The Youth Action Challenge (YAC) is a key thrust of the SG Youth Action Plan (SG YAP), empowering youths to champion ground-up initiatives in partnership with government, businesses and community organisations. The programme provides opportunities for youths to turn their ideas into reality through a series of curated workshop, mentorship and guidance from experienced industry professionals.

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Grants Awarded to YAC S4 Teams

The results are out!

Teams have pitched their ideas to judges and fellow youths for grants to actualise their projects, through the Final Open Mic sessions and Participatory Budgeting exercise respectively.

View the full list of grants awarded to YAC S4 teams below.
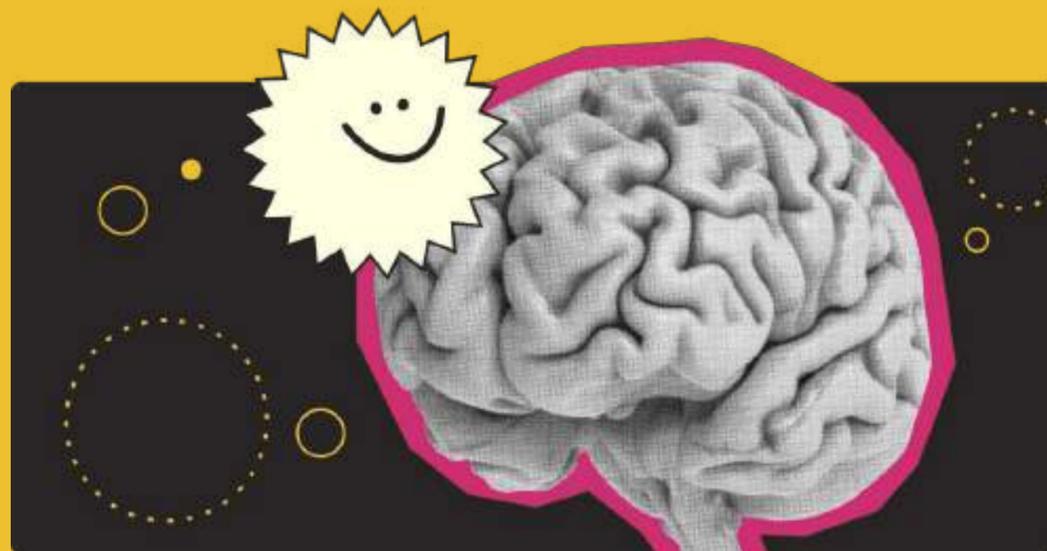
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Themes

The fourth season of YAC will focus on the following four themes and sub-themes,
with a focus on the challenge statements identified below:

Mental Well-Being   Environment & Sustainability   Inclusivity   Support for Vulnerable Groups

Mental Well-Being

Peer Support

Challenge Statements

- How can we equip youths with better peer support skills (e.g. how to provide socio-emotional support, understanding when to suggest seeing a professional) and opportunities to practice these skills so that they are better prepared to support others?

Awareness and Engagement

Challenge Statements

- How can we encourage discussions on mental well-being topics (e.g., by facilitating difficult conversations with peers, family members, colleagues, or members of the public) to reassure and engage youth in overcoming their concerns to help seeking, promote and normalise mental well-being and help-seeking?

- How can we guide our youth to better access the relevant resources when reaching out (e.g., improve the accessibility, knowing what are the avenues of support, how to and find what they need)?

Sustainable Lifestyle

Challenge Statements

- How can we encourage the public to adopt green lifestyles to minimise waste, including food?

Rising Sea Levels / Coastal Protection

Challenge Statements

- With climate change and sea level rise affecting coastal cities like Singapore, how can we encourage our youths to care about it and its impact on Singapore to our livelihood, mortality, commute, nature, and so much more? How can we spread understanding/ awareness about what's unique about our coastlines and the opportunity to re-imagine them as we protect our coasts?

- How might we raise youths' awareness of what Singapore is doing to protect our coastlines and develop activities for youths to involve and contribute to protecting Singapore's coasts?

