

Connecting the Unconnected

STUDENT AND YOUTH AMBASSADORS

The World Congress Series aims to establish a new global movement to open up opportunities in post-secondary education for all people, especially those experiencing disadvantage.

To help us achieve our aims we are seeking 'Student and Youth Ambassadors' in as many countries of the world as possible.

There will be 3 major global congresses in the series with the first in Montreal, Canada in October 2013. They will progressively build the economic, political and social case for improving education outcomes and a collective agenda for change that engages students, governments, policy-makers, education institutions, employers, social innovators, practitioners, researchers and others.

SAY Ambassadors will make an important contribution by representing the Congress in their local region, working to create interest and enthusiasm for the aims of the congress, encourage participation in activities and events and enable participation by raising funds and securing sponsorship. They may also organise local events or projects.

Ambassadors will become part of the World Congress consultation network and help to shape how the congress develops. They will receive and be able to contribute to special regular bulletins about the Congress. They will have opportunities to reach a global audience with their own research, blogs or articles on access and will have a role in creating the World Access Map, our ground-breaking global research project. As we are able to secure sponsorship, they will be given a high priority in the allocation of funds to support participation in Montreal.

If you become an Ambassador you will be expected to commit initially for the period from now until the conclusion of the Montreal Congress in October 2013. No specific time commitment is required so that you can adjust your involvement to fit with your other commitments. Being a World Congress Ambassador could become a valuable addition to your resume.

To express your interest, please contact the World Congress team:

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