



Changemakers Youth Forum

Youth for Future.
Youth for Skills.

Program Booklet

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- GILE Foundation ([GILE](#))
- Pact4Youth Association Hungary ([P4Y](#))
- International Diplomatic Students Association ([IDSA](#))
- Erasmus Student Network Hungary ([ESN HU](#))
- Visegrad for Sustainability ([V4SDG](#))

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Welcome

Dear guests,

On behalf of all the organisers, I would like to welcome you to the Changemakers Youth Forum. Several organisations joined forces to create an international platform to support young people and to actively promote youth engagement, youth participation and youth leadership. However, it is a youth forum that promises to be so much more!

Our collaboration is the beginning of a journey to help co-create systems change.

From the global skills crisis to the global climate crisis, the most significant challenges facing humanity today are systematic in nature. This holds true at a regional and local level too. Our world is complex and interconnected, and you simply cannot create systems change alone. If we want to shape a better future for all of us, then all stakeholders, including young people, need to gather together, on a common platform, to design it together.

We should all be interested in co-creating systems change to ensure that young people can:

- Receive quality education from learning environments that are fit-for-purpose for the 21st century,
- Be able to design their life and shape their future, and
- Have the ability to pursue a successful and meaningful life.

Let's all enjoy this opportunity to meet each other and share our ideas. Let's all engage in meaningful dialogue to really shape our future, together!

Craig V. Johnson,

Forum Chair, Founder & Co-Creator of the GiE Foundation

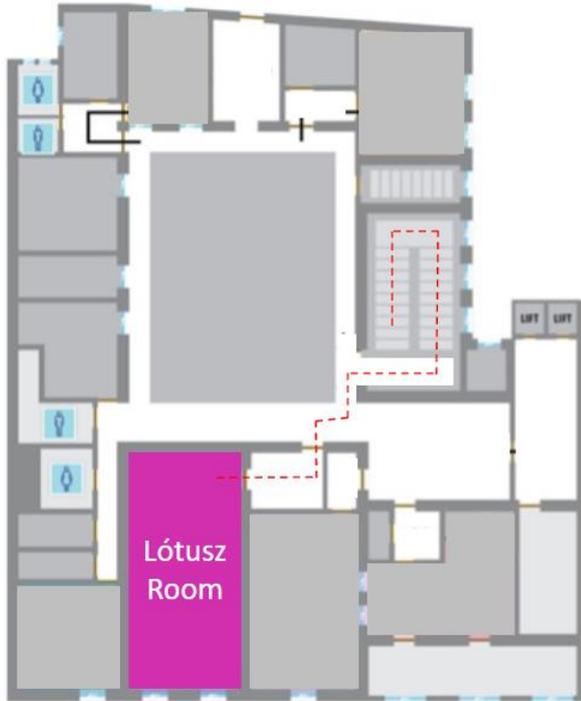
Program Overview

Registration opens at 08:15

	Hamvas Room	Juhar Room	Lótusz Room	Rekettye Room
09:00-11:00	Welcoming & Opening, Keynotes, The Presidents' Roundtable <i>Co-creators & Partners</i>	-	-	-
INTERACTIVE (BREAK-OUT) SESSIONS				
11:20-12:20	Conference on the Future of Europe – Role of Youth in Shaping the Future <i>P4Y Hungary – A1</i>	11:00-14:00 Career Fair & Networking – A2 & B2	GenZ Diplomacy <i>IDSA – A3</i>	New Connections: MyStory is YourStory <i>HelloRobotika – A4</i>
LUNCH (40 MIN)				
13:00-14:00	Conference on the Future of Europe – Youth Shaping the Future <i>P4Y Hungary & V4SDG – B1</i>		Youth for Sustainability <i>V4SDG – B3</i>	Learn to Code <i>Simonyi BME – B4</i>
14:10-15:10	Become a Changemaker <i>GILE & ESN HU – C1</i>	The Theatre of Communication <i>LathamFlow – C2</i>	Think Global, Act Local <i>AIIESEC HU – C3</i>	The Future of Leadership <i>GILE – C4</i>
15:20-16:20	Youth Mobility <i>AIIESEC HU & ESN HU – D1</i>	Youth-led Climate Action 4 Our Futures <i>Sustainaware – D2</i>	Entrepreneurship & Innovation <i>MYCOLive – D3</i>	The Future of Freelancing <i>Briefly – D4</i>
16:30-17:00	Closing	-	-	-