Race & Religion

Challenge Statements

- How do we build meaningful relationships across races and religions in the workplace?

- How can we foster greater respect and understanding for diversity in online platforms?

Local-Foreigner Integration

Challenge Statements

- How might we develop experiences or activities that help newcomers adapt to our local culture and connect with the local community?

- How might we encourage Singaporeans to be more understanding and welcoming to foreigners in our society?

Support for Vulnerable Groups

Challenge Statements

- The challenges faced by vulnerable families and individuals (e.g. low-income families) have been exacerbated with the COVID-19 pandemic, and the government and community has since rolled out various initiatives to support these groups. How can youths continue to raise awareness about these groups and support them?

- Throughout the past 2 years of the pandemic, we have witnessed spontaneous acts of giving and caring in the community. How can we further mobilise the community to look out for one another and build strong networks of support for vulnerable groups?

The YAC Season 4 Journey
Oct 2022 to Jan 2023

1

Context Setting

Understand the issue, policy context and gaps

8 Oct | 10am – 1pm
- Mental Well-being
- Environment & Sustainability

8 Oct | 3pm – 6pm
- Support for Vulnerable Groups
- Inclusivity

In-person Session

2

Team Formation (Part 1)*

Get to know other participants and form teams (Part 1)

15 Oct | 10am – 1pm
- Mental Well-being
- Environment & Sustainability

15 Oct | 3pm – 6pm
- Support for Vulnerable Groups
- Inclusivity

*Only for participants without a team.

In-person Session

3

Team Formation (Part 2)*

Get to know other participants and form teams (Part 2)

22 Oct | 10am – 12pm

*Only for participants without a team.

In-person Session

4

Theory of Change

Develop a foundational understanding of Theory of Change and developing a model for your project

29 Oct | 9.30am – 12pm (Beginner level)

30 Oct | 9.30am – 12pm (Intermediate level)

Virtual Session

5

Social Enterprise Models

Understanding the model of a social enterprise

2 Nov | 7.30pm – 9.30pm (Beginner level)

3 Nov | 7.30pm – 9.30pm (Intermediate level)

Virtual Session

6

Impact Measurement

Setting impact goals, identifying metrics to measure and measurement techniques

5 Nov | 9.30am – 12pm

Intro to Sustainable Development Goals

A deep dive into the 17 SDGs, targets and indicators

5 Nov | 12pm – 1.15pm

Virtual Session

7

Human–Centred Design for the Social Impact Sector

A 3-step framework for developing social venture ideas

9 Nov | 7.30pm – 9.30pm

Virtual Session

8

Effective Budgeting

Understanding the building blocks of budgeting and familiarising with budgeting tool

12 Nov | 9.30am – 12.00pm (Beginner level)

13 Nov | 9.30am – 12.00pm (Intermediate level)

Virtual Session

9

Group Consultations (Round 1)

To foster collective learning and problem-solving between different groups

14 Nov | 7.30pm – 9.30pm: Marketing

15 Nov | 7.30pm – 9.30pm: Business Development

16 Nov | 7.30pm – 9.30pm: Tech

17 Nov | 7.30pm – 9.30pm: Financials

Virtual Session

10

Consult Clinic

Get feedback from industry professionals

26 Nov | 10am – 1pm

Virtual Session

11

Group Consultations (Round 2)

