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We will like to thank everyone that took part in supporting AIESEC in Namibia in either organizing this project or to the participants of the project.

Together we made history, more than 140 people present from all the Regions of Namibia. This was because each and every person at all stages of the project made a conscious decision to be present and contribute to the bigger picture.

We are most grateful for our Partners, Institutions, AIESEC in Namibia members and to each and every member of the AIESEC Network for your support.

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Message from the Project Manager



The Youth for Global Goal (Y4GG) project saw a new beginning within Namibia. It has brought together young leaders, active youths, Government officials and the Private sector from all over the country, united by one purpose - The growth and betterment of Namibia.

The Y4GG project was not just 2 days of activities but a culmination of all the activities. It involved months of tireless effort, hard work, diligence and persistence carried out by a team of young motivated individuals from AIESEC in Namibia.

With a dream and theme of "Let's Shape Namibia".

We saw it not only important but necessary for the project to take place ,but also for each life that was apart of it was impacted.

The Y4GG project was a very special & personal project for me. It was indeed, a practical learning experience, but even more for the goal of achieving at least 0.5% of the voice of the Namibian Youth in the project that we all shared as a team while working to achieve the goal.

None of this however would not have been possible without our partners support. These organizations and individuals who believed in the dream, impact of the project and invested valuable resources into its achievement. We truly thank you for your support and we look forward to a long and fruitful relationship.

Last, but not in anyway least, to the delegates of the YouthSpeak Forum: "This is Namibia and we are the future, we have a journey ahead of us and it has only began. We are the change that we want to see in our dear Namibia."

Opas Onucheyo Youth for Global Goals Manager AIESEC Namibia

Message from the President, AIESEC Namibia 18/19



The importance of having such an event which aimed to engage more young people with the Sustainable Development Goals and to inspire youth to make a positive contribution to the SDGs in real life in their respective regions and also educates the youth about the Sustainable Development Goals and the challenges that go along with achieving the targets and indicators.

Stressing on the importance of leadership as the pillar of making meaningful impact in trying to solve some of the pertinent challenges faced by the youth in Namibia. I believe it is time to walk the talk and speak the language of youth if we want to engage young people towards the SDGs and activate them to take a stand on issues that truly matter,

In order to achieve or contribute towards the SDGs targets will take a collective effort from the youth in the country as they are the ones with the passion and energy to try something. One doesn't need to focus on doing big things but rather focus on small deeds in your environment. Those are the things that really matter as you make a difference and your community and that's all we need for the youth to do.

I give thanks to all the youth that took time to travel from different regions and towns to join us during this event and gave a testimony to the fact that the youth in Namibia embrace and celebrate each other's different cultures and still be able to work towards common goals and for Namibia it really means that we are on the same page and we are working together with each other to advance issues that affect the youth and we are part of the youth that are solution oriented.

I would like to thank my team of AIESEC members for an extraordinary job well done in making sure the event went smoothly especially to those that sacrificed their time and energy to make sure the Y4GG survey was successfully carried in all the regions and different towns. For that, you as an AIESECer should be proud of your contribution that you make on a daily basis and should continue marching on for the youth development agenda in Namibia and beyond. I would also like to thank all the partners and stakeholders that make this event a success and we look forward to working with you on more projects in the future. I Thank you.

Kleopas Johannes President AIESEC Namibia 18/19

Youth for Global Goals



On the 1st of January 2016, the 17 Sustainable Development Goals (SDGs) for Agenda 2030, adopted by world leaders in 2015 at a historic UN Summit, officially came into effect. The international community made the commitment to end poverty, fight inequalities and tackle climate change over the next fifteen (15) years.

The 17 goals and 169 targets of the SDGs are quite complex, therefore the efforts to achieve every single one of them will rely on the involvement of all: stakeholders, governments and in a great extent on the population itself, including the current generation of young people. This generation will mature in the 15 years period covered by the SDGs, they will be most impacted by their success or failure.