Venue Map

1st Floor



Ground Floor



Opening Session Details

Welcoming & Opening 09:00 – 10:00

Changemakers Youth Forum

Host & Forum Chair:

- Craig V. Johnson – Founder and Co-Creator of the GILE Foundation

Keynote Speakers:

- Ambassador Katalin Bogyay – Diplomat, President of the United Nations Association of Hungary
- Jan Peloza – President at the European Youth Card Association and Acting Secretary General at the International Youth Health Organization
- Jacques Spelkens – Board member of CSR Europe and Senior CSR Advisor at ENGIE Benelux

The Presidents Roundtable 10:00 – 11:00

GiLE, Panel Discussion

Moderator: Craig V. Johnson, craig.johnson@gile-edu.org – Founder & Co-Creator of the GiLE Foundation

Speakers:

- Daniel Al-Nuwaihi – President of AIESEC in Hungary
- Lilla Bartuszek – Secretary-General of Visegrad for Sustainability (V4SDG)
- István Kárász – President of Pact4Youth Association Hungary
- Bernadett Pintér – President of Erasmus Student Network (ESN) Hungary
- Tereza Suk – President of International Diplomatic Students Association (IDSA)
- Pál Weisz – President of Simonyi Károly Szakkollégium (Simonyi BME)

Summary

It seldom happens that leaders of impactful youth organisations share the stage together to engage in meaningful and thought-provoking discussions. During this roundtable discussion, we'll discuss what each leader hopes to achieve with the Changemakers Youth Forum, and we'll unpack its thematic areas: Youth for Skills and Youth for Future.

We will delve into the youth landscape and engage on aspects that relate to youth empowerment, youth leadership, the importance of 21st century skills development, the needs of young people, and the importance of youth participation in decision making to help plot the way forward for the future of Hungary and the Central and Eastern European region. Furthermore, after shedding light on some of the major challenges that all young people face in Hungary and abroad, we'll discuss some of the practical solutions that can help address them, and how stakeholders can get involved.

Interactive Sessions' Details

A1. Conference on the Future of Europe – The role of Youth in shaping the Future 11:20 – 12:20

P4Y Hungary, Panel Discussion

Moderator: István Kárász, istvan.karasz@pact4youth.hu – President of Pact4Youth Hungary

Speakers:

- Balint Horvath, PhD – Circular Economy Regional Policy Officer, Embassy of the Kingdom of the Netherlands in Hungary and Slovakia
- Zsófia Rácz – Deputy State Secretary for Youth Affairs in Hungary
- Tamás Rentz – Head of Sustainable Development Department at the Hungarian Ministry for Innovation and Technology
- Nóra Rodek, PhD – Senior Lecturer at University of Pannonia & Founder of The Rodek Method (CSR EMAT)
- Jacques Spelkens – Board member of CSR Europe

Summary

The Conference on the Future of Europe is a year-long dialogue between citizens and the EU, finishing in a plenary session in the European Parliament. This is a huge opportunity for young people, as they can share their ideas with each other, share their concerns, and make suggestions about priorities and challenges. For this reason, the European Youth Card Association, with members and partners, created the #STANDFORSOMETHING campaign and created a continent-wide survey to address policy makers on the most important issues, the youth is facing. 2022 will be the European year of youth – how can we contribute to shaping the future? What is the role of local, national and European decision makers in making a more sustainable socio-economic environment, and how will the European green deal and its results impact youth and the future of work?