To foster collective learning and problem-solving between different groups

5 Dec | 7.30pm – 9.30pm: Marketing

6 Dec | 7.30pm – 9.30pm: Business Development

7 Dec | 7.30pm – 9.30pm: Tech

8 Dec | 7.30pm – 9.30pm: Financials

Virtual Session

12

Mid-point Sharing

Panel dialogue and mid-point progress check-in for all teams

10 Dec | 10am – 12.30pm:
- Mental Well-being
- Environment & Sustainability

10 Dec | 2.30pm – 5pm:
- Support for Vulnerable Groups
- Inclusivity

*Teams will be assigned to one of the time slots

In-person Session

13

Storypitching Masterclass

Learn how to craft a compelling pitch

17 Dec | 9.30am – 1pm

Virtual Session

14

1-1 Pitch Coaching Sessions

18 Dec – 27 Jan

At team's preferred time slot

15

Final Open Mic

Pitch your ideas for funding

28 Jan | 9:30am – 5:30pm
- Mental Well-being
- Environment & Sustainability

29 Jan | 9:30am – 5:30pm
- Support for Vulnerable Groups
- Inclusivity

In-person Session

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Participatory Budgeting Exercise

Teams that are awarded a grant at the Final Open Mic and require additional funding will have the option to take part in a Participatory Budgeting exercise to receive additional funding.

30 Jan – 28 Feb

Online exercise

Things To Note

- Programme and dates are subject to change and will be updated closer to the programme start date.
- Modality of activities and engagements are subject to change depending on the COVID-19 situation. Participants will be notified in advance about the changes.

Find out more

Our past Youth Action Season 3 here

FAQs

Sign ups

Teams

Who may participate in the Youth Action Challenge? ⌄

What can I look forward to in YAC Season 4? ⌄

If I am unable to attend some of the sessions, can I still participate? ⌄

Can I work on my project alone? ⌄

How big should each team be? ⌄

Must I already have a team in order to join? ⌄

Can I sign up as a team if I already have one? ⌄

Can I change my team halfway? ⌄

Themes

Can I sign up for more than one thematic track? ⌄

Can I change themes halfway? ⌄

Execution

What does the grant cover and not cover? ⌄

What is the timeframe for the project? ⌄

Evaluation

What are the criteria by which the project proposals will be assesed? ⌄

Who and where are the industry professionals from? ⌄

How is the grant awarded? ⌄

Participatory Budgeting Exercise

Who may participate in the Participatory Budgeting Exercise? ⌄

How is the PB exercise conducted? ⌄

How would my vote count? ⌄

Others

What is the Youth Co:Lab? ⌄

How is NYC collaborating with the youth co:lab? ⌄

What is the social entrepreneurship (SE) track? ⌄

Meet the teams

Meet the teams from Youth Action Challenge Season 4!

Filter and find your cause by themes and click on the different teams to access their project pages.

Find out more about their proposed solutions for issues that matter in Singapore.

Project Teams

ASHTRONAUT	Be Human	Comooz
Eudaemonicast	Feels on the Bus	Geomatics
Hapack	Hauora	HFaith
How Are You?	Ignis Circles	KURA KURA (Peer Buddies)

Lovespan	**Matter.Less**	**Monumental**
Oolong	**Project Convalescence**	**Project Integrate**
Saline	**SAMA**	**Soothe Sailors**
Team Hosehbo	**The Social Laboratory**	**THRIVE**
	Togather for Good	

Project Teams

Environment & Sustainability

CHUHU	**Circulus**	**Cofeco**
Double Stitch	**Eco Go**	**EcoEnzyme Learning Studio**
Ecologue	**EcoNation**	**EzGreen**
Flint	**GEN F**	**Green Ninja**

HoneyComb	Island Blue	KANT
Kapaw&co	NOPA – Nature's Operaism: Pixel Atlas	Noshinom
Pawfoo	Pomona	Project Enigma
Romainder	Roofresh	Seasquared
ShareRight	Team Utopia	Terraformers
The White Card	Willow	Worthy

Project Teams

Clarity	**Culture X Space**	**GEEK**
In Unity, Undivided	**In-Jobs**	**Kawan**
Kaya Toast	**OwnYourCourt**	**SG Travel Stories**

Project Teams

Agent of Change	**Anacusis**	**Bona Fide**
Delta Impact	**Dream Artisans**	**Gen-Closer**
guub	**HAYWeCare**	**Hey Bud**
Jalan Journey	**Project Forget-Me-Not**	**Scholarly**
Silver Online Service (SOS)	**SpedGrow**	**The Adulting Community**
The Atlas	**The Visible Collective SG**	**Thought Dojo**
	Together We Can	

Welcome to the Participatory Budgeting exercise,

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You have $30,000 in your budget.

