |
| 11:00 - 12:30 | **Innovation: Alternative Finance (1)***Session leads: Robert Pasicko & Jennifer Colville*Expanding participants’ knowledge and skills in accessing alternative finance and investment modalities for their solutions. |
| 12:30 – 1:30 | Lunch break  |
| 2:00 – 10:00 | **Field trip to Medina of Tunis** **Social Dinner** |

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| Fourth day: Monday, Dec. 17th 2018 |
| **What It Takes: Hard Skills, Soft Skills, Part 2 (… to Impact)***Lead facilitator: Mohamed Yassein* |
| **Time** | **Session description** |
| 9:00 – 9:30 | **Debriefing & Reflections** *Session lead: Najia Hashemee*  |
| 9:30 – 11:00 | **YLP Impact House (2)** *Session lead: Thomas Winderl* The country teams present their finalized YLP Impact House.  |
| 11:00 – 11:15 | Coffee break  |
| 11:15– 12:30 | **Communications: Advocacy Skills and Tools** *Session lead: Noeman Alsayyad*Expanding participants’ capacity to advocate for change. |
| 12:30 – 1:30 | Lunch break  |
| 1:30 – 3:00 | **Innovation: Alternative Finance (2)***Session lead: Robert Pasicko & Jennifer Colville*Expanding participants’ knowledge and skills in accessing alternative finance and investment modalities for their solutions. |
| 3:00 - 3:30 | **Guest Speaker***Sana Afouaiz* |
| 3:30 – 4:30 | **Commitments for the Future** *Session lead: Mohamed Yassein* Making commitments to help the YLP community positively influence the future we want.  |
| 4:30 – 5:00 | **Closing Remarks and Next Steps**  |