Bl. Conference on the Future of Europe – Youth shaping the Future 13:00 – 14:00

P4Y Hungary & V4SDG, World Café

Facilitators:

- Lilla Bartuszek, lilla.judit.bartuszek@v4sdg.com – Secretary-General of V4SDG
- István Kárász, istvan.karasz@pact4youth.hu – President of Pact4Youth Hungary

Table Moderators & Topics:

- Lilla Bartuszek – Sustainable infrastructure
- Réka Bogár – Quality Education
- Balint Horvath, PhD – Circular Economy
- Fanni Kelemen – Framework for regional sustainable cooperation
- Szabina Laskai – V4 as a Global Actor
- Rodek Nóra, PhD – Innovation and Sustainable economy
- Tamás Rentz – National and European sustainability policies & Youth in policy making
- Jacques Spelkens – Corporate Social Responsibility
- Tímea Tüttő – Agricultural & Rural development

Summary

Join this World Café to contribute your voice to the discussions and recommendations on the topics (listed above) from the Conference on the Future of Europe through the #STANDFORSOMETHING Campaign. #STANDFORSOMETHING is a youth engagement campaign coordinated by the European Youth Card Association and funded by the European Parliament, organised to contribute to the Conference on the Future of Europe. It aims to “mobilise the energy of young people and deliver their messages to European decision makers.”

C1. Become a Changemaker 14:10 – 15:10

GiLE, IDSA, P4Y Hungary & ESN HU, Presentation & Interactive Discussion

Facilitator:

- Thomas Banza, thomas.banza@gile-edu.org – Youth Partnership Coordinator at the GiLE Foundation
- Zsuzsa Barnóczki – Communications Manager, Pact for Youth Association Hungary
- Flora Kisbarnai, kisbarnai.flora@gmail.com – IDSA
- Shivaan Munnisunker, shivaan.munnisunker@gile-edu.org – Project Manager at the GiLE Foundation
- Bernadett Pintér – President of Erasmus Student Network (ESN) Hungary

Summary

Join this presentation and discussion to learn about our Changemakers Toolkit. This toolkit serves as a meaningful guide for aspiring changemakers who want to make a positive impact in their community. Participants will learn the tools and frameworks that can help them articulate the problem they wish to solve, detail the specific needs of the community and people affected by the problem, understand the role players and stakeholders involved, find solutions that are practical, create an effective strategy, set goals, and learn how to communicate and market your idea to gather broader support.

During this session, you will have to opportunity to ask questions about being a changemaker and bounce off ideas to take your initiatives forward. The Changemakers Toolkit is a product of the collaboration between the co-creators of the CYF, namely GiLE Foundation, IDSA, Pact4Youth Hungary, and ESN Hungary.

D1. Youth Mobility 15:20 – 16:20

ESN HU & AIESEC in HU, Mobility Café

Facilitators:

- Márton Beer – National Representative at ESN Hungary
- Marcell Kovács, marcell.kovacs@aiesec.net – Head of Business Development at AIESEC in Hungary
- Bernadett Pinter, president@esn.hu – President at ESN Hungary

Speakers:

- Luana D’Arc – Professional Exchange Program Director at AIESEC in Hungary
- Ernesto Domínguez de Anda – Talent development coordinator for Hungary & Eastern Europe at Tata Consultancy Services
- Adél Balogh
- Balázs Krabác – Treasurer at ESN Hungary

Summary

Grab a complimentary coffee and join this session to hear about and discuss different mobility opportunities for youth presented by ESN Hungary and AIESEC in Hungary. Ask questions to students who have participated in these travel, study and learning experiences and listen to their stories. Information will be shared about the Erasmus+ program in Hungary and internships supported by AIESEC.

Mobility Café is a session where various stakeholders and experts give information to students about the different mobility opportunities, then students who have participated in the given kind of mobility share their experiences with their peers. We identified the obstacles in mobility (lack of information by peers) and we tailored an event which serves the needs of students.