How would you allocate it?

Welcome to the Participatory Budgeting Exercise. In this exercise, you will have a virtual budget of $30,000 that you can allocate to youth-led projects which you think will make the greatest impact in the community.

Your votes will be aggregated and used to calculate a proportion of the actual grants that the project teams will eventually receive, and help bring their ideas to life!

View FAQs

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Flint Paper Battery

Current battery technologies are toxic and limited, hindering a fully renewable future. How can we create greener batteries to achieve it? 🌱🔋

Dream Artisans

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Soothe Sailors

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Project Thrive

95% of Singaporeans aged 18-24 (Gen Zs) are one of the most stressed out generations. 50% stated they felt depressed. From feeling depressed, to struggling, being okay, and to surviving. How can we capture youth before they reach the 'struggling' phase, and motivate them?

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Be Human

How can we better encourage dialogue on the individual's overall well-being, to further help them facilitate self-management and resilience, and empower themselves towards a value-creating mode of living?

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Togather for Good

According to a National Population Health Survey by MOH, 18-29 year olds had the highest prevalence of poor mental health as compared to other age groups! There are many reasons for this. Transitioning from school to work can be an especially confusing time moving from a controlled environment of sorts to having to navigate adulting. This has real life implications on individuals, communities, and the economy in Singapore and beyond. This period of time with a lot of uncertainties is also when individuals may be looking for additional support and have the autonomy to do so. As individuals sit in various spaces, TFG is looking to put into practice its 3E mission of ENGAGING organisations, EMPOWERING individuals, and ELEVATING lives and communities.

Matter.Less

The inertia to start conversations about mental health arises due to social stigma. (a) In the Malay-Muslim community, death and suicide remains a taboo topic, the grieving process of an individual who lost someone to suicide is often isolating, with difficulties reaching out to family members who go through the same thing. (b) The sex worker community are vulnerable to mental health issues due to their occupational hazards (assault, rape, scam), and society's lack of understanding that sex work is work. This group is often invisible and driven underground, reaching out for help (professional or to those around them) in the aftermath of traumatic events experienced during work is a challenge for them. How do we destigmatize these communities and issues, and start more conversations on

Check-In Champions

As Singapore move from sick care to proactive and preventive healthcare, how could we do the same for mental health? With physical health, we could have a healthy diet, exercise frequently and go for regular check-ups, but what can we do for our mental health, especially with the stigma surrounding us?

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ASHTRONAUT

In our stoic Asian culture, it is difficult to talk about death. How can we encourage discussions on mental well-being topics, such as loss, grief & dealing with suicidal thoughts, and increase our death literacy through these conversations? Death Literacy is the willingness to take action, coupled with the practical knowledge needed to plan well for end of life. One is never too young to start thinking about these matters.

Hauora

Mental health resources are being shared in schools. However, it is difficult for teachers to find engaging ways to encourage their students to change long-term behaviours. How can we make such sessions more engaging for and relatable to students?

KURA KURA

Loneliness is the feeling of being disconnected from others, when there is a gap between the social connections we desire and those we receive. Generation Zs surveyed are significantly more likely than any other generation to experience the feelings associated with loneliness. In fact, almost 30% of Gen Zs we surveyed in Singapore feel that they have no one to talk to about their struggles. This is despite them being active users of social media. How can we make it easier to receive the right doses of meaningful social connection?

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Project Integration

In this 21st-century landscape, suicide is now the second leading cause of death among 15-29-year-olds. Stemming from the lack of vulnerability, self-awareness (Flynn & Rudolph, 2007), identity crisis (Marcia, 2002), anti-social and high impulsivity (Glatz et al, 2011), youths are susceptible to mental issues (Patterson, 2020) if their mental wellbeing is overlooked. How can we prevent such instances from happening?