In order to engage stakeholders around youth and their role in achieving the SDGs, AIESEC, PwC, Plan International, ADB, PVBLIC Foundation, Electrolux and the Office of the UN Secretary General Envoy on Youth hosted the Youth Action Summit, in December 2015 at the United Nations Headquarters. The Summit brought together more than 400 young leaders, CSOs, private sector representatives, and key development partners under the theme of "Youth 4 Global Goals."

AIESEC in Namibia along with the Hanns-Seidel Foundation, European Union, Embassy of the Federal Republic of Germany, Ministry of Sport, Youth & National Service, National Youth Council, Progress Namibia, and Internet Society Chapter came together to organize the Youth 4 Global Goals project which aimed to bring together both young and senior leaders to form a diverse cross-sector, multi-generational space for inspiring conversations around pressing global issues and convert youth opinion into real world impact.



Youth for Global Goals

Youth 4 Global Goals (Y4GG) is an AIESEC Initiative through which aim to mobilize youth towards the implementation of the Sustainable Development Goals (SDGs), also referred to as the Global Goals and Agenda 2030. - Activating the youth will happen in three stages: Awareness, Understanding and Action.

Awareness



By running advocacy campaigns we aim to reach every young person and educate them on the 17 Goals and their impact by 2030.

Understanding



We host our events (YouthSpeak Forums) in various locations around the country/world to engage youth to search for solutions on how to contribute to the Global Goals.

Action



We create volunteering
Opportunities locally and
globally, to enable
contribution to a cause you
believe in.

The importance of Youth in achieving the 2030 Agenda is undeniable but right now only 45% of Young People know what the Sustainable Development Goals are (source: Youth Speak insights 2016).

The Youth 4 Global Goals (Y4GG) is further divided into 4 parts which are subsets of the 3 stages mentioned above. These include YouthSpeak Survey, YouthSpeak Insights, YouthSpeak Forum, YouthSpeak Projects.









The 2018's goal was to reach at least 1.0% (7000 between the age 18-35) of the youth population in response, a conference attendance of at least 8 people from all the 14 regions of the Namibia and an increase in the number of delivered projects.



YouthSpeak Survey has been one of the most run surveys for the youth population of the world. Dating back to 2008, when it was first launched, the goal has been to give a voice to the youth population and allowed for more specific development based on the results.

The YouthSpeak Survey has evolved with time and use. The importance of youth achieving the 2030 undeniable, having in mind that awareness is the first step. The YouthSpeak survey has become the platform for that and as such part of the bigger Youth for Global Goals (Y4GG) initiative. This is the 4th YouthSpeak Survey to take place in Namibia.

The goal was to get 1 % entries which is approx. 7000 entries for the survey, after the project implementation 0.5% was achieved. The survey was aimed at getting about specific insights about youth and how the factors around them play a role in their socio-economic development.

This year's survey was focused more on: Education (Goal 4), Decent Work & Economic Growth(Goal 8) and Industry, Innovation & Infrastructure (Goal 9).



The survey is made up of 30 questions, which are 90% multiple choice and cover the demographic information as well as the stated goals above. The target audience are youths in higher educations in the 14 regions.

With 63,000+ of youth unemployment, YouthSpeak enables young people voice their opinions and be part of the decision-making process. The YouthSpeak survey collects youth's opinion from around the nation for a better understand what people care about.

Covering the 14 regions, AIESEC members were sent into the field to carry out the survey, in different schools, youth centres, and other institutions. The survey ran for 6 weeks leading up to the YouthSpeak Insights and Forum. With a majority of response from the Online channels and campaigns we able to achieve half of our goal, and reach that we might not have been able to reach given some of the challenges that arose from the project.

















Take the YouthSpeak Survey can be found at www.aiesecnamibia.org/y4gg

YouthSpeak Insights



YouthSpeak Insight reflect on the data gathered from the YouthSpeak Survey. Applying the insight from the survey to local context and reality. It allows for decision makers to take action that influence the right strategies and operation of the organizations.