A2 & B2. Career Fair & Networking 11:00 – 14:00

Changemakers Youth Forum, Exhibition

Summary

Whether you're launching your career or revamping it, don't miss this free opportunity to connect with organisations and companies looking for volunteers or entry-level professionals. Gain unique insight into the skills needs of businesses and find out what HR managers are looking for in potential employees.

Meet Youth Organisations

Are you interested in skills and professional development, career building or expanding your network? Come explore youth mobility and youth volunteer opportunities by chatting to representatives from local and regional youth organisations.

Exhibitors:

GiLE Foundation	Simonyi Károly Szakkollégium
Pact 4 Youth Hungary	EIT Health Alumni
Erasmus Students Network Hungary	Global Shapers Hungary
International Diplomatic Students Association	GE Gas Power
V4SDG	Sustainaware
AIESEC in Hungary	MYCOLive

C2. The Theatre of Communication 14:10 – 15:10

LathamFlow & Scallabouche Theatre, Workshop

Facilitator: Alexis Latham, alexis@lathamflow.com – Founder of LathamFlow & Director of Scallabouche Theatre

Summary

Like it or not there is a lot of theatre involved in everyday communication. According to the Sociologist Philip Goffman, there is a constant flow of theatre happening in our everyday lives when we interact with each other and most of it is so well learnt that we are almost unconscious of how we take part and the roles we ourselves play.

This 60-minute practical workshop is designed to raise your awareness, to give you an insight into the types of roles you are comfortable playing, why you play them and how you can better understand and interact with other styles of behaviour that you may find a challenge. There are many theatrical practices and theatrical philosophies that can be applied in our everyday communication to improve the way we connect with those around us. Learning how to communicate with more clarity has tremendous benefits, including enhancing your ability to build longer and more trusting relationships.

D2. Youth-led Climate Action 4 Our Futures – Training for Trainers 15:20 – 16:20

Sustainaware Project, Workshop

Facilitator: Viktor Jósa, viktorjosa@gmail.com – Freelance Consultant & Climate Action Educator

Speakers:

- Lilla Bartuszek, Project Consultant & Secretary-General of Visegrad for Sustainability (V4SDG)

Summary

WTF is climate change? Join us to learn about climate change education and what role you have to play to help safeguard our futures. Through the Sustainaware Project, an educational competence model on climate change education was developed for Hungary. It's meant to empower educators and future trainers, including members of youth & students organisations, as well as career entrants. The goal is to carry out non-formal education with innovative tools for competency development through interactive educational activities.

We invite & train students, members of youth associations, as well as future educators to become climate action multipliers through the competence model. We will introduce the model, feature interactive educational tools and provide training resources for participants. University students and career entrants are welcome to join to be trained for using tools, which can help you gather experience in public-speaking through using software-based models to card games and more.

A3. GenZ Diplomacy: Skills to gain and challenges to face 11:20 – 12:20

IDSA, Presentation

Facilitator: Gréta Kovács, kovacs.gree@gmail.com – Vice President for Foreign Affairs at IDSA

Speaker:

- Ambassador Katalin Bogyay – Diplomat, President of the United Nations Association of Hungary, 15th Permanent Delegate of Hungary to the UN in New York (2015–2020), Permanent Delegate to UNESCO in Paris (2009–2014), President of UNESCO's 36th General Conference (2011–2013)

Summary

Being interested in international relations and day-to-day world politics is very common among young people, because young professionals would like to be up-to-date with what is happening in the world around them, and what forces shape the future. Therefore, the future of diplomacy is an interesting topic to discuss and what is required for a young leader aspiring to be a diplomat, what challenges we face in this day and age, and how it changes during the years. During this session, we would like to touch upon the effects of Covid-19, the information revolution taking place at a fast pace, the role of social media in diplomacy, and how it changes classical roles and how new actors are appearing in diplomacy.

Besides being informed about how world politics and the roles of diplomats are changing, participants can learn what skills we need for successful negotiations and cooperation in this day and age and how to strategically use modern platforms to reach our goals - linking to the main topic of the conference, 'Youth for Future'. Ambassadors and their teams carry the major changes and agreements that world politics is based on. Not only does it affect the political and social aspects of life, but even more the international economics, thus attending this session may be a point of interest for any of the forum's participants.