Team Hosehbo

How might we encourage discussions on mental well-being topics in order to encourage youths in overcoming their concerns so that they can normalized mental well-being.

Lovespan

Communication issues account for 65% of divorces, followed by a failure to resolve conflicts which accounts for 43%. It is important for couples to diffuse conflicts, find solutions, and meet both parties' needs, while staying respectful. Considering Singapore's high divorce rate, how do we help couples communicate better and manage conflicts?

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Oolong

Youths between 18 to 25, are at the phase of rapid mental maturity, that includes the refinement of their thought processes and the formation of deeper connections. During which, it is often unfamiliar and challenging to manage relationships. How do we create values and reasons for youths to meetup more and connect deeply with their peers

Ignis Circles

Despite increasing mental health awareness, there are still numerous bullying and other unreported incidents that remain unaddressed and lead to trauma and isolation. How might we provide a safe space for youths so that those struggling with their mental health have access to an immediate community they can turn to?

The Social Laboratory

One in three youth in Singapore suffer from symptoms of depression, anxiety, and other mental health issues. This growing crisis is taking a devastating toll on our youth, hindering their ability to reach their full potential and thrive in life. We believe that the key to addressing this issue lies in creating a positive youth development program that builds confidence, resilience, and peer support within the youth community.

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Flint Paper Battery

Current battery technologies are toxic and limited, hindering a fully renewable future. How can we create greener batteries to achieve it? 🌱🔋

Divert for 2nd Life (D2L.sg)

50% of Singapore's food waste comes from businesses and a significant amount is still edible. Some businesses may divert the food from bins, but the most common methods are putting food in the digester or composting them. Imagine blemished but still nutritious berries thrown into the digester when they could have been eaten by a grateful human being - what a waste! At the same time, a large and growing number of people in Singapore, including youths, is suffering due to rising costs of living and worsening food security. How can *all* surplus food go to the *best and highest* use, benefitting humans, then animals, then plants, using the least amount of resources while generating maximum environmental and social good?

Terraformers

Singaporeans are aware of environmental issues but struggle to participate meaningfully in sustainable initiatives. In fact, 75% of Singaporeans want a better way to get involved. How can we establish deep connections between lifestyles and climate to cultivate a strong regenerative culture? Through Regenerative Travel, you can experience authentic daily lifestyles of indigenous peoples and nomads in climate-vulnerable geographies, encouraging the preservation of cultures that face the threat of elimination by climate change.

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Pawfoo

Every year, Singapore food manufacturers dispose perfectly safe-to-eat food due to excess stock. While there are plenty of businesses are upcycling food for humans, currently there are little upcycled options for pets in Singapore. How might we upcycle excess food into nutritious and functional food for pets in Singapore?

EzGreen

Singaporeans (about 80%) are becoming more environmentally conscious, but unsustainable practices are still prevalent in Singapore, For example, about 800 thousands tonnes of food wasted; Only 19% of food and 6% of plastic waste were recycled, etc. So, how can we bridge the gap between thinking and actions, and to encourage more Singaporeans to take part actively in sustainable practices?

Cofeco

Singapore aims to cut waste to landfills by 30%, and there is roughly 6000 tonnes of coffee grounds waste annually. How can we reduce our coffee grounds waste?

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Eco Go

According to the OCBC Climate Index, the top three reasons Singaporeans do not adopt green practices include inconvenience and finding it hard to maintain sustainable habits. How might we incentivize Singaporeans to reduce their waste and increase their awareness on methods of doing so?

EcoEnzyme Learning Studio

Households are reluctant to change their lifestyle choices and behaviour despite knowing adopting a green lifestyle is "good" and "right". How might we integrate the paradox of people knowing adopting green habits is right, and them actually practicing green habits at home?

Ecologue

A large part of the reason why Singaporeans face such difficulty in adopting green lifestyles is due to the inconvenience and the green premium faced by individuals when they attempt to do so. As the public has little say in sustainability policies and initiatives, a growing discrepancy between what consumers want and what is available will continue to form. How can we make it more accessible for everyone?