Over a 6 weeks period, the survey was able to get 3564 responses from both online and off-line channels. We wanted to learn from we got on you should engage young people to act, what are their motives and their vision of the world in 2030. As an outcome, 71.6% of millennials think the Namibia will be a better place by 2030, also 72% of youth is aware of the Sustainable Development Goals according to our results. The sampling method used gives a glimpse of the whole picture. Based on the responses, these are the goals with the level of interest.



The Importance of the first phases of Youth4GG initiative aims to spread awareness about the Goals among youth. We deeply believe before someone can take action, it is vital to create awareness about the significance of the Sustainable Development Goals and how important it is to work together towards them in a National Movement. Which can be measured based on the feedback on the responses, we are able to plan better to achieve our goal by 2030.

The YouthSpeak Survey can be found at www.aiesecnamibia.org/y4gg



We inspire a National movement driven by young people that unites a National community of people and leaders who want to make a difference in the society.

YouthSpeak Forum is a premiere event that brings together both young and senior leaders to form a diverse cross-sector and multi-generational space for inspiring conversations around pressing global issues.

The forum aims to create an environment where people from diverse backgrounds can cross-pollinate ideas, share insights and gain new perspectives to create actionable outcomes to push the world forward. We make this happen by taking our delegates through the unique and interactive framework of *Inspire*, *Engage*, *Act*.

Inspire



These are short and powerful talks to inspire delegates and help to form their opinions for the day.

Engage



Engage through workshops, conversations and idea generation spaces.

Act



Platform for youth to share their opinion on the actions that should be taken onwards.

Day I

The fourth edition of YouthSpeak forum was held for two days, UNAM Campus - Ongwediva and Protea Hotels - Ondangwa. Under the theme of "Let's Shape Namibia".

The highly anticipated event was a huge success thanks to our partner companies and organizations that keep supporting and believe in what AIESEC can deliver to empower the youth in Namibia.

Purpose of YouthSpeak Forum was to convert youth opinion into real world impact -meaning that we want to connect with what young people care about and help empower them to take action on issues that will create a positive impact in their society

The conference was attended by over 140 youth delegates from the 14 different regions who engaged the stakeholders present and identify feasible projects that can address their needs and achieve the goals set out by the SDGs.

We want youth to understand how the Sustainable Development Goals are embedded in their every-day life and the daily choices they make as human beings. We consider that someone understands an SDG when they know at least one target of any SDG and understand how to take relevant action to contribute towards its completion.

This is where YouthSpeak Forums fit into the picture.

Opening Remarks



"Young people are the driving force for development and are key to achieve the SDGs". She also highlighted that fact that this conference planning was done in collaboration with various youth organizations as we cannot seek to help the youth without having their voices and key issues heard."

Susan-Marie Lewis
EU Press & Information Officer

"The youth should play a critical role in driving the economy as they will one day inherit it"

Thomas Indjii

The Namibia Chamber Of Commerce & Industry





Youth unemployment is one of the greatest challenges faced by the youth, not only in Namibia but globally.

Gerlinde Sauer
Councilor at the German Embassy



The YouthSpeak Forum kicked off with a panel discussion whereby experts from the banking sector, entrepreneurship sector and business sector shared their knowledge and experiences with Mr Kavena Hambira, from the Namibia Institute of Democracy Chairperson

The discussions were centred on existing provisions and available opportunities particularly in the field of vocational training, and entrepreneurship. The panelist noted the high unemployment rate, particularly among the youth in Namibia (63.8%) according to the Namibia Labour Force Survey of 2018 as a cause for concern, as it creates social fragility.

As regards entrepreneurship, the panelists agreed that the country needed entrepreneurship but also reckoned that entrepreneurship is not the 'silver bullet', nor is it for everyone. Several examples of how the banking sector is providing funding/loan opportunities but needs to revise its system as it is not a simple process and cases vary.

The lack of financial and business management skills has been identified as a big challenge in this respect while noting that it is not just enough to have a good business idea, one also need to know how to run a business.