B3. Youth for Sustainability 13:00 – 14:00

V4SDG, Workshop

Facilitator: Zsófia Rácz – Deputy State Secretary for Youth Affairs in Hungary

Summary

The UN's Sustainable Development Goals, encompassing social, economic and environmental fields, is a comprehensive plan that focusses on people, peace, prosperity, the planet, and partnerships. Youth involvement plays a crucial role in the implementation of SDG interventions, as youth are the future and should take part in creating it. This session aims to ensure that participants “have the relevant information and awareness for sustainable development and lifestyles in harmony with nature.” This is a workshop to discuss and discover the Sustainable Development Goals, their interconnectedness, and the role of youth participation.

Activities and debates will be facilitated to critically question the conceptual design of the SDGs, applicability in our lives and for the future of humankind. We will talk about how the new generation thinks differently and acts differently in response to the climate and economic crises - what can we do as a collective? how to take action to change our current unsustainable practices and way of life? Can we do anything to have our voices heard? How does the government play a role?

Join us to share your thoughts and opinions, practice your debating and listening skills, and get to know peers that share similar values and concerns regarding sustainable development.

C3. Think Global, Act Local 14:10 – 15:10

AIESEC in Hungary, Workshop

Facilitator: Marcell Kovács, marcell.kovacs@aiesec.net – Head of Business Development at AIESEC in Hungary

Summary

Do you believe you have an impact on big global issues? Or you think that you are too small to make a difference?

In this session, we will talk about global citizenship. It's about how open we are to what is happening around us in the world and whether we can influence it. We will try to give you a perspective on acting locally, taking small steps. During this process, we will touch on the topic of news and media, youth leadership, how we see our surroundings and the possibilities to have an impact on it. The main goal is to make you think. To provoke more thoughts and conversations, you will have some interactive tasks that will help you get an idea on how you can make a difference, what you can do from tomorrow, that will have a positive impact.

Is the world getting progressively better, or progressively worse? Do you, as an individual matter in this whole mess of happenings? By the end of the session, you will have your answers to these questions and have small tangible actions ready to implement at a local scale, to have a global impact.

D3. MYCOlive Entrepreneurship and Innovation 15:20 – 16:20

MYCOlive, Presentation & Interactive Discussion

Facilitator: Mani Yanika, mani@mycolive.com – CEO & Co-founder at MYCOlive

Summary

Learn about Entrepreneurship and Innovation and how it can help to build the skillsets of the future whether in corporate setting or when pursuing a start-up.

The session will include an introduction of MYCOlive, a top Budapest-based start-up that provides eco-living and eco-working designer apartments through its booking platform. We will discuss real examples of innovation during crisis, as well as soft and hard skills that's needed in the future of work such as resilience, problem solving skills and attention to detail (customer focused).

We will also cover the importance of execution and highlight a few useful tips for business planning, stakeholder engagement such as how to navigate corporate culture, and building your personal brand.

A4. New Connections: MyStory is YourStory 11:20 – 12:20

(LEGO® SERIOUS PLAY® methodology)

HelloRobotika, Workshop

Facilitators:

- Vad Ágnes, agnes.vad.hungary@gmail.com
- Viola Szekely, viola.szekely@gmail.com

Summary

In a constantly changing environment, having fine-tuned skills is an essential part of meeting the challenges of everyday life. The best way to discover My problems are the same as Your problems is by talking about them. Exchanging MyImpressions, MyThoughts, MyPlans, and MyVision may provide a secure platform on the one hand for learning about the importance of communication skills and empathy, the importance of listening and storytelling, and on the other hand, understanding people behaviour, the way their actions and decisions come to life. LEGO® SERIOUS PLAY® is probably the best tool to provide a safe environment for a forum where young people could exchange Best Practices on topics that all are familiar with. This kind of experience helps them increase their self-confidence and develop all the skills needed to further steps in life. A new way of thinking and a new attitude for group collaboration and cooperation develop a great appreciation for others.