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Kapaw&co

Food waste is the 3rd most disposed waste that takes up unnecessary space and emits harmful gas when burnt. Current pet food options lack nutrients and are tasteless as well. How can we reduce food waste in Singapore whilst providing pets with healthier, nutritional food?

Nature's Operaism: Pixel Atlas

Climate change affects the cities people inhabit, however, a growing proportion of urban dwellers lack an understanding of climatic concerns in their cities until crisis strikes. This hinders communication between stakeholders during crisis prevention. In Singapore, this needs to be addressed to improve the quality of dialogue on rising sea-levels and better understand public sentiments for better planning. How can you contribute?

EcoNation

In 2020 alone, Singapore contributed 665,000 tons of food wastage! As the amount of food waste is proportional to our carbon footprints, Singaporeans should play their part by inculcating habits to reduce food wastage from young. How can we encourage Youths to reduce food waste?

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Pomona

Food waste is one of the biggest waste streams in Singapore. As 40% of the food waste comes from fruits. How can we reduce fruit wastage?

Noshinom

Close to 400,000kg of fruits imported are disposed of in Singapore and cosmetic standards in industries such as supermarkets are the main culprit. Something radically different needs to change to reduce this food waste and improve efficiency dramatically. How can we help reduce fruit waste from cosmetic standards?

GEN F

Fashion is the second largest polluter today. With Gen Z accounting for the majority of e'commerce growth and fast fashion consumption, the need for education and accessible alternatives must arise. How can we integrate the importance of sustainable fashion and conscious consumerism in today's education system?

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ShareRight

The retail sector is one of the highest consumers of energy per floor area. For retailers experiencing low traffic in their areas, it creates underutilized and energy inefficient malls. How can we better utilize and rejuvenate these spaces to reduce energy wastage and bring revenue to these retailers?

The White Card

Avoidable food waste constitutes half of the food waste generated daily in Singapore. As we strive towards environmental sustainability, how can we help Singaporeans reduce their food waste?

Romainder

Food waste within Singapore is rising, amounting to 817,000 tonnes in 2021, a 23% increase in a year alone. As Singapore's sole landfill catapults towards maximum capacity, everyone plays a part in impeding this exponential growth and threat to our nation's future. How can we redirect our resources and our food waste back into industries, and how can we achieve this drastic decrease in Singapore's food waste?

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Willow

Even with extensive public effort encourage and high awareness to be sustainable, the adoption is still very low. How may we increase adoption by making it affordable and convenient for all Singaporeans to use reusable food packaging?

Worthy

Businesses are discarding items that are still in good state because of space constraints or other reasons. This causes wastage in large quantities. One man's junk is another man's treasure. How can we connect to the right businesses?

Project Enigma

The toy industry creates huge amounts of waste. By one statistic, 8 out of 10 toys manufactured become waste and exacerbate water and air pollution. Many of these are still in good condition when discarded. How can we turn this situation around and promote more sustainable consumption patterns among people?

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Roofresh

Singapore's carbon emissions have been on a steady increase – in parallel with our growing industries. Singapore ranks 27th in terms of highest carbon emissions per capita. How can we work towards our net-zero carbon future?

Seasquared

How can we raise youth's awareness of what Singapore is doing to protect our coastlines, and develop activities for youths to get involved and contribute to protecting Singapore's coastlines?

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OwnYourCourt

✈️ Imagine this... you are a foreigner in a completely new country and you don't know anyone. You're feeling lonely, looking to connect with the local community but you don't know where to start. Basketball is a sport that is played by over 450 million ‼️ people across the globe 🌍. How can we use basketball 🏀 as a common language 🗨️ to help foreigners integrate into our local 🇮🇩 culture and connect with the local community?