With poor access to finance and lack of collateral is a problem for many young people who wants to start businesses. The President of AIESEC in Namibia particularly noted giving himself as an example that young people might have good business ideas but may never get a loan as they cannot offer collateral securities to the bank.

As the Panel discussions continued, delegates were given a chance to ask and share their opinions. Most of the delegates concerns centered around how there is a lack of a service-oriented mentality and especially many coming out of university have too high expectations concerning salaries and what the job should entail. Delegates agreed that a shift in attitudes is important and that one needs to be prepared to start from an entry level and do work.

The panelists agreed that support strategies and programmes for the youth needs to be more public because young people are often not aware of existing programmes and support. With regard to the discussion on the level of unemployment seen in the country, the panelist made note of how important it is to realize your potential in and out of Namibia. The President of AIESEC in Namibia, further reinforced the discussion with how Government official have encouraged youth people to look for opportunities outside of the country with the aim of reintegrating those skills, ideas and business back into the country to boost development.

Panelist



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Ms. Pahukeni Kan- Mr. Ferdinand gayi, An aspiring Nghiyolwa, He has gender, social and of experience in economic ity and the Inter- and infrastrucnet. Specializing in ture development Business Comput- industry. He is curing and currently rently running his works for FirstRand own business and Namibia.



youth advocate for more than 15 years equal- the construction doubling as Business Development & Investments, Ino Harith Capital, an Unlisted Infrastrure Fund.



Kleopas hannes, He is the national president of AIESEC Namibia. He is also the CEO of Greenville Solutions a solar energy company. He is also a shareholder Nam-Oceanic kelp kelp enterprise.



There is always a pressing need for new voices in national and local dialogue at such events as these are the voices of young people themselves mostly the youth struggling, succeeding, or falling through the cracks, Youth voices are critical for the development of the country because young people deserve a place at the table. They have the right and the responsibility to a say in all the decisions, institutions and processes that affect them.

After the panel discussion the delegates were further engaged on the Sustainable Development Goals through a series of SDG games facilitated by Progress Namibia. Each breakaway session played a simulation game based on the 3 SDG goals highlighted on that day; Quality Education (Goal 4), Decent Work (Goal 8), Industry, Innovation & Infrastructure (Goal 9). Through these interactive sessions the aim will be to inform the youth about the SDGs and to identify concrete proposals or recommendations on how they can contribute to the SDGs.

Quality Education (Goal 4)

Participants role-play as an individual and are asked to take a step forward based on a yes or no question asked by the facilitator. The game gets participants to understand the need and privileges of the current education system and how our life choices are tied to it





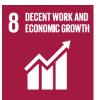
Quality Education (Goal 4)

Based on the simulation we were able to draw out some key recommendations that could curb the education & skill gap.

- By developing a community gathering house where youth from surrounding areas can come and exchange information and skills:
 - The house would feature a skills board where people would put up what skills they possess and this will allow the youth to engage each other in the certain areas they need help with.
 - The youth would also request nearly expired food from stores which will be used to feed them during study hours.
 - Access to career counselors for 'release your pain' sessions, this will also be offered to ensure that no
 one is dealing with a problem alone and without the necessary support.
 - Life skills is an essential part of the curriculum but is often neglected, the youth proposed that we re-brand life skills and ensure that its importance is highlighted to students throughout the year. Aptitude tests should also be conducted at the beginning of the year so that students are aware of their strengths/ weaknesses and know which areas they need to focus on.
 - Mentorship events and job shadowing should be held more frequently throughout the school year
 to allow students to engage with professionals from various industries and help them make informed
 choices about their career paths.
 - The activation of inactive youth centres in various regions was also suggested where programmes like a 'Brighter Future for Everyone' a programme that would offer extra classes to students in every region, so they have the opportunity to improve themselves during their school year, can be offered. Debating & chess in school should also be championed more as it allows the youth to develop their critical thinking skills.