In this one-hour workshop, participants will build their LEGO models based on the topic – so they exchange MyStories one on one, just like having a date. After 2 – 2 minutes of storytelling, they will move to the next chair, so new pairs will be coupled. Based on the LEGO model metaphor, they will get to know each other and understand many comrades are on the way. They will build with creativity, listen with empathy, ask with curiosity, and answer with confidence.

B4. Learn to Code & Discover 3D Design 13:00 – 14:00

Simonyi BME, Workshop

Facilitators:

- András Borbás, borbas.andras@simonyi.bme.hu – Enthusiastic Web Mentor at Simonyi Károly Szakkollégium
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Summary

Computers rapidly became one of the most used tools in our lives, mainly because they help us to connect with each other. During this session we will offer participants the opportunity to learn about coding as well as 3D design:

Learn to Code: In this workshop, we want to introduce you to the exciting world of Web Development and provide guidance to explore it. We will talk about some of the fundamentals of the World Wide Web and show you how you can use it to level up your online presence. One great instrument for this is to learn the basics of writing code to achieve your goals. We will discuss many ways for staying up to date with the latest trends and improvements. Learning to create web applications with modern tools can be a smooth and fun experience.

3D Design: It's a fact, 3D design is everywhere in the world around us, from the more obvious, like games and CGI in movies, to the less noticeable, industrial visualization and healthcare. Our presentation will showcase these use cases of 3D design and then also dive a bit deeper into its details and types. We will also show you how you can start creating anything in 3D, let it be art or a visualization for a project. In the end we will showcase the projects our student group created for various other student groups and non-profit organizations, so you can get inspired to create anything you can imagine.

C4. The Future of Leadership 14:10 – 15:10

GE Gas Power, Workshop

Facilitator: Valeriano Donzelli – Executive, Global Supply Chain & Inclusion and Diversity Leader at GE Gas Power

Summary

The world is changing at an unprecedented speed... but what is happening in the realm of Leadership? During this session, we will share valuable insights on how leadership paradigms, principles, and role-models are shifting toward more humane values, and how this is going to impact workplaces in the next decade.

During this session, you will have the opportunity to hear how large corporations are shaping their talents and (future) leaders around shared values while becoming more and more intentional on creating cultures where Diversity, Equality and Inclusion (DEI) are key enablers to high performing organisations.

D4. The Future of Freelancing 15:20 – 16:20

Briefly, Presentation & Interactive Discussion

Facilitator: Réka Bittera, reka@briefly.work – Co-founder at Briefly.work

Summary

Join us for a conversation on the future of freelancing. We are sure you've heard clichés like new generations are unable to hold a "real" job and this is why they become freelancers. Our mission is to prove that Millennials and Gen Z are not lazy, not irresponsible, and definitely not quitters. We want to create new opportunities for them, so that they don't need to organize their lives around work, but start planning their work around life.

We kick off the session with a short talk about new ways of working: remote work, freelancing, digital nomads. The talk will function as catalysts for the following workshop in which we invite participants to help imagine how the future could be shaped through designing a number of preferable future scenarios.

Questions the session will explore: How to decide if you should freelance? How to start your freelance career? How to choose your side hustle? How to find your first clients? How to maintain your freelance lifestyle? How to grow as a freelancer both personally and professionally? How to create a perfect work-life balance? – meaning – When to say no?

Extra Info

Networking Lounge

Visit the cosy Atrium Room, right next to the Hamvas Room, to meet-up with peers, friends and acquaintances to discuss ideas and catch up over coffee and tea before and in-between sessions.

Live-streaming

All sessions in the Hamvas Room will be live-streamed on Facebook, and posted afterwards to Youtube. You can follow these pages to watch virtually:

- Facebook: https://www.facebook.com/cyf.budapest/live_videos/
- [CYF Youtube Channel](#)

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