Clarity

🌟The young, passionate generation of creators face unique challenges as they transition into the professional world, including limited 🌍 real-world experiences, underdeveloped portfolios, and new challenges presented by technology and the pandemic. It's crucial to strengthen 💪 and unify their cultural identity before entering the workforce to ensure success and support growth 📈 in a rapidly changing environment. **#TogetherCulture #YoungCreatorsUnite #ClarityMetaverse #Inclusivity #ShapeTheFutureOfWork**

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Jalan Journey

Using traditional classroom lessons for Citizenship and Character Education (CCE) is increasingly ineffective in engaging a new generation of more technologically adept youths. Given that CCE is critical for educating them on social issues, how can we use virtual experiential learning to immerse youths in CCE?

Dream Artisans

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guub

Social organisations' fundraising efforts are often inconsistent, especially during an economic downturn. They focus their funds on helping beneficiaries instead of marketing, and most have limited manpower. How can we mobilise the art community to support these organisations financially, and also strengthen awareness of their mission through merchandise?

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The Adulting Community

Top life challenges faced by Singaporean youths revolve around adulting (the ability to bounce forward from life challenges). To navigate adulthood better, youth need to be financially literate and have the interpersonal skills for work and romantic relationships. How can we better support youths at adulting?

Bona Fide

Very few Singaporeans are confident in interacting with people on the autism spectrum due to a lack of opportunities to interact with them, leading to the lack of integration of autistic people into the community. How can we create opportunities for neurotypicals to forge genuine relationships through meaningful interactions with autistic people?

Agents of Change

How might we transform existing volunteering programmes in schools (e.g., CIP and VIA) from being a mandatory checkbox to becoming an enriching journey that gets students excited to volunteer, take action and identify a cause they resonant with.

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Project Forget-Me-Not

One in ten Singaporeans aged 60 and above has dementia – a situation that will only worsen over time. A lack of understanding towards dementia results in many being unprepared when loved ones are diagnosed, impairing their ability to treat them with dignity. Awareness and advance planning can alleviate the situation. How can we prevent such thing from happening?

Silver Online Service

Amidst rapid advancements in technology, many seniors struggle to keep up and become digital immigrants. Many seniors fail to utilize the full potential of digital solutions for many modern-day lifestyles and feel isolated from society. How can we promote active aging by improving technological literacy among seniors?

Together We Can

Most NPOs lack funding. Just a few charities account for 85% of donations, yet there are more than 600 NPOs just in Singapore. More than half of them have less than 6 months of operating reserves. Hence they focus more on fundraising than on their own mission. How can we make this more sustainable?

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SpedGrow

To lead an independent life, individuals need to make wise choices and financial transactions. However, for the vulnerable population, the chances of being taken advantage of are much higher. How can we protect these vulnerable people while encouraging them to lead an independent life as well as allow caregivers to feel assured?

Scholarly

Youths may lack the resources or network for upward mobility in education & later life - particularly through means of university education or scholarships, two valued precursors to success in Singapore. How can we better prepare them?

SHANGE (HAYWECARE)

In the context of declining volunteerism, only less than 20% of Singaporeans enjoy volunteering. They find it hard to find volunteering opportunities which match their interests. They will like to see the impact of their contributions but do not feel it. Whereas, social organisations - non-government organisation and ground-up initiatives, still require help in connecting the right volunteers to the right roles. How can we improve volunteerism rates amongst individuals and strengthen the volunteering process within social organisations within our society?