Decent Work & Economic Growth (Goal 8)



Participants were grouped to role-play families struggling to survive in the current economic system. Participants make paper bags from newspapers and sell to the shopkeeper to make an income. Game is a powerful tool which allows participants to feel the reality facing many people in the current economic system and unequal society.



Based on the simulation we were able to draw out some key recommendations that could curb the work and economic growth gap.

- Hosting an educational Youth Festival The aim of the festival is to bring different youth groups together to engage and showcase sports & arts by the youth. This platform aims to use arts and sports to engage with the youth and address any issues they may be facing.
- Mentorship programmes these should become more popular throughout the university years for the youth and after to allow graduates an opportunity to gain more experience and learn how to conduct themselves in a professional environment.
- Entrepreneur Festivals The aim would be to bring forth the entrepreneurs, SMEs, development and civil societies whose aim is increase entrepreneurship by showcasing good case practices, a starter kit to your business etc and other funding/grants.

Industry, Innovation & Infrastructure (Goal 9)

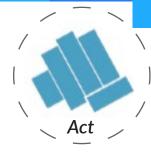


Participants were grouped to role-play communities living in a city affected by natural disasters. In an attempt to adapt to the severity of the natural disasters which comes with different scenarios are expected to worsen over time, each community must build the tallest and strongest building which is resistant to storms and flooding using a deck of cards. Further interventions to equip the youth with the sustainable skills for labour market and skill intensive industries for sustainable economic growth are vital.



Based on the simulation we were able to draw out some key recommendations that could curb the innovation and industry gap.

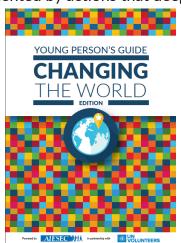
- There is a lack of communication between government and private agencies which needs to be addressed to ensure that the efforts are directly addressing the youths most pressing needs and foster collaboration between the job market (public & private) for the recruitment and placements.
- Empower the youth to make better use of the access to information they have, i.e. their smart phones, if used properly can be used to connect many like-minded youth and exchanges various skills and talents. Media and content creation should also be explored more as the youth can make use of these skills to produce news, pod-casts and documentaries.
- Launch a scholarship program for the Namibian youth to study in the field of Agriculture, there are a lot of opportunities to grow and manufacture in this industry in Namibia.
- Reevaluate how we track new tenders, who they are awarded to and conduct intensive background checks on applicants to ensure that tax payers' money is not simply going down the drain.
- Encourage the youth to speak out about their aspirations and to follow that up with the hard work needed to bring about sustainable economic growth and change.



The Act part is the follow up segment where Ideas and recommendations generated and presented to the plenary. With all the inspiration and engagement now put into more concrete formats. With all the SDG games recommendation as stated above, the Act segment is the most important phase of the YouthSpeak Forum and Youth for Global Goals.

We consider that a person takes action if he/she is actively contributing to SDG through daily actions or projects. This is why, AIESEC aligned all our projects with the Sustainable Development Goals, so as to provide a platform for youth to directly contribute towards the targets of the SDGs.

AIESEC International and United Nations Volunteer created a guide for every young person, "A young person's guide to changing the world". The United Nations Volunteers (UNV) programme contributes to peace and development through volunteerism worldwide. The 2030 Agenda calls for leaving no one behind and recognizes that traditional means of implementation are not enough and must be complemented by actions that deepen impact and widen reach.



A young person's guide to changing the world can be found at www.aiesecnamibia.org/y4gg



Day II

A business breakfast networking event was organized to give a platform for SMEs and entrepreneurs to engage with the delegates and share with business ideas, the process of working towards their business goals. Business from different sectors were present which ranged from the sciences to the social sciences and art. The British High Commission of Namibia further made the event a success as a result of their contributions.

YouthSpeak Projects



The projects are the actionable ideas that were generated during YouthSpeak forum, Involving partner organizations. AIESEC takes responsibility that created ideas being implemented.

The YouthSpeak Project is tied directly to the AIESEC in Namibia's Global Volunteer program. Building a better country, we regained the importance of aligning our Global Volunteer for both international interns that want to come and develop Namibia to Students willing to travel to other countries to contribute to the social development. It is an initiative developed by AIESEC in Namibia to develop the community through the use of social development and social impact within Namibia, with each specific project addressing one Global Goal.

It aim to provide tangible solutions and actions towards these issues.

Through our projects, strive to empower youth, communities and government to act with a sense of urgency in building a better Namibia.



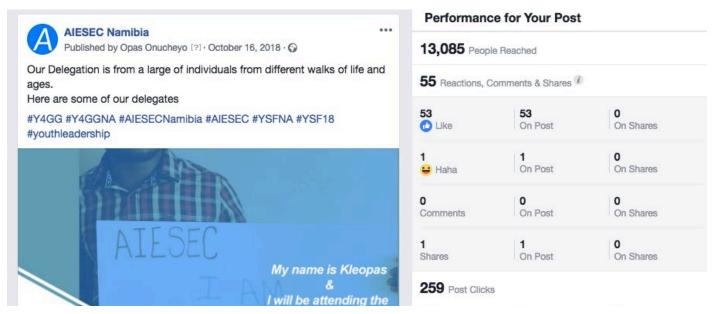
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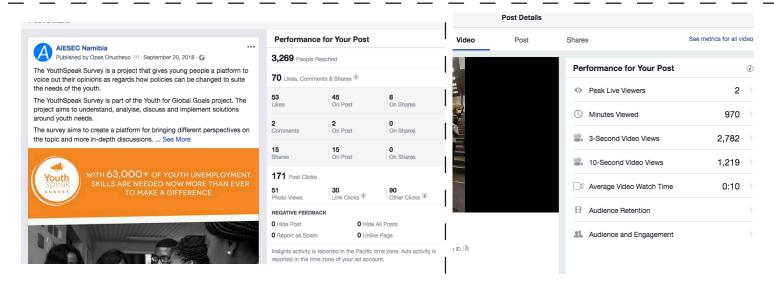
The Shape Namibia project has been running for over 5 years. The project has covered various issues ranging from health to climate change. The YouthSpeak survey further reinforces the current projects that are being run and gives an insight to the projects that will be created to further achieve the aim and objectives of the Youth for Global Goals project.

Communications & Public Relation

The "Leave no one behind" concept, is a call for AIESEC to activate every young person and mobilize them to take part in this better future that the world is envisioning. The need for everyone to be involved cannot be overstated. This is our call and Youth for Global Goals is our response.

We leveraged on several platforms to be able to achieve our goals, ranging from Online to off-line media





Communications & Public Relation









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For the off-line media, we used several channels to reach our audience, through Radio, TV & Newspapers

- Article published on 12 October 2018 by the Namibia Economist, Title: Sustainable Development Goals to be Introduced to Youth in the North https://economist.com.na/39066/education/sustainable-development-goals-to-be-introduced-to-youth-in-the-north/
- Article published on 17 October 2018 by New Era Live. Title: Youth Conference Starts Today https:// neweralive.na/posts/youth-conference-starts-today-in-ongwediva
- Article published on 20 October 2018 on Namibia Broadcasting Cooperation Website. Title: Youth
 conference held under the theme 'Youth for Global Goals' https://www.nbc.na/news/youth-conference-held-under-theme-youth-global-goals.19243

Testimonials



"I'm a poet, youth activist and a student from the University of Namibia. This event was a blessing to me because I learnt that society cannot define you but you define society with what you do in your society. Today I've become an ambassador to my peers that weren't here."

Jerry Lusiku, Kavango Region

"I'm a learner at Suiderlig Secondary school. This platform was great and an amazing experience for me. It sharpened my mind seeing there are different productive areas that the youth can become involved in. The event was fantastic and I've learnt a lot. I enjoyed the diversity of different cultures coming together I sincerely hope next year we can delve into other topics such as: corruption at political level, poverty, climate change issues." Shandre Josia, I'm from Karas Region



It was a pleasure attending this year youth forum, as we got introduced to the UN SDGs. We learnt a lot. Like knowing that the youth are the driving force of these SDGs as we are the majority of the population. My region, Ohangwena in particular would definitely benefit from this event, as we had delegates from different youth structures and they are going to share what they have heard.