Grants Awarded to YAC S4 Teams

Mental Well-Being

Team Name	Grant Awarded by Judges through Final Open Mic	Grant Awarded through PB Exercise (rounded down to the nearest hundred, grants capped at team's maximum required budget)	Total Grant Awarded
Ashtronaut	$20,000	$18,600	$38,600
Be Human Movement	$5,000	$4,600	$9,600
Check-In Champions	$5,000	$9,500	$14,500
Comooz	$5,000	NA	$5,000
Hauora	$20,000	$8,600	$28,600
Ignis Circles	$5,000	$2,100	$7,100
KURA KURA	$20,000	$7,900	$27,900
Lovespan	$20,000	$2,400	$22,400
Matter.Less	$20,000	$17,000	$37,000
Oolong	$5,000	$9,600	$14,600
Project Hapack	$5,000	NA	$5,000
Project Integration	$20,000	$9,300	$29,300
Project Thrive	$5,000	$7,500	$12,500
Soothe Sailors	$5,000	$11,800	$16,800
Student Advocates for Empowerment and Awareness (SAMA)	$20,000	NA	$20,000
Team Hosehbo	$20,000	$700	$20,700
The Monumental Project	$50,000	NA	$50,000
The Social Laboratory	$5,000	$15,700	$20,700
Togather for Good	$5,000	$8,800	$13,800

Environment & Sustainability

Team Name	Grant Awarded by Judges through Final Open Mic	Grant Awarded through PB Exercise *(rounded down to the nearest hundred, grants capped at team's maximum required budget)*	Total Grant Awarded
Cofeco	$5,000	$21,000	$26,000
Divert for 2nd Life (D2L.sg)	$5,000	$23,300	$28,300
Eco Go	$5,000	$1,400	$6,400
EcoEnzyme Learning Studio	$5,000	$2,800	$7,800
Ecologue	$5,000	$3,700	$8,700
EcoNation	$5,000	$3,500	$8,500
EzGreen	$5,000	$7,700	$12,700
Flint Paper Battery	$50,000	$20,000	$70,000
GEN F	$5,000	$4,300	$9,300
KANT	$5,000	NA	$5,000
Kapaw&co	$20,000	$5,900	$25,900
Nature's Operaism: Pixel Atlas	$5,000	$2,500	$7,500
Noshinom	$20,000	$10,300	$30,300
Pawfoo	$20,000	$9,000	$29,000
Pomona	$20,000	$2,000	$22,000
Project Enigma	$20,000	$5,300	$25,300
Romainder	$5,000	$2,900	$7,900
Roofresh	$5,000	$4,200	$9,200
Seasquared	$5,000	$1,500	$6,500
ShareRight	$5,000	$7,300	$12,300
Team Utopia	$50,000	NA	$50,000
Terraformers	$5,000	$6,800	$11,800
The White Card	$5,000	$2,900	$7,900
Willow	$5,000	$9,300	$14,300
Worthy	$5,000	$16,500	$21,500

Inclusivity

Team Name	Grant Awarded by Judges through Final Open Mic	Grant Awarded through PB Exercise *(rounded down to the nearest hundred, grants capped at team's maximum required budget)*	Total Grant Awarded
Clarity	$20,000	$5,500	$25,500
Kawan	$20,000	NA	$20,000
OwnYourCourt	$20,000	$6,600	$26,600
SG Travel Stories	$5,000	NA	$5,000

Support for Vulnerable Groups

Team Name	Grant Awarded by Judges through Final Open Mic	Grant Awarded through PB Exercise *(rounded down to the nearest hundred, grants capped at team's maximum required budget)*	Total Grant Awarded
Agents of Change	$5,000	$6,000	$11,000
Bona Fide	$5,000	$11,600	$16,600
Dream Artisans	$20,000	$11,700	$31,700
Gen-Closer	$20,000	NA	$20,000
guub	$20,000	$14,500	$34,500
Jalan Journey	$50,000	$1,000	$51,000
Project Forget-Me-Not	$20,000	$200	$20,200
Scholarly	$5,000	$7,200	$12,200
SHANGE (HAYWECARE)	$5,000	$9,000	$14,000
Silver Online Service	$5,000	$6,000	$11,000
SpedGrow	$50,000	$7,300	$57,300
The Adulting Community	$20,000	$10,900	$30,900
Together We Can	$20,000	$3,000	$23,000

Note: Teams with 'NA' under the column 'Grant Awarded through PB Exercise' indicate that they were awarded sufficient grants to carry out their project during Final Open Mic and thus did not have to go through the Participatory Budgeting exercise.