Elia Bethuel, Ohangwena Region

Partners & Sponsors

Throughout 2018 we have been able to engage with multiple organization to mobilize young people to achieve the Sustainable Development Goals. The partnerships look to strengthen youth participation on the 2030 Sustainable Agenda, by enabling young people to experience and create a better world through projects that address the Sustainable Development Goals.



Being a not-profit organization that promotes Democracy, Peace and Sustainable Economic Development, AIESEC in Namibia and Hanns Seidel Foundation decided to collaborate on the Youth for Global Goals. Currently we are co-creating ambitious plans for how to deepen this relationship over the coming years.

Together with AIESEC in Namibia we aimed to spread awareness about the SDGs. Thus we are engaging through the YouthSpeak Survey, which provided for the YouthSpeak Insights and provided a platform to use that information.





Partnering with AIESEC in Namibia, we know that these are youths that have future at heart by creating the present narrative in ensuring that youths are ready to take on the corporate/private sector when the time arises

The partnership aimed to mobilize over 140 young people and over 3500 people virtually to advance the Sustainable Development Goals through social projects. In September 2016, the Ministry partnered with AIESEC in Namibia on delivering the National Youth Development Seminar. AIESEC in Namibia continues on bringing a youth development component together to achieve greater heights.



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Collaborating with AIESEC Namibia, we know that these are youths that have future at heart by creating the present narrative in ensuring that youths are ready to take on the corporate/private sector when the time arises. Anyone willing to support their cause to make an impact in the society is truly empowering the next generation of leaders.



The Internet of Namibia, being an advocate of sustainable development, partnered Internet Society with AIESEC to further have a social media presence to raise and awareness about the Sustainable Development Goals



Progress Namibia and AIESEC in Namibia have been raising awareness in young people around the Sustainable Development Goals through the SDG Games. Progress Namibia sets up monthly games promoting the SDGs and through the Youth for Global Goals initiative.



Sponsoring and supporting the event, we know that these are passionate individuals interested in ensuring that youths are ready to take on the corporate/private sector when the time arises to further strengthen Peace & Sustainable Economic Development

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WHY

It all started after the

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determined that **cross-cultural understanding** (was essential to prevent similar conflicts.)









WHAT
WE ENABLE YOUNG PEOPLE TO DEVELOP THEIR
LEADERSHIP
THROUGH LEARNING FROM
PRACTICAL
EXPERIENCES
IN
CHALLENGING
ENVIRONMENTS.



Globally...We are on of the world's largest providers of high-calibre youth talent and volunteers. We develop the next generation of leaders and connect them with businesses, government and NGOs. We proudly count a Nobel Peace Prize Laureate and numerous world business and NGO leaders amongst our one million strong alumni community.

In Namibia... AIESEC in Namibia is the 124th expansion of AIESEC that started in 2013. To date the entity has over 100 Internship experiences abroad (for Namibians). We have a local membership of 40 student in 3 Universities across 3 regions (Khomas, Erongo and Oshana). Creating over 20 several conferences and seminars, we hosted the 1st SADC AIESEC Youth conference in 2014.



AIESEC



Global Volunteer is AIESEC's Volunteering Programme. A volunteering adventure that will help you develop life-long friend-ships and provide experiences to shape you for years to come. Volunteer abroad to challenge yourself to do something outside your comfort zone. Experience living and working abroad with cross-cultural teams and families. The experiences range from 6 weeks to 8 weeks



AIESEC's Global Talent programme connects students and recent graduates to paid international Internships experiences across the world. This process is entirely student-operated with AIESEC members working to produce the best quality exchanges possible. Our goal is to send young people in Namibia on programmes that will develop their professional skills and a global mindset by . Each internship lasts between 3 and 18 months and are exclusively available for those that utilize AIESEC's services.





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